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## SAFETY DATA SHEET

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### SECTION 1. CHEMICAL IDENTIFICATION

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CATALOG #:	30370
NAME:	Benzyltrimethylhexadecylammonium chloride
SYNONYMS:	Cetyltrimethylbenzylammonium chloride Cetalkonium chloride
24 HOUR EMERGENCY TELEPHONE:	(800) 535-5053(USA) 352-323-3500 (INTERNATIONAL)
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### SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

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#### CLASSIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE OR MIXTURE

#### GHS CLASSIFICATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)

ACUTE TOXICITY, ORAL (CATEGORY 4), H302  
ACUTE TOXICITY, DERMAL (CATEGORY 4), H312  
SKIN CORROSION (CATEGORY 1B), H314  
EYE IRRITATION (CATEGORY 2A), H319

ACUTE AQUATIC TOXICITY (CATEGORY 1), H400

FOR THE FULL TEXT OF THE H-STATEMENTS MENTIONED IN THIS SECTION, SEE SECTION 16.

**GHS LABEL ELEMENTS, INCLUDING PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS  
PICTOGRAM**



SIGNAL WORD

DANGER

**HAZARD STATEMENT(S)**

H302 + H312 HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED OR IN CONTACT WITH SKIN

H314 CAUSES SEVERE SKIN BURNS AND EYE DAMAGE.

H400 VERY TOXIC TO AQUATIC LIFE.

**PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENT(S)**

P260 DO NOT BREATHE DUST OR MIST.

P264 WASH SKIN THOROUGHLY AFTER HANDLING.

P270 DO NOT EAT, DRINK OR SMOKE WHEN USING THIS PRODUCT.

P273 AVOID RELEASE TO THE ENVIRONMENT.

P280 WEAR PROTECTIVE GLOVES/ PROTECTIVE CLOTHING/ EYE PROTECTION/ FACE PROTECTION.

P301 + P312 IF SWALLOWED: CALL A POISON CENTER OR DOCTOR/ PHYSICIAN IF YOU FEEL UNWELL.

P301 + P330 + P331 IF SWALLOWED: RINSE MOUTH. DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING.

P303 + P361 + P353 IF ON SKIN (OR HAIR): REMOVE/ TAKE OFF IMMEDIATELY ALL CONTAMINATED CLOTHING. RINSE SKIN WITH WATER/ SHOWER.

P304 + P340 IF INHALED: REMOVE VICTIM TO FRESH AIR AND KEEP AT REST IN A POSITION COMFORTABLE FOR BREATHING.

P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: RINSE CAUTIOUSLY WITH WATER FOR SEVERAL MINUTES. REMOVE CONTACT LENSES, IF PRESENT AND EASY TO DO. CONTINUE RINSING.

P310 IMMEDIATELY CALL A POISON CENTER OR DOCTOR/ PHYSICIAN.

P322 SPECIFIC MEASURES (SEE SUPPLEMENTAL FIRST AID INSTRUCTIONS ON THIS LABEL).

P337 + P313 IF EYE IRRITATION PERSISTS: GET MEDICAL ADVICE/ ATTENTION.

P363 WASH CONTAMINATED CLOTHING BEFORE REUSE.

P391 COLLECT SPILLAGE.

P405 STORE LOCKED UP.

P501 DISPOSE OF CONTENTS/ CONTAINER TO AN APPROVED WASTE DISPOSAL PLANT.

**HAZARDS NOT  
OTHERWISE  
CLASSIFIED (HNOC)  
OR NOT COVERED  
BY GHS**

NONE

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### SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

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MF:  $C_{25}H_{46}NCl$   
MW: 396.10  
CAS-NO. 122-18-9  
PURITY:  $\geq 99\%$  (Assay on anhydrous basis)

#### HAZARDOUS COMPONENTS

COMPONENT	CLASSIFICATION	CONCENTRATION
<b>CETALKONIUM CHLORIDE</b>		
	ACUTE TOX. 4; SKIN CORR. 1B; EYE IRRIT. 2A; AQUATIC ACUTE 1; H302 + H312, H314, H400	-

FOR THE FULL TEXT OF THE H-STATEMENTS MENTIONED IN THIS SECTION, SEE SECTION 16.

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### SECTION 4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

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#### DESCRIPTION OF FIRST AID MEASURES

**GENERAL ADVICE** CONSULT A PHYSICIAN. SHOW THIS SAFETY DATA SHEET TO THE DOCTOR IN ATTENDANCE. MOVE OUT OF DANGEROUS AREA.

**IF INHALED** IF BREATHED IN, MOVE PERSON INTO FRESH AIR. IF NOT BREATHING, GIVE ARTIFICIAL RESPIRATION. CONSULT A PHYSICIAN.

**IN CASE OF SKIN CONTACT** TAKE OFF CONTAMINATED CLOTHING AND SHOES IMMEDIATELY. WASH OFF WITH SOAP AND PLENTY OF WATER. CONSULT A PHYSICIAN.

**IN CASE OF EYE CONTACT** RINSE THOROUGHLY WITH PLENTY OF WATER FOR AT LEAST 15 MINUTES AND CONSULT A PHYSICIAN. CONTINUE RINSING EYES DURING TRANSPORT TO HOSPITAL.

**IF SWALLOWED** DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING. NEVER GIVE ANYTHING BY MOUTH TO AN UNCONSCIOUS PERSON. RINSE MOUTH WITH WATER. CONSULT A PHYSICIAN.

**MOST IMPORTANT SYMPTOMS AND** THE MOST IMPORTANT KNOWN SYMPTOMS AND EFFECTS ARE DESCRIBED IN THE LABELLING (SEE SECTION 2.2) AND/OR IN SECTION 11

**EFFECTS, BOTH ACUTE  
AND DELAYED**

**INDICATION OF ANY  
IMMEDIATE MEDICAL  
ATTENTION AND  
SPECIAL TREATMENT  
NEEDED**

NO DATA AVAILABLE

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**SECTION 5. FIRE AND EXPLOSION DATA**

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**EXTINGUISHING MEDIA**

**SUITABLE  
EXTINGUISHING MEDIA**

USE WATER SPRAY, ALCOHOL-RESISTANT FOAM, DRY  
CHEMICAL OR CARBON DIOXIDE.

**SPECIAL HAZARDS  
ARISING FROM THE  
SUBSTANCE OR MIXTURE**

CARBON OXIDES, NITROGEN OXIDES (NOX),  
HYDROGEN CHLORIDE GAS

**ADVICE FOR  
FIREFIGHTERS**

WEAR SELF CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS FOR  
FIRE FIGHTING IF NECESSARY.

**FURTHER INFORMATION**

NO DATA AVAILABLE

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**SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

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**PERSONAL  
PRECAUTIONS,  
PROTECTIVE  
EQUIPMENT AND  
EMERGENCY  
PROCEDURES**

USE PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT. AVOID  
DUST FORMATION. AVOID BREATHING VAPOURS, MIST  
OR GAS. ENSURE ADEQUATE VENTILATION.  
EVACUATE PERSONNEL TO SAFE AREAS. AVOID  
BREATHING DUST.  
FOR PERSONAL PROTECTION SEE SECTION 8.

**ENVIRONMENTAL  
PRECAUTIONS**

PREVENT FURTHER LEAKAGE OR SPILLAGE IF SAFE  
TO DO SO. DO NOT LET PRODUCT ENTER DRAINS.  
DISCHARGE INTO THE ENVIRONMENT MUST BE  
AVOIDED.

**METHODS AND  
MATERIALS FOR  
CONTAINMENT AND  
CLEANING UP**

PICK UP AND ARRANGE DISPOSAL WITHOUT  
CREATING DUST. SWEEP UP AND SHOVEL. KEEP IN  
SUITABLE, CLOSED CONTAINERS FOR DISPOSAL.

**REFERENCE TO OTHER  
SECTIONS**

FOR DISPOSAL SEE SECTION 13.

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**SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

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<b>PRECAUTIONS FOR SAFE HANDLING</b>	AVOID CONTACT WITH SKIN AND EYES. AVOID FORMATION OF DUST AND AEROSOLS. PROVIDE APPROPRIATE EXHAUST VENTILATION AT PLACES WHERE DUST IS FORMED. NORMAL MEASURES FOR PREVENTIVE FIRE PROTECTION. FOR PRECAUTIONS SEE SECTION 2.2.
<b>CONDITIONS FOR SAFE STORAGE, INCLUDING ANY INCOMPATIBILITIES</b>	KEEP CONTAINER TIGHTLY CLOSED IN A DRY AND WELL-VENTILATED PLACE.
<b>SPECIFIC END USE(S)</b>	APART FROM THE USES MENTIONED IN SECTION 1.2 NO OTHER SPECIFIC USES ARE STIPULATED

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**SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

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**CONTROL PARAMETERS**

<b>COMPONENTS WITH WORKPLACE CONTROL PARAMETERS</b>	CONTAINS NO SUBSTANCES WITH OCCUPATIONAL EXPOSURE LIMIT VALUES.
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**EXPOSURE CONTROLS**

<b>APPROPRIATE ENGINEERING CONTROLS</b>	HANDLE IN ACCORDANCE WITH GOOD INDUSTRIAL HYGIENE AND SAFETY PRACTICE. WASH HANDS BEFORE BREAKS AND AT THE END OF WORKDAY.
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**PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT**

<b>EYE/FACE PROTECTION</b>	FACE SHIELD AND SAFETY GLASSES USE EQUIPMENT FOR EYE PROTECTION TESTED AND APPROVED UNDER APPROPRIATE GOVERNMENT STANDARDS SUCH AS NIOSH (US) OR EN 166(EU).
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**SKIN PROTECTION**

HANDLE WITH GLOVES. GLOVES MUST BE INSPECTED PRIOR TO USE. USE PROPER GLOVE REMOVAL TECHNIQUE (WITHOUT TOUCHING GLOVE'S OUTER SURFACE) TO AVOID SKIN CONTACT WITH THIS PRODUCT. DISPOSE OF CONTAMINATED GLOVES AFTER USE IN ACCORDANCE WITH APPLICABLE LAWS AND GOOD LABORATORY PRACTICES. WASH AND DRY HANDS.

**FULL CONTACT**

MATERIAL: NITRILE RUBBER

MINIMUM LAYER THICKNESS: 0.11 MM

BREAK THROUGH TIME: 480 MIN

MATERIAL TESTED:DERMATRIL (KCL 740, SIZE M)

**SPLASH CONTACT**

MATERIAL: NITRILE RUBBER

MINIMUM LAYER THICKNESS: 0.11 MM

BREAK THROUGH TIME: 480 MIN

MATERIAL TESTED:DERMATRIL (KCL 740, SIZE M)

IF USED IN SOLUTION, OR MIXED WITH OTHER SUBSTANCES, AND UNDER CONDITIONS WHICH DIFFER FROM EN 374, CONTACT THE SUPPLIER OF THE CE APPROVED GLOVES. THIS RECOMMENDATION IS ADVISORY ONLY AND MUST BE EVALUATED BY AN INDUSTRIAL HYGIENIST AND SAFETY OFFICER FAMILIAR WITH THE SPECIFIC SITUATION OF ANTICIPATED USE BY OUR CUSTOMERS. IT SHOULD NOT BE CONSTRUED AS OFFERING AN APPROVAL FOR ANY SPECIFIC USE SCENARIO.

**BODY PROTECTION**

COMPLETE SUIT PROTECTING AGAINST CHEMICALS, THE TYPE OF PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT MUST BE SELECTED ACCORDING TO THE CONCENTRATION AND AMOUNT OF THE DANGEROUS SUBSTANCE AT THE SPECIFIC WORKPLACE.

**RESPIRATORY PROTECTION**

WHERE RISK ASSESSMENT SHOWS AIR-PURIFYING RESPIRATORS ARE APPROPRIATE USE A FULL-FACE PARTICLE RESPIRATOR TYPE N100 (US) OR TYPE P3 (EN 143) RESPIRATOR CARTRIDGES AS A BACKUP TO ENGINEERING CONTROLS. IF THE RESPIRATOR IS THE SOLE MEANS OF PROTECTION, USE A FULL-FACE SUPPLIED AIR RESPIRATOR. USE RESPIRATORS AND COMPONENTS TESTED AND APPROVED UNDER APPROPRIATE GOVERNMENT STANDARDS SUCH AS NIOSH (US) OR CEN (EU).

**CONTROL OF ENVIRONMENTAL EXPOSURE**

PREVENT FURTHER LEAKAGE OR SPILLAGE IF SAFE TO DO SO. DO NOT LET PRODUCT ENTER DRAINS. DISCHARGE INTO THE ENVIRONMENT MUST BE AVOIDED.

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**SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

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**INFORMATION ON BASIC PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

APPEARANCE	White to off-white crystalline powder
ODOUR	NO DATA AVAILABLE
ODOUR THRESHOLD	NO DATA AVAILABLE
PH	NO DATA AVAILABLE
MELTING POINT/FREEZING POINT	72 - 80 °C
INITIAL BOILING POINT AND BOILING RANGE	
FLASH POINT	
EVAPORATION RATE	NO DATA AVAILABLE
FLAMMABILITY (SOLID, GAS)	NO DATA AVAILABLE
UPPER/LOWER FLAMMABILITY OR EXPLOSIVE LIMITS	NO DATA AVAILABLE
VAPOUR PRESSURE	NO DATA AVAILABLE
VAPOUR DENSITY	NO DATA AVAILABLE
RELATIVE DENSITY	
WATER SOLUBILITY	NO DATA AVAILABLE
PARTITION COEFFICIENT: N- OCTANOL/WATER	NO DATA AVAILABLE
AUTO-IGNITION TEMPERATURE	NO DATA AVAILABLE
DECOMPOSITION TEMPERATURE	NO DATA AVAILABLE
VISCOSITY	NO DATA AVAILABLE
EXPLOSIVE PROPERTIES	NO DATA AVAILABLE
OXIDIZING PROPERTIES	NO DATA AVAILABLE
<b>OTHER SAFETY INFORMATION</b>	NO DATA AVAILABLE

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**SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

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<b>REACTIVITY</b>	NO DATA AVAILABLE
<b>CHEMICAL STABILITY</b>	STABLE UNDER RECOMMENDED STORAGE CONDITIONS.
<b>POSSIBILITY OF HAZARDOUS REACTIONS</b>	NO DATA AVAILABLE
<b>CONDITIONS TO AVOID</b>	NO DATA AVAILABLE

**INCOMPATIBLE  
MATERIALS**

STRONG OXIDIZING AGENTS

**HAZARDOUS  
DECOMPOSITION  
PRODUCTS**

OTHER DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS - NO DATA  
AVAILABLE  
IN THE EVENT OF FIRE: SEE SECTION 5

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## **SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

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### **INFORMATION ON TOXICOLOGICAL EFFECTS**

**ACUTE TOXICITY**

INHALATION: NO DATA AVAILABLE

**SKIN  
CORROSION/IRRITATION**

NO DATA AVAILABLE

**SERIOUS EYE  
DAMAGE/EYE IRRITATION**

EYES - RABBIT  
RESULT: MILD EYE IRRITATION  
EYES - GUINEA PIG  
RESULT: MODERATE EYE IRRITATION

**RESPIRATORY OR SKIN  
SENSITISATION**

NO DATA AVAILABLE

**GERM CELL  
MUTAGENICITY**

NO DATA AVAILABLE

**CARCINOGENICITY**

IARC:

NO COMPONENT OF THIS PRODUCT PRESENT AT  
LEVELS GREATER THAN OR EQUAL TO 0.1% IS  
IDENTIFIED AS PROBABLE, POSSIBLE OR  
CONFIRMED HUMAN CARCINOGEN BY IARC.

ACGIH:

NO COMPONENT OF THIS PRODUCT PRESENT AT  
LEVELS GREATER THAN OR EQUAL TO 0.1% IS  
IDENTIFIED AS A CARCINOGEN OR POTENTIAL  
CARCINOGEN BY ACGIH.

NTP:

NO COMPONENT OF THIS PRODUCT PRESENT AT  
LEVELS GREATER THAN OR EQUAL TO 0.1% IS  
IDENTIFIED AS A KNOWN OR ANTICIPATED  
CARCINOGEN BY NTP.

OSHA:

NO COMPONENT OF THIS PRODUCT PRESENT AT  
LEVELS GREATER THAN OR EQUAL TO 0.1% IS  
IDENTIFIED AS A CARCINOGEN OR POTENTIAL  
CARCINOGEN BY OSHA.

**REPRODUCTIVE TOXICITY**

NO DATA AVAILABLE

**SPECIFIC TARGET ORGAN  
TOXICITY - SINGLE  
EXPOSURE**

NO DATA AVAILABLE



**SPECIFIC TARGET ORGAN TOXICITY - REPEATED EXPOSURE** NO DATA AVAILABLE

**ASPIRATION HAZARD** NO DATA AVAILABLE

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION** RTECS: BO6822450

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## **SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

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### **TOXICITY**

TOXICITY TO FISH	LC50 - OTHER FISH - 0.31 MG/L - 96.0 H
TOXICITY TO DAPHNIA AND OTHER AQUATIC INVERTEBRATES	EC50 - DAPHNIA MAGNA (WATER FLEA) - 0.02 MG/L - 48 H
TOXICITY TO ALGAE	IC50 - OTHER MICROORGANISMS - 0.07 MG/L - 72 H

### **PERSISTENCE AND DEGRADABILITY**

**BIODEGRADABILITY** RESULT: - READILY BIODEGRADABLE.

**BIOACCUMULATIVE POTENTIAL** NO DATA AVAILABLE

**MOBILITY IN SOIL** NO DATA AVAILABLE

**RESULTS OF PBT AND VPVB ASSESSMENT** PBT/VPVB ASSESSMENT NOT AVAILABLE AS CHEMICAL SAFETY ASSESSMENT NOT REQUIRED/NOT CONDUCTED

**OTHER ADVERSE EFFECTS** AN ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARD CANNOT BE EXCLUDED IN THE EVENT OF UNPROFESSIONAL HANDLING OR DISPOSAL. VERY TOXIC TO AQUATIC LIFE.

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## **SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

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### **WASTE TREATMENT METHODS**

<b>PRODUCT</b>	OFFER SURPLUS AND NON-RECYCLABLE SOLUTIONS TO A LICENSED DISPOSAL COMPANY. CONTACT A LICENSED PROFESSIONAL WASTE DISPOSAL SERVICE TO DISPOSE OF THIS MATERIAL. DISSOLVE OR MIX THE MATERIAL WITH A COMBUSTIBLE SOLVENT AND BURN IN A CHEMICAL INCINERATOR EQUIPPED WITH AN AFTERBURNER AND SCRUBBER.
<b>CONTAMINATED PACKAGING</b>	DISPOSE OF AS UNUSED PRODUCT.

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**SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

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**DOT (US)**

PROPER SHIPPING NAME:	CORROSIVE SOLID, ACIDIC, ORGANIC, N.O.S. (Benzyltrimethylhexadecylammonium chloride)
UN NUMBER:	3261
CLASS:	8
PACKING GROUP:	III
MARINE POLLUTANT:	NO
POISON INHALATION HAZARD:	NO

**IMDG**

PROPER SHIPPING NAME:	CORROSIVE SOLID, ACIDIC, ORGANIC, N.O.S. (Benzyltrimethylhexadecylammonium chloride)
UN NUMBER:	3261
CLASS:	8
PACKING GROUP:	III
EMS-NO:	F-A, S-B
MARINE POLLUTANT:	NO

**IATA**

PROPER SHIPPING NAME:	CORROSIVE SOLID, ACIDIC, ORGANIC, N.O.S. (Benzyltrimethylhexadecylammonium chloride)
UN NUMBER:	3261
CLASS:	8
PACKING GROUP:	III

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**SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

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<b>SARA 302 COMPONENTS</b>	SARA 302: NO CHEMICALS IN THIS MATERIAL ARE SUBJECT TO THE REPORTING REQUIREMENTS OF SARA TITLE III, SECTION 302.
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<b>SARA 313 COMPONENTS</b>	SARA 313: THIS MATERIAL DOES NOT CONTAIN ANY CHEMICAL COMPONENTS WITH KNOWN CAS NUMBERS THAT EXCEED THE THRESHOLD (DE MINIMIS) REPORTING LEVELS ESTABLISHED BY SARA TITLE III, SECTION 313.	
<b>SARA 311/312 HAZARDS</b>	ACUTE HEALTH HAZARD	
<b>MASSACHUSETTS RIGHT TO KNOW COMPONENTS</b>	NO COMPONENTS ARE SUBJECT TO THE MASSACHUSETTS RIGHT TO KNOW ACT.	
<b>PENNSYLVANIA RIGHT TO KNOW COMPONENTS</b>	CAS-NO.	REVISION DATE
Benzyltrimethylhexadecylammonium chloride	122-18-9	
<b>NEW JERSEY RIGHT TO KNOW COMPONENTS</b>	CAS-NO.	REVISION DATE
Benzyltrimethylhexadecylammonium chloride	122-18-9	
<b>CALIFORNIA PROP. 65 COMPONENTS</b>	THIS PRODUCT DOES NOT CONTAIN ANY CHEMICALS KNOWN TO STATE OF CALIFORNIA TO CAUSE CANCER, BIRTH DEFECTS, OR ANY OTHER REPRODUCTIVE HARM.	

## SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

### FULL TEXT OF H-STATEMENTS REFERRED TO UNDER SECTIONS 2 AND 3.

ACUTE TOX.	ACUTE TOXICITY
AQUATIC ACUTE	ACUTE AQUATIC TOXICITY
EYE IRRIT.	EYE IRRITATION
H302	HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED.
H302 + H312	HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED OR IN CONTACT WITH SKIN
H312	HARMFUL IN CONTACT WITH SKIN.
H314	CAUSES SEVERE SKIN BURNS AND EYE DAMAGE.
H319	CAUSES SERIOUS EYE IRRITATION.

### HMIS RATING

HEALTH HAZARD:	3
CHRONIC HEALTH HAZARD:	
FLAMMABILITY:	0
PHYSICAL HAZARD	0

### NFPA RATING

HEALTH HAZARD:	3
FIRE HAZARD:	0
REACTIVITY HAZARD:	0

MSDS LEGEND

MW:	MOLECULAR WEIGHT
MF:	MOLECULAR FORMULA
VOC:	VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS
ACGIH:	AMERICAN CONFERENCE OF GOVERNMENTAL INDUSTRIAL HYGINISTS
CAS:	CHEMICAL ABSTRACTS SERIVE REGISTRY NUMBER
OSHA:	OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH ADMINISTRATION
PEL:	PERMISSIBLE EXPOSURE LIMIT (OSHA)
TLV:	THRESHOLD LIMIT VALUE (ACGIH)

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