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

- **1.1 Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** **BWT Benamin pH-plus flüssig**
- **UFI:** 7GA0-406T-U006-J140
- **1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**
- **Product category**
PC20 Processing aids such as pH-regulators, flocculants, precipitants, neutralization agents
- **Application of the substance / the mixture** pH-corrective agent
- **1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**
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Walter-Simmer-Straße 4
A - 5310 Mondsee
AUSTRIA
Tel.: +43/6232/5011-0
Fax: +43/6232/4058
email: office@bwt.at
- **Further information obtainable from:**
Abteilung F&E - Chemikalienbeauftragte(r)
Tel.: +43/6232/5011-1893
+43/6232/5011-1427
e-mail: msds-info@bwt-group.com
- **1.4 Emergency telephone number:**
Poison center Vienna
Tel.: +43/1-406 43 43

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

- **2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture**
- **Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**



GHS05 corrosion

Met. Corr. 1 H290 May be corrosive to metals.
Skin Corr. 1A H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
Eye Dam. 1 H318 Causes serious eye damage.

- **2.2 Label elements**
- **Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**
The product is classified and labelled according to the CLP regulation.
- **Hazard pictograms**



GHS05

- **Signal word** Danger
- **Hazard-determining components of labelling:**
sodium hydroxide
- **Hazard statements**
H290 May be corrosive to metals.
H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
- **Precautionary statements**
P234 Keep only in original packaging.
P260 Do not breathe dusts or mists.

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- P264 Wash hands thoroughly after handling.
- P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection/hearing protection.
- P303+P361+P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water [or shower].
- 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/doctor.
- P405 Store locked up.
- P406 Store in a corrosion resistant container / container with a resistant inner liner.
- P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

· 2.3 Other hazards

The product does not contain any organic halogen compounds (AOX), nitrates, heavy metal compounds or formaldehydes.

· Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

· **PBT:** Not applicable.

· **vPvB:** Not applicable.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

· 3.2 Mixtures

· **Description:** Mixture of substances listed below with nonhazardous additions.

· Dangerous components:

| | | |
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| CAS: 1310-73-2 | sodium hydroxide | 25-50% |
| EINECS: 215-185-5 | Met. Corr. 1, H290; Skin Corr. 1A, H314 | |
| | Specific concentration limits: Skin Corr. 1A; H314: $C \geq 5 \%$ | |
| | Skin Corr. 1B; H314: $2 \% \leq C < 5 \%$ | |
| | Skin Irrit. 2; H315: $0,5 \% \leq C < 2 \%$ | |
| | Eye Irrit. 2; H319: $0,5 \% \leq C < 2 \%$ | |

· **Additional information:** For the wording of the listed hazard phrases refer to section 16.

SECTION 4: First aid measures

· 4.1 Description of first aid measures

· **General information:** Immediately remove any clothing soiled by the product.

· After inhalation:

Supply fresh air and to be sure call for a doctor.

If breathing is irregular or stops, give artificial respiration and call a doctor.

· After skin contact:

Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.

Call a doctor immediately.

· **After eye contact:** Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Then consult a doctor.

· After swallowing:

Drink plenty of water and provide fresh air. Call for a doctor immediately.

Do not induce vomiting; call for medical help immediately.

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

Strongly corrosive and tissue-destructive.

If swallowed, strong caustic effect on the mouth and throat and danger of perforation of the oesophagus and stomach.

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

Treat symptomatically and supportively.

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SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

- **5.1 Extinguishing media**
- **Suitable extinguishing agents:** Use fire extinguishing methods suitable to surrounding conditions.
- **For safety reasons unsuitable extinguishing agents:** Water with full jet
- **5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**
Formation of corrosive vapours is possible.
Incomplete combustion can lead to the formation of toxic pyrolysis products.
- **5.3 Advice for firefighters**
- **Protective equipment:** Wear self-contained respiratory protective device.
- **Additional information**
Collect contaminated fire fighting water separately. It must not enter the sewage system.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

- **6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**
Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.
Ensure adequate ventilation
Avoid contact with eyes and skin.
- **6.2 Environmental precautions:**
Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.
Inform respective authorities in case of seepage into water course or sewage system.
- **6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**
Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).
Use neutralising agent.
Dispose contaminated material as waste according to item 13.
Ensure adequate ventilation.
- **6.4 Reference to other sections**
See Section 7 for information on safe handling.
See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.
See Section 13 for disposal information.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

- **7.1 Precautions for safe handling**
Keep receptacles tightly sealed.
Avoid contact with skin and eyes
Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.
Prevent formation of aerosols.
- **Information about fire - and explosion protection:** No special measures required.
- **7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **Storage:**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:**
Store only in the original receptacle.
Suitable container materials: Stainless steel; Polyethylene; Polypropylene; Polyvinyl chloride.
Unsuitable material for receptacle: aluminium.
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Do not store together with acids.
- **Further information about storage conditions:**
Keep container tightly sealed.
Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed receptacles.
Protect from heat and direct sunlight.
- **Storage class:** 8B
- **7.3 Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

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SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

· 8.1 Control parameters

· **Ingredients with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**

CAS: 1310-73-2 sodium hydroxide

MAK (Germany) vgl. Abschn. IIb

· **Additional information:** The lists valid during the making were used as basis.

· 8.2 Exposure controls

· **Appropriate engineering controls** No further data; see item 7.

· **Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment**

· **General protective and hygienic measures:**

Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.

Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing

Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.

Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

· **Respiratory protection:**

In case of brief exposure or low pollution use respiratory filter device. In case of intensive or longer exposure use self-contained respiratory protective device.

Filter P2

· **Hand protection**



Protective gloves

Alkaline resistant gloves

Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation

· **Material of gloves**

Natural rubber, NR

Chloroprene rubber, CR

PVC gloves

Nitrile rubber, NBR

Fluorocarbon rubber (Viton)

Recommended thickness of the material: $\geq 0,5$ mm

· **Penetration time of glove material**

The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.

· **Eye/face protection**



Tightly sealed goggles

· **Body protection:** Alkaline resistant protective clothing

· **Environmental exposure controls**

Do not allow to enter surface water or sewage system.

Avoid penetration into the subsoil.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

· **9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

· **General Information**

· **Colour:**

Colourless

· **Odour:**

Odourless

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| · Odour threshold: | Not determined. |
| · Melting point/freezing point: | 12 °C |
| · Boiling point or initial boiling point and boiling range | 145 °C |
| · Lower and upper explosion limit | |
| · Lower: | Not determined. |
| · Upper: | Not determined. |
| · Flash point: | Not applicable. |
| · Decomposition temperature: | Not determined. |
| · pH at 20 °C | 14-15 |
| · Viscosity: | |
| · Kinematic viscosity | Not determined. |
| · Dynamic at 20 °C: | 79 mPas |
| · Solubility | |
| · water: | Fully miscible. |
| · Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (log value) | Not determined. |
| · Vapour pressure at 20 °C: | 23 hPa |
| · Density and/or relative density | |
| · Density at 20 °C: | 1,525 g/cm ³ |
| · Relative density | Not determined. |
| · Vapour density | Not determined. |
| · 9.2 Other information | No further relevant information available. |
| · Appearance: | |
| · Form: | Viscous |
| · Important information on protection of health and environment, and on safety. | |
| · Auto-ignition temperature: | Product is not selfigniting. |
| · Explosive properties: | Product does not present an explosion hazard. |
| · Solvent content: | |
| · Water: | 50,0 % |
| · VOC (EC) | 0,00 % |
| · Solids content: | 50,0 % |
| · Change in condition | |
| · Evaporation rate | Not determined. |
| · Information with regard to physical hazard classes | |
| · Explosives | Void |
| · Flammable gases | Void |
| · Aerosols | Void |
| · Oxidising gases | Void |
| · Gases under pressure | Void |
| · Flammable liquids | Void |
| · Flammable solids | Void |
| · Self-reactive substances and mixtures | Void |
| · Pyrophoric liquids | Void |
| · Pyrophoric solids | Void |
| · Self-heating substances and mixtures | Void |
| · Substances and mixtures, which emit flammable gases in contact with water | Void |
| · Oxidising liquids | Void |
| · Oxidising solids | Void |
| · Organic peroxides | Void |
| · Corrosive to metals | May be corrosive to metals. |
| · Desensitised explosives | Void |

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SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

- **10.1 Reactivity** No decomposition if stored and used as directed.
- **10.2 Chemical stability** Stable under specified storage conditions.
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions**
Reacts with light alloys to form hydrogen.
Reacts with metals forming hydrogen.
Strong exothermic reaction with acids.
- **10.4 Conditions to avoid**
No further relevant information available.
Heat, flames and sparks.
- **10.5 Incompatible materials:**
Acids
Alcohols.
Light metals
- **10.6 Hazardous decomposition products:**
No dangerous decomposition products known.
Hydrogen

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

- **11.1 Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**
 - **Acute toxicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
 - **LD/LC50 values relevant for classification:**
- | | |
|--|------------------------|
| CAS: 1310-73-2 sodium hydroxide | |
| Oral | LD50 2.000 mg/kg (rat) |
- **Skin corrosion/irritation**
Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
 - **Serious eye damage/irritation**
Causes serious eye damage.
 - **Respiratory or skin sensitisation** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
 - **Germ cell mutagenicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
 - **Carcinogenicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
 - **Reproductive toxicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
 - **STOT-single exposure** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
 - **STOT-repeated exposure** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
 - **Aspiration hazard** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
 - **11.2 Information on other hazards**

- **Endocrine disrupting properties**
- | |
|------------------------------------|
| None of the ingredients is listed. |
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SECTION 12: Ecological information

- **12.1 Toxicity**
- **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.
- **12.2 Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.
- **12.3 Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.
- **12.4 Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.
- **12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.
- **12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties**
The product does not contain substances with endocrine disrupting properties.

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· **12.7 Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.

· **Additional ecological information:**

· **General notes:**

Must not reach sewage water or drainage ditch undiluted or unneutralised.

Rinse off of bigger amounts into drains or the aquatic environment may lead to increased pH-values. A high pH-value harms aquatic organisms. In the dilution of the use-level the pH-value is considerably reduced, so that after the use of the product the aqueous waste, emptied into drains, is only low water-dangerous.

Water hazard class 1 (German Regulation) (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water

Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities of it to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

· **13.1 Waste treatment methods**

· **Recommendation**

Must not be disposed together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.

· **European waste catalogue**

06 02 04* sodium and potassium hydroxide

· **Uncleaned packaging:**

· **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

· **Recommended cleansing agents:** Water, if necessary together with cleansing agents.

SECTION 14: Transport information

· **14.1 UN number or ID number**

· **ADR, IMDG, IATA**

UN1824

· **14.2 UN proper shipping name**

· **ADR**

1824 SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION

· **IMDG, IATA**

SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION

· **14.3 Transport hazard class(es)**

· **ADR, IMDG, IATA**



· **Class**

8 Corrosive substances.

· **Label**

8

· **14.4 Packing group**

· **ADR, IMDG, IATA**

II

· **14.5 Environmental hazards:**

· **Marine pollutant:**

No

· **14.6 Special precautions for user**

Warning: Corrosive substances.

· **Hazard identification number (Kemler code):**

80

· **EMS Number:**

F-A,S-B

· **Segregation groups**

(SGG18) Alkalies

· **Stowage Category**

A

· **Segregation Code**

SG35 Stow "separated from" SGG1-acids

· **14.7 Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments**

Not applicable.

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· **Transport/Additional information:**

· **ADR**

· **Limited quantities (LQ)**

1L

· **Excepted quantities (EQ)**

Code: E2

Maximum net quantity per inner packaging: 30 ml

Maximum net quantity per outer packaging: 500 ml

· **Transport category**

2

· **Tunnel restriction code**

E

· **IMDG**

· **Limited quantities (LQ)**

1L

· **Excepted quantities (EQ)**

Code: E2

Maximum net quantity per inner packaging: 30 ml

Maximum net quantity per outer packaging: 500 ml

· **UN "Model Regulation":**

UN 1824 SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION, 8, II

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

· **Directive 2012/18/EU**

· **Named dangerous substances - ANNEX I** None of the ingredients is listed.

· **REGULATION (EC) No 1907/2006 ANNEX XVII** Conditions of restriction: 3

· **DIRECTIVE 2011/65/EU on the restriction of the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment – Annex II**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **REGULATION (EU) 2019/1148**

· **Annex I - RESTRICTED EXPLOSIVES PRECURSORS (Upper limit value for the purpose of licensing under Article 5(3))**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **Annex II - REPORTABLE EXPLOSIVES PRECURSORS**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **Regulation (EC) No 273/2004 on drug precursors**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **Regulation (EC) No 111/2005 laying down rules for the monitoring of trade between the Community and third countries in drug precursors**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **National regulations:**

· **Waterhazard class:** Water hazard class 1 (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water.

· **15.2 Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

SECTION 16: Other information

This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

· **Relevant phrases**

H290 May be corrosive to metals.

H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

· **Version number of previous version:** 1

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Abbreviations and acronyms:

RID: Règlement international concernant le transport des marchandises dangereuses par chemin de fer (Regulations Concerning the International Transport of Dangerous Goods by Rail)

ICAO: International Civil Aviation Organisation

ADR: Accord relatif au transport international des marchandises dangereuses par route (European Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

IATA: International Air Transport Association

GHS: Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

VOC: Volatile Organic Compounds (USA, EU)

LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent

LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent

PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic

vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative

Met. Corr. 1: Corrosive to metals – Category 1

Skin Corr. 1A: Skin corrosion/irritation – Category 1A

Eye Dam. 1: Serious eye damage/eye irritation – Category 1

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