

Safety data sheet
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1 Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

- **1.1. Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** DOWEX(R) 50 WX8 (200-400 mesh)
- **Article number:** 41631
- **1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against -**
- **1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**
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- **Information department:** Product Safety department Tel.: +49 6221 13840-35
- **1.4. Emergency telephone number:** +49 6131 19240 (university hospital Mainz)

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2 Hazards identification

- **2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture**
- **Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**
The substance is not classified according to the CLP regulation.
- **Classification according to Directive 67/548/EEC or Directive 1999/45/EC not applicable**
- **Classification system:**
The classification was made according to the latest editions of the EU-lists, and expanded upon from company and literature data.
- **2.2. Label elements**
- **Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008** Void
- **Hazard pictograms** Void
- **Signal word** Void
- **Hazard statements** Void
- **2.3. Other hazards**
- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.

3 Composition/information on ingredients

- **3.1. Chemical characterization: Substances**
- **CAS No. Description:**
DOWEX(R) 50WX8
- **Identification number(s):** ---

4 First aid measures

- **4.1. Description of first aid measures**
- **General information** No special measures required.
- **After inhalation** Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of complaints.
- **After skin contact** Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.
- **After eye contact** Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water.
- **After swallowing** If symptoms persist consult doctor.

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- **Information for doctor**
- **4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**
No further relevant information available.
- **4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**
No further relevant information available.

5 Firefighting measures

- **5.1. Extinguishing media**
- **Suitable extinguishing agents**
CO₂, extinguishing powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.
- **5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**
In case of fire, the following can be released:
Sulphur dioxide (SO₂)
Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide
- **5.3. Advice for firefighters**
- **Protective equipment:** Wear self-contained respiratory protective device.

6 Accidental release measures

- **6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures** Wear protective clothing.
- **6.2. Environmental precautions:** No special measures required.
- **6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:** Pick up mechanically.
- **6.4. Reference to other sections** No dangerous substances are released.

7 Handling and storage

- **Handling**
- **7.1. Precautions for safe handling** No special measures required.
- **Information about protection against explosions and fires:** No special measures required.
- **7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **Storage**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** No special requirements.
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.
- **Further information about storage conditions:** None.
- **7.3. Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

8 Exposure controls/personal protection

- **Additional information about design of technical systems:** No further data; see item 7.
- **8.1. Control parameters**
- **Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:** Not required.
- **Additional information:** The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.
- **8.2. Exposure controls**
- **Personal protective equipment**
- **General protective and hygienic measures**
The usual precautionary measures should be adhered to when handling chemicals.
- **Breathing equipment:** Not required.
- **Protection of hands:** Protective gloves.
- **Material of gloves**
Natural rubber, NR

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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.

- **For the permanent contact of a maximum of 15 minutes gloves made of the following materials are suitable:**

Nitrile rubber, NBR

· **Eye protection:** Safety glasses

· **Body protection:** Protective work clothing.

9 Physical and chemical properties

· 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

· General Information

· Appearance:

Form: Granulate

Colour: Beige

· Odour: Odourless

· Change in condition

Melting point/Melting range: undetermined

Boiling point/Boiling range: undetermined

· Flash point: Not applicable

· Flammability (solid, gaseous) Product is not flammable.

· Danger of explosion: Product does not present an explosion hazard.

· Density: Not determined

· Solubility in / Miscibility with

Water: Insoluble

· 9.2. Other information No further relevant information available.

10 Stability and reactivity

· 10.1. Reactivity

· 10.2. Chemical stability

· **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.

· **10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions** Reacts with strong oxidizing agents

· **10.4. Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.

· **10.5. Incompatible materials:** No further relevant information available.

· 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products:

Hydrocarbons

Sulphur oxides (SO_x)

11 Toxicological information

· 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

· Acute toxicity:

· Primary irritant effect:

· **on the skin:** No irritant effect.

· **on the eye:** No irritating effect.

· **Sensitization:** No sensitizing effects known.

· Additional toxicological information:

When used and handled according to specifications, the product does not have any harmful effects according to our experience and the information provided to us.

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The substance is not subject to classification according to the latest version of the EU lists.

12 Ecological information

- **12.1. Toxicity**
- **Acquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.
- **12.2. Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.
- **Behaviour in environmental systems:**
- **12.3. Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.
- **12.4. Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.
- **Additional ecological information:**
- **General notes:** Not known to be hazardous to water.
- **12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** PBT - assessment not available.
- **vPvB:** vPvB - assessment not available.
- **12.6. Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.

13 Disposal considerations

- **13.1. Waste treatment methods**
- **Recommendation** Smaller quantities can be disposed of with household waste.
- **Uncleaned packagings:**
- **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

14 Transport information

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| · 14.1. UN-Number · ADR, IMDG, IATA | Void |
| · 14.2. UN proper shipping name · ADR, IMDG, IATA | Void |
| · 14.3. Transport hazard class(es) · ADR, IMDG, IATA · Class | Void |
| · 14.4. Packing group · ADR, IMDG, IATA | Void |
| · 14.5. Environmental hazards: | Not applicable. |
| · 14.6. Special precautions for user | Not applicable. |
| · 14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code | Not applicable. |
| · Transport/Additional information: | Not dangerous according to the above specifications. |

15 Regulatory information

- **15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**
- **National regulations**
- **Water hazard class:** Generally not hazardous for water.

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

· Department issuing MSDS: Product safety department**· Contact:** +49 6221 13840-35**· Abbreviations and acronyms:***PBT: persistent, bioaccumulative, toxic substance (REACH)**vPvB: very persistent, very bioaccumulative substance (REACH)**REACH: Regulation concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals**CLP: Regulation on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures**ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)**RID: Règlement international concernant le transport des marchandises dangereuses par chemin de fer (Regulations Concerning the International Transport of Dangerous Goods by Rail)**IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods**IATA: International Air Transport Association**ICAO: International Civil Aviation Organization**GHS: Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals**CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)***· * Data compared to the previous version altered.**

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