

## BYK-012

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Product name : BYK-012  
Product code : 000000000000107695

**Manufacturer or supplier's details**

Company : BYK-Chemie GmbH  
Address : Abelstrasse 45  
46483 Wesel  
Telephone : +49 281 670-23532  
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+61 2 8014 4558

**Importer**

Company : Alchemy Agencies Pty Ltd  
Level 15, 28 Freshwater Place  
Southbank, Victoria, Australia 3006  
Tel: +61 3 9116 6359

Use of the Sub-  
stance/Mixture : Defoamer

**SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION****GHS Classification**

Short-term (acute) aquatic hazard : Category 3

Long-term (chronic) aquatic hazard : Category 3

**GHS label elements**

Hazard pictograms : None  
Signal word : None  
Hazard statements : H412 Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary statements : **Prevention:**  
P273 Avoid release to the environment.  
**Disposal:**  
P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste

disposal plant.

**Other hazards which do not result in classification**

None known.

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**SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Substance / Mixture : Mixture  
Chemical nature : Compound of polyether with hydrophobic particles

**Components**

No hazardous ingredients

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**SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES**

General advice : Do not leave the victim unattended.

If inhaled : If unconscious, place in recovery position and seek medical advice.  
If symptoms persist, call a physician.

In case of eye contact : Remove contact lenses.  
Protect unharmed eye.  
If eye irritation persists, consult a specialist.

If swallowed : Keep respiratory tract clear.  
Do not give milk or alcoholic beverages.  
Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.  
If symptoms persist, call a physician.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed : No information available.

Notes to physician : No information available.

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**SECTION 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

Suitable extinguishing media : Foam  
Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>)  
Dry chemical

Unsuitable extinguishing media : High volume water jet

Specific hazards during fire-fighting : Do not allow run-off from fire fighting to enter drains or water courses.

Hazardous combustion products : Carbon oxides  
Nitrogen oxides (NO<sub>x</sub>)

Specific extinguishing methods : Collect contaminated fire extinguishing water separately. This must not be discharged into drains.  
Fire residues and contaminated fire extinguishing water must be disposed of in accordance with local regulations.

Special protective equipment for firefighters : Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

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**SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

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- Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures : Use personal protective equipment.
- Environmental precautions : Prevent product from entering drains. If the product contaminates rivers and lakes or drains inform respective authorities.
- Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up : Wipe up with absorbent material (e.g. cloth, fleece). Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.
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**SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

- Advice on protection against fire and explosion : Normal measures for preventive fire protection.
- Advice on safe handling : For personal protection see section 8. Smoking, eating and drinking should be prohibited in the application area.
- Hygiene measures : General industrial hygiene practice.
- Conditions for safe storage : Containers which are opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Electrical installations / working materials must comply with the technological safety standards.
- Materials to avoid : No materials to be especially mentioned.
- Further information on storage stability : No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.
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**SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION****Components with workplace control parameters**

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

**Personal protective equipment**

- Respiratory protection : No personal respiratory protective equipment normally required.
- Hand protection
- Material : PVC disposable gloves
  - Break through time : 120.00 min
- Remarks : Wear suitable gloves.
- Eye protection : Safety glasses
- Skin and body protection : Protective suit
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**SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

- Appearance : liquid
- Colour : light yellow
- Odour : characteristic
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Odour Threshold	:	No data available
pH	:	7 (20 °C) Concentration: 1 % Method: Universal pH-value indicator
Melting point/ range	:	< 0 °C Method: derived
Initial boiling point	:	> 200 °C Method: derived
Flash point	:	> 100.00 °C  Method: 49 (Pensky-Martens)
Evaporation rate	:	No data available
Flammability (liquids)	:	Sustains combustion
Upper explosion limit / Upper flammability limit	:	No data available
Lower explosion limit / Lower flammability limit	:	No data available
Vapour pressure	:	< 1 hPa Method: derived
Relative vapour density	:	No data available
Relative density	:	No data available
Density	:	1.0100 g/cm <sup>3</sup> (20.00 °C) Method: 4 (20°C oscillating U-tube)
Bulk density	:	Not applicable
Solubility(ies)		
Water solubility	:	immiscible
Solubility in other solvents	:	No data available
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	:	No data available
Auto-ignition temperature	:	> 200.00 °C Method: DIN 51794
Decomposition temperature	:	No data available
Viscosity		
Viscosity, dynamic	:	No data available
Viscosity, kinematic	:	No data available

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Surface tension : No data available

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**SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Reactivity : No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.  
Chemical stability : No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.  
Possibility of hazardous reactions : Stable under recommended storage conditions.  
No hazards to be specially mentioned.

Conditions to avoid : No data available  
Incompatible materials : Strong oxidizing agents  
Hazardous decomposition products : No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.

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**SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**Acute toxicity**

Not classified due to lack of data.

**Product:**

Acute oral toxicity : Remarks: No data available

**Skin corrosion/irritation**

Not classified due to lack of data.

**Product:**

Remarks : No data available

**Serious eye damage/eye irritation**

Not classified due to lack of data.

**Product:**

Remarks : No data available

**Respiratory or skin sensitisation**

**Skin sensitisation**

Not classified due to lack of data.

**Respiratory sensitisation**

Not classified due to lack of data.

**Product:**

Remarks : No data available

**Chronic toxicity**

**Germ cell mutagenicity**

Not classified due to lack of data.

**Product:**

Genotoxicity in vitro : Remarks: No data available

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Genotoxicity in vivo : Result: No data available

### **Carcinogenicity**

Not classified due to lack of data.

#### **Product:**

Remarks : No data available

### **Reproductive toxicity**

Not classified due to lack of data.

#### **Product:**

Effects on fertility : Remarks: No data available

Effects on foetal development : Remarks: No data available

### **STOT - single exposure**

Not classified due to lack of data.

#### **Product:**

Remarks : No data available

### **STOT - repeated exposure**

Not classified due to lack of data.

#### **Product:**

Remarks : No data available

### **Repeated dose toxicity**

#### **Product:**

Remarks : No data available

### **Aspiration toxicity**

Not classified due to lack of data.

#### **Product:**

No data available

### **Further information**

#### **Product:**

Remarks : No data available

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**SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION****Ecotoxicity****Product:**

- Toxicity to fish : LC50 (Cyprinodon variegatus (sheepshead minnow)): > 17 mg/l  
Exposure time: 96 h  
Method: PARCOM Protocol Part B  
GLP: yes
- Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates : LC50 (Acartia Tonsa): 20.5 mg/l  
Exposure time: 48 h  
Method: ISO 14669 and PARCOM method  
GLP: yes
- Toxicity to algae/aquatic plants : EC50 (Skeletonema costatum (marine diatom)): 17 mg/l  
Exposure time: 72 h  
Method: ISO 10253  
GLP: yes
- Toxicity to soil dwelling organisms : (Corophium volutator (sandhopper)): 1,886.2 mg/kg  
Exposure time: 10 d  
Method: OSPAR protocol (2006)  
GLP: yes

**Ecotoxicology Assessment**

- Chronic aquatic toxicity : Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

**Persistence and degradability****Product:**

- Biodegradability : Result: Not rapidly biodegradable  
Exposure time: 28 d  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 306  
GLP: yes

**Bioaccumulative potential****Product:**

- Bioaccumulation : Remarks: No data available

**Mobility in soil**

No data available

**Other adverse effects****Product:**

- Additional ecological information : An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal.  
Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

**SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS****Disposal methods**

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

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**SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION****International Regulations****UNRTDG**

UN number : Not applicable  
Proper shipping name : Not applicable  
Class : Not applicable  
Subsidiary risk : Not applicable  
Packing group : Not applicable  
Labels : Not applicable

**IATA-DGR**

UN/ID No. : Not applicable  
Proper shipping name : Not applicable  
Class : Not applicable  
Subsidiary risk : Not applicable  
Packing group : Not applicable  
Labels : Not applicable  
Packing instruction (cargo aircraft) : Not applicable  
Packing instruction (passenger aircraft) : Not applicable

**IMDG-Code**

UN number : Not applicable  
Proper shipping name : Not applicable  
Class : Not applicable  
Subsidiary risk : Not applicable  
Packing group : Not applicable  
Labels : Not applicable  
EmS Code : Not applicable  
Marine pollutant : Not applicable

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

Not applicable for product as supplied.

**National Regulations****ADG**

UN number : Not applicable  
Proper shipping name : Not applicable  
Class : Not applicable  
Subsidiary risk : Not applicable  
Packing group : Not applicable  
Labels : Not applicable  
Hazchem Code : Not applicable

**Special precautions for user**

Not applicable

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**SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

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

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**SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION**

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**Full text of other abbreviations**

AIIC - Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals; ANTT - National Agency for Transport by Land of Brazil; ASTM - American Society for the Testing of Materials; bw - Body weight; CMR - Carcinogen, Mutagen or Reproductive Toxicant; DIN - Standard of the German Institute for Standardisation; DSL - Domestic Substances List (Canada); ECx - Concentration associated with x% response; ELx - Loading rate associated with x% response; EmS - Emergency Schedule; ENCS - Existing and New Chemical Substances (Japan); ErCx - Concentration associated with x% growth rate response; ERG - Emergency Response Guide; GHS - Globally Harmonised System; GLP - Good Laboratory Practice; IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer; IATA - International Air Transport Association; IBC - International Code for the Construction and Equipment of Ships carrying Dangerous Chemicals in Bulk; IC50 - Half maximal inhibitory concentration; ICAO - International Civil Aviation Organization; IECSC - Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China; IMDG - International Maritime Dangerous Goods; IMO - International Maritime Organisation; ISHL - Industrial Safety and Health Law (Japan); ISO - International Organisation for Standardisation; KECI - Korea Existing Chemicals Inventory; LC50 - Lethal Concentration to 50 % of a test population; LD50 - Lethal Dose to 50% of a test population (Median Lethal Dose); MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships; MERCOSUR - The Agreement for the Facilitation of the Transport of Dangerous Goods; n.o.s. - Not Otherwise Specified; Nch - Chilean Norm; NO(A)EC - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Concentration; NO(A)EL - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Level; NOELR - No Observable Effect Loading Rate; NOM - Official Mexican Norm; NTP - National Toxicology Program; NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals; OECD - Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development; OPPTS - Office of Chemical Safety and Pollution Prevention; PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic substance; PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances; (Q)SAR - (Quantitative) Structure Activity Relationship; REACH - Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals; SADT - Self-Accelerating Decomposition Temperature; SDS - Safety Data Sheet; TCSI - Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory; TDG - Transportation of Dangerous Goods; TECI - Thailand Existing Chemicals Inventory; TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act (United States); UN - United Nations; UNRTDG - United Nations Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods; vPvB - Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative; WHMIS - Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System

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