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Safety Data Sheet

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GHS

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1 Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

- **1.1 Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** Turbidex™
- **CAS Number:**
12173-10-3
- **EC number:**
215-283-8
- **1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**
No further relevant information available.
- **Application of the substance / the preparation** Drinking Water Filter Media
- **1.3 Details of the supplier of the Safety Data Sheet**
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**
Hydro Source LLC
1501 N. 28th Street
Harlingen, TX 78550
Phone: 956-425-1110
- **1.4 Emergency telephone number:**
Available Mon.-Fri., 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.
(956)425-1110, Fax (956)423-4994

2 Hazards identification

- **2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture**
- **Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**



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Acute Tox. 4 H332 Harmful if inhaled.
Skin Irrit. 2 H315 Causes skin irritation.
Eye Irrit. 2 H319 Causes serious eye irritation.
STOT SE 3 H335 May cause respiratory irritation.

- **Classification according to Directive 67/548/EEC or Directive 1999/45/EC**



Xn; Harmful

R20: Harmful by inhalation.



Xi; Irritant

R36/37/38: Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin.

- **Information concerning particular hazards for human and environment:** Not applicable.

- **2.2 Label elements**

- **Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**

The substance is classified and labelled according to the CLP regulation.

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- **Hazard pictograms**



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- **Signal word** Warning

- **Hazard-determining components of labelling:**

Clinoptilolite Zeolite/ Potassium, Calcium, Sodium Aluminosilicate

- **Hazard statements**

H332 Harmful if inhaled.

H315 Causes skin irritation.

H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

H335 May cause respiratory irritation.

- **Precautionary statements**

P280 Wear eye/face protection.

P261 Avoid breathing dust.

P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P304+P340 IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.

P403+P233 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

- **Hazard description:**

- **WHMIS-symbols:**

D2B - Toxic material causing other toxic effects



- **NFPA ratings (scale 0 - 4)**



Health = 2

Fire = 0

Reactivity = 0

- **HMIS-ratings (scale 0 - 4)**



Health = 2

Fire = 0

Reactivity = 0

- **HMIS Long Term Health Hazard Substances**

Substance is not listed.

- **2.3 Other hazards**

- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

- **PBT:** Not applicable.

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· vPvB: Not applicable.

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3 Composition/information on ingredients

- **3.1 Substances**
- **CAS No. Description**
12173-10-3 Clinoptilolite Zeolite/ Potassium, Calcium, Sodium
Aluminosilicate
- **Identification number(s)**
- **EC number:** 215-283-8
- **Impurities and stabilising additives:**
Present below 0.1%: quartz/crystalline silica.

CAS: 14808-60-7
EINECS: 238-878-4Quartz (SiO₂)

	Xn R48/20
	STOT RE 2, H373

4 First aid measures

- **4.1 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; consult doctor in case of complaints.
- **After skin contact:**
Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.
If skin irritation continues, consult a doctor.
- **After eye contact:**
Remove contact lenses if worn.
Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. If symptoms persist, consult a doctor.
- **After swallowing:**
Rinse out mouth and then drink plenty of water.
Do not induce vomiting; call for medical help immediately.
- **4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**
No further relevant information available.
- **Hazards** No further relevant information available.
- **4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**
No further relevant information available.

5 Firefighting measures

- **5.1 Extinguishing media**
- **Suitable extinguishing agents:** Use fire extinguishing methods suitable to surrounding conditions.
- **For safety reasons unsuitable extinguishing agents:** None.
- **5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture** No further relevant information available.

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- **5.3 Advice for firefighters**
- **Protective equipment:**
Wear self-contained respiratory protective device.
Wear fully protective suit.
- **Additional information** No further relevant information available.

6 Accidental release measures

- **6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**
Use respiratory protective device against the effects of fumes/dust/aerosol.
Ensure adequate ventilation
- **6.2 Environmental precautions:** No special measures required.
- **6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**
Pick up mechanically.
Dispose contaminated material as waste according to item 13.
Ensure adequate ventilation.
- **6.4 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.

7 Handling and storage

- **7.1 Precautions for safe handling**
Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.
Thorough dedusting.
Prevent formation of dust.
- **Information about fire - and explosion protection:** No special measures required.
- **7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **Storage:**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:**
Avoid storage near extreme heat, ignition sources or open flame.
Provide ventilation for receptacles.
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:**
Store away from oxidizing agents.
Store away from foodstuffs.
- **Further information about storage conditions:** Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed receptacles.
- **7.3 Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

8 Exposure controls/personal protection

- **Additional information about design of technical facilities:** No further data; see item 7.

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- **8.1 Control parameters**
- **Ingredients with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**
The product does not contain any relevant quantities of materials with critical values that have to be monitored at the workplace.
- **DNELs** No further relevant information available.
- **PNECs** No further relevant information available.
- **Additional information:** The lists valid during the making were used as basis.
- **8.2 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.
Do not inhale dust / smoke / mist.
- **Respiratory protection:**
Not required under normal conditions of use.
Use respiratory protection when grinding or cutting material.
Use suitable respiratory protective device when high concentrations are present.
- **Protection of hands:**
 Protective gloves
- **Eye protection:**
 Safety glasses
- **Body protection:** Protective work clothing
- **Limitation and supervision of exposure into the environment**
No further relevant information available.
- **Risk management measures**
See Section 7 for additional information.
No further relevant information available.

9 Physical and chemical properties

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

Form:	Granulate
Colour:	Yellowish
- **Odour:** Characteristic
- **Odour threshold:** Not determined.

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· pH-value:	Not determined.
· Change in condition	
Melting point/Melting range:	Undetermined.
Boiling point/Boiling range:	Undetermined.
· Flash point:	Not applicable.
· Flammability (solid, gaseous):	Not applicable.
· Ignition temperature:	Not determined.
· Decomposition temperature:	Not determined.
· Self-igniting:	Not determined.
· Danger of explosion:	Product does not present an explosion hazard.
· Explosion limits:	
Lower:	Not determined.
Upper:	Not determined.
· Vapour pressure:	Not determined.
· Density at 20 °C:	2,2 - 2,4 g/cm ³
· Relative density	Not determined.
· Vapour density	Not determined.
· Evaporation rate	Not determined.
· Solubility in / Miscibility with water:	Not miscible or difficult to mix.
· Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):	Not determined.
· Viscosity:	
Dynamic:	Not determined.
Kinematic:	Not determined.
· 9.2 Other information	No further relevant information available.

10 Stability and reactivity

- 10.1 Reactivity
- 10.2 Chemical stability
- Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:
No decomposition if used and stored according to specifications.
- 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions
As the product is supplied it is not capable of dust explosion; however enrichment with fine dust causes risk of dust explosion.
- 10.4 Conditions to avoid No further relevant information available.
- 10.5 Incompatible materials: No further relevant information available.

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- **10.6 Hazardous decomposition products:** Toxic metal oxide smoke

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11 Toxicological information

- **11.1 Information on toxicological effects**
- **Acute toxicity:**
- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **on the skin:** Irritant to skin and mucous membranes.
- **on the eye:** Irritating effect.
- **Sensitization:** No sensitizing effects known.
- **Repeated dose toxicity:** May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure .

12 Ecological information

- **12.1 Toxicity**
- **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.
- **12.2 Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.
- **12.3 Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.
- **12.4 Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.
- **Additional ecological information:**
- **General notes:** Generally not hazardous for water
- **12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.
- **12.6 Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.

13 Disposal considerations

- **13.1 Waste treatment methods**
- **Recommendation**
Smaller quantities can be disposed of with household waste.
Can be reused after reprocessing.
- **Uncleaned packaging:**
- **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

14 Transport information

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · 14.1 UN-Number · DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA | N/A |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · 14.2 UN proper shipping name · DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA | N/A |

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| · 14.3 Transport hazard class(es) | |
| · DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA | |
| · Class | N/A |
| · 14.4 Packing group | |
| · DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA | N/A |
| · 14.5 Environmental hazards: | |
| · Marine pollutant: | No |
| · 14.6 Special precautions for user | Not applicable. |
| · 14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code | Not applicable. |
| · UN "Model Regulation": | - |

15 Regulatory information

- 15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture
- United States (USA)
- SARA

· Section 355 (extremely hazardous substances):	
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Substance is not listed.

· Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings):	
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Substance is not listed.

· TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act):	
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Substance is not listed.

- Proposition 65 (California):
- Chemicals known to cause cancer:
Present in trace quantities.

14808-60-7 Quartz (SiO₂)

14464-46-1 cristobalite

· Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for females:	
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Substance is not listed.

· Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for males:	
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Substance is not listed.

· Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity:	
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Substance is not listed.

· Carcinogenic Categories	
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· EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)	
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Substance is not listed.

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- **IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)**

Substance is not listed.

- **TLV (Threshold Limit Value established by ACGIH)**

Substance is not listed.

- **NIOSH-Ca (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)**

Substance is not listed.

- **OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety & Health Administration)**

Substance is not listed.

- **Canada**

- **Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL)**

Substance is not listed.

- **Canadian Ingredient Disclosure list (limit 0.1%)**

Substance is not listed.

- **Canadian Ingredient Disclosure list (limit 1%)**

Substance is not listed.

- **15.2 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.

- **Abbreviations and acronyms:**

ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

DOT: US Department of Transportation

IATA: International Air Transport Association

GHS: Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists 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)

WHMIS: Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (Canada)

DNEL: Derived No-Effect Level (REACH)

PNEC: Predicted No-Effect Concentration (REACH)

- **Sources**

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