

SAFETY DATA SHEET

1. Identification

Product identifier AquaSoft

Other means of identification Not available.

Recommended use Water Conditioning Agent and pH Adjuster

Recommended restrictions None known.

Manufacturer/Importer/Supplier/Distributor information

Manufacturer

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Emergency phone number 613-787-5620 **Supplier** See above.

2. Hazard identification

Physical hazards Not classified.
Health hazards Not classified.
Environmental hazards Not classified.

Label elements

Hazard symbol None.
Signal word None.

Hazard statement The mixture does not meet the criteria for classification.

Precautionary statement

Prevention Observe good industrial hygiene practices.

Response Wash hands after handling.

Storage Store away from incompatible materials.

Disposal Dispose of container in accordance with local, regional, national and international regulations.

Other hazards None known.

Supplemental information None.

3. Composition/information on ingredients

Mixtures

Chemical name	Common name and synonyms	CAS number	%
Phosphoric acid		7664-38-2	1-5

All concentrations are in percent by weight unless ingredient is a gas. Gas concentrations are in percent by volume.

Composition comments Non hazardous by WHMIS Criteria.

4. First-aid measures

InhalationIf symptoms develop move victim to fresh air. If symptoms persist, obtain medical attention.Skin contactFlush with cool water. Wash with soap and water. Obtain medical attention if irritation persists.

Eye contact Flush with cool water. Remove contact lenses, if applicable, and continue flushing. Obtain medical

attention if irritation persists.

Ingestion Rinse mouth. Do not induce vomiting. If vomiting occurs naturally, have victim lean forward to

reduce risk of aspiration. Never give anything by mouth if victim is unconscious or is convulsing.

Obtain medical attention.

Most important

symptoms/effects, acute and

delayed

Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.

Indication of immediate medical attention and special

treatment needed

Treat patient symptomatically.

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General i	nformation
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If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible). Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Avoid contact with eyes and skin. Keep out of reach of children.

5.	Fire	-fiahtir	ng measures	

Suitable extinguishing media

Unsuitable extinguishing

media

Water fog. Foam. Dry chemical powder. Carbon dioxide.

Do not use water jet as an extinguisher, as this will spread the fire.

Specific hazards arising from

the chemical

During fire, gases hazardous to health may be formed.

Hazardous combustion

products

May include and are not limited to: Oxides of carbon.

Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters Self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.

Fire fighting

equipment/instructions Specific methods

General fire hazards

Move containers from fire area if you can do so without risk.

Use standard firefighting procedures and consider the hazards of other involved materials.

No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted.

6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Keep unnecessary personnel away. For personal protection, see section 8 of the SDS.

This product is miscible in water.

Large Spills: Stop the flow of material, if this is without risk. Dike the spilled material, where this is possible. Absorb in vermiculite, dry sand or earth and place into containers. Following product recovery, flush area with water.

Small Spills: Wipe up with absorbent material (e.g. cloth, fleece). Clean surface thoroughly to remove residual contamination.

Environmental precautions

Never return spills to original containers for re-use. For waste disposal, see section 13 of the SDS. Avoid discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground. Do not discharge into lakes, streams, ponds or public waters.

7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling

Wash thoroughly after handling. Use good industrial hygiene practices in handling this material. When using do not eat or drink.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities Store in tightly closed container. Store away from incompatible materials (see Section 10 of the SDS). Keep out of reach of children. Store between 4 and 32°C.

8. Exposure controls/Personal protection

Occupational exposure limits

US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values

Components	Туре	Value
Phosphoric acid (CAS 7664-38-2)	STEL	3 mg/m3
	TWA	1 mg/m3

Canada. Alberta OELs (Occupational Health & Safety Code, Schedule 1, Table 2)

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Canada. British Columbia OELs. (Occupational Exposure Limits for Chemical Substances, Occupational Health and Safety Regulation 296/97, as amended)

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Canada. Manitoba OELs (Reg. 217/2006, The Workplace Safety And Health Act) Components Value Type **STEL** Phosphoric acid (CAS 3 mg/m3 7664-38-2) **TWA** 1 mg/m3 Canada. New Brunswick OELs: Threshold Limit Values (TLVs) Based on the "2016 ACGIH TLVs and BEIs" Publication (New Brunswick Regulation 91-191), as amended Components Value Type Phosphoric acid (CAS **STEL** 3 mg/m3 7664-38-2) **TWA** 1 mg/m3 Canada. Ontario OELs. (Control of Exposure to Biological or Chemical Agents) Components Value Type Phosphoric acid (CAS **STEL** 3 mg/m3 7664-38-2) TWA 1 mg/m3 Canada. Quebec OELs. (Ministry of Labor - Regulation respecting occupational health and safety) Components Value **Type** Phosphoric acid (CAS STEL 3 mg/m3 7664-38-2) **TWA** 1 mg/m3 Canada. Saskatchewan OELs (Occupational Health and Safety Regulations, 2020. S-15.1 Reg. 10. Table 18) Components **Type** Value Phosphoric acid (CAS 15 minute 3 mg/m3 7664-38-2) 8 hour 1 mg/m3 **Biological limit values** No biological exposure limits noted for the ingredient(s). Appropriate engineering Good general ventilation (typically 10 air changes per hour) should be used. Ventilation rates should be matched to conditions. If applicable, use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, controls or other engineering controls to maintain airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If exposure limits have not been established, maintain airborne levels to an acceptable level. Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles). Eye/face protection Skin protection Impervious gloves. Confirm with reputable supplier first. Hand protection Other Wear appropriate chemical resistant clothing. As required by employer code. Where exposure quideline levels may be exceeded, use an approved NIOSH respirator. Respiratory protection Respirator should be selected by and used under the direction of a trained health and safety professional following requirements found in OSHA's respirator standard (29 CFR 1910.134), CAN/CSA-Z94.4 and ANSI's standard for respiratory protection (Z88.2). Thermal hazards Not applicable. Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing after handling the material General hygiene and before eating, drinking, and/or smoking. Routinely wash work clothing and protective considerations equipment to remove contaminants. When using do not eat or drink. 9. Physical and chemical properties Clear to Slight haze **Appearance** Liquid. Physical state Liquid. Form Colourless to Slight tint Colour Odour Odourless **Odour threshold** Not available. 2 - 3 (neat) pН Melting point/freezing point Not available. Initial boiling point and boiling Not available.

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> 93.0 °C (> 199.4 °F) Pensky-Martens Closed Cup

range

Flash point

Not available. **Evaporation rate** Not applicable. Flammability (solid, gas)

Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits

(%)

Flammability limit - upper

Explosive limit - lower (%)

Flammability limit - lower

Not available. Not available.

(%)

Not available.

Explosive limit - upper

Not available.

Not available. Vapour pressure Not available. Vapour density Not available. Relative density

Solubility(ies)

Solubility (water) Soluble

Partition coefficient

Not available.

(n-octanol/water) **Auto-ignition temperature**

Not available. Not available.

Decomposition temperature Viscosity

Not available.

Other information

Explosive properties Not explosive. **Oxidising properties** Not oxidising. Specific gravity 1.239-1.289

10. Stability and reactivity

No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.

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

Chemical stability

Conditions to avoid

Material is stable under normal conditions.

Possibility of hazardous

reactions

Do not mix with other chemicals.

Incompatible materials Strong oxidising agents.

Hazardous decomposition

products

May include and are not limited to: Oxides of carbon.

11. Toxicological information

Information on likely routes of exposure

Inhalation Prolonged inhalation may be harmful.

Skin contact No adverse effects due to skin contact are expected. Eye contact Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation. May cause stomach distress, nausea or vomiting. Ingestion

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.

Information on toxicological effects

See below. Acute toxicity

Components **Test Results Species**

Phosphoric acid (CAS 7664-38-2)

Acute Dermal

LD50 Rabbit 2740 mg/kg, RTECS, CNESST

Inhalation

LC50 Guinea pig, Mouse, Rabbit, Rat 3846 mg/m3, 1 Hours, ECHA

Oral

LD50 Rat 1530 mg/kg, CNESST

Not applicable. Skin corrosion/irritation

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Not available. **Exposure minutes** Erythema value Not available. Not available. Oedema value Not applicable.

Serious eye damage/eye

irritation

Not available. Corneal opacity value Iris lesion value Not available. Not available. Conjunctival reddening

value

Notavailable. Conjunctival oedema value Not available. Recover days

Respiratory or skin sensitisation

Canada - Alberta OELs: Irritant

Phosphoric acid (CAS 7664-38-2) Irritant

Respiratory sensitisation Not a respiratory sensitizer.

Skin sensitisation This product is not expected to cause skin sensitisation.

Germ cell mutagenicity No data available to indicate product or any components present at greater than 0.1% are

mutagenic or genotoxic.

Carcinogenicity See below.

Reproductive toxicity This product is not expected to cause reproductive or developmental effects.

Specific target organ toxicity -

single exposure

Not classified.

Specific target organ toxicity -

repeated exposure

Not classified.

Aspiration hazard Not an aspiration hazard.

Chronic effects Prolonged inhalation may be harmful.

Further information This product has no known adverse effect on human health.

12. Ecological information

See below **Ecotoxicity**

Ecotoxicological data

Components **Species Test Results**

Phosphoric acid (CAS 7664-38-2)

Aquatic

Acute

Crustacea LC50 Water flea (Daphnia magna) 4.6 mg/L, 12 hr Fish LC50 Mosquitofish (Gambusia affinis affinis) 3 - 3.5 mg/L, 96 hr

Persistence and degradability

No data is available on the degradability of any ingredients in the mixture.

Bioaccumulative potential No data available. Mobility in soil No data available. Not available. Mobility in general

Other adverse effects No other adverse environmental effects (e.g. ozone depletion, photochemical ozone creation

potential, endocrine disruption, global warming potential) are expected from this component.

13. Disposal considerations

Disposal instructions

Dispose of container in accordance with local, regional, national and international regulations.

Local disposal regulations Hazardous waste code

Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.

The waste code should be assigned in discussion between the user, the producer and the waste disposal company.

Waste from residues / unused

products

Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe manner (see: Disposal instructions).

Contaminated packaging

Since emptied containers may retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is emptied. Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or

disposal.

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14. Transport information

General

Canada: TDG Proof of Classification: Classification Method: Classified as per Part 2, Sections 2.1 – 2.8 of the Transportation of Dangerous Goods Regulations. If applicable, the technical name and the classification of the product will appear below.

Transportation of Dangerous Goods (TDG - Canada)

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

15. Regulatory information

Canadian federal regulations

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the HPR and the SDS contains all the information required by the HPR.

Export Control List (CEPA 1999, Schedule 3)

Not listed

Greenhouse Gases

Not listed.

Precursor Control Regulations

Not regulated.

WHMIS status Non-Hazardous

International regulations

Inventory status

Country(s) or regionInventory nameOn inventory (yes/no)*CanadaDomestic Substances List (DSL)YesCanadaNon-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)No

*A "Yes" indicates that all components of this product comply with the inventory requirements administered by the governing country(s)

16. Other information

LEGEND	
Severe	4
Serious	3
Moderate	2
Slight	1
Minimal	0

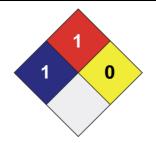
HEALTH * 1

FLAMMABILITY 1

PHYSICAL HAZARD 0

PERSONAL X

PROTECTION X



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Other information For an updated SDS, please contact the supplier/manufacturer listed on the first page of the

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