



PIT TOILET TREATMENT (L)

1. CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

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PRODUCT NAME:	Pit Toilet Treatment
GENERAL USE:	A biological treatment for the degradation of pit latrine waste

2. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS CHEMICAL CHARACTERIZATION OF ACTIVE COMPONENT:

A liquid containing naturally occurring micro-organisms. SYNONYMS: Not applicable. **3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION** Ingestion of large amounts may cause irritation of the entire gastrointestinal tract followed EMERGENCY OVERVIEW: by vomiting and diarrhoea 4. FIRST AID MEASURES Wash off with water. Remove contaminated clothing. If skim appears sensitive to product SKIN CONTACT: treat symptomatically. EYES CONTACT: Wash immediately with copious quantity of water for several minutes holding the eyelids open. INGESTION: Rinse mouth and throat thoroughly with water and drink water to dilute. INHALATION: Not applicable. If symptoms persist, seek medical advice. **5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES** SUITABLE FIRE FIGHTING EXTINGUISHING MEDIA: Any. NON-SUITABLE MEDIA: None SPECIAL EXPOSURE HAZARDS: Not applicable. PROTECTION AGAINST FIRE AND EXPLOSIONS: Not applicable. 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES PERSONAL PRECAUTIONS: Wear disposable gloves and eye protection. Wash contaminated clothing. **ENVIRONMENTAL PRECAUTIONS:** Prevent further spillage, if safe. Accidental releases do not pose environmental risks. For small releases, clean spillage area thoroughly with plenty of water and CLEAN UP METHODS: wash residue to drain. For large releases, dispose in compliance with all

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

All materials should be handled under good housekeeping practices. Wash hands after use. Wear gloves if exposure is prolonged. Avoid contact with eyes and skin. Care should be taken to ensure product is not introduced to drinking water or foodstuffs. Store container in a dry, cool, well-ventilated place.

federal, state, and/or local regulations





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8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS: PERSONAL PROT	ECTION				
REPIRATORY PROTECTION:	Not required.				
HAND PROTECTION:	Gloves recommended.				
EYES PROTECTION:	Recommended when handling large quantities. None applicable to raw materials in this product. Ensure adequate ventilation of the working area.				
EXPOSURE LIMITS:					
ENGINEERING MEASURES:					
PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT:	ENT: Wash all contaminated clothing before re-use.				
9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES PHYSICAL STATE:	Liquid				
ODOUR:					
	Mild earthy				
APPEARANCE:	Translucent liquid				
pH:	5 – 10				
SOLUBILITY IN WATER:	Complete				
BOILING POINT:	Not applicable.				
MELTING POINT:	Not applicable.				
FLASH POINT:	Not applicable.				
FLAMMABILITY:	Non-flammable.				
VAPOUR PRESSURE (mm Hg):	Not applicable.				
10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY STABILITY:	The material is stable under normal conditions of use.				
CONDITIONS TO AVOID:	Freezing or boiling temperatures				
MATERIALS TO AVOID:	Strong acids and alkalis, and strong oxidizing agents may				
	react with product and inactivate bacterial cultures.				
HARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS:	None				
11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION TOXICITY:	No acute toxicity.				



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CARCINOGENICITY:	IARC: NO	NTP: NO	OSHA: NO

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

This product is believed not to be dangerous to the environment with respect to mobility, persistency and degradability, bio-accumulative potential, aquatic toxicity and other data relating to eco-toxicity.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

No special disposal method required, except that it be in accordance with current local authority regulations.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Non-hazardous liquid.

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Preparation does not contain ingredients listed as dangerous substance in Annex 1 of the EEC directive 67/548.

16. OTHER INFORMATION

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