

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

# 1. Company and Product Identification

Identification – Product Name: RoClean P303 1.1

Other means of identification Organic Acid MIXTURE 1.2

Synonym: Mixture, none

Recommended Use Of The Chemical Reverse osmosis membrane treatment 1.3

and Restrictions On Use: Use only as directed on the label.

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DRINKING WATER TREATMENT ADDITIVES CLASSIFIED BY NSF INTERNATIONAL TO ANSI/NSF 60 AS STANDARD DRINKING WATER TREATMENT CHEMICAL FOR USE OFF-LINE IN REVERSE OSMOSIS **SYSTEMS** 

#### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

EMERGENCY OVERVIEW: This product is a white to cream-colored, corrosive solid. This product may irritate or burn contaminated tissue, depending on concentration and duration of contact. Depending on the duration of contact, over-exposures can severely irritate or cause burns to the eyes. This product is neither reactive nor flammable. Thermal decomposition of this product produces irritating vapors and toxic gases (e.g. carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide). Emergency responders must wear personal protective equipment (and have appropriate fire-extinguishing protection) suitable for the situation to which they are responding.

> Physical Hazards Summary None

Specific Target Organ Toxicity Single Exposure - Category 3 Potential Health Hazards Summary

Skin Corrosion/Irritation - Category 1B

Eye Irritation - Category 1

Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 4) Serious eye damage (Category 1)

Acute Hazards to the aquatic environment - Category 3 Potential Ecological Effects Summary

2.1 Classification Of Product

> U.S. OSHA classification Corrosive, Skin, eye irritant

> > Corrosive, category 1B

Classification as per EC 1272/2008 Skin irritation, category 2B

> (CLP/GHS) Eye irritation category 2 B

> > Xi Irritant

WHMIS classification E, corrosive, D2B Poisonous and infectious material - Other effects – Toxic Hazardous Materials Information System (HMIS) Rating

Health	2
Flammability	0
Physical Hazard	0
Protective Equipment	D

#### 2.2 Label Elements OSHA/GHS

General Warnings	P101 P102 P103 P403 P233	If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.  Keep out of reach of children.  Read label before use  Store in a well-ventilated place.  Keep container tightly closed
Signal Word	DANGER!	
Hazard statements	H302 H312 H315 + H320 H319 H314-H335 H318 H335	Harmful if swallowed Harmful in contact with skin Causes skin or eye irritation Causes serious eye irritation Causes severe skin burns and eye damage. May cause respiratory irritation Causes serious eye damage May cause respiratory irritation
Precautionary statements	H402 P305 P338 P261 P280	Harmful to aquatic life IF IN EYES, RINSE THOROUGHLY WITH RUNNING WATER Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Avoid breathing dust Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection
	P271 P312 P302/P352 P337 + P313 P404	Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.  IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.  If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.  Store in a closed container.

Hazard pictograms









2.3	<b>Unclassified Hazards</b>	None
2.4	Ingredients with unknown acute	None
	toxicity	

## 3. COMPOSITION and INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical name	% w/w	US OSHA	GHS/EU CLP	WHMIS
CAS#				
EINECS#				
Organic acid	60-80	Irritant	GHS: Eye Irritant Cat 2	D2B - Poisonous and
Proprietary			CLP: Xi - irritant	infectious material - Other
Proprietary				effects – Toxic
Polyphosphate	20-30	Corrosive	Acute Hazards to the aquatic	E, Corrosive
Proprietary			environment - Category 3	
Proprietary			Specific Target Organ	
			Toxicity Single Exposure -	
			Category 3	
			Skin Corrosion/Irritation -	
			Category 1B	
			Serious Eye Damage	
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Chelate	10-15	Harmful by ingestion	Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 4)	E, Corrosive, D2B Poisonous and infectious material -
Proprietary		Irritant	Serious eye damage (Category 1)	Other effects – Toxic
Proprietary			H302 Harmful if swallowed.	Other effects – Toxic
			H318 Causes serious eye	
			damage.	
			P280 Wear protective gloves/	
			eye protection/ face protection.	
			P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN	
			EYES: Rinse cautiously with	
			water for several minutes.	
			Remove contact lenses, if	
			present and easy to do. Continue	
			rinsing.	
Flow control agent	1-5	Dust inhalation hazard	Acute toxicity dusts & mists,	D2B - Poisonous and
Proprietary			category 2	infectious material - Other
Proprietary				effects – Toxic
PRODUCT CLASSIFICATION	100	Corrosive, skin/eye irritant	Skin Corrosion/Irritation -	E, Corrosive
			Category 1B	D2B - Poisonous and
			Serious Eye Damage	infectious material - Other
			Eye Irritation - Category 1	effects - Toxic
			Acute toxicity oral, Category 3	
			Acute Hazards to the aquatic	
			Environment, Category 2	

NE = Not Established. C = Ceiling Limit. See Section 16 for Definitions of Terms Used.

#### 4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

#### 4.1 Description of Necessary Measures

Skin exposure: If this product contaminates the skin, immediately begin decontamination with

running water. Remove exposed or contaminated clothing, taking care not to contaminate eyes. Victim should seek immediate medical attention if any

adverse exposure symptoms develop.

Eye exposure: If this product enters the eyes, open victim's eyes while under gently running

water. Use sufficient force to open eyelids. Have victim "roll" eyes. Minimum

flushing is for 15 minutes. Victim must seek medical attention.

Inhalation: If dust of this product are inhaled, remove victim to fresh air. If necessary, use

artificial respiration to support vital functions. Remove or cover gross

contamination to avoid exposure to rescuers.

Ingestion: If this product is swallowed, CALL PHYSICIAN OR POISON CONTROL

CENTER FOR MOST CURRENT INFORMATION. DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING. Have victim rinse mouth with water, if conscious. Never induce vomiting or give a diluent (e.g., water) to someone who is unconscious, having convulsions, or unable to swallow. If contaminated individual is convulsing,

maintain an open airway and obtain immediate medical attention.

4.2 Most Important Symptoms/Effects: Immediate: Inhalation exposure may cause coughing or sneezing. Symptoms of skin and eye contact may include redness and irritation. Ingestion may cause

stomach pains, cramps, and gastritis.

Delayed: Prolonged or repeated skin overexposure to this product may cause dermatitis (dry, red skin). Symptoms may include tingling, redness, and visible injury.

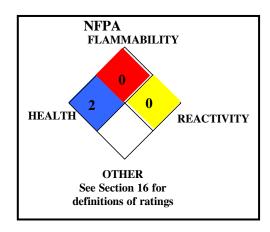
4.3 Indication Of Immediate Medical Attention And Special Treatment Needed, If Necessary:

TARGET ORGANS: Acute: Skin, eyes. Chronic: Skin.

Victims of chemical exposure must be taken for medical attention if any adverse effects occur. Rescuers should be taken for medical attention if necessary. Take a copy of label and MSDS to physician or health professional with victim.

## 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Flammable properties Non-flammable aqueous solution



Flash Point °C: Not applicable.

Autoignition Temperature °C: Not applicable.

Flammable Limits (in air by volume, %):

Upper: Not applicable. Lower: Not applicable.

5.1 Suitable And Unsuitable Extinguishing Media:

This material will not contribute to the intensity of a fire. Use extinguishing material suitable to the surrounding fire.

Water spray YES Carbon dioxide YES Foam YES Dry chemical YES Halon YES Other YES

5.2 Specific Hazards Arising From Chemical: When involved in a fire, this material may decompose and produce irritating fumes and toxic gases (e.g., carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, and nitrogen oxides).

Explosion Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact: Not applicable. Explosion Sensitivity to Static Discharge: Not applicable.

5.3 Special Protective Equipment And Precautions For Fire-Fighters:

Incipient fire responders should wear eye protection. Structural firefighters must wear Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus and full protective equipment. Move containers from fire area if it can be done without risk to personnel. If possible, prevent runoff water from entering storm drains, bodies of water, or other environmentally sensitive areas.

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

#### 6.1 Personal Precautions

Uncontrolled releases should be responded to by trained personnel using preplanned procedures. Proper protective equipment should be used. In case of a spill, clear the affected area and protect people.

Protective equipment

For small releases (< 20 kg), clean up spilled powder wearing gloves, goggles, faceshield, and suitable body protection. The minimum Personal Protective Equipment recommended for response to non-incidental releases (more than 20 kg) should be Level C: triple-gloves (neoprene gloves and nitrile gloves over latex gloves), chemical resistant suit and boots, hard hat, and full-face respirator with HEPA filter.

Emergency procedures

Monitoring must indicate that exposure levels are below those provided in Section 8 (Exposure Controls-Personal Protection) and that oxygen levels are above 19.5% before anyone is permitted in the area without Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus.

6.2 Methods and Materials for Containment and Cleaning Up

Moisten to suppress dust. Shovel up solids into plastic container for recovery/disposal. Neutralize residue with sodium bicarbonate or other neutralizing agent for dilute acids. Decontaminate the area thoroughly. Test area with litmus paper to ensure neutralization. Place all spill residues in a suitable plastic container. Dispose of in accordance with applicable U.S. Federal, State, or local procedures, or appropriate local standards (see Section 13, Disposal Considerations).

### 7. HANDLING and STORAGE

#### 7.1 Precautions for Safe Handling

All employees who handle this material should be trained to handle it safely. Open containers carefully on a stable surface. Empty containers may contain residual powder; therefore, empty containers should be handled with care.

As with all chemicals, avoid getting this product ON YOU or IN YOU. Wash thoroughly after handling this product. Do not eat or drink while handling this material. Avoid generating dust of this product. Remove contaminated clothing immediately.

During equipment maintenance follow practices indicated in Section 6 (Accidental Release Measures) to decontaminate equipment or clean-up small spills. Make certain that application equipment is locked and tagged-out safely if necessary. Collect all rinsates and dispose of according to applicable U.S. Federal, State, or local procedures or appropriate local standards.

7.2 Conditions For Safe Storage

Store containers in a cool, dry location, away from direct sunlight, sources of intense heat, or where freezing is possible. Store away from incompatible materials. Material should be stored in secondary containers, or in a diked area, as appropriate. Storage and use areas should be covered with impervious materials. Keep container tightly closed when not in use. If appropriate, post warning signs in storage and use areas. Inspect all incoming containers before storage, to ensure containers are properly labeled and not damaged.

Incompatibilities Strong acids, oxidizers

#### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS - PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### 8.1 Control Parameters

CHEMICAL NAME	CAS#	% w/w		EXPOSURE LIMITS IN AIR				
			ACGIH-	ΓLVs	OSHA-PELs			OTHER
			TWA mg/m³	STEL mg/m³	TWA mg/m³	STEL mg/m³	IDLH mg/m³	mg/m³
Organic acid	Proprietary	60-80	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE
Polyphosphate	Proprietary	20-30	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE
Chelate	Proprietary	10-15	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE
Flow control agent	Proprietary	1-5	10 (inhalable fraction); 3 (respirable	NE	50 mppcf or 5 (total dust) 15 mppcf or 5 (respirable	NE	NE	DFG MAK: TWA = 4 (inhalable fraction); 1.5 (respirable fraction)

			fraction)		fraction)			
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8.2 Appropriate Engineering Controls. Use with adequate ventilation to ensure exposure levels are maintained below the

limits provided in this Section or as low as reasonably achievable. Ensure eyewash/safety shower stations are available near areas where this product is used.

8.3 Personal Protective Equipment

Respiratory protection:

None needed under normal conditions of use. Use NIOSH approved respirators if ventilation is inadequate to control mists or vapor. If respiratory protection is needed, use only protection authorized in the U.S. Federal OSHA Standard (29 CFR 1910.134), applicable U.S. State regulations, or the applicable local standards. Oxygen levels below 19.5% are considered IDLH by OSHA. In such atmospheres, use of a full-face piece pressure/demand SCBA or a full-face piece, supplied air respirator with auxiliary self-contained air supply is required under OSHA's

Respiratory Protection Standard (1910.134-1998).

Eye protection: Use approved safety goggles or safety glasses, as described in OSHA 29 CFR

1910.133. Splash goggles with a faceshield may be needed if splash hazards exist.

Hand protection: Wear chemical impervious gloves (e.g., Solvex<sup>TM</sup>, Neoprene).

Body protection: If needed, use body protection appropriate for task (e.g., Tyvek suit, rubber apron)

to protect from splashes and sprays.

## 9. PHYSICAL and CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance This product is a white to cream-colored, corrosive solid.

Odor Threshold N/A Odor None Melting Point °C (°F) pH (2% solution) 2.4 - 3.8NE Initial Boiling Point °C (°F) Boiling Point Range °C NE N/A Flammability Non-flammable Evaporation Rate (water = 1) N/A Vapor Density (air = 1) N/A Vapor Pressure mm Hg @ 20°C: N/A Solubility (in water) Relative density (water = 1) Soluble NE Viscosity Oil-Water Partition Coefficient Flowing solid N/A

Decomposition Temperature NE

How To Detect This Substance Litmus paper will turn red in contact with solutions of this solid.

(Warning Properties):

## 10. STABILITY and REACTIVITY

10.1	Reactivity	Not considered reactive.
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10.2 Chemical Stability Stable

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions
 10.4 Conditions to avoid
 Hazardous polymerization will not occur.
 Avoid mixing with incompatible materials.

10.5 Incompatible Materials This product is a white to cream-colored, corrosive solid.

10.6 Hazardous Decomposition Products Thermal decomposition of this product may generate phosphorous oxides, carbon

monoxide and carbon dioxide.

# 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Toxicity data for hazardous ingredients	Oral LD <sub>50</sub> mg/kg	Dermal LD <sub>50</sub> mg/kg	Inhalation LD <sub>50</sub> mg/kg
Organic acid	LD <sub>50</sub> (Oral-Rat) 3 g/kg LD <sub>50</sub> (Oral-Mouse) 5040 mg/kg LD <sub>50</sub> (Intraperitoneal-Rat) 883 mg/kg LD <sub>50</sub> (Intraperitoneal-Mouse) 903 mg/kg LD <sub>50</sub> (Subcutaneous-Rat) 5500 mg/kg LD <sub>50</sub> (Subcutaneous-Mouse) 2700 mg/kg LD <sub>50</sub> (Intraperitoneal-Mouse LD <sub>50</sub> (Intraperitoneal-Mouse LD <sub>50</sub> (Intravenous-Rabbit, adult) 330 mg/kg LD <sub>50</sub> (Intravenous-Rabbit, adult) 42 mg/kg LD <sub>50</sub> (Oral-Rabbit, adult) 7000 mg/kg	LD <sub>50</sub> (dermal, rabbit) > 2000 mg/kg	N/A
	Standard Draize Test (Skin-Rabbit, irritation effects Standard Draize Test (Eye-Rabbit irritation effects	adult) 500 mg/24 hours: Moderate , adult) 750 mg/24 hours: Severe	
Polyphosphate	LD <sub>50</sub> (oral, rat) > 7400 mg/kg LDLo (Intravenous-Rabbit, adult) 1580 mg/kg	LDLo (skin, rabbit) > 300 mg/kg	N/A
	Sex Chromosome Loss and Nondisjunction (Oral-Drosophila melanogaster) 11 pph	Standard Draize Test (Skin- rabbit) > 300 mg/kg	
Chelate	$LD_{50}$ (Oral-Rat) = 1780 - 2000	$LD_{50}$ (Rabbit) > 5000	LC <sub>50</sub> (rat, 4 hr) 4.14 mg/L
Flow control agent	>10,000	>5,000	$LC_0 = 0.14/4$ hrs; no deaths

# 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

ALL WORK PRACTICES MUST BE AIMED AT ELIMINATING ENVIRONMENTAL CONTAMINATION.

12.1	Ecotoxicity	LC <sub>50</sub> , mg/L		EC <sub>50</sub> , mg/L	
	RoClean P303				
	Aquatic	Species	P. promelas	C. dubia	
		Common Name	Fathead mini	now Water flea	
		LC <sub>50</sub> mg/L	854	325	
		NOEL mg/L	625	157	
		Duration, hrs	96	48	
	Terrestrial	NE		NE	
12.2	Persistence and Degradability	The components of this product decompose in soil and water.			
12.3	Bioaccumulative Potential	The components of this product are not expected to bioaccumulate.			
12.4	Mobility in Soil	When spilled onto soil, this product will infiltrate downward, the rate being greater with lower concentration because of reduced viscosity. During transport through the soil, this product will dissolve some of the soil material, in particular, carbonate-based materials.			
12.5	Other Adverse Ecological Effects	This product may be harmful to aquatic life <u>if large volumes</u> of it are released into an aquatic environment.			

#### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Preparing Wastes of this Product for Waste disposal must be in accordance with appropriate U.S. Federal, State, and local

Disposal regulations or with local regulations. This product, if unaltered by the handling, may

be disposed of by treatment at a permitted facility or as advised by your local waste

regulatory authority.

Disposal of Contaminated Packaging Cleaned containers can be recycled or disposed of as non-contaminated waste, if

authorized by your local authorities. Dispose of containers as required by local

regulations.

U.S. EPA Waste Number D002 (Waste Characteristic Corrosivity) for wastes consisting only of this product.

#### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

#### THIS MATERIAL IS HAZARDOUS AS DEFINED BY 49 CFR 172.101 BY THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION.

14.1 **UN Number** UN3261

14.2 **UN Proper Shipping Name** Corrosive solid, acidic, organic, n.o.s. (Citric acid)

Transport Hazard Class(es) 14.3 8 (Corrosive) Transport label(s) required Corrosive Class 8

14.4 **Packing Group** 

Marine Pollutant 14.5 Not applicable

> NA Emergency Response Guide 154

> > Number (2012)

14.6 Transport in Bulk (Annex II of Not applicable

MARPOL 73/78 and IBC Code)

14.7 **Special Transport Precautions** Not applicable

> National Motor Freight #70

Classification

#### **International Air Transport Association**

14.8 UN Number UN3261

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> Packing Group  $\Pi$ **Packaging Instructions** 822

#### **International Maritime Organization**

14.9 **UN Number** UN3261

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# 15. SAFETY, HEALTH and ENVIRONMENTAL REGULATIONS

# SPECIFIC FOR THE PRODUCT

PROGRAM	Organic acid	Polyphosphate	Chelate	Flow control agent
US EPA PROGRAMS				
Clean Air Act Hazardous Air Pollutants	NO	NO	NO	NO
Safe Drinking Water Act	NO	NO	NO	NO
RCRA F, K, P, U or D-lists	NO	NO	NO	NO
SARA 302 RQ	NO	NO	NO	NO
SARA 302 TPQ	NO	NO	NO	NO
SARA 313 LISTED	NO	NO	NO	NO
SARA CHEMICAL CATEGORIES				
SARA 311/312 ACUTE	YES	YES	NO	NO
SARA 311/312 CHRONIC	NO	NO	NO	NO
SARA 311/312 FIRE	NO	NO	NO	NO
SARA 311/312 PRESSURE	NO	NO	NO	NO
SARA 311/312 REACTIVITY	NO	NO	NO	NO
EPA EXTREMELY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE	NO	NO	NO	NO
CALIFORNIA SAFE DRINKING WATER	R ACT (Proposition	n 65)		
This product does not contain any chemical			later Act list (Proposit	ion 65)
US OSHA PROGRAMS			` '	
PEL	NO	YES	NO	NO
PSM	NO	NO	NO	NO
CHEMICAL SECURITY PROGRAMS				
DHS CFATS	NO	NO	NO	NO
CHEMICAL WEAPONS CONVENTION				
	NO	NO	NO	NO
US DRUG ENFORCEMENT ADMINISTI				
DEA Controlled Substances	NO	NO	NO	NO
CHEMICAL INVENTORY PROGRAMS	T			
WHMIS	D2B	Е	E, D2B	D2B
DSL	YES	YES	YES	YES
NDSL	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
REACH Pre-registered List	YES	YES	YES	YES
TSCA	YES	YES	YES	YES
European Inventory of Existing				
Commercial Chemical Substances	YES	YES	YES	YES
(EINECS)				
EU No-Longer Polymers List (NLP)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
EEC Classification Packaging, and		170	110	110
Labeling of Dangerous Substances(Annex	Xi Harmful	NO	NO	NO
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Philippines	YES	YES	YES	YES
Japan	YES	YES	YES	YES
Australia	YES	YES	YES	YES
Korea	YES	YES	YES	YES
China	YES	YES	YES	YES
New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals	YES	YES	YES	YES

# **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

16.1	Original Preparation	May 28, 1999
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## **DEFINITIONS OF TERMS**

16.5	A large number of abbreviatio	ns and acronyms appear on a MSDS. Some of these which are commonly used include the following:
	Section 2	GHS: Global Harmonization System OSHA: U.S. Occupational Safety and Health Administration.
		CLP: Classification and Packaging
		WHMIS: Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System
	Section 3	STOT: Specific Target Organ Toxicity  CAS #: Chemical Abstract Service index number
	Section 3	EINECS #: European Chemical Substances Information System index number
	Section 5	NFPA: Nation Fire Protection Association
		<b>Health Hazard: 0</b> (material that on exposure under fire conditions would offer no hazard beyond that of ordinary combustible
		materials); 1 (materials that on exposure under fire conditions could cause irritation or minor residual injury); 2 (materials that on intense or continued exposure under fire conditions could cause temporary incapacitation or possible residual injury); 3
		(materials that can on short exposure could cause serious temporary or residual injury); 4 (materials that under very short
		exposure could cause death or major residual injury). Flammability Hazard
		<b>Reactivity Hazard:</b> Refer to definitions for "Hazardous Materials Identification System".
		Flash Point: Minimum temperature at which a liquid gives off sufficient vapors to form an ignitable mixture with air.
		Autoignition Temperature: The minimum temperature required to initiate combustion in air with no other source of ignition.
		<b>LEL:</b> The lowest percent of vapor in air, by volume, that will explode or ignite in the presence of an ignition source. <b>UEL</b> : The highest percent of vapor in air, by volume, that will explode or ignite in the presence of an ignition source.
	Section 8	ACGIH - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists, a professional association which establishes exposure
		limits.
		<b>TLV</b> - Threshold Limit Value - an airborne concentration of a substance which represents conditions under which it is generally believed that nearly all workers may be repeatedly exposed without adverse effect. The duration must be considered, including
		the 8-hour Time Weighted Average (TWA), the 15-minute Short Term Exposure Limit, and the instantaneous Ceiling Level
		(C). Skin absorption effects must also be considered
		<b>PEL</b> - Permissible Exposure Limit - This exposure value means exactly the same as a TLV, except that it is enforceable by OSHA. The OSHA Permissible Exposure Limits are based in the 1989 PELs and the June, 1993 Air Contaminants Rule
		(Federal Register: 58: 35338-35351 and 58: 40191). Both the current PELs and the vacated PELs are indicated. The phrase,
		"Vacated 1989 PEL," is placed next to the PEL which was vacated by Court Order.
		IDLH - Immediately Dangerous to Life and Health - This level represents a concentration from which one can escape within
		30-minutes without suffering escape-preventing or permanent injury. <b>The DFG - MAK</b> is the Republic of Germany's Maximum Exposure Level, similar to the U.S. PEL. <b>NIOSH</b> is the National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health, which
		is the research arm of the U.S. Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA). NIOSH issues exposure guidelines
		called Recommended Exposure Levels (RELs). When no exposure guidelines are established, an entry of NE (Not
		Established) is made for reference.
	Section 11	LD <sub>50</sub> : Lethal Dose (solids & liquids) which kills 50% of the exposed animals; LC <sub>50</sub> : Lethal Concentration (gases) which kills 50% of the exposed animals;
		ppm: Concentration expressed in parts of material per million parts of air or water;
		mg/m <sup>3</sup> : Concentration expressed in weight of substance per volume of air;
		mg/kg: Quantity of material, by weight, administered to a test subject, based on their body weight in kg IARC - the International Agency for Research on Cancer;
		NTP - the National Toxicology Program,
		RTECS - the Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances,
		OSHA and CAL/OSHA.  IARC and NTP rate chemicals on a scale of decreasing potential to cause human cancer with rankings from 1 to 4. Subrankings
		(2A, 2B, etc.) are also used.
		TDLo, the lowest dose to cause a symptom and
		TCLo the lowest concentration to cause a symptom; TDo, LDLo, and LDo, or TC, TCo, LCLo, and LCo, the lowest dose (or concentration) to cause lethal or toxic effects.
		BEI - Biological Exposure Indices, represent the levels of determinants which are most likely to be observed in specimens
		collected from a healthy worker who has been exposed to chemicals to the same extent as a worker with inhalation exposure to
	Section 12	the TLV.  LC <sub>50</sub> : The lowest concentration in water which kills 50% of the test subjects.
	Section 12	EC <sub>50</sub> : The Effect Concentration in water at which 50% of the test species if affected.
	Section 13	US EPA Hazardous Waste Codes: refer to 40 CFR 261.20
	Section 14	DOT: US Department of Transportation IATA: International Air Transport Association
		IMO: International Maritime Organization
		MARPOL: International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution From Ships, 1973 as modified by the Protocol of 1978
	Section 15	IBC Code: Merchant Shipping Code  PCPA: US Passures Concernation and Passavery Act
	Section 15	RCRA: US Resource Conservation and Recovery Act SARA: US Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act
		PSM: US OSHA Process Safety Management
		CFATS: US Department of Homeland Security Chemical Facility Anti-terrorism Standard  DSL: Consider Demostic Substances List
		DSL: Canadian Domestic Substances List NDSL: Canadian Non-Domestic Substances List
		REACH: European Registration, Evaluation, Authorization and Restriction of Chemicals list
		TSCA: US Toxic Substances Control Act