

## Safety Data Sheet

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### 1 Identification

#### Product identifier

Trade name: OPTEC EC-978

SDS ID Number: 60139

Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture, and uses advised against  
Specialty construction product. Not intended for other uses

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

##### Manufacturer/Supplier:

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Transport Emergency: Chemtrec +1-800-424-9300 (24 hours)

### 2 Hazard(s) identification

#### Classification of the substance or mixture

Causes serious eye irritation.

**Label elements:** The product is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS)

#### Hazard pictograms



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Warning

#### Hazard statements

Causes serious eye irritation.

#### Precautionary statements

Wash thoroughly after handling.

Wear eye protection / face protection.

If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

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## NFPA ratings (scale 0 - 4)

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Health = 1  
Fire = 1  
Reactivity = 0

## HMIS-ratings (scale 0 - 4)



Health = 2  
Flammability = 1  
Reactivity = 0

## Other hazards

## Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT: Not applicable.

vPvB: Not applicable.

## \* 3 Composition/information on ingredients

## Chemical characterization: Mixtures

Description: Mixture of the substances listed below with additional nonhazardous ingredients.

## Hazardous components:

68439-57-6	Sodium C14-16 alpha-olefin sulfonate	1.0-2.0%
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Additional information: For the wording of the listed hazard phrases refer to section 16.

## \* 4 First-aid measures

## Description of first aid measures

## General information:

Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.

## After inhalation:

Supply fresh air. If required, provide artificial respiration. Keep patient warm. Consult doctor if symptoms persist.

## After skin contact:

Immediately wash contaminated skin with soap or mild detergent and water. If this chemical soaks clothing, immediately remove clothing and wash skin.

## After eye contact:

Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water.

Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes.

Seek immediate medical advice.

## After swallowing:

Wash out mouth with water

Rinse mouth.

Do not induce vomiting; immediately call for medical help.

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

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**Information for doctor:****Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed** No further relevant information available.**Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

No further relevant information available.

**5 Fire-fighting measures****Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture** No further relevant information available.**Additional information** Collect contaminated fire fighting water separately. It must not enter the sewage system.**6 Accidental release measures****Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.

**Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**

Contain and/or absorb spill with inert material (i.e. sand, vermiculite) then place in a suitable container.

Sweep up spilled product into receptacles.

Dispose contaminated material as waste according to section 13 of the SDS.

**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.

**7 Handling and storage****Handling:****Precautions for safe handling**

Open and handle receptacle with care.

Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing.

Do not take internally.

Practice good personal hygiene to avoid ingestion.

Use only with adequate ventilation.

Wash clothing before reuse.

FOR PROFESSIONAL USE ONLY. KEEP OUT OF CHILDREN'S REACH.

**Information about protection against explosions and fires:** No special measures required.**Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities****Storage:****Information about storage in one common storage facility:** No special measures required.**Further information about storage conditions:** Keep receptacle tightly sealed.**Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

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**8 Exposure controls/personal protection**

**Additional information about design of technical systems:** No further data; see item 7.

**Control parameters****Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**

The product does not contain any relevant quantities of materials with critical values that have to be monitored at the workplace.

**Additional information:** The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.

**Exposure controls****Personal protective equipment:****General protective and hygienic measures:**

Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

The usual precautionary measures for handling chemicals should be followed.

**Breathing equipment:**

Respiratory protection is not normally required. However, a chemical cartridge respirator with organic vapor cartridge and a prefilter for dusts/mists is required at or above the applicable exposure limits (consult exposure guidelines). If no limits exist, use an approved respirator whenever a vapor or mist is generated or if respiratory irritation occurs. Supplied air respirator (SCBA) is required at exposure levels above the capabilities of a chemical cartridge respirator.

**Protection of hands:**

Gloves should be worn to prevent skin contact and should be impermeable and resistant to the product. Rubber or other impervious gloves should be worn to prevent skin contact.

**Material of gloves**

Gloves should be worn to prevent skin contact and should be impermeable and resistant to the product.

**Eye protection:**

Safety glasses with side shield protection.

Safety glasses with side shields should be worn to prevent contact due to splashing. Under high vapor mist concentrations, tightly sealed goggles should be worn.



A face shield should also be worn if there is potential exposure to splash or spray.

**Body protection:**

Protective work clothing

Use personal protective equipment as required.

Take off contaminated clothing.

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**9 Physical and chemical properties****Information on basic physical and chemical properties****General Information****Appearance:**

<b>Form:</b>	Liquid
<b>Color:</b>	According to product specification
<b>Odor:</b>	Characteristic
<b>Odor threshold:</b>	Not determined.

pH-value (~) at 20 °C (68 °F): 5

**Change in condition**

<b>Melting point/Melting range:</b>	Undetermined.
<b>Boiling point/Boiling range:</b>	Undetermined.
<b>Flash point:</b>	Not applicable.

**Flammability (solid, gaseous):** Not applicable.

<b>Decomposition temperature:</b>	Not determined.
<b>Auto igniting:</b>	Product is not selfigniting.
<b>Danger of explosion:</b>	Product does not present an explosion hazard.

**Explosion limits:**

<b>Lower:</b>	Not determined.
<b>Upper:</b>	Not determined.
<b>VOC Content (max):</b>	Not determined.

<b>Vapor pressure:</b>	Not determined.
<b>Density: (~) at 20 °C (68 °F)</b>	1 g/cm <sup>3</sup> (8.345 lbs/gal)
<b>Relative density</b>	Not determined.
<b>Vapor density</b>	Not determined.
<b>Evaporation rate</b>	Not determined.

**Solubility in / Miscibility with**

<b>Water:</b>	Not miscible or difficult to mix. Not miscible or difficult to mix.
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**Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):** Not determined.**Viscosity:**

<b>Dynamic:</b>	Not determined.
<b>Kinematic:</b>	Not determined.
<b>Molecular weight</b>	Not applicable.

**Other information** No further relevant information available.**10 Stability and reactivity****Reactivity** Stable under normal conditions.**Chemical stability****Thermal decomposition:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.**Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.**Incompatible materials:** No further relevant information available.**Hazardous decomposition products:**Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide  
Hydrocarbons

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Other potentially hazardous products may also be formed.

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**Additional information:** See section 7 for information on handling, storage and conditions to be avoided.**11 Toxicological information****Information on toxicological effects****Acute toxicity:****Primary irritant effect:****on the skin:** No irritating effect expected**on the eye:** Irritating to eyes.**inhalation:** No irritating effect expected**Ingestion:****Additional toxicological information:**

Chemicals contained in this product can affect the skin, heart, brain, liver, kidneys, lungs and spleen. Over exposure by inhalation may be fatal due to pulmonary edema (fluid in lungs). This material may be harmful or fatal if swallowed. Ingestion may result in vomiting; aspiration (breathing) of vomitus into lungs must be avoided as even small quantities may result in aspiration pneumonitis. Some harmful effects are also possible through skin absorption.

**Carcinogenic categories**

<b>IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer) Human Carcinogenicity:</b> <b>Group 1- Positive, Group 2A- Probable, Group 2B- Possible, Group 3- Not Classifiable</b>
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None of the ingredients is listed.
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**NTP (National Toxicology Program)****K–Known to be carcinogenic, R–May reasonably be anticipated to be carcinogenic**

None of the ingredients is listed.
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**OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety & Health Administration)**

None of the ingredients is listed.
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**12 Ecological information****Toxicity****Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.**Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.**Behavior in environmental systems:****Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.**Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.**Additional ecological information:****General notes:** Not known to be hazardous to water.**Results of PBT and vPvB assessment****PBT:** Not applicable.**vPvB:** Not applicable.

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**Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.**13 Disposal considerations****Waste treatment methods** Comply with Federal, State and local regulations.**Recommendation:**

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

**Uncleaned packagings:****Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.**14 Transport information****UN-Number**

DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA Not applicable.

**UN proper shipping name**

DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA Not applicable.

**Transport hazard class(es)**DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA  
Class Not applicable.**Packing group**

DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA Not applicable.

**Environmental hazards:****Marine pollutant:** No**Special precautions for user** Not applicable.**Transport/Additional information:** Not classified as a dangerous good for transport by road, rail or air.**DOT****Remarks:** Not Regulated.**UN "Model Regulation":** Not applicable.**15 Regulatory information****SARA (Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act)****Section 302/304 (extremely hazardous substances):**

None of the ingredients is listed.

**Section 313 Reportable Ingredients (Chemicals present below reporting threshold are exempt):**

None of the ingredients is listed.

**SARA Section 312/Tier I & II Hazard Categories:**

Health Immediate (acute)	Yes
Health Delayed (chronic)	No
Flammable	No

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Reactive	No
Pressure	No

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**North America Chemical Inventory Status****TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act - United States):**

All ingredients are listed or exempt from listing unless otherwise noted below.

**CEPA (Canadian DSL):**

All ingredients are listed or exempt from listing unless otherwise noted below.

**Right to Know Ingredient Disclosure**

61790-12-3 Tall oil fatty acids

7732-18-5 Water

**California Proposition 65****Chemicals known to cause cancer:**

None of the ingredients is listed.

**Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for females:**

None of the ingredients is listed.

**Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for males:**

None of the ingredients is listed.

**Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity:**

67-56-1 Methanol

**Carcinogenicity Categories****EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

**TLV-ACGIH (THE American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists)  
Human Carcinogen - A1 Confirmed, A2 Suspected, A3 Unknown Relevance, A4 Not Classifiable**

None of the ingredients is listed.

**NIOSH-Cancer (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

**Volatile Organic Compounds (VOC) reported per the Emission Standards.**

If no g/L value is provided this product is not subject to above standard.

**16 Other information**

The data included herein are presented in accordance with various environment, health and safety regulations. It is the responsibility of a recipient of the data to remain currently informed on chemical hazard information, to design and update its own program and to comply with all national, federal, state and local laws and regulations applicable to safety, occupational health, right-to-know and environmental protection.

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