# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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# SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING 1.1 Product identifiers

Trade Name Bowcare Description Alcohol Hand Sanitiser Code All variants

## 1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance/mixture and uses advised against

Quick drying hand sanitizer containing Ethanol at over 60% v/v. Suitable for use in hospitals and food preparation areas (unscented). Features built in skin conditioners to keep the hands soft, even with regular use. Kills 99.9% of most germs, including MRSA (certified).

# 1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company	GPP Hygiene LLP,		
Address	Bowcare House,	Telephone	08455 193155
	Waterwells, Gloucester,	Fax	08455 193166
	GL2 2AG	E-Mail	sales@gpphygiene.co.uk

**1.4 Emergency telephone number** +44 (0)1689 877020 (09:00 - 16:00 Monday to Friday)

# **SECTION 2: HAZARD IDENTIFICATION**

## 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 [EU-GHS/CLP Acute. Tox. 4 - Oral, H302

## 2.2 Label elements

Signal Word: Hazard Pictograms: Flammable

Hazard Statements:

H302 Harmful if swallowed.

Precautionary Statements:

**Prevention** 

P211 Do not spray on an open flame or other ignition source.

P305 + P351 + P338 + P315 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get immediate medical advice/attention.

P301 + P330 + P331 + P313 IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Get medical advice/attention.

# **Storage**

P102 Keep out of reach of children.

## 2.3 Other hazards

EUH none None known

## **SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

#### 3.2. Mixtures

Substance Name	REACH Reg. No.	CAS-No	<u>EC-No.</u>	Amount [%]
Ethanol	603-002-00-5	64-17-5	200-578-6	>30
Hazard Class	Hazard Category	Hazard State	<u>ments</u>	
Serious eye damage/irritation	Eye. Irrit. 2	H319 Seriou	s eye damage/irritatior	ı
Flammable liquid	Flam. Liq. 2	H225 Flamm	able liquid	

### SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

#### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

#### **General Advice**

Remove contaminated clothing.

#### After inhalation

Ensure supply of fresh air

## After contact with skin

Rinse off with water

#### After contact with eyes

Rinse eyes with water until irritation subsides.

#### After ingestion:

If small amount wash out mouth with water and drink clean water. If amount is large give plenty of water to drink, do not induce vomiting and seek medical advise.

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

Eye irritation and reddening

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

#### Rinse with clean water SECTION 5: FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

**5.1 Suitable extinguishing media:** Water spray, fog or mist. Alcohol resistant foam. Carbon dioxide (CO2). Dry powder Dry chemicals, sand, dolomite etc.

5.1 Unsuitable extinguishing media: Water jet

## 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Thermal decomposition or combustion may liberate carbon oxides and other toxic gases or vapours.

#### **5.3 Advice fo Fire Fighters**

Self contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.

#### **SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEAS**

#### 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Use appropriate PPE. Avoid breathing vapours if any and ensure adequate ventilation. Cordon off area to other personnel.

#### 6.2 Environmental precaution

Do not allow to enter surface water drains, soil/subsoil.

# 6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Absorb with sand or binder and dispose of according to local regulations. Small spillages may be flushed to a foul drain.

6.4 Reference to Other Sections: See Section 8 and 13 for more information on exposure and disposal.

## **SECTION 7: HANDLING and STORAGE**

# 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Provide good ventilation in working area. Wash hands after use and do not allow to enter surface water drains.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatabilities

Store only in original containers out of reach of children. Storage temperature should be between 5'C and 30'C.

# 7.3 Specific end use(s)

Use only as directed on the container or label.

**SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION** 

## **8.1 Control paramenters**

(Ethanol) OES: 1000ppm, 1920 mg/m3, 8 hrs TWA; (Tertiary Butanol) OES: 100ppm, 308mg/M3, 8 hrs TWA: 150ppm, 462mg/M3 15min STEL.

# **8.2 Exposure Controls**

Do not eat, drink or smoke whilst working and wash hands after use.

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Exposure Controls - Eyes:	Avoid o	contact with eyes.
Exposure Controls - Skin:	Wear v	/inyl, latex or nitrile gloves.
<b>Exposure Controls - Respirator</b>	y Avoid I	preathing vapours. Provide adequate ventilation.
SECTION 9: PHYSICAL and (	CHEMICA	AL PROPERTIES
9.1 Information on basic phys	sical and o	chemical properties
<b>Appearance / Odour</b>	Clear liqu	id gel with ethanol odour. (Method: QP22)
pH (10% soln.)	7 - 7.5 (Method: QP03)	
Melting/freezing point:	0'C	
Flammable / Flash point	24'C	
Relative density	0.9 g/cm3	3 @ 20'C (Method: QP07)
Solubility:	Soluble/d	ispersible in water
Viscosity:	Pourable	gel @20'C (Method: QP04)
Oxidising properties:	Not applie	cable.
Explosive properties:	Not applie	cable.
9.2 Other Information	No inform	ation available.
SECTION 10: STABILITY AN	D REACT	<u>TIVITY</u>
10.1 Reactivity:		Reaction with: Acids and oxidising agents.
10.2 Chemical Stability:		Stable under normal temperature conditions and recommended use.
10.3 Hazardous Reactions:		Reacts with strong oxidising agents.
10.6 Hazardous Decomposition	Products	Thermal decomposition or combustion may liberate carbon oxides and other toxic gases or vapours.
10.4 Conditions to Avoid:		Avoid heat, flames and other sources of ignition. Avoid exposing to heat and contact with strong oxidising substances. Avoid contact with acids.
10.5 Incompatible Materials:		Strong oxidising substances. Strong acids. Alkali metals.

# **SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

## **11.1 Information on toxicological effects**

Substance	Toxicity
Ethanol	Toxicological information on ingredients. ETHANOL (CAS: 64-17-5) Acute toxicity: Acute Toxicity (Oral LD50) > 2000 mg/kg Rat Acute Toxicity (Dermal LD50) > 2000 mg/kg Rabbit Acute Toxicity (Inhalation LC50) > 20 mg/l (vapours) Mouse Skin Corrosion/Irritation: Not irritating. Serious eye damage/irritation:

Slightly Irritating. Respiratory or skin sensitisation: Skin sensitisation Guinea pig maximization test (GPMT): Guinea Pig Not Sensitising. Carcinogenicity: Not a carcinogen Aspiration hazard: General information Prolonged and repeated contact with solvents over a long period may lead to permanent health problems. Inhalation Vapours may irritate the respiratory system and cause coughing, asthmatic breathing and breathlessness. Prolonged inhalation of high concentrations may damage respiratory system. Vapours may cause headache, fatigue, dizziness and nausea. Harmful: possible risk of irreversible effects through inhalation. Ingestion Swallowing concentrated chemical may cause severe internal injury. Ingestion of large amounts may cause unconsciousness. May cause nausea, headache, dizziness and intoxication. Skin contact Prolonged contact may cause dryness of the skin. Acts as a defatting agent on skin. May cause cracking of skin, and eczema. Eve contact Extreme irritation of eyes and mucous membranes, including burning and tearing. Risk of corneal damage. Route of entry Inhalation. Ingestion. Skin and/or eye contact. **Target Organs** Central nervous system Eyes Gastro-intestinal tract Skin Medical Symptoms Extreme irritation of eyes and mucous membranes, including burning and tearing. Visual disturbances, incl. blurred vision. Nausea, vomiting. Headache. Medical Considerations History of alcoholism. Specific effects Ingestion over a long period of time may cause damage to the liver and nervous system. **TERTIARY BUTANOL (CAS: 75-65-0)** 

Acute toxicity: Acute Toxicity (Oral LD50) 3100 mg/kg Rat Acute Toxicity (Dermal LD50) > 2000 mg/kg Rat Acute Toxicity (Inhalation LC50) > 31 mg/l (vapours) Rat 4 hours Harmful by inhalation Skin Corrosion/Irritation: Slightly irritating. Serious eye damage/irritation: Irritating Respiratory or skin sensitisation: Not Sensitising. Carcinogenicity: Not a carcinogen Aspiration hazard: General information Prolonged and repeated contact with solvents over a long period may lead to permanent health problems. Inhalation Vapours may irritate the respiratory system and cause coughing, asthmatic breathing and breathlessness. Prolonged inhalation of high concentrations may damage respiratory system. Vapours may cause headache, fatigue, dizziness and

nausea. Ingestion Ingestion may cause severe irritation of the mouth, the oesophagus and the gastrointestinal tract. Irritating. May be absorbed in the body and cause dizziness, nausea and vomiting. Swallowing concentrated chemical may cause severe internal injury. Skin contact Liquid may irritate skin. Acts as a defatting agent on skin. May cause cracking of skin, and eczema. Eye contact Extreme irritation of eyes and mucous membranes, including burning and tearing. May cause chemical eye burns. Risk of corneal damage. Route of entry Inhalation. Ingestion. Skin and/or eye contact. **Target Organs** Central nervous system Eyes Gastro-intestinal tract Skin Medical Symptoms Extreme irritation of eyes and mucous membranes, including burning and tearing. Visual disturbances, incl. Blurred vision. Nausea, vomiting. Headache. Splash in eye requires examination by eye specialist.

No information regarding interactions between the ingredients in this mixture is available, therefore, the information shown above is separately reported for each relevant ingredient used in the mixture even though it may be present below its concentration limit and represent no toxicity in the mixture as a whole.

# **SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

No specific information is available for this mixture, therefore, the following information regarding the relevant substances used in this mixture is provided, even though they may be present below the concentration limit and represent minimal or no toxicity to the environment.

Substance	ECO Toxicity
Substance Ethanol	ECO Toxicity Ecological information on ingredients. ETHANOL (CAS: 64-17-5) Ecotoxicity The product components are not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does not exclude the possibility that large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging effect on the environment. TERTIARY BUTANOL (CAS: 75-65-0) Ecotoxicity The product components are not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does not exclude the possibility that large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging effect on the environment. 12.1. Toxicity ETHANOL (CAS: 64-17-5) Acute Toxicity - Fish LC50 48 hours > 100 mg/l Leuciscus idus (Golden orfe) Acute Toxicity - Aquatic Invertebrates EC50 48 hours > 100 mg/l Daphnia magna Acute Toxicity - Aquatic Plants EC50 48 hours > 100 mg/l Selenastrum capricornutum TERTIARY BUTANOL (CAS: 75-65-0) Acute Toxicity - Fish LC50 96 hours > 856 mg/l Acute Toxicity - Aquatic Invertebrates
	LC50 96 hours > 856 mg/l
	ETHANOL (CAS: 64-17-5)

Degradability The product is biodegradable. Oxidises rapidly by photochemical reactions in air. Integrated environmental half-life expected to be 1-<10 days Dominant loss process - biodegradation **TERTIARY BUTANOL (CAS: 75-65-0)** Degradability Readily biodegradable meeting the 10 day window criterion. Oxidises rapidly by photochemical reactions in air. Integrated environmental half-life expected to be 1-<10 days Dominant loss process - biodegradation 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential Ecological information on ingredients. ETHANOL (CAS: 64-17-5) Bioaccumulative potential Does not bioaccumulate significantly Partition coefficient - 0.31 **TERTIARY BUTANOL (CAS: 75-65-0)** Bioaccumulative potential Does not bioaccumulate significantly Partition coefficient 0.317 12.4. Mobility in soil Ecological information on ingredients. ETHANOL (CAS: 64-17-5) Mobility: The product contains volatile organic compounds (VOC) which will evaporate easily from all surfaces. The product is water soluble and may spread in water systems. This product will dissolve rapidly in water Large volumes may penetrate soil and could contaminate groundwater **TERTIARY BUTANOL (CAS: 75-65-0)** Mobility: The product is partly soluble in water. May spread in the aquatic environment. The product spreads over the surface of the water and will slowly evaporate. Large volumes may penetrate soil and could contaminate groundwater If product enters soil it will be mobile and may contaminate groundwater. 12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment Ecological information on ingredients. ETHANOL (CAS: 64-17-5) This product does not contain any PBT or vPvB substances. **TERTIARY BUTANOL (CAS: 75-65-0)** This product does not contain any PBT or vPvB substances. 12.6. Other adverse effects Ecological information on ingredients. ETHANOL (CAS: 64-17-5) The product contains volatile, organic compounds which have a photochemical ozone creation potential. **TERTIARY BUTANOL (CAS: 75-65-0)** The product contains volatile, organic compounds which have a photochemical ozone creation potential.

# **SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

## 13.1 Waste treatment methods

Ethanol

When disposing of surplus or waste product use suitable PPE etc. ensuring empty containers are rinsed out and disposed of safely. Do not allow product to enter land or surface water drains. Dispose of in accordance with local authority regulations. Do not mix with other waste materials.

#### **SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

14.1 UN number:	1987
14.2 Shipping Name:	Teepol Alcohol Hand Sanitizer

14.3 Transport hazard class ALCOHOLS, N.O.S.

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14.4 Packing group:

14.5 Environmental Hazards: ALCOHOLS, N.O.S.

14.6 Special precautions for user:

No information

**14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol 73/78 and the IBC code:** No information

# **SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION**

## 15.1 Safety, health and environment regulation/legislation specific to the substance or mixture

#### EU Legislation

Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 December 2008 on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures, amending and repealing Directives 67/548/EEC and 1999/45/EC, and amending Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006.

Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 December 2006 concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH), establishing a European Chemicals Agency, amending Directive 1999/45/EC and repealing Council Regulation (EEC) No 793/93 and Commission Regulation (EC) No 1488/94 as well as Council Directive 76/769/EEC and Commission Directives 91/155/EEC, 93/67/EEC, 93/105/EC and 2000/21/EC, including amendments.

Guidance

ECHA Guidance on the application of CLP criteria (Version 4: November 2013) ECHA Guidance on the compilation of safety data sheets (Version 2.1: February 2014)

#### 15.2 Chemical safety assessment

No information

## **SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION**

## Full text of H-Statements referred to under section 3

H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapour.

#### H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

Passes EN 1276 for MRSA (MGS Certificate No. 8275). Contains over 60% Ethanol. PCS No. 97238. Active Substance: Ethanol 56.1g per 100g.

#### Directions:

Apply a small amount to the hands and rub in well for 15 – 30 seconds, paying particular attention to finger nails and the area between the fingers. Apply up to the lower wrist area as well. Allow hands to air dry. Application to dry, cracked or cut skin should be avoided.

Further Information: The latest version of this data sheet may be obtained from the Harvey Waddington Web Site at: www.teepol.co.uk

GLOSSARY: PPE Personal protective equipment. N/A Not applicable. N/K Not known OES Occupational exposure limit TWA Time weighted average W/V Weight to volume

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