

SECTION 1 Identification**1.1. Product identifier**

Product form : Mixture
Product name : RETAIN
Product code : 923

1.2. Other means of identification

No additional information available

1.3. Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Use of the substance/mixture : Laundry starch
Restrictions on use : For professional use only

1.4. Supplier's details

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311 Staton Road
Greenville, NC 27834
USA
T 252-756-8616 / 800.869.6171
info@christeyns.us - www.christeyns.com

1.5. Emergency phone number

Emergency number : VELOCITY EHS (800) 255-3924 (24 HOURS)
(For use only in the event of emergencies involving a spill, leak, fire, exposure, or accident involving chemicals)

SECTION 2 Hazard Identification**2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture****GHS US classification**

Not classified

2.2. Label elements**GHS US labeling**

No labeling applicable

SECTION 3 Composition/information on ingredients**3.1. Substances**

Not applicable

3.2. Mixtures

Name	Product identifier	%
Polyvinyl acetate	CAS-No.: 9003-20-7	65 - 85

Full text of hazard classes and H-statements : see section 16

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SECTION 4 First aid measures

4.1. Description of necessary first-aid measures

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| First-aid measures after inhalation | : Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Treat symptomatically. Get medical attention if symptoms occur. |
| First-aid measures after skin contact | : Rinse skin with plenty of water or shower. If irritation persists, get medical attention. |
| First-aid measures after eye contact | : Rinse cautiously with water for 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If irritation persists, get medical attention. |
| First-aid measures after ingestion | : Rinse mouth with water if the person is conscious. Do not induce vomiting unless directed by medical personnel. Get medical attention if you feel unwell. |

4.2. Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed

No additional information available

4.3. Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed, if necessary

No additional information available

SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures

5.1. Suitable (and unsuitable) extinguishing media

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| Suitable extinguishing media | : Use extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding fire. |
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5.2. Specific hazards arising from the chemical

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| Fire hazard | : Decomposition products may include carbon oxides. |
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5.3. Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters

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| Firefighting instructions | : Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed containers. In case of fire, do not breathe fumes. Move containers from the fire area if you can do so without risk. Prevent firefighting water from entering the environment. |
| Protection during firefighting | : Wear a self-contained breathing apparatus. Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. |

SECTION 6 Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

For non-emergency personnel

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| Protective equipment | : For spills or leaks, contact a supervisor and/or emergency responder. Avoid contact with spilled material and keep unnecessary personnel away. |
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For emergency responders

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| Protective equipment | : See Section 8 for recommended personal protective equipment. Ventilate the area and restrict access to the spill or leak zone. Have emergency procedures in place for treating exposures or incidents. Only trained and authorized personnel equipped with proper protective equipment should perform cleanup. |
| Environmental precautions | : Avoid release onto the ground, into storm sewers, or bodies of water. |

6.2. Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

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| Methods for cleaning up | : Stop leak if safe to do so. Contain spillage, soak up with non-combustible absorbent material (e.g. sand, earth, diatomaceous earth, vermiculite) and collect all waste in suitable, labeled, and closed containers. Dispose according to local legislation (See Section 13). |
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SECTION 7 Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling : Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practices. Use only with adequate ventilation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes, and clothing. Use appropriate personal protection equipment (PPE). Wash thoroughly after handling.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including incompatibilities

Storage conditions : Store upright in a tightly closed, suitably labeled container. Store in a dry, cool, well-ventilated area with appropriate designated containment measures. Keep out of reach of children. Have readily available spill kits with appropriate absorbent materials. Protect from sunlight. Store in original labeled containers.

Incompatible products : Never mix with other materials.

SECTION 8 Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

No additional information available

8.2. Appropriate engineering controls

Appropriate engineering controls : Maintain airborne levels below exposure limit requirements or guidelines. If there are no applicable guidelines, use only with adequate ventilation. Eye wash facilities and emergency showers must be available when handling this product.

8.3. Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Hand protection:

Chemical resistant PVC gloves

Eye protection:

Safety glasses with side shields.

SECTION 9 Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	: Liquid
Color	: White
Odor	: Blueberry
Odor threshold	: No data available
pH	: 3.6 – 5.6
Melting point	: No data available
Freezing point	: No data available
Boiling point	: No data available
Flash point	: > 200 °F
Flammability (solid, gas)	: No data available
Vapor pressure	: No data available
Relative vapor density at 20°C	: No data available
Relative density	: 8.971 lb/gal
Solubility	: No data available

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Log Pow	: No data available
Autoignition temperature	: No data available
Decomposition temperature	: No data available
Viscosity, kinematic	: No data available
Explosion limits	: No data available
Particle characteristics	: No data available

Polyvinyl acetate

Particle characteristics	No data available
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9.2. Data relevant with regard to physical hazard classes (supplemental)

No additional information available

SECTION 10 Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

Not reactive under normal conditions of use, storage, and transport.

10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage and handling conditions. Avoid contamination or exposure to extreme temperatures.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Gas release or exothermic reactions may occur if mixed with incompatible materials.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Avoid contact with incompatible materials, heat, and direct sunlight. Avoid mixing with other cleaning products.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Incompatible with strong oxidizing agents, strong acids, and strong bases.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Thermal decomposition may produce carbon oxides (CO, CO₂) and minor irritating vapors.

SECTION 11 Toxicological information

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity (oral)	: Not classified
Acute toxicity (dermal)	: Not classified
Acute toxicity (inhalation)	: Not classified

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LD50 oral rat	25000 mg/kg Source: Corporate Solution From Thomson Micromedex
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Skin corrosion/irritation	: Not classified pH: 3.6 – 5.6
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Serious eye damage/irritation	: Not classified pH: 3.6 – 5.6
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Respiratory or skin sensitization	: Not classified
Germ cell mutagenicity	: Not classified

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Carcinogenicity : Not classified

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IARC group	3 - Not classifiable
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Reproductive toxicity : Not classified

STOT-single exposure : Not classified

STOT-repeated exposure : Not classified

Aspiration hazard : Not classified

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Viscosity, kinematic	No data available
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Viscosity, kinematic	No data available
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SECTION 12 Ecological information

12.1. Ecotoxicity

Hazardous to the aquatic environment, short-term (acute) : Not classified

Hazardous to the aquatic environment, long-term (chronic) : Not classified

12.2. Persistence and degradability

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Persistence and degradability	Not rapidly degradable
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Persistence and degradability	Not rapidly degradable
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12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

No additional information available

12.4. Mobility in soil

No additional information available

12.5. Other adverse effects

No additional information available

SECTION 13 Disposal considerations

Regional legislation (waste) : Avoid unauthorized disposal. Do not dump into any body of water. Comply with federal, state/provincial and local laws/regulations. Do not reuse empty containers.

Waste treatment methods : Do not allow the product to contaminate any body of water. Refer to Section 8 for personal protection equipment.

SECTION 14 Transport information

In accordance with DOT

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DOT	
14.1. UN number	
Not regulated for transport	
14.2. Proper Shipping Name	
Not regulated	
14.3. Transport hazard class(es)	
Not regulated	
14.4. Packing group	
Not regulated	
14.5. Environmental hazards	
Not regulated	
No supplementary information available	

14.6. Transport in bulk

Not applicable

14.7. Special precautions for user

DOT

Not regulated

SECTION 15 Regulatory information

15.1. Federal regulations

All components of this product are present and listed as Active on the United States Environmental Protection Agency Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) inventory

This product or mixture is not known to contain a toxic chemical or chemicals in excess of the applicable de minimis concentration as specified in 40 CFR §372.38(a) subject to the reporting requirements of section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 and 40 CFR Part 372.

15.2. International regulations

No additional information available

15.3. State regulations

California Proposition 65 - This product does not contain any substances known to the state of California to cause cancer, developmental and/or reproductive harm

SECTION 16 Other information

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