



SILVER FERN
CHEMICAL INC

SAFETY DATA SHEET

1. Identification

Product identifier 31R1
Other means of identification **EO/PO Block Copolymer 31R1**
SDS Number 324293-02
Recommended use Non-ionic surfactant.
Recommended restrictions None known.
Manufacturer/Importer/Supplier/Distributor information
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2. Hazard(s) identification

Physical hazards Not classified.
Health hazards Skin corrosion/irritation Category 2
Serious eye damage/eye irritation Category 2
Environmental hazards Hazardous to the aquatic environment, long-term hazard Category 3
OSHA defined hazards Not classified.
Label elements



Signal word Warning
Hazard statement Causes skin irritation. Causes serious eye irritation. Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects. The mixture does not meet the criteria for classification.
Precautionary statement
Prevention Wash thoroughly after handling. Wear eye protection/face protection. Wear protective gloves. Avoid release to the environment.
Response If on skin: Wash with plenty of water. If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.
Storage Store away from incompatible materials. Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. Store locked up. Store in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.
Disposal Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.
Hazard(s) not otherwise classified (HNOC) None known.
Supplemental information 100% of the mixture consists of component(s) of unknown acute oral toxicity. 100% of the mixture consists of component(s) of unknown acute dermal toxicity. 100% of the mixture consists of component(s) of unknown acute inhalation toxicity. 100% of the mixture consists of component(s) of unknown acute hazards to the aquatic environment.

3. Composition/information on ingredients

Mixtures

Chemical name	Common name and synonyms	CAS number	%
Ethylene Oxide / Propylene Oxide Co-polymer		9003-11-6	100

Residuals

Chemical name	Common name and synonyms	CAS number	%
Ethylene Oxide		75-21-8	0.001
Propylene Oxide		75-56-9	0.001

*Designates that a specific chemical identity and/or percentage of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

Composition comments Occupational Exposure Limits for residuals are listed in Section 8.

4. First-aid measures

Inhalation	Move to fresh air. Call a physician if symptoms develop or persist.
Skin contact	Remove contaminated clothing. Wash with plenty of soap and water. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.
Eye contact	Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
Ingestion	Rinse mouth. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.
Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed	Severe eye irritation. Symptoms may include stinging, tearing, redness, swelling, and blurred vision. Skin irritation. May cause redness and pain.
Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed	Provide general supportive measures and treat symptomatically. Keep victim under observation. Symptoms may be delayed.
General information	Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to protect themselves.

5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable extinguishing media	Alcohol resistant foam. Powder. Carbon dioxide (CO2).
Unsuitable extinguishing media	Do not use water jet as an extinguisher, as this will spread the fire.
Specific hazards arising from the chemical	During fire, gases hazardous to health may be formed.
Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters	Self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.
Fire fighting equipment/instructions	Move containers from fire area if you can do so without risk.
Specific methods	Use standard firefighting procedures and consider the hazards of other involved materials.
General fire hazards	No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted.

6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures	Keep unnecessary personnel away. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Wear appropriate protective equipment and clothing during clean-up. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing. Ensure adequate ventilation. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained. For personal protection, see section 8 of the SDS.
Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up	Use water spray to reduce vapors or divert vapor cloud drift. Prevent product from entering drains. Large Spills: Stop the flow of material, if this is without risk. Dike the spilled material, where this is possible. Absorb in vermiculite, dry sand or earth and place into containers. Following product recovery, flush area with water. Small Spills: Wipe up with absorbent material (e.g. cloth, fleece). Clean surface thoroughly to remove residual contamination.
Environmental precautions	Never return spills to original containers for re-use. For waste disposal, see section 13 of the SDS. Avoid release to the environment. Inform appropriate managerial or supervisory personnel of all environmental releases. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Provide adequate ventilation. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment. Avoid release to the environment.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities Store in tightly closed container. Store away from incompatible materials (see Section 10 of the SDS).

8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Occupational exposure limits

US. OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1050)

Residuals	Type	Value
Ethylene Oxide (CAS 75-21-8)	STEL	5 ppm
	TWA	1 ppm

US. OSHA Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants (29 CFR 1910.1000)

Residuals	Type	Value
Propylene Oxide (CAS 75-56-9)	PEL	240 mg/m ³
		100 ppm

US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values

Residuals	Type	Value
Ethylene Oxide (CAS 75-21-8)	TWA	1 ppm
Propylene Oxide (CAS 75-56-9)	TWA	2 ppm

US. NIOSH: Pocket Guide to Chemical Hazards

Residuals	Type	Value
Ethylene Oxide (CAS 75-21-8)	Ceiling	9 mg/m ³
		5 ppm
	TWA	0.18 mg/m ³ 0.1 ppm

Biological limit values

ACGIH Biological Exposure Indices

Residuals	Value	Determinant	Specimen	Sampling Time
Ethylene Oxide (CAS 75-21-8)	5 µg/g	S-(2-hydroxyethyl) mercapturic acid (HEMA)	Creatinine in urine	*
	5000 pmol/g	N-(2-hydroxyethyl)-valine (HEV) hemoglobin adducts	Hemoglobin adducts	*

* - For sampling details, please see the source document.

Appropriate engineering controls Good general ventilation should be used. Ventilation rates should be matched to conditions. If applicable, use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to maintain airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If exposure limits have not been established, maintain airborne levels to an acceptable level. Provide eyewash station and safety shower. It is recommended that users of this product perform a risk assessment to determine the appropriate PPE.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection Wear chemical goggles. Avoid contact with eyes. Provide an emergency eye wash fountain and quick drench shower in the immediate work area.

Skin protection

Hand protection Wear appropriate chemical resistant gloves.

Other Wear appropriate chemical resistant clothing.

Respiratory protection	In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment.
Thermal hazards	Wear appropriate thermal protective clothing, when necessary.
General hygiene considerations	Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing after handling the material and before eating, drinking, and/or smoking. Routinely wash work clothing and protective equipment to remove contaminants.

9. Physical and chemical properties

Appearance	Clear, lightly colored.
Physical state	Liquid.
Form	Liquid.
Color	Not available.
Odor	Mild.
Odor threshold	Not available.
pH	5 - 7 (1% DI Water)
Melting point/freezing point	32 °F (0 °C)
Initial boiling point and boiling range	Not available.
Flash point	>= 250.0 °F (>= 121.1 °C) Cleveland Open Cup
Evaporation rate	< 1 (N-Butyl Acetate =1)
Flammability (solid, gas)	Not applicable.
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	
Flammability limit - lower (%)	Not available.
Flammability limit - upper (%)	Not available.
Explosive limit - lower (%)	Not available.
Explosive limit - upper (%)	Not available.
Vapor pressure	> 1 mm Hg @ 68°F
Vapor density	Not available.
Relative density	Not available.
Solubility(ies)	
Solubility (water)	Soluble @ 78°F
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water)	Not available.
Auto-ignition temperature	Not available.
Decomposition temperature	Not available.
Viscosity	Not available.
Other information	
Explosive properties	Not explosive.
Molecular formula	UVCB
Molecular weight	3000 g/mol
Oxidizing properties	Not oxidizing.
Specific gravity	>= 1.025 @ 78°F

10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity	The product is stable and non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.
Chemical stability	Material is stable under normal conditions.
Possibility of hazardous reactions	No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.
Conditions to avoid	Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. Contact with incompatible materials.
Incompatible materials	Strong acids. Strong oxidizing agents. Aluminum. Amines. Caustics. Inorganic acids and bases.

Hazardous decomposition products Carbon oxides. Organic compounds which may be toxic.

11. Toxicological information

Information on likely routes of exposure

Inhalation No adverse effects due to inhalation are expected.

Skin contact Causes skin irritation.

Eye contact Causes serious eye irritation.

Ingestion Expected to be a low ingestion hazard.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics Severe eye irritation. Symptoms may include stinging, tearing, redness, swelling, and blurred vision. Skin irritation. May cause redness and pain.

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity Not known.

Skin corrosion/irritation Causes skin irritation.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation Causes serious eye irritation.

Respiratory or skin sensitization

ACGIH sensitization

PROPYLENE OXIDE (CAS 75-56-9) Dermal sensitization

Respiratory sensitization Not a respiratory sensitizer.

Skin sensitization This product is not expected to cause skin sensitization.

Germ cell mutagenicity No data available to indicate product or any components present at greater than 0.1% are mutagenic or genotoxic.

Carcinogenicity Not classifiable as to carcinogenicity to humans.

IARC Monographs. Overall Evaluation of Carcinogenicity

Ethylene Oxide (CAS 75-21-8) 1 Carcinogenic to humans.

Propylene Oxide (CAS 75-56-9) 2B Possibly carcinogenic to humans.

OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1052)

Ethylene Oxide (CAS 75-21-8) Cancer

US. National Toxicology Program (NTP) Report on Carcinogens

Ethylene Oxide (CAS 75-21-8) Known To Be Human Carcinogen.

Propylene Oxide (CAS 75-56-9) Reasonably Anticipated to be a Human Carcinogen.

Reproductive toxicity This product is not expected to cause reproductive or developmental effects.

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure Not classified.

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure Not classified.

Aspiration hazard Not an aspiration hazard.

12. Ecological information

Ecotoxicity Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Residuals

Species

Test Results

Ethylene Oxide (CAS 75-21-8)

Aquatic

Fish LC50 Fathead minnow (*Pimephales promelas*) 73 - 96 mg/l, 96 hours

* Estimates for product may be based on additional component data not shown.

Persistence and degradability No data is available on the degradability of this product.

Bioaccumulative potential No data available.

Mobility in soil No data available.

Other adverse effects No other adverse environmental effects (e.g. ozone depletion, photochemical ozone creation potential, endocrine disruption, global warming potential) are expected from this component.

13. Disposal considerations

Disposal instructions	Collect and reclaim or dispose in sealed containers at licensed waste disposal site. Do not allow this material to drain into sewers/water supplies. Do not contaminate ponds, waterways or ditches with chemical or used container. Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.
Local disposal regulations	Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.
Hazardous waste code	The waste code should be assigned in discussion between the user, the producer and the waste disposal company.
Waste from residues / unused products	Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe manner (see: Disposal instructions).
Contaminated packaging	Since emptied containers may retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is emptied. Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal.

14. Transport information

DOT	Not regulated as dangerous goods.
IATA	Not regulated as dangerous goods.
IMDG	Not regulated as dangerous goods.
Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code	Not established.

15. Regulatory information

US federal regulations	This product is a "Hazardous Chemical" as defined by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200.
Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA)	All components of the mixture on the TSCA 8(b) inventory are designated "active".
TSCA Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpt. D)	Not regulated.
CERCLA Hazardous Substance List (40 CFR 302.4)	
Ethylene Oxide (CAS 75-21-8)	Listed.
Propylene Oxide (CAS 75-56-9)	Listed.
SARA 304 Emergency release notification	
ETHYLENE OXIDE (CAS 75-21-8)	10 LBS
Oxirane, methyl- (CAS 75-56-9)	100 LBS
OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1052)	
Ethylene Oxide (CAS 75-21-8)	Cancer Reproductive toxicity Mutagenicity Central nervous system Skin sensitization Skin irritation Eye irritation respiratory tract irritation Acute toxicity Flammability

Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)

SARA 302 Extremely hazardous substance

Chemical name	CAS number	Reportable quantity (pounds)	Threshold planning quantity (pounds)	Threshold planning quantity, lower value (pounds)	Threshold planning quantity, upper value (pounds)
Propylene Oxide	75-56-9	100	10000		
Ethylene Oxide	75-21-8	10	1000		

SARA 311/312 Hazardous chemical No

Classified hazard categories Skin corrosion or irritation
Serious eye damage or eye irritation

SARA 313 (TRI reporting)

Chemical name	CAS number	% by wt.
Ethylene Oxide	75-21-8	0.001
Propylene Oxide	75-56-9	0.001

Other federal regulations

Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) List

Ethylene Oxide (CAS 75-21-8)
Propylene Oxide (CAS 75-56-9)

Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112(r) Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130)

Ethylene Oxide (CAS 75-21-8)
Propylene Oxide (CAS 75-56-9)

Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA) Contains component(s) regulated under the Safe Drinking Water Act.

FEMA Priority Substances Respiratory Health and Safety in the Flavor Manufacturing Workplace

Ethylene Oxide (CAS 75-21-8) Other Flavoring Substances with OSHA PEL's

US state regulations

California Proposition 65



WARNING: This product can expose you to chemicals including Ethylene Oxide, which is known to the State of California to cause cancer and birth defects or other reproductive harm. For more information go to www.P65Warnings.ca.gov.

California Proposition 65 - CRT: Listed date/Carcinogenic substance

Ethylene Oxide (CAS 75-21-8) Listed: July 1, 1987
Propylene Oxide (CAS 75-56-9) Listed: October 1, 1988

California Proposition 65 - CRT: Listed date/Developmental toxin

Ethylene Oxide (CAS 75-21-8) Listed: August 7, 2009

California Proposition 65 - CRT: Listed date/Female reproductive toxin

Ethylene Oxide (CAS 75-21-8) Listed: February 27, 1987

California Proposition 65 - CRT: Listed date/Male reproductive toxin

Ethylene Oxide (CAS 75-21-8) Listed: August 7, 2009

US. California. Candidate Chemicals List. Safer Consumer Products Regulations (Cal. Code Regs, tit. 22, 69502.3, subd. (a))

Ethylene Oxide (CAS 75-21-8)
Propylene Oxide (CAS 75-56-9)

International Inventories

Country(s) or region	Inventory name	On inventory (yes/no)*
Australia	Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS)	Yes
Canada	Domestic Substances List (DSL)	Yes
Canada	Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)	No
China	Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China (IECSC)	Yes
Europe	European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS)	Yes
Europe	European List of Notified Chemical Substances (ELINCS)	No
Japan	Inventory of Existing and New Chemical Substances (ENCS)	Yes
Korea	Existing Chemicals List (ECL)	Yes
New Zealand	New Zealand Inventory	Yes
Philippines	Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances (PICCS)	Yes
Taiwan	Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory (TCSI)	Yes
United States & Puerto Rico	Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory	Yes

*A "Yes" indicates that all components of this product comply with the inventory requirements administered by the governing country(s)

A "No" indicates that one or more components of the product are not listed or exempt from listing on the inventory administered by the governing country(s).

16. Other information, including date of preparation or last revision

Issue date 01-19-2016
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Version # 02
HMIS® ratings Health: 1
Flammability: 1
Physical hazard: 0

NFPA ratings Health: 1
Flammability: 1
Instability: 0

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