

SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product identifier

Product Code 14720
Product Name GPC Yellow

Other means of identification

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Use only for the purpose on the product label.

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Manufacturer / Manufactured For

Ross Chemical Systems, Inc.
PO Box 523
Altoona, IA 50009
Phone: (515) 244-1788

Emergency telephone number

24 Hour Emergency Phone Number 1-800-535-5053

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification

Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 3
Acute aquatic toxicity	Category 3
Chronic aquatic toxicity	Category 3

Label elements

Emergency Overview

Warning		
Hazard statements Causes mild skin irritation Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects		
Appearance Yellow	Physical state Liquid	Odor Solvent

Precautionary Statements - Prevention

Avoid release to the environment.

Precautionary Statements - Response

Specific Treatment (See Section 4 on the SDS).

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.

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.

IF SWALLOWED. Drink plenty of water. Induce vomiting, but only if victim is fully conscious. See a physician immediately.

Precautionary Statements - Storage

Keep container tightly closed in a cool, dry and well-ventilated place away from strong acids and oxidizing agents. Keep out of reach of children.

Precautionary Statements - Disposal

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant.

Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)**Other Information**

Unknown Acute Toxicity

0.01% of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity.

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	CAS No.	Weight-%	Trade Secret
2-butoxyethanol	111-76-2	3-7	*

*The exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES**First aid measures****Skin Contact**

Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated clothes and shoes. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. If skin irritation persists, call a physician.

Eye contact

Immediately flush with plenty of water. After initial flushing, remove any contact lenses and continue flushing for at least 15 minutes. If irritation persists, call a physician.

Inhalation

If mists/vapors are formed or irritation occurs, leave area and do not return until mists/vapors have dissipated. If irritation persists, see a physician.

Ingestion

Drink plenty of water. Induce vomiting, but only if victim is fully conscious. See a physician immediately.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**Symptoms**

May cause central nervous system depression with nausea, headache, dizziness, vomiting, and incoordination. The product causes irritation of eyes, skin and mucous membranes. Defatting of skin.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**Note to physicians**

Treat symptomatically.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**Suitable extinguishing media**

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

Unsuitable extinguishing media Caution: Use of water spray when fighting fire may be inefficient.**Specific hazards arising from the chemical**

No Information available.

Explosion data**Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact** None.**Sensitivity to Static Discharge** None.**Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters**

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Personal precautions Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions See Section 12 for additional ecological information.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for containment Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

Methods for cleaning up Stop leak if safe to do so. Dilute spilled material with water.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.

Incompatible materials Strong acids. Strong oxidizing agents.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control parameters

Exposure Guidelines This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

Chemical Name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
2-butoxyethanol 111-76-2	TWA: 20 ppm	TWA: 50 ppm TWA: 240 mg/m ³ (vacated) TWA: 25 ppm (vacated) TWA: 120 mg/m ³ (vacated) S* S*	IDLH: 700 ppm TWA: 5 ppm TWA: 24 mg/m ³
Tetrasodium Pyrophosphate 7722-88-5	-	(vacated) TWA: 5 mg/m ³	TWA: 5 mg/m ³

NIOSH IDLH *Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health*

Other Information Vacated limits revoked by the Court of Appeals decision in AFL-CIO v. OSHA, 965 F.2d 962 (11th Cir., 1992).

Appropriate engineering controls

Engineering Controls Showers, Eyewash stations & Ventilation systems.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection Tight sealing safety goggles.

Skin and body protection Wear chemical resistant gloves.

Respiratory protection If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, NIOSH/MSHA approved respiratory protection should be worn. Positive-pressure supplied air respirators or air purifying respirators may be required for high airborne contaminant concentrations. Respiratory protection must be provided in accordance with current local regulations.

General Hygiene Wear suitable gloves and eye/face protection.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	Liquid
Appearance	Yellow
Odor	Solvent
Odor threshold	No Information available

<u>Property</u>	<u>Values</u>	<u>Remarks • Method</u>
pH	8.0-10.0	
Specific Gravity	1.037	
Viscosity	No Information available	
Melting point/freezing point	No Information available	
Boiling point / boiling range	> 212 ° F	
Flash point	N/A	
Evaporation rate	< 1	(butyl acetate = 1)
Flammability (solid, gas)	No Information available	
Upper flammability limit:	N/A	
Lower flammability limit:	N/A	
Vapor pressure	N/A	
Vapor density	N/A	
Water solubility	Complete	
Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water)	No Information available	
Autoignition temperature	No Information available	
Decomposition temperature	No Information available	

Other Information

Density Lbs/Gal	No Information available
VOC Content (%)	5.35

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity

No data available

Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

None under normal processing.

Conditions to avoid

No special precautions beyond standard safe industrial practices.

Incompatible materials

Strong acids. Strong oxidizing agents.

Hazardous Decomposition Products

Oxides of carbon.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on likely routes of exposure

Product Information	No data available
Inhalation	No data available.
Eye contact	No data available.

Skin Contact May cause irritation.

Ingestion No data available.

Chemical Name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
2-butoxyethanol 111-76-2	= 470 mg/kg (Rat)	= 99 mg/kg (Rabbit)	= 450 ppm (Rat) 4 h

Information on toxicological effects

Symptoms No Information available.

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Irritation MAY CAUSE SKIN IRRITATION.

Sensitization No Information available.

Germ cell mutagenicity No Information available.

Carcinogenicity The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen.

Chemical Name	ACGIH	IARC	NTP	OSHA
2-butoxyethanol 111-76-2	A3	Group 3	-	-

ACGIH (American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists)

A3 - Animal Carcinogen

IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)

Group 3 -Not classifiable as a human carcinogen

Reproductive toxicity No Information available.

STOT - single exposure No Information available.

STOT - repeated exposure No Information available.

Chronic toxicity May cause adverse effects on the bone marrow and blood-forming system. May cause adverse liver effects.

Target organ effects Blood, Central nervous system, EYES, hematopoietic system, Kidney, Liver, Respiratory system, Skin.

Aspiration hazard No Information available.

Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information

Unknown Acute Toxicity 0.01% of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity.

The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document .

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

11.76% of the mixture consists of component(s) of unknown hazards to the aquatic environment

Chemical Name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Crustacea
2-butoxyethanol 111-76-2	-	1490: 96 h Lepomis macrochirus mg/L LC50 static 2950: 96 h Lepomis macrochirus mg/L LC50	1000: 48 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50 1698 - 1940: 24 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50
Sodium Tripolyphosphate 7758-29-4	-	1650: 48 h Leuciscus idus mg/L LC50	-
Sodium Nitrite 7632-00-0	-	2.3: 96 h Pimephales promelas mg/L LC50 flow-through 0.092 - 0.13: 96 h Oncorhynchus mykiss mg/L LC50 flow-through 20: 96 h Pimephales promelas mg/L LC50 static 0.4 - 0.6: 96 h Oncorhynchus mykiss mg/L LC50 semi-static 0.65 - 1: 96 h Oncorhynchus mykiss mg/L LC50 static 0.19: 96 h Oncorhynchus mykiss mg/L LC50 flow-through	-
Sodium Sulfate 7757-82-6	-	13500: 96 h Lepomis macrochirus mg/L LC50 13500 - 14500: 96 h Pimephales promelas mg/L LC50 3040 - 4380: 96 h Lepomis	630: 96 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50 2564: 48 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50

		macrochirus mg/L LC50 static 6800: 96 h Pimephales promelas mg/L LC50 static	
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Persistence and degradability

No Information available.

Bioaccumulation

No Information available.

Chemical Name	Partition coefficient
2-butoxyethanol 111-76-2	0.81

Other adverse effects

No Information available.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste treatment methods**Disposal of wastes**

Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.

Contaminated packaging

Do not reuse container.

This product contains one or more substances that are listed with the State of California as a hazardous waste.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

The shipping classification information in this section (Section 14) is meant as a guide to the overall classification of the product. However, transportation classifications may be subject to change with changes in package size. Consult shipper requirements under 49 CFR, IATA and IMDG to assure regulatory compliance.

DOT

Not regulated

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

International Inventories

TSCA	Complies
DSL/NDSL	Complies
EINECS/ELINCS	Complies
ENCS	Does not comply
IECSC	Complies
KECL	Complies
PICCS	Complies
AICS	Complies

Legend:**TSCA** - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory.**DSL/NDSL** - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List.**EINECS/ELINCS** - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances.**ENCS** - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances**IECSC** - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances**KECL** - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances**PICCS** - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances**AICS** - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances**US Federal Regulations****SARA 313**

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any

chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372.

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

Acute health hazard No
 Chronic Health Hazard No
 Fire hazard No
 Sudden release of pressure hazard No
 Reactive Hazard No

CWA (Clean Water Act)

This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42).

CERCLA

This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355). There may be specific reporting requirements at the local, regional, or state level pertaining to releases of this material.

US State Regulations

California Proposition 65

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

Chemical Name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania
2-butoxyethanol 111-76-2	X	X	X
Tetrasodium Pyrophosphate 7722-88-5	X	X	X
Sodium Trimetaphosphate 7785-84-4	-	X	X
Sodium Nitrite 7632-00-0	X	X	X
Sodium Sulfate 7757-82-6	-	X	X

U.S. EPA Label Information

EPA Pesticide Registration Number Not Applicable

16. OTHER INFORMATION

HMIS Health hazards 2 Flammability 0 Physical hazards 0 Personal protection X

Legend

N/A - Not Applicable
 N/E - Not Established
 N/D - Not Determined
 N/K - Not Known

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