1 Identification of substance:

Trade name: **BAQUACIL® Concentrated Algicide**

**Article number:** 11108 baq

**Application of the substance / the preparation**
- Algicide
- Biocide

**Manufacturer/Supplier:**
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{N.AMERICA >>> ACEAN (Arch Chemicals Emergency Action Network) - Tel. +1 423 780 2970}
CALL A LOCAL NATIONAL POISON CONTROL UNIT
FOR UK CONTACT NCEC Tel 01865 407 333

2 Hazards identification

**Hazard description:**

[Symbol] Xi Irritant
[Symbol] N Dangerous for the environment

**Information concerning to particular hazards to man and environment**
The product has to be labelled due to the calculation procedure of the "General Classification guideline for preparations of the EU" in the latest valid version.
R 36/38 Irritating to eyes and skin.
R 50/53 Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

**Classification system**
The classification is according to the latest editions of the EU-lists, and extended by company and literature data.

**GHS label elements**

[Symbol] Warning
H315 - Causes skin irritation.
H319 - Causes serious eye irritation.

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H411 - Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Prevention:
P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
P273 Avoid release to the environment.

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.
P321 Specific treatment (see on this label).
P362 Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

Disposal:
P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

3 Composition/information on ingredients

Chemical characterization
Description: Mixture of substances listed below with nonhazardous additions.

Dangerous components:
25988-97-0 Polymerised quaternary Ammonium compound 20-25%
     Xn, Xi, N; R 22-36/38-50/53
     Warning: environment 4.1.C/1; exclamation mark 3.1.O/4, 3.1.D/4, 3.2/2, 3.3/2

Additional information For the wording of the listed risk phrases refer to section 16.

4 First aid measures

After inhalation In case of unconsciousness place patient stably in side position for transportation.
After skin contact
Rinse with warm water.
Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.
Immediately rinse with water.
After eye contact Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. If symptoms persist, consult a doctor.
After swallowing If symptoms persist consult doctor.

5 Fire fighting measures

Suitable extinguishing agents Water spray
Protective equipment: No special measures required.

6 Accidental release measures

Person-related safety precautions: Not required.
Measures for environmental protection:
Keep contaminated washing water and dispose of appropriately.
Do not allow product to reach sewage system or any water course.
Inform respective authorities in case of seepage into water course or sewage system.
Dilute with plenty of water.
Measures for cleaning/collecting:
Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).
*7 Handling and storage*

**Handling**

- **DO NOT MIX WITH OTHER PRODUCTS**
- **DO NOT DILUTE BEFORE USE**

**Information for safe handling:** No special precautions are necessary if used correctly.

**Information about fire - and explosion protection:** No special measures required.

**Storage**

- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** Store only in unopened original receptacles.
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.
- **Further information about storage conditions:** Keep receptacle tightly sealed.

8 Exposure controls and personal protection gear

**Additional information about design of technical facilities:** No further data; see item 7.

**Ingredients with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**

The product does not contain any relevant quantities of materials with critical values that have to be monitored at the workplace.

**Additional information:** The lists valid during the making were used as basis.

**Personal protective equipment**

**General protective and hygienic measures**

- Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.
- Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing
- Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.
- Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

**Respiratory protection:** Not required.

**Protection of hands:**

- Protective gloves.

The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation. Due to missing tests no recommendation to the glove material can be given for the product/ the preparation/ the chemical mixture. Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation

- **Material of gloves** Rubber gloves
- **Penetration time of glove material**

The exact break trough time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.

**Eye protection:**

- Tightly sealed goggles.

9 Physical and chemical properties:

**General Information**

**Form:** Viscous
Trade name: **BAQUACIL® Concentrated Algicide**

Colour: Dark blue  
Odour: Characteristic

**Change in condition**  
Melting point/Melting range: undetermined  
Boiling point/Boiling range: 100°C

**Flash point:** Not applicable  
Self-igniting: Product is not selfigniting.  
Danger of explosion: Product does not present an explosion hazard.  
Vapour pressure at 20°C: 23 hPa  
Density at 20°C: 1.072 g/cm³

**Solubility in / Miscibility with**  
Water: Fully miscible  
PpH-value at 20°C: 7.2

**Solvent content:**  
Organic solvents: 0.0 %  
Water: 75.0 %

### 10 Stability and reactivity

**Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.  
**Materials to be avoided:**  
Dangerous reactions No dangerous reactions known  
Dangerous decomposition products: No dangerous decomposition products known

### 11 Toxicological information

**Acute toxicity:**  
LD/LC50 values relevant for classification:  
25988-97-0 Polymerised quaternary Ammonium compound  
Oral LD50 1865 mg/kg (rat)  
Dermal LD50 > 2000 mg/kg (rabbit)

**Primary irritant effect:**  
on the skin: Irritant to skin and mucous membranes.  
on the eye: Irritating effect.  
Sensitization: No sensitizing effects known.

**Additional toxicological information:**  
The product shows the following dangers according to the calculation method of the General EU Classification Guidelines for Preparations as issued in the latest version.  
Irritant  
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12 Ecological information:

**Ecotoxic effects:**

**Acquatic toxicity:**

25988-97-0 Polymerised quaternary Ammonium compound

Oral LC50 - 96 hrs 0.28 mg/l (bluegill sunfish)

0.0709 mg/l (rainbow trout)

**Remark:** Very toxic for fish

**Additional ecological information:**

**General notes:**
Generally not hazardous for water.

Also poisonous for fish and plankton in water bodies.

Very toxic for aquatic organisms

13 Disposal considerations

**Product:**

**Recommendation**

Must be specially treated adhering to official regulations.

Must not be disposed together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.

**Uncleaned packaging:**

**Recommendation:**

Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

Packagings that may not be cleansed are to be disposed of in the same manner as the product.

**Recommended cleansing agents:** Water, if necessary together with cleansing agents.

14 Transport information

**Land transport ADR/RID (cross-border)**

**ADR/RID class:** 9 Miscellaneous dangerous substances and articles.

**Danger code (Kepler):** 90

**UN-Number:** 3082

**Special marking:** Symbol (fish and tree)

**Description of goods:** 3082 ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S. (Polymerised quaternary Ammonium compound)

**Maritime transport IMDG:**

**IMDG Class:** 9

**UN Number:** 3082

**Packaging group:** III
Trade name: **BAQUACIL® Concentrated Algicide**

EMS Number: F-A,S-F

Marine pollutant: No

**Proper shipping name**: ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S. (Polymerised quaternary Ammonium compound)

**Air transport ICAO-TI and IATA-DGR:**

ICAO/IATA Class: 9
UN/ID Number: 3082
Special marking: Symbol (fish and tree)
Packaging group: III

**Proper shipping name**: ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S. (Polymerised quaternary Ammonium compound)

UN "Model Regulation": UN3082, ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S., 9

**15 Regulations**

**Labelling according to EU guidelines:**
The product has been classified and marked in accordance with EU Directives / Ordinance on Hazardous Materials

BPD labelling
- Best before: see date on packaging
- Dispose of this material and its container to hazardous or special waste collection point.
- Providing this container when empty is thoroughly rinsed out in the pool, it may be disposed of via the recycling scheme

**Code letter and hazard designation of product:**

- Xi Irritant
- N Dangerous for the environment

**Hazard-determining components of labelling:**
Polymerised quaternary Ammonium compound

**Risk phrases:**
36/38 Irritating to eyes and skin.
50/53 Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

**Safety phrases:**
2 Keep out of the reach of children.
26 In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.
28 After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of water.
29 Do not empty into drains.
46 If swallowed, seek medical advice immediately and show this container or label.
60 This material and its container must be disposed of as hazardous waste.
61 Avoid release to the environment. Refer to special instructions/safety data sheets.
National regulations

Waterhazard class: Generally not hazardous for water.

16 Other information:

This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

**Relevant R-phrases**

22 Harmful if swallowed.
36/38 Irritating to eyes and skin.
50/53 Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

**Abbreviations and acronyms:**

ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)
RID: Règlement international concernant le transport des marchandises dangereuses par chemin de fer (Regulations Concerning the International Transport of Dangerous Goods by Rail)
IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods
IATA: International Air Transport Association
IATA-DGR: Dangerous Goods Regulations by the "International Air Transport Association" (IATA)
ICAO: International Civil Aviation Organization
ICAO-TI: Technical Instructions by the "International Civil Aviation Organization" (ICAO)
GHS: Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals
LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent
LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent

* Data compared to the previous version altered.