

Safety Data Sheet

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1 Identification

- **Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** Nile Blue A, C.I. 51180
- **Article number:** N3583
- **CAS Number:**
3625-57-8
- **EC number:**
222-832-5
- **Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**
Aqua Solutions, Inc.
6913 Highway 225
DEER PARK, TX 77536
USA
800-256-2586
- **Information department:**
Technical Coordinator
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- **Emergency telephone number:**
Chemtec: 800-424-9300
Canutec: 613-996-6666



2 Hazard(s) identification

- **Classification of the substance or mixture**



GHS02 Flame

Flammable Solids 1

H228 Flammable solid.

Pyrophoric Solids 1

H250 Catches fire spontaneously if exposed to air.



GHS07

Acute Toxicity - Inhalation 4 H332 Harmful if inhaled.

Skin Irritation 2

H315 Causes skin irritation.

Eye Irritation 2B

H320 Causes eye irritation.

- **Label elements**

- **GHS label elements** The substance is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).

- **Hazard pictograms**



GHS02



GHS07

- **Signal word** Danger

- **Hazard statements**

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Causes skin and eye irritation.

· **Precautionary statements**

Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking.

Do not allow contact with air.

Ground/bond container and receiving equipment.

Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting/equipment.

Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray

Wash thoroughly after handling. Do not touch eyes.

Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

If on skin: Wash with plenty of water.

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

If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do.

Continue rinsing.

Call a poison center/doctor if you feel unwell.

Specific treatment (see on this label).

Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

Brush off loose particles from skin. Immerse in cool water/wrap in wet bandages.

If eye irritation persists: Get medical help.

In case of fire: Use CO₂, powder or water spray to extinguish.

Store contents under inert gas.

· **Classification system:**

· **NFPA ratings (scale 0 - 4)**



Health = 3

Fire = 4

Reactivity = 0

· **HMIS-ratings (scale 0 - 4)**



Health = 2

Fire = 4

Reactivity = 0

· **Other hazards**

· **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

· **PBT:** Not applicable.

· **vPvB:** Not applicable.

3 Composition/information on ingredients

· **Chemical characterization: Substances**

· **CAS No. Description**

CAS: 3625-57-8 Nile Blue A

· **Identification number(s)**

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4 First-aid measures

- **Description of first aid measures**

- **General information:**

Symptoms of poisoning may even occur after several hours; therefore medical observation for at least 48 hours after the accident.

- **After inhalation:**

Supply fresh air. If required, provide artificial respiration. Keep patient warm. Consult doctor if symptoms persist. In case of unconsciousness place patient stably in side position for transportation.

- **After skin contact:** Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.

- **After eye contact:**

Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. If symptoms persist, consult a doctor.

- **After swallowing:** If symptoms persist consult doctor.

- **Information for doctor:**

- **Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed** No further relevant information available.

- **Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

No further relevant information available.

5 Fire-fighting measures

- **Extinguishing media**

- **Suitable extinguishing agents:** Use fire fighting measures that suit the environment.

- **Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture** No further relevant information available.

- **Advice for firefighters**

- **Protective equipment:** Mouth respiratory protective device.

6 Accidental release measures

- **Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.

- **Environmental precautions:** Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.

- **Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:** Ensure adequate ventilation.

- **Reference to other sections**

See Section 7 for information on safe handling.

See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.

See Section 13 for disposal information.

- **Protective Action Criteria for Chemicals**

- **PAC-1:** Substance is not listed.

- **PAC-2:** Substance is not listed.

- **PAC-3:** Substance is not listed.

7 Handling and storage

- **Handling:**

- **Precautions for safe handling**

Thorough dedusting.

Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.

- **Information about protection against explosions and fires:** Keep ignition sources away - Do not smoke.

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

- **Storage:**

- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** No special requirements.

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- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.
- **Further information about storage conditions:** Keep receptacle tightly sealed.
- **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 section 7.
- **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.
- **Exposure controls**
- **Personal protective equipment:**
- **General protective and hygienic measures:**
Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.
Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing.
Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.
Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.
- **Breathing equipment:**
In case of brief exposure or low pollution use respiratory filter device. In case of intensive or longer exposure use respiratory protective device that is independent of circulating air.
- **Protection of hands:**



Protective gloves

The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.
Due to missing tests no recommendation to the glove material can be given for the product/ the preparation/ the chemical mixture.

Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation

- **Material of gloves**
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.
- **Penetration time of glove material**
The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.
- **Eye protection:**



Tightly sealed goggles

- **Body protection:** Protective work clothing

9 Physical and chemical properties

- **Information on basic physical and chemical properties**
- **General Information**
- **Appearance:**

Form:	Powder
Color:	Dark green

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· Odor:	Characteristic
· Odor threshold:	Not determined.
· pH-value:	Not applicable.
· Change in condition	
Melting point/Melting range:	300 °C (572 °F)
Boiling point/Boiling range:	Undetermined.
· Flash point:	Not applicable.
· Flammability (solid, gaseous):	Product is not flammable.
· Decomposition temperature:	Not determined.
· Ignition temperature:	Spontaneously flammable in air.
· Danger of explosion:	Not determined.
· Explosion limits:	
Lower:	Vol %
Upper:	Vol %
· Vapor pressure:	Not applicable.
· Density:	Not determined.
· Relative density	Not determined.
· Vapor density	Not applicable.
· Evaporation rate	Not applicable.
· Solubility in / Miscibility with Water:	Not determined.
· Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):	Not determined.
· Viscosity:	
Dynamic:	Not applicable.
Kinematic:	Not applicable.
· Other information	No further relevant information available.

10 Stability and reactivity

- **Reactivity** No further relevant information available.
- **Chemical stability**
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **Possibility of hazardous reactions** No dangerous reactions known.
- **Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.
- **Incompatible materials:** No further relevant information available.
- **Hazardous decomposition products:** No dangerous decomposition products known.

11 Toxicological information

- **Information on toxicological effects**
- **Acute toxicity:**

· **LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification:**

Inhalative	LC50/4h	1.5 mg/l (ATE)
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- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **on the skin:** Irritant to skin and mucous membranes.
- **on the eye:** Irritating effect.
- **Sensitization:** No sensitizing effects known.
- **Additional toxicological information:**
- **Carcinogenic categories**
- **IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)** Substance is not listed.
- **NTP (National Toxicology Program)** Substance is not listed.
- **OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety & Health Administration)** Substance is not listed.

12 Ecological information

- **Toxicity**
- **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.
- **Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.
- **Behavior in environmental systems:**
- **Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.
- **Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.
- **Additional ecological information:**
- **General notes:**
Water hazard class 1 (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water
Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities of it to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.
- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.
- **Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.

13 Disposal considerations

- **Waste treatment methods**
- **Recommendation:**
Must not be disposed of together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.
- **Uncleaned packagings:**
- **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

14 Transport information

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · UN-Number · DOT, ADN, IMDG, IATA | Not regulated |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · UN proper shipping name · DOT, ADN, IMDG, IATA | Not regulated |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Transport hazard class(es) · DOT, ADN, IMDG, IATA · Class | Not regulated |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Packing group · DOT, IMDG, IATA | Not regulated |

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| · Environmental hazards: | |
| · Marine pollutant: | No |
| · Special precautions for user | Not applicable. |
| · Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code | Not applicable. |
| · Transport/Additional information: | |
| · DOT | |
| · Remarks: | Not Regulated |
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| · IMDG | |
| · Remarks: | Not Regulated |
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| · IATA | |
| · Remarks: | Not Regulated |
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| · UN "Model Regulation": | Not regulated |

15 Regulatory information

- **Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**
No further relevant information available.
- **Sara**
- **Section 355 (extremely hazardous substances):** Substance is not listed.
- **Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings):** Substance is not listed.
- **TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act):**
- **Hazardous Air Pollutants** Substance is not listed.
- **Proposition 65**
- **Chemicals known to cause cancer:** Substance is not listed.
- **Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for females:** Substance is not listed.
- **Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for males:** Substance is not listed.
- **Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity:** Substance is not listed.
- **Carcinogenic categories**
- **EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)** Substance is not listed.
- **TLV (Threshold Limit Value)** Substance is not listed.
- **NIOSH-Ca (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)** Substance is not listed.
- **GHS label elements** The substance is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).
- **Hazard pictograms**



GHS02 GHS07

- **Signal word** Danger
- **Hazard statements**
Flammable solid.
Catches fire spontaneously if exposed to air.
Harmful if inhaled.
Causes skin and eye irritation.
- **Precautionary statements**
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 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.
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 If on skin: Wash with plenty of water.
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 Continue rinsing.
 Call a poison center/doctor if you feel unwell.
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 If eye irritation persists: Get medical help.
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 Store contents under inert gas.
 • **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 SDS:** Environment protection department.
- **Contact:**
Date of Preparation / Last Revision:
- **Date of preparation / last revision**
Revision 1.2, 05/22/2024: Reviewed SDS for accuracy. MH/STN
Creation date for SDS 10-29-2014. STN
05/22/2024
- **Abbreviations and acronyms:**
IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods
DOT: US Department of Transportation
IATA: International Air Transport Association
EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances
CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)
NFPA: National Fire Protection Association (USA)
HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)
LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent
LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent
PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic
vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative
NIOSH: National Institute for Occupational Safety
OSHA: Occupational Safety & Health
TLV: Threshold Limit Value
PEL: Permissible Exposure Limit
REL: Recommended Exposure Limit
Flammable Solids 1: Flammable solids – Category 1
Pyrophoric Solids 1: Pyrophoric solids – Category 1
Acute Toxicity - Inhalation 4: Acute toxicity – Category 4
Skin Irritation 2: Skin corrosion/irritation – Category 2
Eye Irritation 2B: Serious eye damage/eye irritation – Category 2B
- *** Data compared to the previous version altered.**