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according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH)



Elektrolyte GE BW2

SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1 Product identifier

Information on the product / trade name:

Elektrolyte GE BW2

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

for Surface treatment, only for industrial use

REACH Registration Number:

not relevant (mixture)

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Information on the manufacturer / supplier:

Kai Greising GmbH

Industriestraße 29/2

73340 Amstetten

Germany

phone: 0049-7331-3058-0

fax: 0049-7331-981722

1.4 Emergency telephone number

Name	Street	Postal code/ city	Telephone	Website
National Poisons Information Service City Hospital	Dudley Rd	B187QH Birmingham	844 892 0111	

Emergency information service Germany **+49-761-19240**

SECTION 2: Hazards identification:

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

This mixture does not meet the criteria for classification in accordance with Regulation No 1272/2008/EC.

2.2 Label elements

Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 (CLP)
not required

Signal word not required

2.3 Special hazard warnings for humans and the environment:



During the electrochemical process, electrolyte vapors may formed

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.2 Mixtures

Description of the mixture

Water / mineral salt complexing agent mixture containing sodium nitrate

Name of substance	Identifier	wt%	Classification acc. to 1272/2008/EC	Pictograms
Sodium nitrate	CAS No 7631-99-4 EC No 231-554-3 REACH Reg.-No. 01-2119488221- 41-xxxx	< 5	Ox. Sol. 3 / H272 Eye Irrit. 2 / H319	 

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SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1 Description of first aid measures



General notes: Take off contaminated clothing.

After inhalation: Provide fresh air. In the event of symptoms, take medical treatment

After skin contact: In case of contact with skin wash off with plenty of soap and water

After eye contact: Rinse Eyes immediately with plenty of water with open eyelid gap at least 15 min. consult an ophthalmologist. Remove contact lenses.

After swallowing: Rinse mouth and drink plenty of water (2 glasses).
Call a doctor if you feel unwell

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

None

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No information available.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1 Extinguishing media



Suitable extinguishing media

Coordinate fire-fighting measures to the fire surroundings water spray, foam, dry extinguishing powder, carbon dioxide (CO₂)

Unsuitable extinguishing media

Water jet

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Not combustible.

Hazardous combustion products

in case of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes

In case of fire may be liberated: Nitrogen oxides (NO_x)

5.3 Advice for firefighters

Fight fire with normal precautions from a reasonable distance. Wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures



For non-emergency personnel

No special measures are necessary.

6.2 Environmental precautions

Keep away from drains, surface and ground water.

6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Advices on how to contain a spill

No special measures are necessary.

Advices on how to clean up a spill

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Wipe up with absorbent material (e.g. cloth, fleece).

Other information relating to spills and releases

Place in appropriate containers for disposal.

Reference to other sections

Hazardous combustion products: see section 5. Personal protective equipment: see section 8.

Incompatible materials: see section 10. Disposal considerations: see section 13.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

No special measures are necessary.

Advice on general occupational hygiene

Wash hands before breaks and after work. Keep away from food, drink and animal feedingstuffs

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep container tightly closed.

Incompatible substances or mixtures

Observe hints for combined storage.

Consideration of other advice

• Specific designs for storage rooms or vessels

Recommended storage temperature: 15 - 25 °C.

7.3 Specific end use(s)

No information available.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1 Control parameters

National limit values

Occupational exposure limit values (Workplace Exposure Limits for pure Sodium nitrate)

Country	Name of agent	CAS No	Identifier	TWA [mg/m ³]	STEL [mg/m ³]	Ceiling-C [mg/m ³]	Notation	Source
GB	dust	7631-99-4	WEL	10			i	EH40/2005
GB	dust	7631-99-4	WEL	4			r	EH40/2005

Notation

Ceiling-C Ceiling value is a limit value above which exposure should not occur

i Inhalable fraction

r Respirable fraction

STEL Short-term exposure limit: a limit value above which exposure should not occur and which is related to a 15-minute period (unless otherwise specified)

TWA Time-weighted average (long-term exposure limit): measured or calculated in relation to a reference period of 8 hours time-weighted average (unless otherwise specified)

Human health values

Relevant DNELs and other threshold levels

Endpoint	Threshold level	Protection goal, route of exposure	Used in	Exposure time
DNEL	20,8 mg/kg	human, dermal	worker (industry)	chronic - systemic effects
DNEL	36,7 mg/m ³	human, inhalatory	worker (industry)	chronic - systemic effects

Environmental values

Relevant PNECs and other threshold levels

End-point	Threshold level	Organism	Environmental compartment	Exposure time
PNEC	0,45 mg/l	aquatic organisms	freshwater	short-term (single instance)
PNEC	0,045 mg/l	aquatic organisms	marine water	short-term (single instance)
PNEC	4,5 mg/l	aquatic organisms	water	intermittent release
PNEC	18 mg/l	aquatic organisms	sewage treatment plant (STP)	short-term (single instance)

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8.2 Exposure controls

Individual protection measures (personal protective equipment)



Eye/face protection

Use safety goggle with side protection.

Skin protection

• hand protection

Wear suitable gloves. Chemical protection gloves are suitable, which are tested according to EN 374. For special purposes, it is recommended to check the resistance to chemicals of the protective gloves mentioned above together with the supplier of these gloves. The times are approximate values from measurements at 22 ° C and permanent contact. Increased temperatures due to heated substances, body heat etc. and a reduction of the effective layer thickness by stretching can lead to a considerable reduction of the breakthrough time. If in doubt, contact manufacturer. At an approx. 1.5 times larger / smaller layer thickness, the respective breakthrough time is doubled / halved. The data apply only to the pure substance. When transferred to substance mixtures, they may only be considered as a guide.

• type of material

NBR (Nitrile rubber)

• material thickness

>0,11 mm

• breakthrough times of the glove material

>480 minutes (permeation: level 6)

• other protection measures

Take recovery periods for skin regeneration. Preventive skin protection (barrier creams/ointments) is recommended.

Respiratory protection

Not required.

Environmental exposure controls

Keep away from drains, surface and ground water.

General protection and hygiene measures:

Do not eat, drink, smoke, or sniff while at work. Wash hands immediately before breaks and after work. Avoid contact with eyes. Keep away from food and beverages.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance

Physical state	liquid (fluid)
Colour	colourless
Odour	odourless
Odour threshold	No data available

Other physical and chemical parameters

pH (value)	(neutral)
Melting point/freezing point	~ 0 °C
Initial boiling point and boiling range	~ 100 °C
Flash point	not determined
Evaporation rate	no data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	not relevant (fluid)
Explosive limits	
• lower explosion limit (LEL)	this information is not available

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• upper explosion limit (UEL)	this information is not available
Explosion limits of dust clouds	not relevant
Vapour pressure	This information is not available.
Density	~ 1 g/cm ³
Vapour density	This information is not available.
Bulk density	Not applicable
Relative density	Information on this property is not available.
Solubility(ies)	
Water solubility	miscible in any proportion
Partition coefficient	
n-octanol/water (log KOW)	This information is not available.
Auto-ignition temperature	Information on this property is not available.
Decomposition temperature	no data available
Viscosity	not determined
Explosive properties	none
Oxidising properties	None

9.2 Other information

There is no additional information.

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1 Reactivity

This material is not reactive under normal ambient conditions.

10.2 Chemical stability

The material is stable under normal ambient and anticipated storage and handling conditions of temperature and pressure.

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

No known hazardous reactions

10.4 Conditions to avoid

There are no specific conditions known which have to be avoided.

10.5 Incompatible materials

There is no additional information

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous combustion products: see section 5

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Classification acc. to GHS

Acute toxicity

Shall not be classified as acutely toxic.

Acute toxicity					
Exposure route	Endpoint	Value	Species	Method	Source
oral	LD50	3.430 mg/kg	rat		ECHA
dermal	LD50	>5.000 mg/kg	rat		ECHA

Skin corrosion/irritation

Shall not be classified as corrosive/irritant to skin.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Shall not be classified as seriously damaging to the eye or eye irritant.

Respiratory or skin sensitisation

Shall not be classified as a respiratory or skin sensitiser.

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Summary of evaluation of the CMR properties

Shall not be classified as germ cell mutagenic, carcinogenic nor as a reproductive toxicant

• Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

Shall not be classified as a specific target organ toxicant (single exposure).

• Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

Shall not be classified as a specific target organ toxicant (repeated exposure).

Aspiration hazard

Shall not be classified as presenting an aspiration hazard.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

• If swallowed

data are not available

• If in eyes

Not an irritant

• If inhaled

essentiell non-irritating

• If on skin

Not an irritant

11.2 Other information

None

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1 Toxicity

Shall not be classified as hazardous to the aquatic environment.

Aquatic toxicity (acute)

Endpoint	Value	Species	Source	Exposure time
EC50	8.609 mg/l	aquatic invertebrates	ECHA	24 h

Aquatic toxicity (chronic)

Endpoint	Value	Species	Source	Exposure time
ErC50	>1.700 mg/l	algae	ECHA	10 d
EC50	>1.000 mg/l	microorganisms	ECHA	180 min

Biodegradation

The methods for determining the biological degradability are not applicable to inorganic substances

12.2 Process of degradability

Data are not available.

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

Data are not available.

Bioaccumulative potential of components of the mixture

Name of substance	CAS No	Log KOW
sodium nitrate	7631-99-4	-3,8

12.4 Mobility in soil

Data are not available.

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Data are not available.

12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties

Not listed.

12.6 Other adverse effects

Non-hazardous to water.

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SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1 Waste treatment methods



Consult the appropriate local waste disposal expert about waste disposal. Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

Sewage disposal-relevant information

Do not empty into drains.

13.2 Relevant provisions relating to waste

The allocation of waste identity numbers/waste descriptions must be carried out according to the EEC, specific to the industry and process.

13.3 Remarks

Waste shall be separated into the categories that can be handled separately by the local or national waste management facilities. Please consider the relevant national or regional provisions handed over to take-back systems. Possible deviations in other countries are not taken into consideration.

SECTION 14: Transport information

- 14.1 UN number (not subject to transport regulations)
- 14.2 UN proper shipping name not relevant
- 14.3 Transport hazard class(es) not relevant
- Class ---
- 14.4 Packing group not relevant
- 14.5 Environmental hazards none (non-environmentally hazardous acc. to the dangerous
- 14.6 **Special precautions for user**
There is no additional information.
- 14.7 **Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL and the IBC Code**
The cargo is not intended to be carried in bulk.
- 14.8 **Information for each of the UN Model Regulations**
- **Transport of dangerous goods by road, rail and inland waterway (ADR/RID/ADN)**
Not subject to ADR, RID and ADN.
 - **International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code (IMDG)**
Not subject to IMDG.
 - **International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO-IATA/DGR)**
Not subject to IATA.

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

Relevant provisions of the European Union (EU)

2012/18/EU (Seveso III)			
No	Dangerous substance/hazard categories	Qualifying quantity (tonnes) for the application of lower and upper-tier requirements	Notes
P8	oxidising liquids and solids	50	200

- **Regulation 649/2012/EU concerning the export and import of hazardous chemicals (PIC)**
None of the ingredients are listed.

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- **Regulation 1005/2009/EC on substances that deplete the ozone layer (ODS)**

None of the ingredients are listed.

- **Regulation 850/2004/EC on persistent organic pollutants (POP)**

None of the ingredients are listed.

- **List of substances subject to authorisation (REACH, Annex XIV)**

None of the ingredients are listed.

- **Directive on the restriction of the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment (RoHS)**

not listed

- **Limitation of emissions of volatile organic compounds due to the use of organic solvents in certain paints and varnishes and vehicle refinishing products (2004/42/EC, Deco-Paint Directive)**

VOC content 0 % / 0 g/l

- **Directive on industrial emissions (VOCs, 2010/75/EU)**

VOC content 0 % / 0g/l

Directive 2011/65/EU on the restriction of the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment (RoHS) - Annex II

None of the ingredients are listed.

Regulation 166/2006/EC concerning the establishment of a European Pollutant Release and Transfer Register (PRTR)

None of the ingredients are listed.

Directive 2000/60/EC establishing a framework for Community action in the field of water policy (WFD)

List of pollutants (WFD)				
Name of substance	Name acc. to inventory	CAS No	Listed in	Remarks
Sodium nitrate	Substances which contribute to eutrophication (in particular, nitrates and phosphates)		a)	
Sodium nitrate	Substances and preparations, or the breakdown products of such, which have been proved to possess carcinogenic or mutagenic properties or properties which may affect steroidogenic, thyroid, reproduction or other endocrine-related functions in or via the aquatic environment		a)	
Sodium nitrate	Metals and their compounds		a)	

Legend

A) Indicative list of the main pollutants

Regulation on the marketing and use of explosives precursors

Explosives precursors which are subject to restrictions

Name of substance	CAS No	Type of registration	Remarks	Limit value	Upper limit value for the purpose of Licensing under Article 5(3)
Sodium nitrate	7631-99-4	Annex II			

Legend

annex II Substances on their own or in mixtures or in substances for which suspicious transactions shall be reported

Additional statements

If the product is passed on to third parties, in accordance with Article 7 "Notification of the supply chain" of Regulation EU 2019/1148, the information obligation is subject to the entire supply chain and all other provisions mentioned in Article 7 on restricted and regulated raw materials

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Regulation on drug precursors

not listed

National regulations(GB)

List of substances subject to authorisation (GB REACH, Annex 14) / SVHC - candidate list

not listed

Restrictions according to GB REACH, Annex 17

not listed

Other information

Directive 94/33/EC on the protection of young people at work. Observe employment restrictions under the Maternity Protection Directive (92/85/EEC) for expectant or nursing mothers.

National inventories

Country	Inventory	Status
AU	AIIC	substance is listed
CA	DSL	substance is listed
CN	IECSC	substance is listed
EU	ECSI	substance is listed
EU	REACH Reg.	substance is listed
JP	CSCL-ENCS	substance is listed
KR	KECI	substance is listed
MX	INSQ	substance is listed
NZ	NZIoC	substance is listed
PH	PICCS	substance is listed
TR	CICR	substance is listed
TW	TCSI	substance is listed
US	TSCA	substance is listed

Legend

AIIC	Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals
CICR	Chemical Inventory and Control Regulation
CSCL-ENCS	List of Existing and New Chemical Substances (CSCL-ENCS)
DSL	Domestic Substances List (DSL)
ECSI	EC Substance Inventory (EINECS, ELINCS, NLP)
IECSC	Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances Produced or Imported in China
INSQ	National Inventory of Chemical Substances
KECI	Korea Existing Chemicals Inventory
NZIoC	New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals
PICCS	Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances (PICCS)
REACH Reg.	REACH registered substances
TCSI	Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory
TSCA	Toxic Substance Control Act

15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment

Chemical safety assessments for substances in this mixture were not carried out.

SECTION 16: Other Information

Abbreviations and acronyms

Abbr.	Descriptions of used abbreviations
ADN	Accord européen relatif au transport international des marchandises dangereuses par voies de navigation intérieures (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways)
ADR	Accord européen relatif au transport international des marchandises dangereuses par route (European)
CAS	Chemical Abstracts Service (service that maintains the most comprehensive list of chemical substances)
Ceiling-C	Ceiling value
CLP	Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures

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Abbr.	Descriptions of used abbreviations
CMR	Carcinogenic, Mutagenic or toxic for Reproduction
DGR	Dangerous Goods Regulations (see IATA/DGR)
DNEL	Derived No-Effect Level
EC50	Effective Concentration 50 %. The EC50 corresponds to the concentration of a tested substance causing 50 % changes in response (e.g. on growth) during a specified time interval
EC No	The EC Inventory (EINECS, ELINCS and the NLP-list) is the source for the seven-digit EC number, an identifier of substances commercially available within the EU (European Union)
EH40/2005	EH40/2005 Workplace exposure limits (http://www.nationalarchives.gov.uk/doc/open-government-licence/)
EINECS	European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances
ELINCS	European List of Notified Chemical Substances
EmS	Emergency Schedule
ErC50	≡ EC50: in this method, that concentration of test substance which results in a 50 % reduction in either growth (EbC50) or growth rate (ErC50) relative to the control
Eye Dam.	seriously damaging to the eye
Eye Irrit.	irritant to the eye
GB REACH	The REACH etc. (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019, SI 2019/758 (as amended)
IATA	International Air Transport Association
IATA/DGR	Dangerous Goods Regulations (DGR) for the air transport (IATA)
ICAO	International Civil Aviation Organization
ICAO-TI	Technical instructions for the safe transport of dangerous goods by air
GHS	"Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals" developed by the United Nations
IMDG	International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code
IMDG-Code	International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code
index No	the Index number is the identification code given to the substance in Part 3 of Annex VI to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008
log KOW	n-octanol/water
MARPOL	International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships (abbr. of "Marine Pollutant")
LD50	Lethal Dose 50 %: the LD50 corresponds to the dose of a tested substance causing 50 % lethality during a specified time interval
NLP	No-Longer Polymer
Ox. Sol.	oxidising solid
PBT	Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic
PNEC	Predicted No-Effect Concentration
REACH	Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals
RID	Règlement concernant le transport International ferroviaire des marchandises Dangereuses (Regulations concerning the International carriage of Dangerous
STEL	Short-term exposure limit
TWA	Time-weighted average
VOC	Volatile Organic Compounds
vPvB	very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative

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Key literature references and sources for data

Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road (ADR).
Regulations concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail (RID).
International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code (IMDG). Dangerous Goods Regulations (DGR) for the air transport (IATA).

List of relevant phrases (code and full text as stated in chapter 2 and 3)

not relevant.

Code	Text
H272	may intensify fire; oxidiser
H319	causes serious eye irritation

Disclaimer

The above information describes exclusively the safety requirements of the product and is based on our present-day knowledge. The information is intended to give you advice about the safe handling of the product named in this safety data sheet, for storage, processing, transport and disposal. The information cannot be transferred to other products. In the case of mixing the product with other products or in the case of processing, the information on this safety data sheet is not necessarily valid for the new made-up material. This information is not an assurance of properties.