

### SECTION 1: Identification

#### 1.1. Identification

Product form : Mixture  
Trade name : Retract  
Product code : 4301

#### 1.2. Recommended use and restrictions on use

Recommended use : Floor strip products

#### 1.3. Supplier

Synthetic Labs  
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Dracut, MA, 01826  
United States  
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[www.syntecpro.com](http://www.syntecpro.com)

#### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : Infotrac 24 Hour Medical Emergency Number: 1-800-535-5053

### SECTION 2: Hazard(s) identification

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

##### GHS US classification

Skin corrosion/irritation Category 2 Causes skin irritation  
Serious eye damage/eye irritation Category 2A Causes serious eye irritation

#### 2.2. GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

##### GHS US labeling

Hazard pictograms (GHS US) :



Signal word (GHS US) : Warning  
Hazard statements (GHS US) : Causes skin irritation  
Causes serious eye irritation  
Precautionary statements (GHS US) : Wash hands, forearms and face thoroughly after handling.  
Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.  
If on skin: Wash with plenty of water.  
IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.  
Specific treatment (see supplemental first aid instruction on this label).  
If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.  
If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.  
Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

#### 2.3. Other hazards which do not result in classification

No additional information available

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### 2.4. Unknown acute toxicity (GHS US)

No additional information available

## SECTION 3: Composition/Information on ingredients

### 3.1. Substances

Not applicable

### 3.2. Mixtures

Name	Product identifier	%	GHS US classification
Monoethanolamine	CAS-No.: 141-43-5	1 – 5	Flam. Liq. 4, H227 Acute Tox. 4 (Oral), H302 Acute Tox. 4 (Dermal), H312 Acute Tox. 4 (Inhalation:vapour), H332 Skin Corr. 1, H314 Eye Dam. 1, H318
Benzyl Alcohol	CAS-No.: 100-51-6	1 – 5	Acute Tox. 4 (Oral), H302 Acute Tox. 4 (Inhalation:vapour), H332

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

## SECTION 4: First-aid measures

### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures after inhalation	: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
First-aid measures after skin contact	: Wash skin with plenty of water. Take off contaminated clothing. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
First-aid measures after eye contact	: 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.
First-aid measures after ingestion	: Call a poison center/doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

### 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects (acute and delayed)

Symptoms/effects after skin contact	: Irritation.
Symptoms/effects after eye contact	: Eye irritation.

### 4.3. Immediate medical attention and special treatment, if necessary

Treat symptomatically.

## SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures

### 5.1. Suitable (and unsuitable) extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media	: Water spray. Dry powder. Foam. Carbon dioxide.
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### 5.2. Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Hazardous decomposition products in case of fire	: Toxic fumes may be released.
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### 5.3. Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters

Protection during firefighting : Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. Self-contained breathing apparatus. Complete protective clothing.

## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

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

#### 6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Emergency procedures : Ventilate spillage area. Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

#### 6.1.2. For emergency responders

Protective equipment : Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. For further information refer to section 8: "Exposure controls/personal protection".

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Avoid release to the environment.

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

Methods for cleaning up : Take up liquid spill into absorbent material.  
Other information : Dispose of materials or solid residues at an authorized site.

### 6.4. Reference to other sections

For further information refer to section 13.

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling : Ensure good ventilation of the work station. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Wear personal protective equipment.  
Hygiene measures : Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Always wash hands after handling the product.

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

Storage conditions : Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.

## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1. Control parameters

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No additional information available	
Monoethanolamine (141-43-5)	
USA - ACGIH - Occupational Exposure Limits	
Local name	Ethanolamine
ACGIH OEL TWA [ppm]	3 ppm
ACGIH OEL STEL [ppm]	6 ppm
Remark (ACGIH)	Eye & skin irr

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### Monoethanolamine (141-43-5)

#### USA - OSHA - Occupational Exposure Limits

Local name	Ethanolamine
OSHA PEL (TWA) [1]	6 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
OSHA PEL (TWA) [2]	3 ppm

### Benzyl Alcohol (100-51-6)

No additional information available

## 8.2. Appropriate engineering controls

Appropriate engineering controls	: Ensure good ventilation of the work station.
Environmental exposure controls	: Avoid release to the environment.

## 8.3. Individual protection measures/Personal protective equipment

### Hand protection:

Protective gloves

### Eye protection:

Safety glasses

### Skin and body protection:

Wear suitable protective clothing

### Respiratory protection:

In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment

### Personal protective equipment symbol(s):



## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

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

Physical state	: Liquid
Appearance	: Liquid.
Color	: Colorless
Odor	: characteristic
Odor threshold	: No data available
pH	: 10
pH solution	: 11.5 – 12.5
Melting point	: Not applicable
Freezing point	: 32 °F
Boiling point	: No data available
Flash point	: No data available
Relative evaporation rate (butyl acetate=1)	: No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	: Not applicable.
Vapor pressure	: No data available
Relative vapor density at 20°C	: No data available

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Relative density	: No data available
Density	: 0.98 g/m <sup>3</sup>
Solubility	: Soluble in water.
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	: No data available
Auto-ignition temperature	: No data available
Decomposition temperature	: No data available
Viscosity, kinematic	: No data available
Viscosity, dynamic	: No data available
Explosion limits	: No data available
Explosive properties	: No data available
Oxidizing properties	: No data available

### 9.2. Other information

No additional information available

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1. Reactivity

The product is non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.

### 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No dangerous reactions known under normal conditions of use.

### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

None under recommended storage and handling conditions (see section 7).

### 10.5. Incompatible materials

No additional information available

### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced.

## 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

Monoethanolamine (141-43-5)	
LD50 oral rat	1515 mg/kg body weight (Equivalent or similar to OECD 401, Rat, Male / female, Experimental value, Oral, 7 day(s))
LD50 dermal rabbit	2504 – 2881 mg/kg body weight (Equivalent or similar to OECD 402, 24 week(s), Rabbit, Male / female, Experimental value, Dermal)
ATE US (oral)	1515 mg/kg body weight
ATE US (dermal)	1018 mg/kg body weight
ATE US (vapors)	11 mg/l/4h

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Benzyl Alcohol (100-51-6)	
LD50 oral rat	1620 mg/kg bw/day (Rat, Male, Experimental value, Oral, 14 day(s))
LD50 dermal rabbit	> 2000 mg/kg (EPA OTS 798.1100, Rabbit, Male / female, Experimental value, Dermal, 14 day(s))
LC50 Inhalation - Rat	> 4.18 mg/l air (OECD 403: Acute Inhalation Toxicity, 4 h, Rat, Male / female, Experimental value, (maximum achievable concentration), Inhalation (aerosol), 14 day(s))
ATE US (oral)	1620 mg/kg body weight
ATE US (vapors)	11 mg/l/4h

Skin corrosion/irritation : Causes skin irritation.  
pH: 10

Monoethanolamine (141-43-5)	
pH	12.1 (100 g/l)

Benzyl Alcohol (100-51-6)	
pH	No data available in the literature

Serious eye damage/irritation : Causes serious eye irritation.  
pH: 10

Monoethanolamine (141-43-5)	
pH	12.1 (100 g/l)

Benzyl Alcohol (100-51-6)	
pH	No data available in the literature

Respiratory or skin sensitization : Not classified  
Germ cell mutagenicity : Not classified  
Carcinogenicity : Not classified  
Reproductive toxicity : Not classified  
STOT-single exposure : Not classified  
STOT-repeated exposure : Not classified  
Aspiration hazard : Not classified  
Viscosity, kinematic : No data available

Monoethanolamine (141-43-5)	
Viscosity, kinematic	23.5 mm²/s (20 °C, EN ISO 3104: Capillary viscometer)

Benzyl Alcohol (100-51-6)	
Viscosity, kinematic	No data available in the literature

Symptoms/effects after skin contact : Irritation.  
Symptoms/effects after eye contact : Eye irritation.

## SECTION 12: Ecological information

### 12.1. Toxicity

Ecology - general : The product is not considered harmful to aquatic organisms or to cause long-term adverse effects in the environment.

Monoethanolamine (141-43-5)	
LC50 - Fish [1]	349 mg/l (EU Method C.1, 96 h, Cyprinus carpio, Semi-static system, Fresh water, Experimental value, GLP)

Monoethanolamine (141-43-5)	
EC50 - Crustacea [1]	65 mg/l (EU Method C.2, 48 h, Daphnia magna, Static system, Fresh water, Experimental value, GLP)
EC50 72h - Algae [1]	2.8 mg/l (OECD 201: Alga, Growth Inhibition Test, Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata, Static system, Fresh water, Experimental value, Growth rate)

Benzyl Alcohol (100-51-6)	
LC50 - Fish [1]	460 mg/l (EPA OPP 72-1, 96 h, Pimephales promelas, Static system, Fresh water, Experimental value, Nominal concentration)
EC50 - Crustacea [1]	230 mg/l (OECD 202: Daphnia sp. Acute Immobilisation Test, 48 h, Daphnia magna, Fresh water, Experimental value, Locomotor effect)
ErC50 algae	770 mg/l (OECD 201: Alga, Growth Inhibition Test, 72 h, Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata, Static system, Fresh water, Experimental value, GLP)

## 12.2. Persistence and degradability

Monoethanolamine (141-43-5)	
Persistence and degradability	Biodegradable in the soil. Readily biodegradable in water.
Biochemical oxygen demand (BOD)	0.8 g O <sub>2</sub> /g substance
Chemical oxygen demand (COD)	1.34 g O <sub>2</sub> /g substance
ThOD	2.49 g O <sub>2</sub> /g substance
BOD (% of ThOD)	0.32

Benzyl Alcohol (100-51-6)	
Persistence and degradability	Biodegradable in the soil. Readily biodegradable in water.

## 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Monoethanolamine (141-43-5)	
BCF - Other aquatic organisms [1]	2.3 – 9.2 (BCFWIN, Calculated value)
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	-2.3 (Experimental value, OECD 107: Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water): Shake Flask Method, 25 °C)
Bioaccumulative potential	Not bioaccumulative.

Benzyl Alcohol (100-51-6)	
BCF - Fish [1]	1.37 l/kg (BCFBAF v3.01, Estimated value)
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	1 – 1.1 (Experimental value, 20 °C)
Bioaccumulative potential	Low potential for bioaccumulation (Log Kow < 4).

## 12.4. Mobility in soil

Monoethanolamine (141-43-5)	
Surface tension	No data available in the literature
Organic Carbon Normalized Adsorption Coefficient (Log Koc)	1.16 (log Koc, Calculated value)
Ecology - soil	Highly mobile in soil.

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### Benzyl Alcohol (100-51-6)

Surface tension	39 mN/m (20 °C)
Organic Carbon Normalized Adsorption Coefficient (Log Koc)	1.122 – 1.332 (log Koc, SRC PCKOCWIN v2.0, QSAR)
Ecology - soil	Highly mobile in soil.

### 12.5. Other adverse effects

No additional information available

## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1. Disposal methods

Waste treatment methods : Dispose of contents/container in accordance with licensed collector's sorting instructions.

## SECTION 14: Transport information

### 14.1. UN number

Not regulated for transport

### 14.2. UN proper shipping name

Proper Shipping Name (DOT) : Not applicable  
Proper Shipping Name (TDG) : Not applicable  
Proper Shipping Name (IMDG) : Not applicable  
Proper Shipping Name (IATA) : Not applicable

### 14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

#### DOT

Transport hazard class(es) (DOT) : Not applicable

#### TDG

Transport hazard class(es) (TDG) : Not applicable

#### IMDG

Transport hazard class(es) (IMDG) : Not applicable

#### IATA

Transport hazard class(es) (IATA) : Not applicable

### 14.4. Packing group

Packing group (DOT) : Not applicable  
Packing group (TDG) : Not applicable  
Packing group (IMDG) : Not applicable  
Packing group (IATA) : Not applicable

### 14.5. Environmental hazards

Other information : No supplementary information available.

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### 14.6. Special precautions for user

- DOT**  
No data available
- TDG**  
No data available
- IMDG**  
No data available
- IATA**  
No data available

### 14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable

## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

### 15.1. US Federal regulations

Commercial status of components according to the United States Environmental Protection Agency's Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA):

Name	CAS-No.	Listing	Commercial status	Flags
Monoethanolamine	141-43-5	Present	Active	
Benzyl Alcohol	100-51-6	Present	Active	

### 15.2. International regulations

#### CANADA

Monoethanolamine (141-43-5)
Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)
Benzyl Alcohol (100-51-6)
Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)

#### EU-Regulations

No additional information available

#### National regulations

No additional information available

### 15.3. US State regulations

Component	State or local regulations
Monoethanolamine(141-43-5)	U.S. - New Jersey - Right to Know Hazardous Substance List

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### Hazard Rating

Health	: 2 Moderate Hazard - Temporary or minor injury may occur
Flammability	: 0 Minimal Hazard - Materials that will not burn
Physical	: 0 Minimal Hazard - Materials that are normally stable, even under fire conditions, and will NOT react with water, polymerize, decompose, condense, or self-react. Non-Explosives.

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