

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

### 1.1 Product identifier

Trade name: Elektrolyt AE 39

UFI: G910-S041-K006-RA5C

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

General use: Electrolytic/electrochemical metal marking for steels and chrome-plated parts (pH-neutral).

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

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## SECTION 2: Hazards identification

### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to EC regulation 1272/2008 (CLP)

Eye Irrit. 2; H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

### 2.2 Label elements

#### Labelling (CLP)



Signal word:

**Warning**

Hazard statements:

H319

Causes serious eye irritation.

Precautionary statements:

P101

If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.

P102

Keep out of reach of children.

P264

Wash hands and face thoroughly after handling.

P280

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection.

P305+P351+P338

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

P337+P313

If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

### 2.3 Other hazards

Electrolytic vapours may form during the electrochemical process. According to the pH value of 6,5 - 7,2 the product is not to be classified as corrosive.

Special danger of slipping by leaking/spilling product.

Endocrine disrupting properties, Results of PBT and vPvB assessment:

No data available

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1 Substances: not applicable

### 3.2 Mixtures

Chemical characterisation: mixture of water/mineral salt and complexing agent, nitrite-free  
Mixture of the substances listed below with non-hazardous additions

Hazardous ingredients:

Identifiers	Designation Classification	Content
EC No. 201-069-1 CAS 5949-29-1	Citric acid monohydrate Eye Irrit. 2; H319. STOT SE 3; H335.	< 10 %
EC No. 215-185-5 CAS 1310-73-2	Caustic soda Skin Corr. 1A; H314. Specific concentration limits (SCL): Skin Corr. 1A; H314: $C \geq 5\%$ / Skin Corr. 1B; H314: $2\% \leq C < 5\%$ / Skin Irrit. 2; H315: $0,5\% \leq C < 2\%$ / Eye Irrit. 2; H319: $0,5\% \leq C < 2\%$	< 10 %
EC No. 200-661-7 CAS 67-63-0	Isopropyl alcohol Flam. Liq. 2; H225. Eye Irrit. 2; H319. STOT SE 3; H336.	< 10 %
EC No. 229-347-8 CAS 6484-52-2	Ammonium nitrate Ox. Sol. 3; H272.	< 5 %

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

## SECTION 4: First aid measures

### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

General information: First aider: Pay attention to self-protection!  
If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.  
Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

In case of inhalation: If breathing is difficult, remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Seek medical attention if problems persist.

Following skin contact: Immediately clean with water and soap followed by thorough rinsing. In case of skin reactions, consult a physician.

After eye contact: Immediately flush eyes with plenty of flowing water for 10 to 15 minutes holding eyelids apart. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Subsequently consult an ophthalmologist.

After swallowing: Rinse mouth immediately and drink plenty of water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Do NOT induce vomiting. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.

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

Causes serious eye irritation.

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

Treat symptomatically.

## SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

### 5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media: Product is non-combustible. Extinguishing materials should therefore be selected according to surroundings.

Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons:

Full water jet

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

Fires in the immediate vicinity may cause the development of dangerous vapours.

In case of fire may be liberated: Nitrogen oxides (NO<sub>x</sub>), sodium compounds, carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide.

### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Special protective equipment for firefighters:

Wear a self-contained breathing apparatus and chemical protective clothing.

Additional information:

Use fine water spray to cool endangered containers.

Do not allow water used to extinguish fire to enter drains, ground or waterways.

Fire residuals and contaminated extinguishing water must be disposed of in accordance with the regulations of the local authorities.

## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

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

Do not breathe mist/vapours/spray. Avoid contact with the substance.

If possible, eliminate leakage. Provide adequate ventilation.

Wear appropriate protective equipment. Keep unprotected people away. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

### 6.2 Environmental precautions

Do not allow to enter into ground-water, surface water or drains.

If necessary notify appropriate authorities.

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

Absorb with liquid-binding material (e.g. sand, diatomaceous earth, acid- or universal binding agents) and place in closed containers for disposal.

Thoroughly clean surrounding area.

Never return spills in original containers for re-use.

Additional information:

Special danger of slipping by leaking/spilling product.

### 6.4 Reference to other sections

Refer additionally to section 8 and 13.

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Advices on safe handling:

Provide adequate ventilation, and local exhaust as needed. Do not breathe mist/vapours/spray.

Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Wear appropriate protective equipment.

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

Work place should be equipped with a shower and an eye rinsing apparatus.

Precautions against fire and explosion:

Product is non-combustible. Take standard precautions to prevent fire.

## 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Requirements for storerooms and containers:

Keep container tightly closed and in a well-ventilated place.  
Keep container dry. Keep only in the original container.  
Protect from heat and direct sunlight. Protect from frost.  
Store containers in upright position.

Hints on joint storage:

Do not mix chemical with any other chemicals except water.  
Keep away from food, drink and animal feedingstuffs.

Storage class:

12 = Non-combustible liquids

## 7.3 Specific end use(s)

No information available.

# SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

## 8.1 Control parameters

Occupational exposure limit values:

CAS No.	Designation	Type	Limit value
67-63-0	Isopropyl alcohol	Germany: TRGS 900 Kurzzeit	1000 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ; 400 ppm
		Germany: TRGS 900 Langzeit	500 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ; 200 ppm

Biological limit values:

CAS No.	Designation	Type	Limit value	Parameter	Sampling
67-63-0	Isopropyl alcohol	Germany: TRGS 903, blood	25 mg/L	acetone	end of exposure or end of shift
		Germany: TRGS 903, urine	25 mg/L	acetone	end of exposure or end of shift

## 8.2 Exposure controls

Provide for good ventilation or exhaust system or work with completely self-contained equipment.

## Personal protection equipment

### Occupational exposure controls

Respiratory protection:

Respiratory protection must be worn whenever the WEL levels have been exceeded.  
The filter class must be suitable for the maximum contaminant concentration (gas/vapour/aerosol/particulates) that may arise when handling the product.

Hand protection:

Protective gloves according to EN 374.  
Glove material: Nitrile rubber.  
Observe glove manufacturer's instructions concerning penetrability and breakthrough time.

Eye protection:

Tightly sealed goggles according to EN 166.

Body protection:

Wear suitable protective clothing.

General protection and hygiene measures:

Do not breathe mist/vapours/spray. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.  
Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.  
Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.  
Wash hands thoroughly after handling.  
Work place should be equipped with a shower and an eye rinsing apparatus.

## Environmental exposure controls

Do not allow to enter into ground-water, surface water or drains.

## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state at 20 °C and 101.3 kPa	liquid
Colour:	Clear
Odour:	Weak
Odour threshold:	No data available
Melting point/freezing point:	-7 - 0 °C
Initial boiling point and boiling range:	No data available
Flammability:	No data available
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits:	No data available
Flash point/flash point range:	No data available
Decomposition temperature:	No data available
pH:	at 20 °C: 6,5 - 7,2
Viscosity, kinematic:	No data available
Water solubility:	at 20 °C: Complete soluble
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water:	No data available
Vapour pressure:	at 20 °C: 48 hPa (Isopropyl alcohol) at 20 °C: 23 hPa (Water)
Density:	at 20 °C: approx. 1,2 g/mL
Vapour density:	No data available
Particle characteristics:	Not applicable

### 9.2 Other information

Explosive properties:	No data available
Oxidizing characteristics:	No data available
Auto-ignition temperature:	No data available
Evaporation rate:	No data available
Additional information:	Nitrite-free.

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1 Reactivity

Refer to subsection "Possibility of hazardous reactions".

### 10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

No dangerous reactions with proper and specified storage and handling.

### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Protect from frost.

### 10.5 Incompatible materials

Do not mix chemical with any other chemicals except water.

### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

	No decomposition when used properly.
Thermal decomposition:	No data available

## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

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

Toxicological effects: The statements are derived from the properties of the single components. No toxicological data is available for the product as such.

Acute toxicity (oral): Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Acute toxicity (dermal): Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Acute toxicity (inhalative): Lack of data.

Skin corrosion/irritation: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Serious eye damage/irritation: Eye Irrit. 2; H319 = Causes serious eye irritation.

Sensitisation to the respiratory tract: Lack of data.

Skin sensitisation: Lack of data.

Germ cell mutagenicity/Genotoxicity: Lack of data.

Carcinogenicity: Lack of data.

Reproductive toxicity: Lack of data.

Effects on or via lactation: Lack of data.

Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure): Lack of data.

Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure): Lack of data.

Aspiration hazard: Lack of data.

### 11.2 Information on other hazards

Endocrine disrupting properties: No data available

### Symptoms

In case of inhalation: Electrolytic vapours may form during the electrochemical process.  
May be harmful if inhaled.  
After eye contact: Upon direct contact with eyes may cause burning, tearing, redness.

## SECTION 12: Ecological information

### 12.1 Toxicity

Water Hazard Class: 1 = slightly hazardous to water (self-classified)

### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

Further details: Easily bio-degradable.

### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water:  
No data available

### 12.4 Mobility in soil

No data available

### 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

No data available

### 12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties

No data available

### 12.7 Other adverse effects

AOX reference: Product does not contain organically bound halogen (AOX).

General information: Do not allow to enter into ground-water, surface water or drains.  
The following applies to nitrates in general:  
May contribute to the eutrophication of water supplies. Danger to drinking water.

## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

#### Product

Waste key number: 11 01 98\* = Wastes from chemical surface treatment and coating of metals and other materials

\* = Evidence for disposal must be provided.

Recommendation: Dispose of waste according to applicable legislation.  
Do not dispose of with household waste.

#### Package

Waste key number: 15 01 02 = Plastic packaging

Recommendation: Dispose of waste according to applicable legislation.  
Handle contaminated packages in the same way as the substance itself.  
Non-contaminated packages may be recycled.

## SECTION 14: Transport information

### 14.1 UN number or ID number

ADR/RID, IMDG, IATA-DGR: not applicable

### 14.2 UN proper shipping name

ADR/RID, IMDG, IATA-DGR: Not restricted

### 14.3 Transport hazard class(es)

ADR/RID, IMDG, IATA-DGR: not applicable

### 14.4 Packing group

ADR/RID, IMDG, IATA-DGR: not applicable

### 14.5 Environmental hazards

Dangerous for the environment: Substance/mixture is not environmentally hazardous according to the criteria of the UN model regulations.

Marine pollutant: no

### 14.6 Special precautions for user

No dangerous good in sense of these transport regulations.

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

No data available

## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

#### National regulations - Germany

Storage class: 12 = Non-combustible liquids

Water Hazard Class: 1 = slightly hazardous to water (self-classified)

Technical guidance air: 5.2.5

## Information on working limitations:

Observe employment restrictions for young people.

## Further regulations, limitations and legal requirements:

No data available

**National regulations - EC member states**

## Volatile organic compounds (VOC):

&lt; 10 % by weight

## Further regulations, limitations and legal requirements:

Product: Use restriction according to REACH annex XVII, no.: 3, 75

Ammonium nitrate: Regulation (EU) No 2019/1148 (marketing and use of explosives precursors)

**15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment**

For this mixture a chemical safety assessment is not required.

**SECTION 16: Other information**

## Wording of the H-phrases under paragraph 2 and 3:

H225 = Highly flammable liquid and vapour.

H272 = May intensify fire; oxidiser.

H314 = Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H319 = Causes serious eye irritation.

H335 = May cause respiratory irritation.

H336 = May cause drowsiness or dizziness.

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Abbreviations and acronyms: ADN: European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways  
ADR: European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road  
AOX: Adsorbable Organic Halogens  
AS/NZS: Australian Standards/New Zealand Standards  
CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service  
CFR: Code of Federal Regulations  
CLP: Classification, Labelling and Packaging  
DMEL: Derived minimal effect level  
DNEL: Derived no-effect level  
EC: European Community  
EN: European Standard  
EQ: Excepted quantities  
EU: European Union  
Eye Irrit.: Eye irritation  
Flam. Liq.: Flammable liquid  
IATA: International Air Transport Association  
IATA-DGR: International Air Transport Association – Dangerous Goods Regulations  
IBC Code: International Code for the Construction and Equipment of Ships carrying Dangerous Chemicals in Bulk  
IMDG Code: International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code  
MARPOL: Maritime Pollution: The International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships  
OEL: Occupational Exposure Limit Value  
OSHA: Occupational Safety and Health Administration  
Ox. Sol.: Oxidising solids  
PBT: Persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic  
PNEC: Predicted no-effect concentration  
REACH: Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals  
RID: Regulations Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail  
Skin Corr.: Skin corrosion  
STOT SE: Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure  
TLV: Threshold Limit Value  
TRGS: Technical Rules for Hazardous Substances  
vPvB: Very persistent and very bioaccumulative  
WEL: Workplace Exposure Limit

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