

VERTEX CSS-16°
A Sodium Hypochlorite Solution for Sanitization

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

FOR MANUFACTURING USE ONLY (see side panel)

ACTIVE INGREDIENT: Sodium Hypochlorite 16.40%
OTHER INGREDIENTS 83.60%

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

DANGER

FIRST AID STATEMENT

If in eyes:

- Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes.
- Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye.
- Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advise.

If on skin or clothing:

- Take off contaminated clothing.
- Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes.
- Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advise.

If swallowed:

- Call a poison control center or doctor immediately for further treatment advise.
- Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow.
- Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by poison control center or doctor.
- Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

If inhaled:

- Move person to fresh air.
- If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably by mouth-to-mouth if possible.
- Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advise.

HOT LINE NUMBER

Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison center or doctor, or going for treatment. Contact 1-800-222-1222 for emergency medical treatment information.

NOTE TO PHYSICIAN: Probable mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric lavage.

NEVER mix VERTEX CSS-16° with any other chemical.
See Side Panel for Additional Precautionary Statements.

EXPIRATION DATE: Use within 3 days of manufacture, or with minimum assay of 15.6% sodium hypochlorite. If product is not within minimum assay, return to manufacturer.

CONTENTS: 1 GALLON (3.78 LITERS)

VERTEX CHEMICAL CORPORATION
St. Louis, MO 63124
1-800-222-1915

ACCEPTED
with COMMENTS
EPA Letter Dated:

DEC 27 2002

Under the Federal Insecticide,
Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act as
amended, for the pesticide,
registered under EPA Reg. No. 9616-12

HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS: DANGER: Corrosive, may cause severe skin and eye irritation or chemical burns to broken skin. Causes eye damage. Wear face shield and NIOSH goggles and rubber gloves when handling this product. Wash after handling. Avoid breathing vapors. Vacate poorly ventilated areas as soon as possible. Do not return until odors have dissipated.

PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL HAZARDS: STRONG OXIDIZING AGENT: Mix only with water according to label directions. Mixing this product with chemicals (e.g. ammonia, acids, detergents, etc.) or organic matter (e.g. urine, feces, etc.) will release chlorine gas which is irritating to eyes, lungs, and mucous membranes.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS: This product is toxic to fish and aquatic organisms. Do not discharge effluent containing this product into lakes, streams, ponds, estuaries, oceans or public waters unless in accordance with the requirements of a National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit and permitting authority has been notified in writing prior to discharge. Do not discharge effluent containing this product to sewer systems without previously notifying the local sewage treatment plant authority. For guidance contact your State Water Board or Regional Office of the EPA.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

It is a violation of federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling.

NOTE: This product degrades with age. Adjust formula after testing, or return to manufacturer.

STORAGE & DISPOSAL: Store this product in a cool dry area away from direct sunlight and heat to avoid deterioration. In case of spill, flood areas with large quantities of water. Product or rinsates that cannot be used, should be diluted with water before disposal in a sanitary sewer. Do not reuse container but place in trash collection. Do not contaminate food or feed by storage, disposal, or cleaning of equipment.

MANUFACTURING USE ONLY

For manufacturing use only in the formulation of end-use products for:

- ◆ SWIMMING POOL WATER DISINFECTANT, WINTERIZING, SPAS, HOT TUBS, HUBBARD AND IMMERSION TANKS, HYDRO THERAPY TANKS
 - ◆ FOOD AND DAIRY PROCESSOR SANITIZING
 - ◆ DISINFECTANT OF NONPOROUS NON FOOD CONTACT SURFACES
 - ◆ SANITIZING NON-POROUS FOOD CONTACT SURFACES
 - ◆ SANITIZING POROUS FOOD CONTACT SURFACES
 - ◆ SANITIZING NON-POROUS NON FOOD CONTACT SURFACES
 - ◆ SANITIZING POROUS NON-FOOD CONTACT SURFACES
 - ◆ MACHINE DISH TERMINAL RINSE SANITIZING
 - ◆ SANITIZING RESTAURANT AND TAVERNS, BOTTLES
 - ◆ FRUIT AND VEGETABLE WASHING
 - ◆ SEWAGE AND WASTEWATER EFFLUENT TREATMENT
 - ◆ SEWAGE AND WASTEWATER TREATMENT
 - ◆ DRINKING WATER (EMERGENCY PUBLIC/INDIVIDUAL SYSTEMS) DISINFECTION
 - ◆ PUBLIC WATER SYSTEMS/DISINFECTION OF DRINKING WATER
 - ◆ EMERGENCY DISINFECTION AFTER FLOODS, FIRES, DROUGHTS, AND MAIN BREAKS
 - ◆ SANITIZING COOLING TOWER/EVAPORATIVE CONDENSER WATER IN FEDERALLY INSPECTED MEAT AND POULTRY PLANTS
 - ◆ DISINFECTING WATER TREATMENT COMPOUNDS IN FOOD PROCESSING PLANTS
 - ◆ SANITIZING FARM PREMISES, DAIRY FARMS
 - ◆ PULP AND PAPER MILL PROCESS WATER SYSTEMS DISINFECTIONS
 - ◆ AGRICULTURAL USES: POST-HARVEST PROTECTION
 - ◆ EGG SANITIZING, DESTAINING, WASHING
 - ◆ AQUACULTURAL USES
 - ◆ DIALYSIS MACHINES
 - ◆ ARTIFICIAL SAND BEACHES
 - ◆ BOAT BOTTOMS
 - ◆ EMPLOYEE HAND CARE
 - ◆ ASPHALT OR WOOD ROOFS AND SIDINGS
- Contains no phosphorus or phosphates.

© 1999 Vertex Chemical Corporation All Rights Reserved

EPA Reg. No. 9616-12

242