

Safety data sheet number PID627

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Safety Data Sheet FLO-VIS* PLUS

1. Identification of the Substance/Preparation and of the Company/Undertaking

1.1 Product identifier

Product name FLO-VIS* PLUS
Product code PID627

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

Recommended Use Viscosifier.

Uses advised against Consumer use

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Supplier

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1.4 Emergency Telephone Number

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2. Hazards Identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP] Commission Regulation (EU) No 2015/830 of 28 May 2015

Health hazards Not classified

Environmental hazards Not classified

Physical Hazards Not classified

2.2 Label elements

Signal word

None

Hazard Statements

This product is not classified as hazardous therefore no (H) hazard statements assigned.

EU Specific Hazard Statements

EUH208 - Contains (Glyoxal). May produce an allergic reaction

Precautionary Statements

This product is not classified as hazardous therefore has no (P) precautionary statements assigned.

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Contains

Glyoxal

2.3 Other hazards

Not classified as PBT/vPvB by current EU criteria

3. Composition/information on Ingredients

3.1 Substances

Not applicable

3.2 Mixtures

Chemical Name	EC No	CAS No	Weight-%	Component information	REACH registration number
Glyoxal	203-474-9	107-22-2	<1	Acute Tox. 4 (H332) Skin Irrit. 2 (H315) Eye Irrit. 2 (H319) Skin Sens. 1B (H317) Muta. 2 (H341) STOT SE 3 (H335)	Exempt

Comments

The product contains other ingredients which do not contribute to the overall classification.

4. First Aid Measures

4.1 First aid measures

Inhalation

If inhaled, remove from area to fresh air. Get medical attention if respiratory irritation develops or if breathing becomes difficult.

Ingestion

Rinse mouth. Do not induce vomiting without medical advice. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

Skin contact	Wash skin thoroughly with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.
Eye Contact	Promptly wash eyes with lots of water while lifting eye lids. Remove contact lenses, if worn. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.

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

General advice	The severity of the symptoms described will vary dependant of the concentration and the length of exposure. If adverse symptoms develop, the casualty should be transferred to hospital as soon as possible.
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Symptoms

Inhalation	Please see Section 11. Toxicological Information for further information.
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Ingestion	Please see Section 11. Toxicological Information for further information.
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Skin contact	Please see Section 11. Toxicological Information for further information.
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Eye contact	Please see Section 11. Toxicological Information for further information.
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4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Notes to physician	Treat symptomatically.
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5. Firefighting Measures

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media

Water Fog, Alcohol Foam, CO₂, Dry Chemical.

Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons

None known.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Unusual fire and explosion hazards

Dust may form explosive mixture in air.

Hazardous combustion products

Fire or high temperatures create: Carbon oxides (CO_x).

5.3 Advice for firefighters

Special protective equipment for fire-fighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective gear.

Special Fire-Fighting Procedures

Containers close to fire should be removed immediately or cooled with water.

6. Accidental Release Measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Use personal protective equipment. See also section 8. If spilled, take caution, as material can cause surfaces to become very slippery.

6.2 Environmental precautions

The product should not be allowed to enter drains, water courses or the soil.

Environmental exposure controls

Avoid release to the environment. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained.

6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for containment

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Cover powder spill with plastic sheet or tarp to minimise spreading.

Methods for cleaning up

Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. Prevent dust cloud. After cleaning, flush away traces with water.

6.4 Reference to other sections

See section 13 for more information.

7. Handling and Storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Handling

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid dust formation. Persons susceptible to allergic reactions should not handle this product.

Hygiene Measures

Use good work and personal hygiene practices to avoid exposure. When using do not smoke, eat or drink. Wash hands before eating, drinking or smoking. Remove contaminated clothing.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Technical measures/precautions	Ensure adequate ventilation. Keep airborne concentrations below exposure limits. Keep away from heat, sparks, and flame.
Storage precautions	Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Avoid contact with: Strong oxidising agents. Protect from moisture.
Storage class	Chemical storage.
Packaging materials	Use specially constructed containers only.

7.3 Specific end uses

See Section 1.2.

8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

8.1 Control parameters

Exposure Limits No biological limit allocated

Component Information

Chemical Name	EU OEL - Third List	Austria	Denmark
Glyoxal	Not determined	Not determined	0.2 ppm Ceiling 0.5 mg/m ³ Ceiling
Chemical Name	France	Germany	Hungary
Glyoxal	Not determined	Not determined	Not determined
Chemical Name	Italy	Netherlands	Norway
Glyoxal	Not determined	Not determined	Not determined
Chemical Name	Poland	Portugal	Romania
Glyoxal	Not determined	0.1 mg/m ³ TWA inhalable fraction, aerosol and vapor	Not determined
Chemical Name	Spain	Switzerland	UK
Glyoxal	0.1 mg/m ³ TWA VLA-ED	Not determined	Not determined

8.2 Exposure controls

All chemical Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) should be selected based on an assessment of both the chemical hazard present and the risk of exposure to those hazards. The PPE recommendations below are based on an assessment of the chemical hazards associated with this product. Where this product is used in a mixture with other products or fluids, additional hazards may be created and as such further assessment of risk may be required. The risk of exposure and need of respiratory protection will vary from workplace to workplace and should be assessed by the user in each situation.

Engineering Controls

Ensure adequate ventilation. Local exhaust ventilation.

Personal protective equipment

Eye protection	Use eye protection according to EN 166, designed to protect against powders and dusts. Tightly fitting safety goggles. Safety glasses with side-shields.
Hand protection	Wear gloves according to EN 374 to protect against skin effects from powders Use protective gloves made of: Neoprene Nitrile Butyl Frequent change is advisable
Respiratory protection	No personal respiratory protective equipment normally required, In case of insufficient ventilation wear suitable respiratory equipment, Half mask with a particle filter P2 (BS EN 143), At work in confined or poorly ventilated spaces, respiratory protection with air supply must be used.
Skin and body protection	Wear suitable protective clothing, Eye wash and emergency shower must be available at the work place.

Hygiene Measures

Wash hands before eating, drinking or smoking, Remove and wash contaminated clothing before re-use.



8.2.3 Environmental exposure controls

Environmental exposure Use appropriate containment to avoid environmental contamination See section 6 for more information

9. Physical and Chemical Properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	Solid
Appearance	Powder Dust
Odour	Odourless
Colour	White - Tan
Odour threshold	Not applicable

Property	Values	Remarks
pH	Not applicable	
pH @ dilution	7	@ 1% sol.
Melting / freezing point	No information available	
Boiling point/range	No information available	
Flash point	No information available	
Evaporation rate	No information available	
Flammability (solid, gas)	Not applicable	
Flammability Limit in Air		
Upper flammability limit	Not applicable	
Lower flammability limit	Not applicable	
Vapour pressure	No information available	
Vapour density	No information available	
Specific gravity	1.5	20 °C
Bulk density	No information available	
Relative density	No information available	
Water solubility	Soluble in water	
Solubility in other solvents	No information available	
Autoignition temperature	No information available	
Decomposition temperature	No information available	
Kinematic viscosity	No information available	
Dynamic viscosity	No information available	
log Pow	No information available	

Explosive properties	Suspended dust may present a dust explosion hazard
Oxidising properties	None known

9.2 Other information

Pour point	No information available
Molecular weight	No information available
VOC content(%)	None
Density	No information available

Comments

The data listed above are typical physical and chemical properties and should not be construed as product specification.

10. Stability and Reactivity

10.1 Reactivity

Dust may form explosive mixture in air.

10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under normal temperature conditions and recommended use.

10.3 Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

Hazardous polymerisation

Hazardous polymerisation does not occur.

10.4 Conditions to avoid

Heat, flames and sparks. Protect from moisture.

10.5 Incompatible materials

Strong oxidising agents.

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

See Section 5.2.

11. Toxicological Information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity

Inhalation

Inhalation of dust in high concentration may cause irritation of respiratory system.

Eye contact

Dust may cause mechanical irritation.

Skin contact

Prolonged contact may cause redness and irritation. Repeated or prolonged skin contact may cause allergic reactions with susceptible persons.

Ingestion

Ingestion may cause stomach discomfort.

Unknown acute toxicity

Not applicable.

Toxicology data for the components

Chemical Name	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Glyoxal	= 200 mg/kg (Rat)	= 12700 mg/kg (Rabbit)	= 2410 mg/m ³ , 3-4 hrs

Sensitisation	Repeated or prolonged contact may cause allergic reactions in very susceptible persons.
Mutagenic effects	Contains an known or suspected mutagen.
Carcinogenicity	This product does not contain any known or suspected carcinogens.
Reproductive toxicity	This product does not contain any known or suspected reproductive hazards.
Routes of exposure	Skin contact. Eye contact. Inhalation.
Routes of entry	Inhalation.
Specific target organ toxicity - Single exposure	Not classified
Specific target organ toxicity - Repeated exposure	Not classified.
Aspiration hazard	Not applicable.
Other information	Key literature references and sources for data. See Section 16 for more information.

12. Ecological Information

12.1 Toxicity

The product component(s) are not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does not exclude the possibility that large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging effect on the environment.

Toxicity to algae

See component information below.

Toxicity to fish

See component information below.

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates

See component information below.

Toxicology data for the components

Chemical Name	Toxicity to fish	Toxicity to algae	Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates
Glyoxal	= 215 mg/L LC50 Pimephales promelas 96 h 460 - 680 mg/L LC50 Leuciscus idus 96 h	<= 348.59 mg/L EC50 Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata 96 h > 500 mg/L EC50 Desmodesmus subspicatus 96 h > 500 mg/L EC50 Desmodesmus subspicatus 72 h	= 404 mg/L EC50 Daphnia magna 48 h

12.2 Persistence and degradability

The product contains substances which are not expected to be biodegradable.

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

Does not bioaccumulate.

12.4 Mobility

Mobility

Soluble in water.

Mobility in soil

No information available.

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Not classified as PBT/vPvB by current EU criteria.

12.6 Other adverse effects.

None known.

12.7 Other information

Key literature references and sources for data. See Section 16 for more information.

13. Disposal Considerations

13.1 Waste treatment methods

Waste from residues/unused products

Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

Contaminated packaging

Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal.

EWC Waste Disposal No

According to the European Waste Catalogue, Waste Codes are not product specific, but application specific Waste codes should be assigned by the user based on the application for which the product was used. The following Waste Codes are only suggestions: EWC waste disposal No: 07 01 99.

14. Transport information

14.1. UN number

Not regulated

14.2. UN proper shipping name

The product is not covered by international regulation on the transport of dangerous goods

14.3. Hazard class(es)

ADR/RID/ADN/ADG Hazard class Not regulated

IMDG Hazard class Not regulated

ICAO Hazard class/division Not regulated

14.4 Packing group

ADR/RID/ADN/ADG Packing Group Not regulated

IMDG Packing group Not regulated

ICAO Packing group Not regulated

14.5 Environmental hazard

No

14.6 Special precautions

Not applicable

14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex I/II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

Please contact SDS@slb.com for info regarding transport in Bulk.

15. Regulatory Information

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

Germany, Water Endangering Water endangering class = 1
Classes (VwVwS)

Commission Regulation (EU) 2015/830 of 28 May 2015 amending Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council on the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH) Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 December 2006 concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH), establishing a European Chemicals Agency, amending Directive 1999/EC and repealing Council Regulation (EEC) No 793/93 and Commission Regulation (EC) No 1488/94 as well as Council Directive 76/769/EEC and Commission Directives 91/155/EEC, 93/67/EEC, 93/105/EC, 2000/21/EC and 453/2010 including amendments.

This safety data sheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008.

Dutch Mining Regulations: In accordance with Mining Regulations 9.2 and Chapter 4 of the Working Conditions Decree.

International inventories

USA, Toxic Substances Control Act inventory (TSCA)	Complies
Canada (DSL)	Complies
Philippines (PICCS)	Complies
Inventory - Japan - Existing and New Chemicals list	Complies
China (IECSC)	Complies
Australia (AICS)	Complies
Korea (KECL)	Complies
Inventory - New Zealand - Inventory of Chemicals (NZIoC)	Complies

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15.2 Chemical Safety Report

No information available

16. Other Information

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This SDS has been revised in the following section(s) All sections Product Code change No changes with regard to classification have been made.

Key literature references and sources for data

www.ChemADVISOR.com

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National Chemical Inventories

National regulatory information

National occupational exposure limits

Training Advice

Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood

Follow general hygiene considerations recognised as common good workplace practices

Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3

This product is not classified as hazardous therefore no (H) hazard statements assigned.

H332 - Harmful if inhaled

H315 - Causes skin irritation

H319 - Causes serious eye irritation

H317 - May cause an allergic skin reaction

H341 - Suspected of causing genetic defects if inhaled

H335 - May cause respiratory irritation

EUH208 - Contains (Glyoxal). May produce an allergic reaction

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