



**SAFETY DATA SHEET  
QUICSEAL 658  
Q-COTTO ALKALINE CLEANER**

**1. INFORMATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/COMPOUND AND THE SUPPLIER**

Product Name: QUICSEAL 658 – Q-COTTO Alkaline Cleaner  
Product Use: Heavy-duty liquid cleaner for various surfaces.

Details of the supplier:

*QUICSEAL CONSTRUCTION CHEMICALS PTE LTD  
No. 7 Eunos Avenue 8A  
Eunos Industrial Estate  
Singapore 409460*

Emergency Contact No.: (65) 6742 4466

**2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

**GHS Classification:**

Corrosive to metals – Category 1  
Acute toxicity, oral – Category 3  
Skin corrosion – Category 1  
Serious eye damage – Category 1

**GHS LABEL ELEMENTS**

**Symbol(s):**



**Signal Word**

Danger

**Hazard Statements:**

H290: May be corrosive to metals  
H302: Toxic if swallowed  
H314: Causes severe skin burns and serious eye damage

**Precautionary Statements:**

Prevention

P234: Keep only in original container.  
P264: Wash skin thoroughly after handling.  
P270: Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.  
P280: Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

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Response

P301 + P312: IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician.

P301+P330+P331: IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

P303+P361+P353: IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/ Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower.

P305+P351+P338: IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a poison center or doctor/physician.

P310: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician.

P330: Rinse mouth.

P363: Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

P390: Absorb spillage to prevent materials damage.

Storage

P405: Store locked up.

P406: Store in a corrosive-resistant container with a resistant inner liner.

Disposal

P501: Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/national/international regulations.

**3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

This product contains the following components classified as hazardous:

COMPONENTS	CAS No.	EINECS No.	Index No.	Percentage
Potassium hydroxide	1310-58-3	215-181-3	019-002-00-8	7 – 10%
Sodium metasilicate	6834-92-0	229-912-9	014-010-00-8	3 – 5%

**4. FIRST-AID MEASURES****General information**

Take person to a safe place. Observe self-protection for first aid. Always seek medical advice in the event of contact with this substance. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance

**Inhalation**

Keep the patient calm. If unconscious place in stable sideways position. Protect against loss of body heat. If breathing stops, administer artificial respiration. Seek medical advice immediately and clearly identify substance.

**Skin contact**

Remove contaminated clothes at once. Wash off with plenty of water or water and soap immediately for 10-15 minutes. In serious cases, use emergency shower immediately. Seek medical advice immediately and clearly identify substance.

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**Eye contact**

Rinse immediately with plenty of water for 10-15 minutes. Keep eyelids well open to rinse the whole eye surface and eyelids with water. Seek medical advice immediately and clearly identify substance. Continue to bathe eyes during transport to medical practitioner.

**Ingestion**

If conscious, give several small portions of water to drink. Do not induce vomiting. Seek medical advice immediately and clearly identify substance.

**5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES****General Fire Hazards**

If material is involved in fire, do not breathe fumes.

**Suitable Fire-extinguishing Media**

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

**Hazardous Decomposition Products**

Oxides of potassium, sodium, and silicon.

**Advice for fire-fighters**

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment. Use water spray to cool unopened containers. Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary. Do not use a solid water stream as it may scatter and spread fire.

**Further information**

Dispose of fire debris and contaminated extinguishing water in accordance with official regulations.

**6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES****Emergency Measures**

Emergency and non-emergency responders should use personal protective equipment. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not breathe vapours/aerosol.

**Personal Precautions and Protective equipment**

Response and clean-up crews must be properly trained and must utilize proper protective equipment (see Section 8).

**Environmental Precautions**

Protect bodies of water by diking, absorbents, or absorbent boom, if possible. Do not flush down sewer or drainage systems, unless system is designed and permitted to handle such material.

**Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up**

Carefully contain and stop the source of the spill, if safe to do so. Soak up with inert absorbent material and dispose of as hazardous waste. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal. Clean contaminated surface thoroughly.

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## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

### Precautions for Safe Handling

Plan first aid action before beginning work with this product. Wear personal protective equipment. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid inhalation of vapour or mist. Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking.

### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store in a place accessible by authorized persons only. Store in original container. Keep container tightly closed in a dry, cool, and well-ventilated place. Store away from heat sources and direct sunlight. Containers which are opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Keep away from direct incompatible materials (see Section 10).

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS AND PERSONAL PROTECTION

### Control Parameters / Occupational Exposure Limits

This product contains the following component with its relevant occupational exposure limits:  
Potassium hydroxide, CAS No.: 1310-58-3, Singapore PEL (short-term) = 2 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

### Occupational Exposure Controls

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing.

### Personal Protective Equipment:

#### Eye/face protection

Tightly fitting safety goggles. Faceshield (8-inch minimum). Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

#### Skin protection

Handle with protective gloves complying with EN 374. Gloves made of Nitrile. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands. The selected protective gloves have to satisfy the specifications of EU Directive 89/686/EEC and the standard EN 374 derived from it.

#### Body Protection

Complete suit protecting against chemicals, The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

#### Respiratory protection

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face respirator with multi-purpose combination (US) or type ABEK (EN 14387) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. If the respirator is the sole means of protection, use a full-face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

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## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical state:	Liquid
Color:	Colourless
Odour:	Acetate solvent
Flash Point:	Non-flammable
Initial boiling point and boiling range:	104°C
Autoignition temperature:	Not available
Flammability Limits:	Not available
Vapor pressure (20°C):	Not available
Vapor density:	Not available
Water Solubility (25°C):	Miscible
Specific Gravity:	Approx. 1.19
pH (5% solution in water):	13.5 ~ 14.0

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

### Chemical stability

Stable at normal conditions. No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.

### Possibility of hazardous reactions

No hazardous reactions are expected under normal conditions of handling and storage.

The product reacts violently with strong acids and with metals such as lead, tin/tin oxides, zinc, and aluminum producing an exothermic reaction (strong evolution of heat).

### Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents, strong acids, lead, tin/tin oxides, zinc, aluminum.

### Hazardous decomposition products

Potassium oxides, sodium oxides, and silicon oxides may be liberated when product is involved in fire.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

This product has not been tested and all the toxicological statements have been derived from the respective components' available toxicity information.

### Acute toxicity

Experimental/calculated data:

LD50, oral: 285 mg/kg (the product is toxic if ingested)

LD50, dermal: > 5,000 mg/kg (the product is not harmful in contact with skin)

LC50, inhalation: > 20 mg/L (the product is not harmful if inhaled)

### Skin and Eye Irritation

The product contains the following components with their respective skin and eye corrosion/irritation classification:

Sodium metasilicate, CAS No.: 6834-92-0 = Skin Corrosive – Cat. 1; Serious Eye Damage – Cat. 1

Potassium hydroxide, CAS No.: 1310-58-3 = Skin Irritant – Cat. 2; Eye Irritant – Cat. 2

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**Respiratory / Skin sensitization**

The product's components are not expected to cause allergic skin reaction and/or allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties.

**Germ cell mutagenicity / Carcinogenicity / Reproductive toxicity / Developmental toxicity**

Based on the assessment of available information, the product is: not mutagenic in bacteria; has no known carcinogenic effect; and not expected to cause reproductive and developmental toxicity.

**Specific target organ toxicity (single and repeated exposure)**

Based on the available information, this product is not expected to cause damage to any organ after a single or repeated exposure.

**12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

The following ecological assessment is based on the available ecotoxicity information of the product's components.

**Ecotoxicity**

This product is not expected to be toxic to aquatic life based on the toxicity values to the following aquatic organisms:

Fish: LC50 (96h) > 200 mg/l, *Brachydanio rerio* (OECD Guideline 203, static)

Aquatic invertebrates: EC50 (48h) > 200 mg/l, *Daphnia magna* (OECD Guideline 202, part 1, static)

Aquatic plants: LC50 (72h) > 200 mg/l, *Scenedesmus subspicatus* (OECD Guideline 201)

**Additional information**

Do not release product untreated into natural waters. At the present knowledge of the product, no negative ecological effects are expected.

**13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS****Description of waste residues and information on their safe handling & methods of disposal**

Dispose of the product through licensed hazardous waste collectors under Singapore regulations. Provide the hazardous waste collector the sufficient information on the various hazards of this product.

**Disposal of any contaminated packaging**

Dried material can be disposed off in authorized landfill site in accordance to national regulations.

Container should be recycled after cleaning or dispose of the container through licensed hazardous waste collectors under Singapore regulations.

Provide the hazardous waste collector the sufficient information on the various hazards of this product in this container.

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## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

### Land Transport (ADR):

Proper Shipping Name: CORROSIVE LIQUID MIXTURE, N.O.S  
UN Number: 1760  
Hazard Class: 8  
Packing Group: II



### Air Transport (IATA):

Proper Shipping Name: CORROSIVE LIQUID MIXTURE, N.O.S  
UN Number: 1760  
Hazard Class: 8  
Packing Group: II



### Sea transport (IMDG):

Proper Shipping Name: CORROSIVE LIQUID MIXTURE, N.O.S  
UN Number: 1760  
Hazard Class: 8  
Packing Group: II  
Marine pollutant: No



## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

### Applicable National Regulations

This product is subject to the requirements in the following acts/regulations:

Workplace Safety and Health Act & Workplace Safety and Health (General Provisions) Regulations  
Environmental Protection and Management Act and Environmental Protection and Management  
Maritime and Port Authority of Singapore (Dangerous Goods, Petroleum and Explosives)

### International Regulations

This product is classified as hazardous pursuant to the provision set forth in Directives 67/548/EEC and 1999/45/EC and/or EC Regulation 1272/2008 (CLP) (and subsequent amendments and supplements). The product thus requires a safety datasheet that complies with the provisions of EC Regulation 1907/2006 and subsequent amendments.

## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

The information and data contained herein are believed to be accurate and reliable; however, it is the user's responsibility to determine suitability of use. Since QUICSEAL Construction Chemicals Pte. Ltd. cannot know all of the uses to which its products may be put or the conditions of use; it makes no warranties concerning the fitness or suitability of its products for a particular use of purpose.

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