



# Safety Data Sheet

according to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006

## POWER steamer descaler

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### SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

#### 1.1. Product identifier

POWER steamer descaler

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

##### Use of the substance/mixture

Descaling solution

##### Uses advised against

No information available.

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

Company name: Renfert GmbH  
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Place: D-78247 Hilzingen  
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Internet: www.renfer.com

#### 1.4. Emergency telephone number:

IRL: 01 809 2566 (Healthcare Professionals) | GB: 0044 151 951 3317 (Health and Safety Executive (HSE) Chemicals)

### SECTION 2: Hazards identification

#### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

##### Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Skin Corr. 1B; H314  
Eye Dam. 1; H318

Full text of hazard statements: see SECTION 16.

#### 2.2. Label elements

##### Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

##### Hazard components for labelling

formic acid

Signal word: Danger

Pictograms:



##### Hazard statements

H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

##### Precautionary statements

P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing and eye protection/face protection.  
P303+P361+P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water or shower.  
P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.  
P310 Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.

#### 2.3. Other hazards

This product does not contain a substance that has endocrine disrupting properties with respect to humans as no components meets the criteria.

The substances in the mixture do not meet the PBT/vPvB criteria according to REACH, annex XIII.

### SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

#### 3.2. Mixtures

Chemical characterization  
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### Relevant ingredients

CAS No	Chemical name	Quantity
	EC No	
	Index No	
	REACH No	
	Classification (Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008)	
64-18-6	formic acid	15 - < 20 %
	200-579-1	607-001-00-0
		01-2119491174-37
	Flam. Liq. 3, Met. Corr. 1, Acute Tox. 3, Acute Tox. 4, Skin Corr. 1A, Eye Dam. 1; H226 H290 H331 H302 H314 H318	

Full text of H and EUH statements: see section 16.

### Specific Conc. Limits, M-factors and ATE

CAS No	EC No	Chemical name	Quantity
		Specific Conc. Limits, M-factors and ATE	
64-18-6	200-579-1	formic acid	15 - < 20 %
		inhalation: LC50 = 7,4 mg/l (vapours); inhalation: ATE = 0,5 mg/l (dusts or mists); oral: LD50 = 500 mg/kg Skin Corr. 1A; H314: >= 90 - 100 Skin Corr. 1B; H314: >= 10 - < 90 Skin Irrit. 2; H315: >= 2 - < 10 Eye Dam. 1; H318: >= 10 - 100 Eye Irrit. 2; H319: >= 2 - < 10	

## SECTION 4: First aid measures

### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

#### General information

Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

#### After inhalation

Provide fresh air. IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

#### After contact with skin

IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water or shower.

In case of skin irritation, consult a physician.

#### After contact with eyes

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

#### After ingestion

IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

Call a physician immediately.

### 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

### 4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Immediate medical treatment required because corrosive injuries that are not treated are hard to cure.

Treat symptomatically.

## SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

### 5.1. Extinguishing media

#### Suitable extinguishing media

The product itself does not burn. Co-ordinate fire-fighting measures to the fire surroundings.

### 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Thermal decomposition can lead to the escape of irritating gases and vapours.

### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

Do not inhale explosion and combustion gases.

In case of fire: Wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

### 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

#### General advice

Use personal protection equipment.

Wear breathing apparatus if exposed to vapours/dusts/aerosols.

Provide adequate ventilation.

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Do not allow to enter into surface water or drains.

### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

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### Other information

Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomaceous earth, acid- or universal binding agents). Treat the recovered material as prescribed in the section on waste disposal.

### 6.4. Reference to other sections

Safe handling: see section 7

Personal protection equipment: see section 8

Disposal: see section 13

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

#### Advice on safe handling

Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothes.  
Handle and open container with care.  
Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.  
Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

#### Advice on protection against fire and explosion

No special fire protection measures are necessary.

#### Advice on general occupational hygiene

Remove contaminated, saturated clothing immediately. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothes.  
Wash hands before breaks and after work. Keep away from food, drink and animal feedingstuffs.

### 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

#### Requirements for storage rooms and vessels

Keep only in the original container in a cool, well-ventilated place.  
Unsuitable container/equipment material: Zinc, Aluminium, Light metal

#### Hints on joint storage

Do not store together with: alkalines

#### Further information on storage conditions

Keep container tightly closed in a cool, well-ventilated place.  
storage temperature: 5°C - 40°C

### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

Please refer to our internet website for more information. [www.renfert.com](http://www.renfert.com)

To avoid risks to human health and the environment, comply with the instructions for use.

## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1. Control parameters

#### Occupational exposure limits

CAS No	Substance	ppm	mg/m <sup>3</sup>	fib/cm <sup>3</sup>	Category	Origin
64-18-6	Formic acid	5	9		TWA (8 h)	

### 8.2. Exposure controls



#### Appropriate engineering controls

See section 7. No additional measures necessary.

#### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

##### Eye/face protection

Wear eye protection/face protection.

##### Hand protection

When handling with chemical substances, protective gloves must be worn with the CE-label including the four control digits. (EN ISO 374)

Tested protective gloves must be worn

Suitable material: NBR (Nitrile rubber), CR (polychloroprene, chloroprene rubber), Butyl caoutchouc (butyl rubber), FKM (fluoro rubber)

Thickness of the glove material: 0,5 mm

Breakthrough time: &gt; 8 Stunden

For special purposes, it is recommended to check the resistance to chemicals of the protective gloves mentioned above together with the supplier of these gloves.

The quality of the protective gloves resistant to chemicals must be chosen as a function of the specific working place



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concentration and quantity of hazardous substances.

**Skin protection**

Use of protective clothing, acid-resistant

**Respiratory protection**

Provide adequate ventilation.

Respiratory protection necessary at: aerosol or mist formation (Filter type: P2)

**Environmental exposure controls**

Do not allow to enter into surface water or drains.

### SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

#### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state:	Liquid
Colour:	light red
Odour:	stinging
Odour threshold:	not determined

	Test method
Melting point/freezing point:	not determined
Boiling point or initial boiling point and boiling range:	not determined
Flammability:	not applicable
Lower explosion limits:	not determined
Upper explosion limits:	not determined
Flash point:	> 76 °C
Auto-ignition temperature:	520 °C Formic acid
Decomposition temperature:	not determined
pH-Value (at 20 °C):	> 0,8 - < 1,3
Viscosity / kinematic:	not determined
Water solubility:	completely miscible
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water:	not determined
Vapour pressure:	not determined
Density (at 20 °C):	> 1,030 - < 1,050 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Relative vapour density:	not determined

#### 9.2. Other information

**Information with regard to physical hazard classes**

## Explosive properties

not explosive according to EU A.14

**Further Information**

No further relevant information available.

### SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

#### 10.1. Reactivity

No hazardous reaction when handled and stored according to provisions.

#### 10.2. Chemical stability

The product is chemically stable under recommended conditions of storage, use and temperature.

#### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Violent reaction with: Alkali (lye), Oxidizing agent, Peroxides, Amines

#### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

Keep away from heat. Protect from sunlight.

#### 10.5. Incompatible materials

Violent reaction with: Alkali (lye), Hydrogen peroxide

#### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

No known hazardous decomposition products.

### SECTION 11: Toxicological information

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

**Acute toxicity**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**ATEmix calculated**

ATE (oral) &gt; 2000 mg/kg; ATE (dermal) &gt; 2000 mg/kg; ATE (inhalation vapour) &gt; 20 mg/l



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	Exposure route	Dose	Species	Source	Method
64-18-6	formic acid				
	oral	LD50 500 mg/kg		ATE	
	inhalation (4 h) vapour	LC50 7,4 mg/l		ATE	
	inhalation dust/mist	ATE 0,5 mg/l			

### Irritation and corrosivity

Skin corrosion/irritation: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.  
Serious eye damage/eye irritation: Causes serious eye damage.

### Sensitising effects

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

### Carcinogenic/mutagenic/toxic effects for reproduction

Germ cell mutagenicity: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.  
Carcinogenicity: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.  
Reproductive toxicity: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

### STOT-single exposure

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

### STOT-repeated exposure

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

### Aspiration hazard

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

## 11.2. Information on other hazards

### Endocrine disrupting properties

This product does not contain a substance that has endocrine disrupting properties with respect to humans as no components meets the criteria.

### Further information

The product has not been tested. The statement is derived from the properties of the single components.  
To avoid risks to human health and the environment, comply with the instructions for use.

## SECTION 12: Ecological information

### 12.1. Toxicity

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

Product is acid. The product needs to apply neutralizing agents before draining to wastewater treatment plants.

### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

No indication of bioaccumulation potential.

### Partition coefficient n-octanol/water

CAS No	Chemical name	Log Pow
64-18-6	formic acid	-0,54

### 12.4. Mobility in soil

No information available.

### 12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

The substances in the mixture do not meet the PBT/vPvB criteria according to REACH, annex XIII.

### 12.6. Endocrine disrupting properties

This product does not contain a substance that has endocrine disrupting properties with respect to non-target organisms as no components meets the criteria.

### 12.7. Other adverse effects

No information available.

### Further information

The product has not been tested. The statement is derived from the properties of the single components. Do not allow uncontrolled discharge of product into the environment.

## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

#### Disposal recommendations

Before intended use: hazardous waste, Dispose of waste according to applicable legislation. The allocation of waste identity numbers/waste descriptions must be carried out according to the EEC, specific to the industry and process.

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After intended use: The product is an acid. Before discharge into sewage plants the product normally needs to be neutralised. Disposable via wastewater, if previously agreed with your local sewage treatment plant.

### Contaminated packaging

Handle contaminated packages in the same way as the substance itself.

## SECTION 14: Transport information

### Land transport (ADR/RID)

**14.1. UN number or ID number:** UN 3412  
**14.2. UN proper shipping name:** FORMIC ACID mit mind. 10 Masse-%, aber höchstens 85 Masse-% Säure  
**14.3. Transport hazard class(es):** 8  
**14.4. Packing group:** II  
Hazard label: 8



### Marine transport (IMDG)

**14.1. UN number or ID number:** UN 3412  
**14.2. UN proper shipping name:** FORMIC ACID with not less than 10% but not more than 85% acid by mass  
**14.3. Transport hazard class(es):** 8  
**14.4. Packing group:** II  
Hazard label: 8



### Air transport (ICAO-TI/IATA-DGR)

**14.1. UN number or ID number:** UN 3412  
**14.2. UN proper shipping name:** FORMIC ACID with not less than 10% but not more than 85% acid by mass  
**14.3. Transport hazard class(es):** 8  
**14.4. Packing group:** II  
Hazard label: 8



### 14.5. Environmental hazards

ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS: No

### 14.6. Special precautions for user

Further information: see section 6, 7, 8

### 14.7. Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

not applicable

## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

### 15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

#### EU regulatory information

Restrictions on use (REACH, annex XVII):

Entry 3, Entry 40, Entry 75

Directive 2010/75/EU on industrial emissions: not applicable

Directive 2004/42/EC on VOC in paints and varnishes: not applicable

#### Additional information

REGULATION (EU) 2024/590 OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL of 7 February 2024 on substances that deplete the ozone layer, and repealing Regulation (EC) No 1005/2009: not applicable

REGULATION (EU) 2019/1021 OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL on persistent organic pollutants: not applicable

Regulation (EU) No. 649/2012 of the European parliament and of the council concerning the export and import of

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dangerous chemicals: not applicable

**National regulatory information**

Employment restrictions:

Observe restrictions to employment for juveniles according to the 'juvenile work protection guideline' (94/33/EC).

Water hazard class (D):

1 - slightly hazardous to water

**SECTION 16: Other information****Changes**

Abs. 1, 2, 3, 8, 9, 11, 12, 15, 16 \* Data changed compared with the previous version.

**Abbreviations and acronyms**

Met. Corr: Substance or mixture corrosive to metals

Flam. Liq: Flammable liquid

Acute Tox: Acute toxicity

Skin Corr: Skin corrosion

Eye Dam: Eye damage

PBT: persistent and bioaccumulative and toxic

vPvB: Very persistent and very bioaccumulative

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

ATE: Acute Toxicity Estimate

LD50: lethal dose, 50%

LC50: lethal concentration, 50%

ADR: Accord européen relatif au transport international des marchandises Dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

RID: Règlement concernant le transport international ferroviaire de marchandises Dangereuses (Regulations Concerning the International Transport of Dangerous Goods by Rail)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

ICAO: International Civil Aviation Organization

MARPOL: International Convention for the Prevention of Marine Pollution from Ships

VOC: volatile organic compound(s)

**Classification for mixtures and used evaluation method according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 [CLP]**

Classification	Classification procedure
Skin Corr. 1B; H314	Calculation method
Eye Dam. 1; H318	Calculation method

**Relevant H and EUH statements (number and full text)**

H226	Flammable liquid and vapour.
H290	May be corrosive to metals.
H302	Harmful if swallowed.
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H318	Causes serious eye damage.
H331	Toxic if inhaled.

**Further Information**

The above information describes exclusively the safety requirements of the product and is based on our present-day knowledge. The information is intended to give you advice about the safe handling of the product named in this safety data sheet, for storage, processing, transport and disposal. The information cannot be transferred to other products. In the case of mixing the product with other products or in the case of processing, the information on this safety data sheet is not necessarily valid for the new made-up material. Restricted to professional users.

*(The data for the relevant ingredients were taken respectively from the last version of the sub-contractor's safety data sheet.)*