

**SAFETY DATA SHEET**  
GUARDIAN BEERLINE PROTECTOR

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**Section 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking**

**1.1. Product identifier**

**Product name:** GUARDIAN BEERLINE PROTECTOR

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

**Use of substance / mixture:** Rinse water additive and sanitiser

**1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**

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**1.4. Emergency telephone number**

**Emergency tel:** 112

**Section 2: Hazards identification**

**2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture**

**Classification under CLP:** Acute Tox. 4: H302; Eye Dam. 1: H318; -: EUH031

**Most important adverse effects:** Contact with acids liberates toxic gas. Harmful if swallowed. Causes serious eye damage.

**2.2. Label elements**

**Label elements:**

**Hazard statements:** EUH031: Contact with acids liberates toxic gas.

H302: Harmful if swallowed.

H318: Causes serious eye damage.

**Signal words:** Danger

**Hazard pictograms:** GHS05: Corrosion

GHS07: Exclamation mark



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**Precautionary statements:** P264: Wash hands thoroughly after handling.  
P280: Wear protective gloves.  
P301+312: IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor/ if you feel unwell.  
P330: Rinse mouth.  
P305+351+338: 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/doctor/.

### 2.3. Other hazards

**PBT:** This product is not identified as a PBT/vPvB substance.

## Section 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.2. Mixtures

#### Hazardous ingredients:

SODIUM METABISULPHITE

EINECS	CAS	PBT / WEL	CLP Classification	Percent
231-673-0	7681-57-4	-	Acute Tox. 4: H302; Eye Dam. 1: H318; -: EUH031	30-50%

## Section 4: First aid measures

### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

**Skin contact:** Wash immediately with plenty of soap and water.  
**Eye contact:** Bathe the eye with running water for 15 minutes.  
**Ingestion:** Wash out mouth with water. Do not induce vomiting. If conscious, give half a litre of water to drink immediately. Transfer to hospital as soon as possible.  
**Inhalation:** Remove casualty from exposure ensuring one's own safety whilst doing so. Consult a doctor.

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

**Skin contact:** There may be mild irritation at the site of contact.  
**Eye contact:** There may be irritation and redness.  
**Ingestion:** There may be soreness and redness of the mouth and throat. There may be difficulty swallowing. Nausea and stomach pain may occur. There may be vomiting.  
**Inhalation:** Absorption through the lungs can occur causing symptoms similar to those of ingestion.  
**Delayed / immediate effects:** Immediate effects can be expected after short-term exposure.

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

**Immediate / special treatment:** Not applicable.

## Section 5: Fire-fighting measures

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**5.1. Extinguishing media**

**Extinguishing media:** Suitable extinguishing media for the surrounding fire should be used.

**5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**

**Exposure hazards:** In combustion emits toxic fumes.

**5.3. Advice for fire-fighters**

**Advice for fire-fighters:** Wear self-contained breathing apparatus. Wear protective clothing to prevent contact with skin and eyes.

**Section 6: Accidental release measures**

**6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

**Personal precautions:** Refer to section 8 of SDS for personal protection details. Do not create dust. Mark out the contaminated area with signs and prevent access to unauthorised personnel. If outside do not approach from downwind.

**6.2. Environmental precautions**

**Environmental precautions:** Do not discharge into drains or rivers.

**6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up**

**Clean-up procedures:** Transfer to a closable, labelled salvage container for disposal by an appropriate method.

**6.4. Reference to other sections**

**Reference to other sections:** Refer to section 8 of SDS.

**Section 7: Handling and storage**

**7.1. Precautions for safe handling**

**Handling requirements:** Ensure there is sufficient ventilation of the area. Avoid the formation or spread of dust in the air. Avoid direct contact with the substance.

**7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**

**Storage conditions:** Store in a cool, well ventilated area. Keep container tightly closed.

**7.3. Specific end use(s)**

**Specific end use(s):** No data available.

**Section 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

**8.1. Control parameters**

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**Hazardous ingredients:**

**SODIUM METABISULPHITE**

**Workplace exposure limits:**

**Respirable dust**

State	8 hour TWA	15 min. STEL	8 hour TWA	15 min. STEL
UK	5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	-	-	-

**DNEL/PNEC Values**

**DNEL / PNEC** No data available.

**8.2. Exposure controls**

**Engineering measures:** Ensure there is sufficient ventilation of the area.

**Respiratory protection:** Respiratory protective device with particle filter.

**Hand protection:** Protective gloves.

**Eye protection:** Safety glasses. Ensure eye bath is to hand.

**Skin protection:** Protective clothing.

**Section 9: Physical and chemical properties**

**9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

**State:** Powder

**Colour:** White

**Odour:** Characteristic odour

**Evaporation rate:** No data available.

**Oxidising:** No data available.

**Solubility in water:** Miscible

**Viscosity:** No data available.

**Boiling point/range°C:** No data available.

**Melting point/range°C:** No data available.

**Flammability limits %: lower:** No data available.

**upper:** No data available.

**Flash point°C:** No data available.

**Part.coeff. n-octanol/water:** No data available.

**Autoflammability°C:** No data available.

**Vapour pressure:** No data available.

**Relative density:** No data available.

**pH:** 6 @ 1%

**VOC g/l:** No data available.

**9.2. Other information**

**Other information:** No data available.

**Section 10: Stability and reactivity**

**10.1. Reactivity**

**Reactivity:** Stable under recommended transport or storage conditions.

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**10.2. Chemical stability**

**Chemical stability:** Stable under normal conditions.

**10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions**

**Hazardous reactions:** Hazardous reactions will not occur under normal transport or storage conditions.  
Decomposition may occur on exposure to conditions or materials listed below.

**10.4. Conditions to avoid**

**Conditions to avoid:** Heat.

**10.5. Incompatible materials**

**Materials to avoid:** Strong oxidising agents. Strong acids.

**10.6. Hazardous decomposition products**

**Haz. decomp. products:** In combustion emits toxic fumes.

**Section 11: Toxicological information**

**11.1. Information on toxicological effects**

**Hazardous ingredients:**

**SODIUM METABISULPHITE**

IVN	RAT	LD50	115	mg/kg
ORL	RAT	LD50	1131	mg/kg
SKN	RAT	LD50	>2	gm/kg

**Relevant hazards for substance:**

Hazard	Route	Basis
Acute toxicity (ac. tox. 4)	ING	Hazardous: calculated
Serious eye damage/irritation	OPT	Hazardous: calculated

**Symptoms / routes of exposure**

**Skin contact:** There may be mild irritation at the site of contact.

**Eye contact:** There may be irritation and redness.

**Ingestion:** There may be soreness and redness of the mouth and throat. There may be difficulty swallowing. Nausea and stomach pain may occur. There may be vomiting.

**Inhalation:** Absorption through the lungs can occur causing symptoms similar to those of ingestion.

**Delayed / immediate effects:** Immediate effects can be expected after short-term exposure.

**Section 12: Ecological information**

**12.1. Toxicity**

**Ecotoxicity values:** No data available.

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**12.2. Persistence and degradability**

**Persistence and degradability:** Biodegradable.

**12.3. Bioaccumulative potential**

**Bioaccumulative potential:** No bioaccumulation potential.

**12.4. Mobility in soil**

**12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

**PBT identification:** This product is not identified as a PBT/vPvB substance.

**12.6. Other adverse effects**

**Other adverse effects:** Negligible ecotoxicity.

**Section 13: Disposal considerations**

**13.1. Waste treatment methods**

**Disposal operations:** Transfer to a suitable container and arrange for collection by specialised disposal company.

**NB:** The user's attention is drawn to the possible existence of regional or national regulations regarding disposal.

**Section 14: Transport information**

**Transport class:** This product does not require a classification for transport.

**Section 15: Regulatory information**

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

**Specific regulations:** Not applicable.

**15.2. Chemical Safety Assessment**

**Section 16: Other information**

**Other information**

**Other information:** This safety data sheet is prepared in accordance with Commission Regulation (EU) No 453/2010.

\* indicates text in the SDS which has changed since the last revision.

**Phrases used in s.2 and s.3:** EUH031: Contact with acids liberates toxic gas.

H302: Harmful if swallowed.

H318: Causes serious eye damage.

**Legal disclaimer:** The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. This company shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product.