**Automated Photoprocessing using Powder based Products**

**Disclaimer**

This SUMI is a generic document for communicating conditions of safe use of a product in response to the REACH obligation. This document relates only to conditions of safe use and is not specific to a product. By adding this SUMI to a specific product Safety Data Sheet (SDS), the importer/formulator declares that the mixture can safely be used following the instructions below. Following occupational health legislation, the employer of workers remains responsible for communicating relevant use information to employees. When developing workplace instructions for employees, SUMI Sheets should always be considered in combination with the SDS and the label of the product. Derived No Effect Levels (DNEL) and Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC) values of substances derived from the Chemical Safety Assessment (CSA) will be given in Section 8 of the SDS. The REACH Registration Numbers, where applicable, complete an extended Safety Data Sheet.

### Operational conditions

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<th><strong>Maximum duration</strong></th>
<th>15 minutes per day for dissolving/mixing powders.</th>
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<td><strong>Frequency of exposure</strong></td>
<td>240 days per year.</td>
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| **Physical state** | As supplied: powder concentrate.  
As used, after making up: aqueous working strength solution. |

#### Process conditions

- Covers use at ambient temperatures.
- Provides a good standard of controlled ventilation (10 to 15 air changes per hour).
- Keep emissions below the occupational exposure limits of the ingredients specified in section 8 of the SDS.
- Avoid direct contact.
- Ensure regular cleaning of equipment and work area.
- Supervision in place to check that Risk Management Measures (RMM's) are in place and are being correctly used and Operational Conditions (OC's) followed.

### Risk management measures

#### Conditions and measures related to Personal Protection Equipment (PPE), hygiene and health evaluation

- **Delivery & storage:** Wear suitable gloves & labcoat.
- **Application:** Wear labcoat and if there is a chance of exposure wear suitable eye protection, gloves and respirator.
- **Loading/Cleaning/Mixing:** Wear suitable eye protection with side shields, gloves, labcoat and respirator when mixing powder into aqueous solutions.
- **Application:** Wear labcoat and if there is a chance of exposure wear suitable eye protection, gloves and respirator.
- **Eye wash station and emergency showers are recommended.**
- **Avoid direct contact.**
- **Training of workers in relation to proper use and maintenance of all Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) must be ensured.**

### Good practice advice

- Use personal protective equipment (PPE) as required.
- Wash hands before breaks and after work.
- Keep good industrial hygiene and safety practice.
- Use only with adequate ventilation.
- Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
- Store at room temperature.

### Environmental measures

- Do not allow this material to drain into sewers/water supplies.
- Dispose of waste material according to Local, State, Federal and Provincial Environmental Regulations.
- Ensure collection and disposal with appropriately licenced waste contractor.
- Do not dispose of together with general office waste.

### Use descriptors

- IS-Printing and reproduction media.
- PW-Widespread use by professional workers.
- SU7-Printing and reproduction media.
- ERC6b-Use of reactive processing aid at industrial site (no inclusion into or onto article).
- ERC8b-Widespread use of reactive processing aid (no inclusion into or onto article, indoor).
- PC30-Photochemicals.
- PROC3-Manufacture or formulation in the chemical industry in closed batch processes with occasional controlled exposure or processes with equivalent containment condition.
- PROC5-Mixing or blending in batch processes.
- PROC8a-Transfer of substance or mixture (charging and discharging) at non-dedicated facilities.
- PROC8b-Transfer of substance or mixture (charging and discharging) at dedicated facilities.
- E268b-Use of reactive processing aid at industrial site (no inclusion into or onto article).
- E38b-Widespread use of reactive processing aid (no inclusion into or onto article, indoor).

### Additional information on product composition

In section 2 of the SDS as well as on the label, the classification of the mixture is provided. All ingredients contributing to the classification are stated in Section 3 of the SDS. Relevant limit values of ingredients on which the exposure assessment is based, are listed in section 8 of the SDS. Mixing powders into aqueous solutions creates a different risk management method than mixing solutions and is normally done by operators wearing respirators suitable for the particle size and hazard posed by the substance(s).

The product may contain sensitizing ingredients that may cause allergic reaction to certain people. Section 2 of the SDS states these ingredients where applicable.