

## SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

### 1.1 Product identifier

**Product name**

PH Plus

**Product code**

[v.2.3], A33484, A31125, A31052, A33472, A33473

**UFI:**

F4JA-6CCD-Q003-1FJA

<https://my.chemius.net/p/NnMZpY/en/pd/en>

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

**Relevant identified uses**

Acidity regulator.

**Uses advised against**

Do not use for purposes other than those prescribed.

### 1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

**Manufacturer**

Bertels B.V.

Ommelpad 2

6035 PC Ospel, The Netherlands

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### 1.4 Emergency Telephone Number

**Emergency**

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**Manufacturer**

31 (0)495 63 15 59

## SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

**Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 (CLP)**

Met. Corr. 1; H290 May be corrosive to metals.

Acute Tox. 4; H302 Harmful if swallowed.

Skin Corr. 1A; H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

### 2.2 Label elements

**Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 (CLP)****Signal word: DANGER**

H290 May be corrosive to metals.

H302 Harmful if swallowed.

H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

P102 Keep out of reach of children.

P234 Keep only in original packaging.

P270 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.  
P301 + P330 + P331 IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.  
P303 + P361 + P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water or shower.  
P405 Store locked up.  
P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with national regulation.

**Contains:**  
potassium hydroxide

2.3 Other hazards

**PBT/vPvB**  
The substances in the product are not classified as persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT) or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB).

**Endocrine disrupting properties**

The mixture does not contain substance(s) included in the list established in accordance with Article 59 of REACH for having endocrine disrupting properties, or substance(s) identified as having endocrine disrupting properties in accordance with the criteria set out in Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605.

**Additional information**  
No information.

SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

3.1 Substances  
For mixtures see 3.2.

3.2 Mixtures

Name	CAS EC Index Reach	%	Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 (CLP)	Specific Concentration Limits	Notes for substances
potassium hydroxide	1310-58-3 215-181-3 019-002-00-8 01-2119487136-33	25-30	Met. Corr. 1; H290 Acute Tox. 4; H302 Skin Corr. 1A; H314	Skin Corr. 1A; H314; C ≥ 5% Skin Corr. 1B; H314; 2% ≤ C < 5% Skin Irrit. 2; H315; 0.5% ≤ C < 2% Eye Irrit. 2; H319; 0.5% ≤ C < 2%	/

SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

4.1 Description of first aid measures

**General notes**  
Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Place patient in recovery position and ensure airway patency. When in doubt or if feeling unwell seek medical assistance. Show the safety data sheet and label to the physician. No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training. It may be dangerous to the person providing aid to give mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. When it is suspected, that there may still be harmful vapours/fumes present in the air, respiratory protection (mask; self contained breathing apparatus) must be used. Wash contaminated clothing with water before removing or use gloves.

**Following inhalation**  
Remove patient to fresh air - move out of dangerous area. In case of unconsciousness bring patient into stable side position and seek medical attention. If breathing is irregular or respiratory arrest occurs provide artificial respiration. Keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Seek medical help immediately.

**Following skin contact**  
Take off all contaminated clothing. Areas of the body that have come into contact with the product must be rinsed with water. Immediately obtain professional medical help!

**Following eye contact**

<p>Immediately flush eyes with running water, keeping eyelids apart. After 5 minutes of rinsing, remove contact lenses, if present, and continue rinsing. Consult a physician immediately!</p> <p><b>Following ingestion</b></p> <p>Do not induce vomiting! Rinse mouth thoroughly with water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Immediately consult a doctor. Show the physician the safety data sheet or label.</p>
<p>4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed</p> <p><b>Following inhalation</b></p> <p>Excessive exposure to spray mist, fog, or vapours may cause respiratory irritation.</p> <p><b>Following skin contact</b></p> <p>Skin burns: Signs/symptoms may include localised redness, swelling, itching, dryness, blistering.</p> <p><b>Following eye contact</b></p> <p>Redness, pain, burning sensation, tearing, can cause permanent damage to the eyes.</p> <p><b>Following ingestion</b></p> <p>May cause nausea/vomiting and diarrhea. May cause abdominal discomfort. If ingested, may cause burns of the mouth and throat, as well as perforation of the esophagus and stomach. Harmful to health.</p>
<p>4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed</p> <p>Treat symptomatically.</p>

## SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

<p>5.1 Extinguishing media</p> <p><b>Suitable extinguishing media</b></p> <p>Carbon dioxide. Dry chemical powder. Water spray. Alcohol resistant foam. Product itself is not flammable.</p> <p><b>Unsuitable extinguishing media</b></p> <p>Full water jet.</p>
<p>5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture</p> <p><b>Hazardous combustion products</b></p> <p>In case of a fire toxic gases can be generated; do not inhale gases/smoke.</p>
<p>5.3 Advice for firefighters</p> <p><b>Protective actions</b></p> <p>In case of fire or heating do not breathe fumes/vapours. No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training.</p> <p><b>Special protective equipment for fire-fighters</b></p> <p>Firefighters should wear appropriate protective clothing for firefighters (including helmets, protective boots and gloves) (BS EN 469) and self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) with a full face-piece (BS EN 137).</p> <p><b>Additional information</b></p> <p>Contaminated firefighting water and fire residues must be disposed of in accordance with the local regulations.</p>

## SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

<p>6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures</p> <p><b>For non-emergency personnel</b></p> <p><b>Protective equipment</b></p> <p>Use personal protective equipment (Section 8).</p> <p><b>Precautionary measures</b></p> <p>Ensure adequate ventilation.</p> <p><b>Emergency procedures</b></p> <p>No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training. Prevent access to unprotected personnel. Evacuate the danger zone. Do not breathe vapour or mist. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing.</p> <p><b>For emergency responders</b></p> <p>Use personal protective equipment.</p>
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**6.2 Environmental precautions**  
Do not allow product to reach water/drains/sewage systems or permeable soil. In case of release into the environment, inform the relevant authorities.

**6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up**

**For containment**  
Stem the spill if this does not pose risks.

**For cleaning up**  
Absorb product (with inert material), collect it in special container and dispose it to a licensed hazardous-waste disposal contractor. Prevent release into the sewer, water, basements or confined areas. Ventilate the premises. Clean contaminated area with plenty of water.

**Other information**  
No information.

**6.4 Reference to other sections**  
See also sections 8 and 13.

SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

**7.1 Precautions for safe handling**

**Protective measures**

**Measures to prevent fire**  
Ensure adequate ventilation.

**Measures to prevent aerosol and dust generation**  
Use general or local exhaust ventilation to prevent inhaling vapours and aerosols.

**Measures to protect the environment**  
Do not discharge into drains, surface water and soil. After use immediately close container tightly.

**Other measures**  
No information.

**Advice on general occupational hygiene**  
Keep out of reach of children. Use good personal hygiene practices – wash hands at breaks and when done working with material. Do not eat, drink or smoke while working. Do not breathe vapours/mist. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothes. Remove contaminated clothes and wash them before reuse. Wear suitable protective equipment; see Section 8.

**7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**

**Technical measures and storage conditions**  
Keep in a locked place. Keep in a cool, dry and well ventilated place. Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs. Keep away from acids.

**Packaging materials**  
Store only in original container.

**Requirements for storage rooms and vessels**  
Close opened containers after use. Put the containers upright to prevent from leaking. Do not store in unlabelled containers.

**Storage temperature**  
0 - 35 °C

**Storage class**  
No information.

**Further information on storage conditions**  
No information.

**7.3 Specific end use(s)**

**Recommendations**  
No information.

**Industrial sector specific solutions**  
No information.

SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

8.1 Control parameters  
Occupational Exposure limit values

Name	mg/m <sup>3</sup>	ml/m <sup>3</sup>	Short-term value mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Short-term value ml/m <sup>3</sup>	Remark	Biological Tolerance Values
potassium hydroxide	2	/	/	/	/	/
potassium hydroxide	2	/	/	/	/	/
Potassium hydroxide (1310-58-3)	/	/	2	/	/	/

**Information on monitoring procedures**  
BS EN 14042:2003 Workplace atmospheres. Guide for the application and use of procedures for the assessment of exposure to chemical and biological agents. BS EN 689:2018 Workplace exposure. Measurement of exposure by inhalation to chemical agents. Strategy for testing compliance with occupational exposure limit values. BS EN 482:2021 Workplace exposure. Procedures for the determination of the concentration of chemical agents. Basic performance requirements.

DNEL/DMEL values

**For product**  
No information.

**For components**

Name	Type	Exposure route	exp. frequency	Remark	Value
potassium hydroxide	Worker	inhalation	long term local effects	/	1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
potassium hydroxide	Consumer	inhalation	long term local effects	/	1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

PNEC values

**For product**  
No information.

**For components**  
No information.

8.2 Exposure controls  
Appropriate engineering control

**Substance/mixture related measures to prevent exposure during identified uses**  
Use good personal hygiene practices – wash hands at breaks and when done working with material. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothes. Do not eat, drink or smoke while working. Do not breathe vapours/aerosols.

**Structural measures to prevent exposure**  
No information.

**Organisational measures to prevent exposure**  
Remove all contaminated clothes immediately and wash them before reuse. Keep eyewash bottles or personal eyewash units and emergency showers available.

**Technical measures to prevent exposure**  
Provide good ventilation and local exhaust in areas with increased concentration. Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs.

**Personal protective equipment**  
**Eye and face protection**  
Wear tight fitting protective goggles and/or face protection (EN 166).  
**Hand protection**

Protective gloves (EN ISO 374-1:2016). Observe the manufacturer's instructions regarding the use, storage, maintenance and replacement of gloves. In case of damage or at the first signs of wear and tear, change the gloves immediately. 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. The penetration time is determined by the protective glove manufacturer and must be observed.

**Appropriate materials**

**Skin protection**  
Cotton protective clothing and shoes that cover the entire foot (EN ISO 20345:2022). At high risk of skin exposure chemical suits (BS EN 13034:2005+A1:2009) and boots may be required (BS EN ISO 20345:2022+A1:2024).

**Respiratory protection**  
In case of insufficient ventilation wear suitable respiratory protection. Wear suitable protective breathing mask (EN 136) with filter A2-P2 (EN 14387). For dust/gas/ vapor concentrations above the applicable filter limit, in case of oxygen concentrations below 17% or in vague conditions, autonomous self-contained breathing apparatus should be used, according to standard BS EN 137, BS EN 138.

**Thermal hazards**  
No information.

**Environmental exposure controls**

**Substance/mixture related measures to prevent exposure**  
No information.

**Instruction measures to prevent exposure**  
No information.

**Organisational measures to prevent exposure**  
No information.

**Technical measures to prevent exposure**  
Do not allow product to reach drains, sewage systems or ground water.

SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties  
Important health, safety and environmental information

Physical state	liquid
Shape	No information.
Colour	colourless
Odour	odourless
Odour threshold	No information.
Melting/freezing point or softening point	No information.
Boiling point or initial boiling point and boiling range	No information.
Flammability	No information.
Lower and upper explosion limit	No information.
Flash point	No information.
Auto-ignition temperature	No information.
Decomposition temperature	No information.
pH	> 14, conc. 100 %
Viscosity	No information.
Solubility (Organic solvent)	Completely soluble
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (log value)	No information.
Vapour pressure	No information.

Relative density	1.2 — 1.32 g/ml
Relative vapour/gas density	No information.
Particle characteristics	No information.

9.2 Other information

**Information with regard to physical hazard classes**

No information.

**Other safety characteristics**

No information.

SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

- 10.1 Reactivity
- Exothermic reaction with water. May be corrosive to metals.
- 10.2 Chemical stability
- Hygroscopic. Absorbs carbon dioxide from the air.
- 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions
- Exothermic reaction with water. Reacts violently with combustible materials: risk of spontaneous ignition. With (some) metals and their compounds. With (some) acids/bases. With organic material. With oxygen compounds. With (strong) reducers. Reacts with (some) metals: release of highly flammable gases/vapours (hydrogen).
- 10.4 Conditions to avoid
- No special precautions required. Consider the directions for use and storage.
- 10.5 Incompatible materials
- Strong oxidising agents.  
Acids. Flammable material.  
Metals. Halogens. Organic material.
- 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products
- In case of fire/explosion vapours/gases that pose a health hazard are released.

SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

11.1 Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

(a) Acute toxicity

For components

Name	Exposure route	Type	Species	Time	Value	Method	Remark
potassium hydroxide	oral	LD <sub>50</sub>	rat	/	273 mg/kg	/	RTECS

Additional information

Harmful if swallowed.

(b) Skin corrosion/irritation

For components

Name	Species	Time	result	Method	Remark
potassium hydroxide	/	/	Corrosive	/	/

Additional information

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

(c) Serious eye damage/irritation

For components

Name	Exposure route	Species	Time	result	Method	Remark
potassium hydroxide	/	/	/	Very corrosive.	/	/

(d) Respiratory or skin sensitisation

For components

Name	Exposure route	Species	Time	result	Method	Remark
potassium hydroxide	-	/	/	Non sensitising.	/	/

Additional information

The product is not classified as sensitising.

(e) (Germ cell) mutagenicity

For components

Name	Type	Species	Time	result	Method	Remark
potassium hydroxide	/	/	/	Not mutagenic.	/	/

(f) Carcinogenicity

For components

Name	Exposure route	Type	Species	Time	Value	result	Method	Remark
potassium hydroxide	/	/	/	/	/	Not carcinogenic.	/	/

(g) Reproductive toxicity

For components

Name	Reproductive toxicity type	Type	Species	Time	Value	result	Method	Remark
potassium hydroxide	/	/	/	/	/	Not toxic for reproduction.	/	/

Summary of evaluation of the CMR properties

The product is not classified as carcinogenic, mutagenic or toxic for reproduction.

(h) STOT-single exposure

For components

Name	Exposure route	Type	Species	Time	Exposure	organ	Value	result	Method	Remark
potassium hydroxide	-	-	/	/	/	/	/	Not classified as toxic.	/	/

Additional information

STOT SE (single exposure): Not classified.

(i) STOT-repeated exposure

For components

Name	Exposure route	Type	Species	Time	Exposure	organ	Value	result	Method	Remark
potassium hydroxide	-	-	/	/	/	/	/	Not classified as toxic.	/	/

Additional information

STOT RE (repeated exposure): Not classified.

(j) Aspiration hazard

No information.

Additional information

Aspiration hazard: Not classified.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

No information.

Interactive effects

No information.

11.2 Information on other hazards

Endocrine disrupting properties

The product does not contain substances with the potential for endocrine disorders.

Other information

No information.

SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

12.1 Toxicity

Acute (short-term) toxicity

For components

Name	Type	Value	Exposure time	Species	Organism	Method	Remark
potassium hydroxide	LC <sub>50</sub>	80 mg/L	96 h	fish	Gambusia affinis	/	IUCLID

Chronic (long-term) toxicity

For components

Name	Type	Value	Exposure time	Species	Organism	Method	Remark
potassium hydroxide	NOEC	56 mg/l	96 h	fish	/	/	/

12.2 Persistence and degradability

Abiotic degradation, physical- and photo-chemical elimination

No information.

Biodegradation

For components

Name	Type	Rate	Time	Evaluation	Method	Remark
potassium hydroxide	-	/	/	Non-biodegradable	/	/

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (log value)

For components

Name	Value	Temperature °C	pH	Concentration	Method
potassium hydroxide	0.65	/	/	/	/

Bioconcentration factor (BCF)

For components

Name	Species	Organism	Value	Duration	Evaluation	Method	Remark
potassium hydroxide	bioaccumulation	/	/	/	unlikely	/	/

**Additional information**  
No bioaccumulation potential.

12.4 Mobility in soil  
**Known or predicted distribution to environmental compartments**  
No information.

**Surface tension**  
No information.

**Adsorption/Desorption**  
**For components**

Name	Type	Criterion	Value	Evaluation	Method	Remark
potassium hydroxide	Water	/	/	Soluble.	/	/

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment  
The components in this product do not meet the criteria for classification as PBT or vPvB.

12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties  
**For product**  
The mixture does not contain substance(s) included in the list established in accordance with Article 59 of REACH for having endocrine disrupting properties, or substance(s) identified as having endocrine disrupting properties in accordance with the criteria set out in Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605.

12.7 Other adverse effects  
No information.





12.8 Additional information  
**For product**  
Product is not classified as dangerous for environment. Do not allow to reach ground water, water courses or sewage system. Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities of it to reach ground water, water bodies or sewage system.  
**For components**  
**potassium hydroxide**  
Harmful to aquatic organisms. May cause long term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

13.1 Waste treatment methods  
**Product / Packaging disposal**  
**Waste chemical**  
Do not allow product to reach drains/sewage systems. Disposal must be made according to official regulations: deliver it to authorised collector/remover/transformer of hazardous waste.  
**Waste codes / waste designations according to LoW**  
06 02 04\* - sodium and potassium hydroxide  
**Packaging**  
Deliver completely emptied containers to approved waste disposal authorities. Uncleaned containers are classified as hazardous waste - they should be handled in the same manner as the contents.  
**Waste codes / waste designations according to LoW**  
15 01 10\* - packaging containing residues of or contaminated by dangerous substances  
**Waste treatment-relevant information**  
No information.  
**Sewage disposal-relevant information**  
No information.

Other disposal recommendations  
No information.

SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

ADR/RID	IMDG	IATA	ADN
14.1 UN number or ID number			
UN 1814	UN 1814	UN 1814	UN 1814
14.2 UN proper shipping name			
POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION	POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION	POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION	POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION
14.3 Transport hazard class(es)			
8	8	8	8
			
14.4 Packing group			
II	II	II	II
14.5 Environmental hazards			
NO	NO	NO	NO
14.6 Special precautions for user			
Limited quantities 1 L Packing Instructions P001, IBC02 Transport category 2 Tunnel restriction code (E) Classification code C5	Limited quantities 1 L EmS F-A, S-B	Limited Quantity, Packing Instructions (Ltd Qty, Pkg Inst) Y840 Limited Quantity, Maximum Net Quantity/Package (Ltd Qty, Max Net Qty/Pkg) 0.5 L Packing Instructions (Pkg Inst) 851 Maximum Net Quantity/Package (Max Net Qty/Pkg) 1 L Cargo Aircraft Only, Packing Instructions (CAO, Pkg Inst) 855 Cargo Aircraft Only, Maximum Net Quantity/Package (CAO, Max Net Qty/Pkg) 30 L Special provisions A3 Excepted quantities E2 ERG code 8L	Limited quantities 1 L
14.7 Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments			

ADR/RID	IMDG	IATA	ADN
	Goods may not be carried in bulk in bulk containers, containers or vehicles.		

SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

- 15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture
- Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH) (including last amendment Commission Regulation (EU) 2020/878)
  - Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures

**Information according 2004/42/EC about limitation of emissions of volatile organic compounds (VOC-guideline)**  
not applicable

**Ingredients according to Regulation (EC) No 648/2004 on detergents**  
No information.

**Special instructions**  
Observe the regulations on employment and protection against dangerous substances for young people, pregnant women and nursing mothers.

- 15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment  
No Chemical Safety Assessment has been carried out for this substance/mixture by the supplier.

SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

**Indication of changes**  
8.1 Control parameters 11.1 Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 12.1 Toxicity 12.2 Persistence and degradability 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential 12.4 Mobility in soil

**Key literature references and sources for data**  
No information.

**Abbreviations and acronyms**  
ATE - Acute Toxicity Estimate  
ADR - Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road  
ADN - European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways  
CEN - European Committee for Standardisation  
C&L - Classification and Labelling  
CLP - Classification Labelling Packaging Regulation; Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008  
CAS# - Chemical Abstracts Service number  
CMR - Carcinogen, Mutagen, or Reproductive Toxicant  
CSA - Chemical Safety Assessment  
CSR - Chemical Safety Report  
DMEL - Derived Minimal Effect Level  
DNEL - Derived No Effect Level  
DPD - Dangerous Preparations Directive 1999/45/EC  
DSD - Dangerous Substances Directive 67/548/EEC  
DU - Downstream User  
EC - European Community  
ECHA - European Chemicals Agency  
EC-Number - EINECS and ELINCS Number (see also EINECS and ELINCS)  
EEA - European Economic Area (EU + Iceland, Liechtenstein and Norway)  
EEC - European Economic Community  
EINECS - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Substances  
ELINCS - European List of notified Chemical Substances  
EN - European Standard  
EQS - Environmental Quality Standard  
EU - European Union

Euphrac - European Phrase Catalogue

EWC - European Waste Catalogue (replaced by LoW – see below)

GES - Generic Exposure Scenario

GHS - Globally Harmonized System

IATA - International Air Transport Association

ICAO-TI - Technical Instructions for the Safe Transport of Dangerous Goods by Air

IMDG - International Maritime Dangerous Goods

IMSBC - International Maritime Solid Bulk Cargoes

IT - Information Technology

IUCLID - International Uniform Chemical Information Database

IUPAC - International Union for Pure Applied Chemistry

JRC - Joint Research Centre

Kow - octanol-water partition coefficient

LC50 - Lethal Concentration to 50 % of a test population

LD50 - Lethal Dose to 50% of a test population (Median Lethal Dose)

LE - Legal Entity

LoW - List of Wastes (see <http://ec.europa.eu/environment/waste/framework/list.htm>)

LR - Lead Registrant

M/I - Manufacturer / Importer

MS - Member States

MSDS - Material Safety Data Sheet

OC - Operational Conditions

OECD - Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development

OEL - Occupational Exposure Limit

OJ - Official Journal

OR - Only Representative

OSHA - European Agency for Safety and Health at work

PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic substance

PEC - Predicted Effect Concentration

PNEC(s) - Predicted No Effect Concentration(s)

PPE - Personal Protection Equipment

(Q)SAR - Qualitative Structure Activity Relationship

REACH - Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006)

RID - Regulations concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail

RIP - REACH Implementation Project

RMM - Risk Management Measure

SCBA - Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus

SDS - Safety data sheet

SIEF - Substance Information Exchange Forum

SME - Small and Medium sized Enterprises

STOT - Specific Target Organ Toxicity

(STOT) RE - Repeated Exposure

(STOT) SE - Single Exposure

SVHC - Substances of Very High Concern

UN - United Nations

vPvB - Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative

#### List of relevant H phrases

H290 May be corrosive to metals.

H302 Harmful if swallowed.

H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H315 Causes skin irritation.

H319 Causes serious eye irritation.