



PDV salt block for water softener regeneration

Safety Data Sheet

according to the REACH Regulation (EC) 1907/2006 amended by Regulation (EU) 2020/878
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SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1. Product identifier

Product form	: Substance
Trade name	: PDV salt block for water softener regeneration
EC-No.	: 231-598-3
CAS-No.	: 7647-14-5
Product code	: K2313
Type of product	: Water softeners
Formula	: NaCl
Product group	: End product
REACH authorisation exemptions	: Exempted from REACH registration

1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

1.2.1. Relevant identified uses

Use of the substance/mixture	: Water softeners
Function or use category	: For industrial and domestic uses.

1.2.2. Uses advised against

No additional information available

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number	: For Chemical Emergency Call : for incidents involving hazardous materials [or dangerous goods] spill, leak, fire, exposure or accident, call CHEMTREC 24hr/day 7days/week Within USA and Canada: +1 800 424 - 9300 Outside USA and Canada: +1 703 741 - 5970 (collect calls accepted)
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SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

Not classified

Adverse physicochemical, human health and environmental effects

No additional information available

2.2. Label elements

Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

No labelling applicable

2.3. Other hazards

This substance/mixture does not meet the PBT criteria of REACH regulation, annex XIII
This substance/mixture does not meet the vPvB criteria of REACH regulation, annex XIII
Contains no PBT/vPvB substances $\geq 0.1\%$ assessed in accordance with REACH Annex XIII

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Component

Sodium chloride (7647-14-5)	This substance/mixture does not meet the PBT criteria of REACH regulation, annex XIII This substance/mixture does not meet the vPvB criteria of REACH regulation, annex XIII
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SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1. Substances

Substance type	: Mono-constituent
Name	: PDV salt block for water softener regeneration
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EC-No.	: 231-598-3

Name	Product identifier	%	Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]
Sodium chloride	CAS-No.: 7647-14-5 EC-No.: 231-598-3	> 98	Not classified

3.2. Mixtures

Not applicable

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures general	: If you feel unwell, consult a doctor/medical service.
First-aid measures after inhalation	: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
First-aid measures after skin contact	: Wash skin with plenty of water.
First-aid measures after eye contact	: Rinse eyes with water as a precaution.
First-aid measures after ingestion	: Rinse mouth out with water. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice.

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms/effects after skin contact	: No effects known.
Symptoms/effects after ingestion	: AFTER INGESTION OF HIGH QUANTITIES: Nausea. Vomiting.

4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media	: Adapt extinguishing media to the environment for surrounding fires.
Unsuitable extinguishing media	: Strong water jet.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Fire hazard	: DIRECT FIRE HAZARD: Non combustible.
Explosion hazard	: DIRECT EXPLOSION HAZARD: No direct explosion hazard. The product is not explosive. Is not classified according to Regulation (EU) 2019-1148.
Hazardous decomposition products in case of fire	: Toxic fumes may be released. hydrogenchloride.

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Protection during firefighting	: Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. Complete protective clothing. Self-contained breathing apparatus.
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Other information : Do not allow run-off from fire fighting to enter drains or water courses. Disposal must be done according to official regulations.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Emergency procedures : Ventilate spillage area.

6.1.2. For emergency responders

Protective equipment : Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Prevent entry to sewers and public waters. Avoid sub-soil penetration. Do not allow product to spread into the environment. Do not allow to enter drains or water courses.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up : Mechanically recover the product. Avoid dust formation. Wash down leftovers with plenty of water. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way, and as per local legislation. Take up mechanically (sweeping, shovelling) and collect in suitable container for disposal.

Other information : Disposal must be done according to official regulations. Ensure adequate air ventilation. Dispose of materials or solid residues at an authorized site.

6.4. Reference to other sections

Wear personal protective clothing (see chapter 8). See Section 7. See Section 8. For further information refer to section 13.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling : Ensure good ventilation of the work station. Wear personal protective equipment. Do not breathe dust. Avoid dust formation.

Hygiene measures : Observe normal hygiene standards.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage conditions : Store in a dry place. Store at room temperature. Protect from moisture.

Information on mixed storage : KEEP SUBSTANCE AWAY FROM: oxidizing agents. metals. water/moisture.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

No additional information available

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

8.1.1 National occupational exposure and biological limit values

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Latvia - Occupational Exposure Limits

Local name	Nātrija hlorīds
OEL TWA	5 mg/m ³
Regulatory reference	Ministru kabineta 2007. gada 15. maija noteikumiem Nr. 325 (Grozījumi Ministru kabineta 2011. gada 1. februārī noteikumiem Nr. 92)

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Lithuania - Occupational Exposure Limits	
Local name	Natrio chloridas
IPRV (OEL TWA)	5 mg/m ³
Regulatory reference	LIETUVOS HIGIENOS NORMA HN 23:2011 (Nr. V-695/A1-272, 2018-06-12)
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8.1.2. Recommended monitoring procedures

No additional information available

8.1.3. Air contaminants formed

No additional information available

8.1.4. DNEL and PNEC

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DNEL/DMEL (Workers)	
Acute - systemic effects, dermal	295.52 mg/kg bw/day
Acute - systemic effects, inhalation	2068.62 mg/m ³
Long-term - systemic effects, dermal	295.52 mg/kg bw/day
Long-term - systemic effects, inhalation	2068.62 mg/m ³
DNEL/DMEL (General population)	
Acute - systemic effects, dermal	126.65 mg/kg bw/day
Acute - systemic effects, inhalation	443.28 mg/m ³
Acute - systemic effects, oral	126.65 mg/kg bw/day
Long-term - systemic effects, oral	126.65 mg/kg bw/day
Long-term - systemic effects, inhalation	443.28 mg/m ³
Long-term - systemic effects, dermal	126.65 mg/kg bw/day
PNEC (Water)	
PNEC aqua (freshwater)	5 mg/l
PNEC (Soil)	
PNEC soil	4.86 mg/kg dwt
PNEC (STP)	
PNEC sewage treatment plant	500 mg/l

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8.1.5. Control banding

No additional information available

8.2. Exposure controls

8.2.1. Appropriate engineering controls

Appropriate engineering controls:

Ensure good ventilation of the work station.

8.2.2. Personal protection equipment

Personal protective equipment symbol(s):



8.2.2.1. Eye and face protection

Eye protection:

Where excessive dust may result, wear goggles

8.2.2.2. Skin protection

Skin and body protection:

Wear suitable protective clothing

8.2.2.3. Respiratory protection

Respiratory protection:

In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment. Dust formation: dust mask. EN 143

8.2.2.4. Thermal hazards

No additional information available

8.2.3. Environmental exposure controls

Environmental exposure controls:

Avoid release to the environment.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	: Solid
Colour	: Colourless to white.
Appearance	: Crystals.
Molecular mass	: 58.44 g/mol
Odour	: Odourless.
Odour threshold	: Not available
Melting point	: 801 °C (1013 hPa)
Freezing point	: Not available
Boiling point	: No data available (test not performed)
Flammability	: Not available
Explosive properties	: Product is not explosive.
Oxidising properties	: Non oxidizing.
Explosive limits	: Not applicable
Lower explosion limit	: Not applicable
Upper explosion limit	: Not applicable
Flash point	: Not applicable
Auto-ignition temperature	: Not applicable (solid)
Decomposition temperature	: > 804 °C
pH	: 6 – 9 (50 g/l; 20°C; DIN 38404-5)
pH solution	: Not available
Viscosity, kinematic	: Not applicable (solid)
Viscosity, dynamic	: Not applicable (solid)

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Solubility	: Soluble in water. Water: 35.9 g/100ml (20 °C)
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Kow)	: Not available
Vapour pressure	: No data available (test not performed)
Vapour pressure at 50°C	: Not available
Density	: 2160 kg/m ³ (25 °C)
Relative density	: 2.16 (25 °C)
Relative vapour density at 20°C	: Not applicable
Particle size	: 1.293 mm (D50, CIPAC MT 59.1)
Particle size distribution	: Not available
Particle shape	: Not available
Particle aspect ratio	: Not available
Particle aggregation state	: Not available
Particle agglomeration state	: Not available
Particle specific surface area	: Not available
Particle dustiness	: Not available

9.2. Other information

9.2.1. Information with regard to physical hazard classes

No additional information available

9.2.2. Other safety characteristics

Minimum ignition energy	: Not applicable
VOC content	: Not applicable (inorganic)
Bulk density	: ≈ 1000 kg/m ³
Other properties	: Hygroscopic

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

The product is non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.

10.2. Chemical stability

Hygroscopic.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No dangerous reactions known under normal conditions of use.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

None under recommended storage and handling conditions (see section 7).

10.5. Incompatible materials

Alkali metals. Acids. oxidising substances.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Acute toxicity (oral)	: Not classified
Acute toxicity (dermal)	: Not classified
Acute toxicity (inhalation)	: Not classified

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LD50 oral rat	> 3980 mg/kg bodyweight (Rat, Experimental value, 20% aqueous solution, Oral)
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LD50 dermal rabbit	> 10000 mg/kg (Rabbit, Experimental value, Dermal)
LC50 Inhalation - Rat	> 42 mg/l air (1 h, Rat, Male, Experimental value, 20% aqueous solution, Inhalation (aerosol))

Sodium chloride (7647-14-5)	
LD50 oral rat	> 3980 mg/kg bodyweight (Rat, Experimental value, 20% aqueous solution, Oral)
LD50 dermal rabbit	> 10000 mg/kg (Rabbit, Experimental value, Dermal)
LC50 Inhalation - Rat	> 42 mg/l air (1 h, Rat, Male, Experimental value, 20% aqueous solution, Inhalation (aerosol))

Skin corrosion/irritation	: Not classified pH: 6 – 9 (50 g/l; 20°C; DIN 38404-5)
Serious eye damage/irritation	: Not classified pH: 6 – 9 (50 g/l; 20°C; DIN 38404-5)
Respiratory or skin sensitisation	: Not classified
Germ cell mutagenicity	: Not classified
Carcinogenicity	: Not classified
Reproductive toxicity	: Not classified
STOT-single exposure	: Not classified
STOT-repeated exposure	: Not classified
Aspiration hazard	: Not classified

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Viscosity, kinematic	Not applicable (solid)

11.2. Information on other hazards

11.2.1. Endocrine disrupting properties

No additional information available

11.2.2. Other information

Potential adverse human health effects and symptoms	: Practically non-toxic if swallowed (LD50 oral, rat > 2000 mg/kg), Not irritant to skin, Non-toxic in contact with skin (LD50 skin > 5000 mg/kg), Slightly harmful by inhalation, Not irritant to eyes
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SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

Ecology - general	: Not classified as dangerous for the environment according to the criteria of Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008.
Ecology - air	: Not included in the list of substances which may contribute to the greenhouse effect (IPCC). Not included in the list of fluorinated greenhouse gases (Regulation (EU) No 517/2014). Not classified as dangerous for the ozone layer (Regulation (EC) No 1005/2009).
Ecology - water	: Not harmful to crustacea (Daphnia). Not harmful to fishes. Not harmful to algae.
Hazardous to the aquatic environment, short-term (acute)	: Not classified
Hazardous to the aquatic environment, long-term (chronic)	: Not classified
Not rapidly degradable	

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LC50 - Fish [1]	5840 mg/l (ASTM, 96 h, Lepomis macrochirus, Flow-through system, Fresh water, Experimental value, Lethal)

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12.2. Persistence and degradability

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Persistence and degradability	Not applicable for inorganic substances.
Chemical oxygen demand (COD)	Not applicable (inorganic)
ThOD	Not applicable (inorganic)

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Chemical oxygen demand (COD)	Not applicable (inorganic)
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12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

PDV salt block for water softener regeneration (7647-14-5)	
Bioaccumulative potential	Not bioaccumulative.

Sodium chloride (7647-14-5)	
Bioaccumulative potential	Not bioaccumulative.

12.4. Mobility in soil

PDV salt block for water softener regeneration (7647-14-5)	
Surface tension	73.03 mN/m (23 °C, 14.5 g/l)
Ecology - soil	No (test)data on mobility of the substance available.

Sodium chloride (7647-14-5)	
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Ecology - soil	No (test)data on mobility of the substance available.

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

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This substance/mixture does not meet the PBT criteria of REACH regulation, annex XIII	
This substance/mixture does not meet the vPvB criteria of REACH regulation, annex XIII	

12.6. Endocrine disrupting properties

No additional information available

12.7. Other adverse effects

Additional information : No other effects known

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Product/Packaging disposal recommendations : Do not discharge into drains or the environment. Dispose of at authorized waste collection point. Remove waste in accordance with local and/or national regulations.

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Additional information : Can be considered as non hazardous waste according to Directive 2008/98/EC, as amended by Regulation (EU) No 1357/2014 and Regulation (EU) No 2017/997.
European List of Waste (LoW) code : 06 03 14 - solid salts and solutions other than those mentioned in 06 03 11 and 06 03 13

SECTION 14: Transport information

In accordance with ADR / IMDG / IATA / ADN / RID

ADR	IMDG	IATA	ADN	RID
14.1. UN number or ID number				
Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
14.2. UN proper shipping name				
Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
14.3. Transport hazard class(es)				
Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
14.4. Packing group				
Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
14.5. Environmental hazards				
Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
No supplementary information available				

14.6. Special precautions for user

Overland transport

Not applicable

Transport by sea

Not applicable

Air transport

Not applicable

Inland waterway transport

Not applicable

Rail transport

Not applicable

14.7. Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

Not applicable

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

15.1.1. EU-Regulations

Not listed on REACH Annex XVII

Not listed on the REACH Candidate List

Not listed on REACH Annex XIV (Authorisation List)

Not listed on the PIC list (Regulation EU 649/2012)

Not listed on the POP list (Regulation EU 2019/1021)

Not listed on the Ozone Depletion list (Regulation EU 1005/2009)

Contains no substance(s) listed on the Explosives Precursors list (Regulation EU 2019/1148 on the marketing and use of explosives precursors)

VOC content : Not applicable (inorganic)

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Contains no substance(s) listed on the Drug Precursors list (Regulation EC 273/2004 on the manufacture and the placing on market of certain substances used in the illicit manufacture of narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances)

15.1.2. National regulations

France	
Occupational diseases	
Code	Description
RG 78	Diseases caused by sodium chloride in salt mines and their dependencies

Germany

Employment restrictions : Observe restrictions according Act on the Protection of Working Mothers (MuSchG)
Observe restrictions according Act on the Protection of Young People in Employment (JArbSchG)

Water hazard class (WGK) : WGK 1, Slightly hazardous to water (Classification according to AwSV; ID No. 270)

Hazardous Incident Ordinance (12. BImSchV) : Is not subject of the Hazardous Incident Ordinance (12. BImSchV)

Technical Instructions on Air Quality Control (TA Luft) : 5.2.1 Total Dust, including Micro Dust

Storage class (LGK, TRGS 510) : LGK 13 - Non-combustible solids

LGK 1	LGK 2A	LGK 2B	LGK 3	LGK 4.1A
LGK 4.1B	LGK 4.2	LGK 4.3	LGK 5.1A	LGK 5.1B
LGK 5.1C	LGK 5.2	LGK 6.1A	LGK 6.1B	LGK 6.1C
LGK 6.1D	LGK 6.2	LGK 7	LGK 8A	LGK 8B
LGK 10	LGK 11	LGK 12	LGK 13	LGK 10-13

Joint storage not permitted for : LGK 1, LGK 6.2, LGK 7

Joint storage with restrictions permitted for : LGK 4.1A, LGK 5.1C

Joint storage permitted for : LGK 2A, LGK 2B, LGK 3, LGK 4.1B, LGK 4.2, LGK 4.3, LGK 5.1A, LGK 5.1B, LGK 5.2, LGK 6.1A, LGK 6.1B, LGK 6.1C, LGK 6.1D, LGK 8A, LGK 8B, LGK 10, LGK 11, LGK 12, LGK 13, LGK 10-13

Netherlands

ABM category : C(2) - low hazard for aquatic organisms occurs naturally in surface water

SZW-lijst van kankerverwekkende stoffen : The substance is not listed

SZW-lijst van mutagene stoffen : The substance is not listed

SZW-lijst van reprotoxische stoffen – Borstvoeding : The substance is not listed

SZW-lijst van reprotoxische stoffen – Vruchtbaarheid : The substance is not listed

SZW-lijst van reprotoxische stoffen – Ontwikkeling : The substance is not listed

SZW-lijst van reprotoxische stoffen – Ontwikkeling : The substance is not listed

Switzerland

Storage class (LK) : NG - Non-hazardous

15.2. Chemical safety assessment

No additional information available

SECTION 16: Other information

No additional information available

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This information is based on our current knowledge and is intended to describe the product for the purposes of health, safety and environmental requirements only. It should not therefore be construed as guaranteeing any specific property of the product.