

ROLF C. HAGEN INC., 20500 TRANSCANDA HWY, BAIE D'URFÉ, QUEBEC, H9X 0A2 CANADA

Nutrafin Water Conditioner
pH Adjust Up
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Section I. Product and Company Identification		
Product name	Nutrafin Water Conditioner pH Adjust Up	
CAS#	Mixture	
Use	To increase aquarium water's pH	
Supplier	Rolf C. Hagen Inc., 20 500 Trans Canada Hwy, Baie d'Urfé, H9X 0A2	
Emergency	Call your local poison control center	

Section II. Hazards Identification	
WHMIS	Classification
	E (Corrosive)

Section III. Composition and Information on Ingredients			
Ingredients	Conc. (%)	CAS#	EC#
Potassium hydroxide	10-15	1310-58-3	215-181-3
Water	Q.S.	7732-18-5	231-791-2

Section IV. Fir	st Aid Measures
Eye contact	Immediately flush with copious quantities of water for a minimum of 30 minutes holding lids apart to ensure flushing of the entire surface.
	Seek immediate medical attention.
Skin contact	Remove the contaminated clothes and flush with plenty of water for a minimum of 20
	minutes. If symptoms persist seek immediate medical attention.
Inhalation	If inhaled, remove patient to fresh air. If symptom persists, obtain medical attention.
Ingestion	Have conscious person drink several glasses of water or milk. Seek immediate medical
	attention.

Section V. Fire Fighting Measures

Suitable extinguishing media

Use extinguishing media appropriate to surrounding fire conditions.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Reacts with most metals to produce hydrogen gas, which could make an explosive mixture with air.

Special protective actions for fire-fighters

Wear adequate personal protection to prevent contact with material or it combustion products. Self-contained breathing apparatus with a full-face piece operated in a pressure demand or other positive



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pressure mode.

Section VI. Accidental Release Measures	
Person-related safety precautions	Rubber or plastic gloves. Full face-shield and chemical splash goggles or face mask. Protective clothing, apron, rubber boots.
Measures for environmental protection	DO NOT empty into drain.
Measures for cleaning/collecting	Absorb spill with inert material such as clays, sand, earth, or vermiculate and place in closed container for disposal. Clean the spill area after product complete removal.

Section VII. Handling and Storage

Store away from acids. Keep container closed and in upper position. Store in cool, well-ventilated area.

Section VIII. Exposure Controls and Personal Protection		
Protective clothing	Rubber or plastic gloves. Full face-shield and chemical splash goggles	
	or face mask. Protective clothing, apron, rubber boots.	
Engineering controls	General ventilation is recommended.	

Section IX. Physical and Chemical Properties	
Appearance (physical state, color, etc) / Odor	Clear colourless and odourless.
Odor threshold	Not available
рН	13.0-13.5 @20°C
Melting point / Freezing point	0°C
Initial boiling point and boiling range	100°C
Flash point	Not available
Evaporation rate	Not available
Flammability (solid, gas)	Not available
Upper / Lower flammability	Not available
Vapor pressure	Not available
Vapor density	Not available
Relative density	Not available
Solubility	Soluble in water
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	Not available
Auto-ignition temperature	Not available
Decomposition temperature	Not available



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Visco	sity Not ava	ailable

Section X. Stability and Reactivity		
Instability conditions	This product is stable under normal conditions.	
Conditions to avoid	Avoid high temperatures and contamination.	
Materials to avoid	React with most metals to produce hydrogen gas, which could make an explosive mixture with air.	
Hazardous decomposition products	Thermal decomposition products are toxic and may include hydrogen gas.	
Hazardous polymerization	Does not polymerize.	

Section XI. Toxicological Information		
Route of exposure	Conclusion / Remarks	
Skin corrosion/irritation	Causes severe burns if the exposed area is not washed away immediately.	
Serious eye damage/irritation	Causes severe burn. Permanent blindness may occur.	
Respiratory or skin sensitization	If inhaled, throat and throat irritation.	
Ingestion	Swallowing this material causes severe burns to the mouth, throat and stomach. Can cause death. Potassium hydroxide Oral (LD50): Acute 273 mg/kg (rat)	
Germ cell mutagenicity	Not available	
Carcinogenicity	Not available	
Reproductive toxicity	Not available	
STOT-single exposure	Not available	
STOT-repeated exposure	Not available	
Aspiration hazard	Not available	
Acute toxicity	Corrosive! Dangerous by ingestion, inhalation or skin absorption.	
Chronic Overexposure	To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical and toxicity data of this product has not been fully investigated.	

Section XII. Ecological Information		
Ecotoxicity	Not available	
Mobility	Not available	
Persistence and Degradability	Not available	
Bioaccumulation potential	Not available	



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Section XIII. Disposal Considerations		
Disposal recommendations	Dispose of in an approved landfill in accordance with federal, provincial and local regulations.	
Regulatory disposal information	Not available	

Section XIV. Transport Information

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Section XV. Regulatory Information

Potassium hydroxide ACIGH TLV (ceiling) 2mg/M3

Section XVI. Other Information

Always wash hands after manipulation of product containers, and before eating.

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