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## Section 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

#### 1.1. Product identifier

Product name: QUAT
Product code: AF9038

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

Use of substance / mixture: Disinfectant

## 1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company name: Kilco (International) Ltd

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Tel: +44 (0) 157 620 5480

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## 1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency tel: +44 (0) 207 858 1228

## **Section 2: Hazards identification**

## 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification under CHIP: Xi: R38; Xi: R41; N: R50

Classification under CLP: Aquatic Acute 1: H400; Skin Corr. 1C: H314

Most important adverse effects: Irritating to skin. Risk of serious damage to eyes. Very toxic to aquatic organisms.

### 2.2. Label elements

Label elements:

Hazard statements: H314: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H400: Very toxic to aquatic life.

Signal words: Danger

Hazard pictograms: GHS05: Corrosion

GHS09: Environmental





Precautionary statements: P260: Do not breathe dust/fumes/gas/mist/vapours/spray.

P280: Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

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P301+330+331: IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

P303+361+353: IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing.

Rinse skin with water/shower.

P304+340: IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

P305+351+338: IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove

contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

#### Label elements under CHIP:

Hazard symbols: Irritant.

Dangerous for the environment.





Risk phrases: R38: Irritating to skin.

R41: Risk of serious damage to eyes. R50: Very toxic to aquatic organisms.

Safety phrases: S26: In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek

medical advice.

S39: Wear eye / face protection.

S61: Avoid release to the environment. Refer to special instructions / safety data sheets.

S28: After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of water.

### 2.3. Other hazards

PBT: This product is not identified as a PBT/vPvB substance.

## Section 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.2. Mixtures

### **BENZALKONIUM CHLORIDE**

270-325-2	68424-85-1	Xn: R21/22; C: R34; N: R50	Skin Corr. 1C: H314; Acute Tox. 4:	1-10%
			H302+312; Aquatic Acute 1: H400	

## Section 4: First aid measures

# 4.1. Description of first aid measures

**Skin contact:** Remove all contaminated clothes and footwear immediately unless stuck to skin.

Drench the affected skin with running water for 10 minutes or longer if substance is still

on skin. Transfer to hospital if there are burns or symptoms of poisoning.

Eye contact: Bathe the eye with running water for 15 minutes. Transfer to hospital for specialist

examination.

Ingestion: Wash out mouth with water. Do not induce vomiting. Give 1 cup of water to drink every 10

minutes. If unconscious, check for breathing and apply artificial respiration if necessary.

If unconscious and breathing is OK, place in the recovery position. Transfer to hospital

as soon as possible.

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Inhalation: Remove casualty from exposure ensuring one's own safety whilst doing so. If

unconscious and breathing is OK, place in the recovery position. If conscious, ensure the casualty sits or lies down. If breathing becomes bubbly, have the casualty sit and

provide oxygen if available. Transfer to hospital as soon as possible.

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

Skin contact: Blistering may occur. Progressive ulceration will occur if treatment is not immediate.

**Eye contact:** Corneal burns may occur. May cause permanent damage.

Ingestion: Corrosive burns may appear around the lips. Blood may be vomited. There may be

bleeding from the mouth or nose.

Inhalation: There may be shortness of breath with a burning sensation in the throat. Exposure may

cause coughing or wheezing.

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

Immediate / special treatment: Not applicable.

### Section 5: Fire-fighting measures

#### 5.1. Extinguishing media

Extinguishing media: Suitable extinguishing media for the surrounding fire should be used. Use water spray

to cool containers.

## 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

**Exposure hazards:** Corrosive. In combustion emits toxic fumes.

## 5.3. Advice for fire-fighters

Advice for fire-fighters: Wear self-contained breathing apparatus. Wear protective clothing to prevent contact

with skin and eyes.

#### Section 6: Accidental release measures

### 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions: If outside keep bystanders upwind and away from danger point. Mark out the

contaminated area with signs and prevent access to unauthorised personnel. Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective clothing - see section 8 of SDS. Turn leaking containers leak-side up to prevent the escape of liquid. Refer to section 8 of SDS

for personal protection details.

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions: Do not discharge into drains or rivers. Contain the spillage using bunding.

## 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Clean-up procedures: Clean-up should be dealt with only by qualified personnel familiar with the specific

substance. Absorb into dry earth or sand. Transfer to a closable, labelled salvage

container for disposal by an appropriate method.

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## 6.4. Reference to other sections

Reference to other sections: Refer to section 8 of SDS.

#### Section 7: Handling and storage

#### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Handling requirements: Avoid direct contact with the substance. Ensure there is sufficient ventilation of the area.

Do not handle in a confined space. Avoid the formation or spread of mists in the air.

### 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage conditions: Store in a cool, well ventilated area. Keep container tightly closed. The floor of the

storage room must be impermeable to prevent the escape of liquids.

Suitable packaging: Must only be kept in original packaging.

## 7.3. Specific end use(s)

Specific end use(s): The identified uses for this product are detailed in Section 1.2

#### Section 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

#### 8.1. Control parameters

Workplace exposure limits: No data available.

#### **DNEL/PNEC Values**

**DNEL / PNEC** No data available.

#### 8.2. Exposure controls

Engineering measures: Ensure there is sufficient ventilation of the area. The floor of the storage room must be

impermeable to prevent the escape of liquids.

**Respiratory protection:** Self-contained breathing apparatus must be available in case of emergency.

Hand protection: Impermeable gloves.

**Eye protection:** Tightly fitting safety goggles. Ensure eye bath is to hand.

Skin protection: Impermeable protective clothing.

## Section 9: Physical and chemical properties

# 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

State: Liquid

Colour: Green

Oxidising: Non-oxidising (by EC criteria)

Solubility in water: Soluble

Flammability limits %: lower: Not applicable. upper: Not applicable.

Flash point°C: Not applicable. Relative density: 0.990 – 1.010

**pH:** 6.50 - 8.50

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### 9.2. Other information

Other information: Not applicable.

## Section 10: Stability and reactivity

#### 10.1. Reactivity

Reactivity: Stable under recommended transport or storage conditions.

### 10.2. Chemical stability

Chemical stability: Stable under normal conditions.

#### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous reactions: Hazardous reactions will not occur under normal transport or storage conditions.

Decomposition may occur on exposure to conditions or materials listed below.

#### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

Conditions to avoid: Heat.

#### 10.5. Incompatible materials

Materials to avoid: Strong oxidising agents. Strong acids.

## 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Haz. decomp. products: In combustion emits toxic fumes.

## **Section 11: Toxicological information**

## 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

#### Relevant effects for mixture:

Effect	Route	Basis
Irritation	OPT DRM	Hazardous: calculated

# Symptoms / routes of exposure

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bleeding from the mouth or nose.

Inhalation: There may be shortness of breath with a burning sensation in the throat. Exposure may

cause coughing or wheezing.

## **Section 12: Ecological information**

## 12.1. Toxicity

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## Hazardous ingredients:

#### **BENZALKONIUM CHLORIDE**

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DAPHNIA	48H EC50	0.016	mg/l	l

## 12.2. Persistence and degradability

Persistence and degradability: Biodegradable.

## 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulative potential: No bioaccumulation potential.

## 12.4. Mobility in soil

Mobility: Readily absorbed into soil.

#### 12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT identification: This product is not identified as a PBT/vPvB substance.

#### 12.6. Other adverse effects

Other adverse effects: Negligible ecotoxicity.

#### Section 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

**NB:** The user's attention is drawn to the possible existence of regional or national

regulations regarding disposal.

## **Section 14: Transport information**

#### 14.1. UN number

UN number: UN1760

# 14.2. UN proper shipping name

**Shipping name:** CORROSIVE LIQUID, N.O.S.

(BENZALKONIUM CHLORIDE)

# 14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

Transport class: 8

# 14.4. Packing group

Packing group: III

## 14.5. Environmental hazards

Environmentally hazardous: Yes Marine pollutant: Yes

## 14.6. Special precautions for user

Special precautions: No special precautions.

Tunnel code: E

Transport category: 3

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## **Section 15: Regulatory information**

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

**Specific regulations:** Not applicable.

#### 15.2. Chemical Safety Assessment

Chemical safety assessment: A chemical safety assessment has not been carried out for the substance or the mixture

by the supplier.

## **Section 16: Other information**

#### Other information

Other information: This safety data sheet is prepared in accordance with Commission Regulation (EU) No

453/2010.

\* indicates text in the SDS which has changed since the last revision.

This safety data sheet is prepared in accordance with Commission Regulation (EC) No

1272/2008.

Phrases used in s.2 and s.3: H302+312: Harmful if swallowed or in contact with skin.

H314: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H400: Very toxic to aquatic life.

R21/22: Harmful in contact with skin and if swallowed.

R34: Causes burns.

R38: Irritating to skin.

R41: Risk of serious damage to eyes.

R50: Very toxic to aquatic organisms.

Legal disclaimer: The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive

and shall be used only as a guide. This company shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product. Kilco

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