# SILWET L-77 - PRODUCT SAFETY DATA SHEET

# 1. Identification of the Substance/Preparation and Company

#### Product name: SILWET L-77 Authorisation number under COPR: ADJ0193

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# 2. Composition/Information on Ingredients

Chemical NameConcentration CAS NumberEC NumberR Phrases SymbolsPolyalkyleneoxide80-90%27306-78-1-R36-51/53Xi, NModifiedHeptamethyltrisiloxane

#### 3. Hazards Identification

Harmful by inhalation. Harmful: danger of serious damage to health by prolonged exposure through inhalation. Irritating to eyes. Toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long- term adverse effects in the aquatic environment

# 4. First Aid Measures

Swallowing: If patient is fully conscious, give two glasses of water. Obtain medical attention immediately.

**Inhalation:** Remove to fresh air if aerosol spray is inhaled. If breathing is difficult, administer oxygen. Obtain medical attention immediately.

Skin contact: Wash skin with soap and water. Obtain medical attention if irritation persists.

**Eye contact:** Immediately flush eyes with water and continue washing for at least 15 minutes. Obtain medical attention immediately.

#### 5. Fire Fighting Measures

Flash point: 116 <sup>o</sup>C In case of fire extinguish with foam, carbon dioxide or dry agent Decomposition products may include oxides of carbon and silicon Wear Chemical Protection Suit and Breathing Apparatus Portable containers should be moved if possible and without risk

#### 6. Accidental Release Measures

Immediate Action: Use appropriate containment to avoid environmental contamination (S57)

**Clean Up Actions:** Wear suitable protective clothing, eye/ face protection and gloves (see Section 8). Absorb small spillages in inert material and shovel up, place in plastic drums for safe disposal (see Section 13). Dyke large spillages to prevent entry to sewer or waterway. Transfer liquid to a holding container.

**Special Precautions:** If contamination of drainage systems or water courses is unavoidable, immediately inform appropriate authorities

# 7. Handling and Storage

**Handling:** Avoid contact with skin and eyes - Do not breathe vapours or spray - Wear suitable personal protection equipment as per Section 8 of this safety data sheet. - Wash thoroughly after use - No special precautions are required for this product if unopened packs are handled in store with care.

**Storage:** Store in a secure, dry, well ventilated facility - Protect from frost - Keep out of reach of children (S2) - Keep away from animal feeding stuffs

# 8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

**Exposure controls** - Engineering controls of operator exposure must be used where reasonably practicable in addition to the personal protective equipment described below - The undiluted product must not be used in a confined space without good ventilation

**Occupational exposure controls** - When handling the concentrated product, wear overalls, suitable gloves and face protection (faceshield). - Industrial heavy duty rubber gloves are recommended - The fit and type of the gloves must be comfortable to the operator and must not hamper the handling operations. - The gloves should be in good condition and washed inside and outside after use. - Ensure that the visor of the faceshield is down before opening the pack. - Keep the visor of the faceshield down whilst handling the product (especially during measuring and pouring). - Do not raise the visor of the faceshield with contaminated gloves.

# 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

straw coloured liquid
moderate polyether
>150 °C
116 °C
1.007 g/ml @ 25 °C
dispersible
<1.3 hPa @ 20 °C

#### 10. Stability and Reactivity

Stable Decomposition products may include oxides of carbon and silicon

#### 11. Toxicological Information

#### **Toxicological Information**

Irritation to skin (rabbit) :	Not Irritant
Irritation to eyes (rabbit) :	Severe Irritation
LD50 (oral, rat)	>2000 mg/ kg
LD50 (skin, rat)	>2000 mg/ kg
sensitisation guinea pig	did not produce sensitisation

# 12. Ecological Information

#### Ecotoxicology

2.8 mg/l (96 hr)
5.5 mg/ l (96 hr)
1 mg/ l (96 hr)
9.1 mg/l (48 hr)
>200 ul (120 min)
> 4.777 mg/ kg

#### Biodegradation

Not readily biodegradable

Dispose of unwanted product at a licensed waste disposal site. - Packaging should be disposed of at an approved landfill site or by incineration. - Triple rinse containers prior to disposal. Do not re- use containers.

# 14. Transport Information

Not classified as hazardous for transport

# 15. Regulatory Information



# **Risk Phrases**

R20 Harmful by inhalation R48/20 Harmful: danger of serious damage to health by prolonged exposure through inhalation. R36 Irritating to eyes. R51/53 Toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long- term adverse effects in the aquatic environment

# Safety Phrases

Keep out of reach of children (S2) Do not breathe spray/mists (S23) S25 Avoid contact with eyes. In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice (S26) Do not empty into drains; dispose of this material and its container in a safe way (S29/35) Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/ face protection (S36/37/39) Use only in well ventilated areas (S51) Avoid release to the environment. Refer to special instructions/ Safety data sheets (S61)

# 16. Other Information

This Safety Data Sheet is provided in compliance with: The Chemicals (Hazard Information and Packaging for Supply) Regulations 2002 (CHIP III). This Safety Data Sheet does not constitute a workplace risk assessment.

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