SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1 Product identifier

Trade name : Sika® Biowash

1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

At present there is no complete information available on identified uses. When the data becomes available, it will be integrated into the safety data sheet.

Product use : Pretreatment agent

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company : Sika Limited
Watchmead
AL7 1BQ Welwyn Garden City
Telephone : +441707394444

1.4 Emergency telephone number

Emergency telephone number : +44 (0)1707 363899 (available during office hours)

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Type of product : Mixture

Classification (REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008)

Skin irritation , Category 2	H315: Causes skin irritation.
Serious eye damage , Category 1	H318: Causes serious eye damage.

Classification (67/548/EEC, 1999/45/EC)

Irritant	R36: Irritating to eyes.

2.2 Label elements

Labelling (REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008)

Hazard pictograms :

Signal word : Danger

Hazard statements : H315 Causes skin irritation.
H318 Causes serious eye damage.

Precautionary statements : **Prevention:**

P264	Wash skin thoroughly after handling.
P280	Wear protective gloves/ eye protection/ face protection.

Response:

P305 + P351 + P338	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P310	Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician.
P332 + P313	If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/ attention.
P362	Take off contaminated clothing.

Hazardous components which must be listed on the label:

- Isotridecanol ethoxylate

2.3 Other hazards

This mixture contains no substance considered to be persistent, bioaccumulating nor toxic (PBT).
This mixture contains no substance considered to be very persistent nor very bioaccumulating (vPvB).

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.2 Mixtures

Hazardous components

Chemical Name CAS-No. EC-No. Registration number	Classification (67/548/EEC)	Classification (REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008)	Concentration [%]
Isotridecanol ethoxylate 24938-91-8	Xn; R22 Xi; R41	Acute Tox.4; H302 Eye Dam.1; H318	>= 3 - < 5
Quaternary ammonium compounds, benzyl-C12-16-alkyldimethyl, chlorides 68424-85-1 270-325-2	Xn; R21/22 R34 R50	Acute Tox.4; H302 Acute Tox.4; H312 Skin Corr.1B; H314 Aquatic Acute1; H400	>= 1 - < 2,5

For the full text of the R-phrases mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.
For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1 Description of first aid measures

General advice : Move out of dangerous area.
Consult a physician.
Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

If inhaled	:	Move to fresh air. Consult a physician after significant exposure.
In case of skin contact	:	Take off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately. Wash off with soap and plenty of water. If symptoms persist, call a physician.
In case of eye contact	:	Small amounts splashed into eyes can cause irreversible tissue damage and blindness. In the case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice. Continue rinsing eyes during transport to hospital. Remove contact lenses. Keep eye wide open while rinsing.
If swallowed	:	Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Induce vomiting immediately and call a physician. Do not give milk or alcoholic beverages. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms	:	Excessive lachrymation Erythema Dermatitis See Section 11 for more detailed information on health effects and symptoms.
Risks	:	irritant effects

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treatment	:	Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1 Extinguishing media

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

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Hazardous combustion products	:	No hazardous combustion products are known

5.3 Advice for firefighters

Special protective equipment for firefighters	:	In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus.
Further information	:	Standard procedure for chemical fires.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions	:	Use personal protective equipment. Deny access to unprotected persons.

6.2 Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions	:	Try to prevent the material from entering drains or water courses.

6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up	:	Soak up with inert absorbent material (e.g. sand, silica gel, acid binder, universal binder, sawdust). Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

6.4 Reference to other sections

For personal protection see section 8.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling	:	Avoid exceeding of the given occupational exposure limits (see section 8). Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. For personal protection see section 8. Smoking, eating and drinking should be prohibited in the application area. Follow standard hygiene measures when handling chemical products
Advice on protection against fire and explosion	:	Normal measures for preventive fire protection.
Hygiene measures	:	Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. When using do not eat or drink. When using do not smoke. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Requirements for storage areas and containers	:	Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Containers which are opened must be carefully re-sealed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Store in accordance with local regulations.
Other data	:	No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.

7.3 Specific end use(s)

Specific use(s) : No data available

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1 Control parameters

Components with workplace control parameters

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

8.2 Exposure controls

Personal protective equipment

Eye protection : Safety glasses with side-shields
Eye wash bottle with pure water

Hand protection : Chemical-resistant, impervious gloves complying with an approved standard must be worn at all times when handling chemical products. Reference number EN 374. Follow manufacturer specifications.

Suitable for short time use or protection against splashes:
Butyl rubber/nitrile rubber gloves (0,4 mm),
Contaminated gloves should be removed.
Suitable for permanent exposure:
Viton gloves (0.4 mm),
breakthrough time >30 min.

Skin and body protection : Protective clothing (e.g. Safety shoes acc. to EN ISO 20345, long-sleeved working clothing, long trousers). Rubber aprons and protective boots are additionaly recommended for mixing and stirring work.

Respiratory protection : Respirator selection must be based on known or anticipated exposure levels, the hazards of the product and the safe working limits of the selected respirator.
organic vapor (Type A) and particulate filter
A1: < 1000 ppm; A2: < 5000 ppm; A3: < 10000 ppm
P1: Inert material; P2: Xn; P3: T, T+
Ensure adequate ventilation. This can be achieved by local exhaust extraction or by general ventilation. (EN 689 - Methods for determining inhalation exposure). This applies in particular to the mixing / stirring area. In case this is not sufficent to keep the concentrations under the occupational exposure limits then respiration protection measures must be used.

Environmental exposure controls

General advice	:	Try to prevent the material from entering drains or water courses.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	:	liquid
Colour	:	blue
Odour	:	very faint
Odour Threshold	:	No data available
Flash point	:	> 101 °C
Ignition temperature	:	not applicable
Lower explosion limit (Vol%)	:	No data available
Upper explosion limit (Vol%)	:	No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	:	No data available
Oxidizing properties	:	No data available
Auto-ignition temperature	:	No data available
pH	:	ca. 7
Melting point/range / Freezing point	:	No data available
Boiling point/boiling range	:	No data available
Vapour pressure	:	No data available
Density	:	ca.1 g/cm3 at 20 °C
Water solubility	:	Note: soluble
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	:	No data available
Viscosity, dynamic	:	No data available
Viscosity, kinematic	:	> 7 mm2/s at 40 °C
Relative vapour density	:	No data available

Evaporation rate : No data available

9.2 Other information
No data available

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1 Reactivity

No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.

10.2 Chemical stability

The product is chemically stable.

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous reactions : Stable under recommended storage conditions.

10.4 Conditions to avoid

Conditions to avoid : No data available

10.5 Incompatible materials

Materials to avoid : No data available

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity

No data available

Skin corrosion/irritation

Product

Causes skin irritation.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Product

Causes serious eye damage.

Respiratory or skin sensitisation

Product

No data available

Germ cell mutagenicity

Product

Mutagenicity : No data available

Carcinogenicity

Product

Carcinogenicity : No data available

Reproductive Toxicity/Fertility

Reproductive toxicity : No data available

No data available

Reproductive Toxicity/Development/Teratogenicity

Teratogenicity : No data available

No data available

STOT - single exposure

No data available

STOT - repeated exposure

No data available

Aspiration toxicity

No data available

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1 Toxicity

No data available

12.2 Persistence and degradability

No data available

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

12.4 Mobility in soil

No data available

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Product:

Assessment : This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or

very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

12.6 Other adverse effects

No data available

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1 Waste treatment methods

Product	:	The generation of waste should be avoided or minimized wherever possible. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way. Dispose of surplus and non-recyclable products via a licensed waste disposal contractor. Disposal of this product, solutions and any by-products should at all times comply with the requirements of environmental protection and waste disposal legislation and any regional local authority requirements. Avoid dispersal of spilled material and runoff and contact with soil, waterways, drains and sewers.
European Waste Catalogue	:	08 01 11* waste paint and varnish containing organic solvents or other dangerous substances
Contaminated packaging	:	15 01 10* packaging containing residues of or contaminated by dangerous substances

SECTION 14: Transport information

ADR		
14.1 UN number	:	3082
14.2 Description of the goods	:	ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S. (Quaternary ammonium compounds, benzyl-C12-16-alkyldimethyl, chlorides)
14.3 Class	:	9
14.4 Packing group	:	III
Classification Code	:	M6
Labels	:	9
Tunnel restriction code	:	(E)
14.5 Environmentally hazardous	:	yes
IATA		
14.1 UN number	:	3082
14.2 Description of the goods	:	Environmentally hazardous substance, liquid, n.o.s. (Quaternary ammonium compounds, benzyl-C12-16-

		alkyldimethyl, chlorides)
14.3 Class	:	9
14.4 Packing group	:	III
Labels	:	9
14.5 Environmentally hazardous	:	yes

IMDG

14.1 UN number	:	3082
14.2 Description of the goods	:	ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S. (Quaternary ammonium compounds, benzyl-C12-16-alkyldimethyl, chlorides)
14.3 Class	:	9
14.4 Packing group	:	III
Labels	:	9
EmS Number 1	:	F-A
EmS Number 2	:	S-F
14.5 Marine pollutant	:	no

14.6 Special precautions for user
No data available

14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code
not applicable

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

Labelling according to EC Directives (1999/45/EC)

Hazard pictograms :

Irritant

R-phrase(s)	:	R36	Irritating to eyes.
S-phrase(s)	:	S23 S38	Do not breathe spray. In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment.

Prohibition/Restriction

REACH - Restrictions on the manufacture, placing on the market and use of certain dangerous substances, preparations and articles (Annex XVII)	:	not applicable
REACH - Candidate List of Substances of Very High	:	None of the components are listed

Concern for Authorisation (Article 59). (=> 0.1 %).

REACH - List of substances subject to authorisation (Annex XIV) : not applicable

REACH Information: All substances contained in our Products are
- preregistered or registered by our upstream suppliers, and/or
- preregistered or registered by us, and/or
- excluded from the regulation, and/or
- exempted from the registration.

VOC-CH (VOCV) : 0,23 %
no VOC duties

VOC-EU (solvent) : 0,23 %

If other regulatory information applies that is not already provided elsewhere in the Safety Data Sheet, then it is described in this subsection.

Health, safety and environmental regulation/legislation specific for the substance or mixture: : The Chemicals (Hazard Information and Packaging for Supply) Regulations 2002
Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations 2002
The Management of Health and Safety at Work Regulations 1999
Health and Safety at Work Act 1974
Environmental Protection Act 1990 & Subsidiary Regulations

15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment

This product contains substances for which Chemical Safety Assessments are still required.

SECTION 16: Other information

Full text of R-Phrases

R21/22	Harmful in contact with skin and if swallowed.
R22	Harmful if swallowed.
R34	Causes burns.
R41	Risk of serious damage to eyes.
R50	Very toxic to aquatic organisms.

Full text of H-Statements

H302	Harmful if swallowed.
H312	Harmful in contact with skin.
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H318	Causes serious eye damage.
H400	Very toxic to aquatic life.

Full text of other abbreviations

Acute Tox.	Acute toxicity
Aquatic Acute	Acute aquatic toxicity

Eye Dam.	Serious eye damage
Skin Corr.	Skin corrosion

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