

Safety data sheet

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SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

· 1.1 Product identifier



- **Trade name: Genesol 40**
- **Registration number** Mixture
- **1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**
- **Product category** PC35 Washing and cleaning products (including solvent based products)
- **Application of the substance / the mixture** Cleaning agent/ Cleaner
- **Uses advised against**
Any use carrying a risk of direct contact with eyes/skin where workers are exposed without adequate PPE.
- **1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**
Genesys International Ltd
3a Aston Way,
Middlewich,
Cheshire.
CW10 0HS.
UK.
Tel: +44 (0) 1606 837 605
- **Further information obtainable from:** Product safety department.
- **1.4 Emergency telephone number:** Tel: 0044 (0) 1606 837 605 (not 24 hrs)

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

- **2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture**
- **Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**



GHS05 corrosion

- Skin Corr. 1B H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
- Eye Dam. 1 H318 Causes serious eye damage.

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- **2.2 Label elements**
 - **Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**
The product is classified and labelled according to the CLP regulation.
 - **Hazard pictograms** GHS05
 - **Signal word** Danger
 - **Hazard-determining components of labelling:**
Potassium hydroxide
 - **Hazard statements**
H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
 - **Precautionary statements**
 - P260 Do not breathe mist/vapours/spray.
 - P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
 - P303+P361+P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.
 - P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
 - P301+P330+P331 IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.
 - P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

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- **2.3 Other hazards**
- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

· **3.2 Chemical characterisation: Mixtures**

· **Description:**

An aqueous blend of mixed cleaners, surfactants, sequestrants and inorganic phosphates with multifunctional additives.

· **Dangerous components:**

CAS: 7320-34-5 EINECS: 230-785-7	Tetrapotassium pyrophosphate ⚠ Eye Irrit. 2, H319	2,5-10%
CAS: 1310-58-3 EINECS: 215-181-3	Potassium hydroxide ⚠ Skin Corr. 1A, H314; ⚠ Acute Tox. 4, H302	2,5-10%
CAS: 137-16-6 EINECS: 205-281-5	Sodium N-lauroylsarcosinate ⚠ Acute Tox. 2, H330; ⚠ Eye Dam. 1, H318; ⚠ Skin Irrit. 2, H315	≤ 2,5%

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

SECTION 4: First aid measures

· **4.1 Description of first aid measures**

- **General information:** Immediately remove any clothing soiled by the product.
- **After inhalation:** Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of complaints.
- **After skin contact:**
Immediately rinse with water.
If skin irritation continues, consult a doctor.
- **After eye contact:**
DO NOT DELAY!
Check for and remove any contact lenses.
Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Then consult a doctor.
- **After swallowing:**
Rinse out mouth and then drink plenty of water.
Do not induce vomiting; call for medical help immediately.
If vomiting occurs spontaneously, keep head below hips to prevent aspiration.
- **4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed** Allergic skin reactions.
- **Information for doctor:** Treat symptomatically and supportively.
- **4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**
No further relevant information available.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

- **5.1 Extinguishing media**
- **Suitable extinguishing agents:** Use fire extinguishing methods suitable to surrounding conditions.
- **5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture** No further relevant information available.
- **5.3 Advice for firefighters**
- **Protective equipment:**
Do not inhale explosion gases or combustion gases.
Wear fully protective suit.
Wear self-contained respiratory protective device.

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SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

· 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Particular danger of slipping on leaked/spilled product.

Ensure adequate ventilation

Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.

· 6.2 Environmental precautions: Do not allow to penetrate the ground/soil.

· 6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:

Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).

Send for recovery or disposal in suitable receptacles.

Ensure adequate ventilation.

· 6.4 Reference to other sections

See Section 7 for information on safe handling.

See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.

See Section 13 for disposal information.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

· 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid direct contact (skin/eye contact, ingestion and/or inhalation of fume/mist/dust) with the product.

Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.

Prevent formation of aerosols.

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

· 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

· Storage:

· Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:

Prevent any seepage into the ground.

Do not store in aluminium or galvanised containers.

· Information about storage in one common storage facility:

Store away from metals.

Do not store together with acids.

· Further information about storage conditions:

Keep container tightly sealed.

Store in a banded area.

Protect from frost.

Protect from heat and direct sunlight.

· 7.3 Specific end use(s) No further relevant information available.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

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

· 8.1 Control parameters

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

1310-58-3 Potassium hydroxide

WEL	Short-term value: 2 mg/m ³
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· Additional information: The lists valid during the making were used as basis.

· 8.2 Exposure controls

· Personal protective equipment:

Select PPE appropriate for the operations taking place taking into account the product properties.

· General protective and hygienic measures:

Do not eat, drink, smoke or sniff while working.

A safe system of work must be formulated and followed to ensure safe working with this product. Relevant workers must receive suitable and sufficient training and supervision.

Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing

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Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.
 Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.
 Do not inhale gases / fumes / aerosols.
 Take note of assigned Workplace Exposure Limits.

- **Respiratory protection:**

Use suitable respiratory protective device in case of insufficient ventilation.
 Respirator selection must be based on known or anticipated exposure levels, the hazards of the product and the safe working limits of the selected respirator.
 If respiratory protection is required, institute a complete respiratory protection program including selection, fit testing, training, maintenance and inspection.

- **Protection of hands:**



Protective gloves

The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.
 Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation

- **Material of gloves**

The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer. As the product is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material can not be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application.

- **Penetration time of glove material**

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

- **Eye protection:**

Face protection



Tightly sealed goggles

- **Body protection:**

Impervious protective clothing
 Body protection must be chosen depending on product properties, activity and possible exposure.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

- **9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

- **General Information**

- **Appearance:**

Form:	Fluid
Colour:	Clear
Odour:	Mild
Odour threshold:	Not determined.

- **pH-value:** 12-13

- **Change in condition**

Melting point/Melting range:	Undetermined.
Boiling point/Boiling range:	Undetermined.

- **Flash point:** Cannot support combustion

- **Flammability (solid, gaseous):** Not applicable.

- **Ignition temperature:**

Decomposition temperature:	Not determined.
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· Self-igniting:	Product is not self-igniting.
· Danger of explosion:	Product does not present an explosion hazard.
· Explosion limits:	
Lower:	Not determined.
Upper:	Not determined.
· Vapour pressure at 20 °C:	23 hPa
· Density at 20 °C:	1.12-1.14 g/cm ³
· Relative density	Not determined.
· Vapour density	Not determined.
· Evaporation rate	Not determined.
· Solubility in / Miscibility with water:	Fully miscible.
· Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):	Not determined.
· Viscosity:	
Dynamic:	Not determined.
Kinematic:	Not determined.
· 9.2 Other information	No further relevant information available.

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

- **10.1 Reactivity** No further relevant information available.
- **10.2 Chemical stability**
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:**
No decomposition if used and stored according to specifications.
- **10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions** No dangerous reactions known.
- **10.4 Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.
- **10.5 Incompatible materials:** Strong acids and oxidising agents
- **10.6 Hazardous decomposition products:**
Phosphorus compounds
Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

- **11.1 Information on toxicological effects**
- **Acute toxicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

· LD/LC50 values relevant for classification:
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1310-58-3 Potassium hydroxide

Oral	LD50	333 mg/kg (rat)
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- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **Skin corrosion/irritation**
Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
- **Serious eye damage/irritation**
Causes serious eye damage.
- **Respiratory or skin sensitisation** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **CMR effects (carcinogenicity, mutagenicity and toxicity for reproduction)**
- **Germ cell mutagenicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Carcinogenicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Reproductive toxicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **STOT-single exposure** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **STOT-repeated exposure** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

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- **Aspiration hazard** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

- **12.1 Toxicity**
- **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.
- **12.2 Persistence and degradability** biodegradable
- **12.3 Bioaccumulative potential** Product is not expected to bioaccumulate.
- **12.4 Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.
- **Additional ecological information:**
- **General notes:**
Water hazard class 1 (German Regulation) (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water
Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities of it to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.
Must not reach sewage water or drainage ditch undiluted or unneutralised.
- **12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.
- **12.6 Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

- **13.1 Waste treatment methods**
- **Recommendation**
Recommended Hierarchy of Controls:
 - Minimise waste;
 - Reuse if not contaminated;
 - Recycle, if possible; or
 - Safe disposal (if all else fails).
 Contact waste processors for recycling information.
Must not be disposed together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.
Used, degraded or contaminated product may be classified as hazardous waste. Anyone classifying hazardous waste and determining its fate must be qualified in accordance with state and international legislation.
- **European waste catalogue**
Waste key numbers in accordance with the European Waste Catalogue (EWC) are origin-referred defined.
Since this product is used in several industries, no waste key can be provided by the supplier. The waste key number should be determined in arrangement with your waste disposal partner or the responsible authority.
- **Uncleaned packaging:**
- **Recommendation:** Container remains hazardous when empty. Continue to observe all precautions.
- **Recommended cleansing agents:** Water, if necessary together with cleansing agents.

SECTION 14: Transport information

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · 14.1 UN-Number · ADR, IMDG, IATA | UN3266 |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · 14.2 UN proper shipping name · ADR · IMDG, IATA | 3266 CORROSIVE LIQUID, BASIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE)
CORROSIVE LIQUID, BASIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE) |

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· **14.3 Transport hazard class(es)**

· ADR, IMDG, IATA



· **Class** 8 Corrosive substances.
 · **Label** 8

· **14.4 Packing group**

· ADR, IMDG, IATA III

· **14.5 Environmental hazards:**

· **Marine pollutant:** No

· **14.6 Special precautions for user**

Warning: Corrosive substances.
 · **Danger code (Kemler):** 80
 · **EMS Number:** F-A,S-B
 · **Segregation groups** Alkalis

· **14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol and the IBC Code**

Not applicable.

· **Transport/Additional information:** Not dangerous according to the above specifications.

· **ADR**

· **Limited quantities (LQ)** 5L
 · **Excepted quantities (EQ)** Code: E1
 Maximum net quantity per inner packaging: 30 ml
 Maximum net quantity per outer packaging: 1000 ml

· **Transport category** 2

· **Tunnel restriction code** E

· **IMDG**

· **Limited quantities (LQ)** 1L
 · **Excepted quantities (EQ)** Code: E2
 Maximum net quantity per inner packaging: 30 ml
 Maximum net quantity per outer packaging: 500 ml

· **UN "Model Regulation":**

UN3266, CORROSIVE LIQUID, BASIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE), 8, III

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

No further relevant information available.

· **15.2 Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

SECTION 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 phrases**

H302 Harmful if swallowed.
 H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
 H315 Causes skin irritation.
 H318 Causes serious eye damage.
 H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

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H330 Fatal if inhaled.

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)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

IATA: International Air Transport Association

GHS: Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent

LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent

PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic

vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative

Acute Tox. 4: Acute toxicity, Hazard Category 4

Acute Tox. 2: Acute toxicity, Hazard Category 2

Skin Corr. 1A: Skin corrosion/irritation, Hazard Category 1A

Skin Corr. 1B: Skin corrosion/irritation, Hazard Category 1B

Skin Irrit. 2: Skin corrosion/irritation, Hazard Category 2

Eye Dam. 1: Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Hazard Category 1

Eye Irrit. 2: Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Hazard Category 2

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