

Safety Data Sheet (SDS)

OSHA HazCom Standard 29 CFR 1910.1200(g), Rev. 2012 and GHS Rev 03.

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1 Identification

- **Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** NuFlo GEL-POL
- **Product number:** ofc-GEL-POL
- **Product description** alpha olefin sulfonate
- **Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**
NuGenTec Oilfield Chemicals
1155 Park Avenue, Emeryville, CA 94608
ofcadmin@nugentec.com www.nugentec.com/oilfield
888-996-8436 or 707-891-3012 for product information
- **Emergency telephone number:** Infotrac: 1-800-535-5053, 1-352-326-2510

2 Hazard(s) identification

- **Classification of the substance or mixture**



Health hazard

Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child.

- **Label elements**
- **GHS label elements**
The product is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).
- **Hazard pictograms**



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- **Signal word** Warning
- **Hazard-determining components of labeling:**
diethylene glycol monomethyl ether
- **Hazard statements**
Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child.
- **Precautionary statements**
Use personal protective equipment as required.
Obtain special instructions before use.
Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.
IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.
Store locked up.
Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.
- **Classification system:**
- **NFPA ratings (scale 0 - 4)**



Health = 1
Fire = 2
Reactivity = 0

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· **HMIS-ratings (scale 0 - 4)**

HEALTH	1	Health = 1
FIRE	2	Fire = 2
REACTIVITY	0	Reactivity = 0

3 Composition/information on ingredients

11138-66-2	Xanthan Gum	25-50%
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- **Chemical characterization: Mixtures**
- **Description:** Mixture of the substances listed below with nonhazardous additions.

· **Dangerous Components:**

111-77-3	diethylene glycol monomethyl ether	 Repr. 2, H361; H227	60-90%
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4 First-aid measures

- **Description of first aid measures**
- **After inhalation:** Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of complaints.
- **After skin contact:** Generally the product does not irritate the skin.
- **After eye contact:** Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water.
- **After swallowing:** Give large amounts of water. If symptoms persist consult 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:**
CO2, extinguishing powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.
- **Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture** No further relevant information available.
- **Advice for firefighters**
- **Protective equipment:** No special measures required.

6 Accidental release measures

- **Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures** Not required.
- **Environmental precautions:**
Dilute with plenty of water.
Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.
- **Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**
Absorb with liquid-binding material (ie. sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).
Dispose contaminated material as waste according to section 13.
Ensure adequate ventilation.

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· **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

· **Precautions for safe handling**

- Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.
- Prevent formation of aerosols.

· **Information about protection against explosions and fires:** No special measures required.

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

· **Storage:**

- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** No special requirements.
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.
- **Further information about storage conditions:** None.
- **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 occupational exposure limits:**

The product does not contain any relevant quantities of materials with critical values that have to be monitored at the workplace.

· **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.
- Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.

· **Breathing equipment:** Not required.

· **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.

Select glove material based on penetration times, rates of diffusion and 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. As the product is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material can not be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application.

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- **Penetration time of glove material**
The exact break-through time has to be determined and observed by the manufacturer of the protective gloves.
- **Eye protection:** Goggles recommended during refilling.

9 Physical and chemical properties

· **Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

· **General Information**

· **Appearance:**

· Form:	viscous liquid
· Color:	Pale yellow
· Odor:	Mild
· Odor threshold:	Not determined.

· **pH-value @ 20 °C (68 °F):** 8

· **Change in condition**

· Melting point/Melting range:	Not determined.
· Boiling point/Boiling range:	168 °C (334 °F)

· **Flash point:** 66 °C (151 °F)

· **Flammability (solid, gaseous):** Not applicable.

· **Ignition temperature:**

· **Decomposition temperature:** Not determined.

· **Auto igniting:** Product is not selfigniting.

· **Danger of explosion:** Product does not present an explosion hazard.

· **Explosion limits:**

· Lower:	Not determined.
· Upper:	Not determined.

· **Vapor pressure:** Not determined.

· **Density @ 20 °C (68 °F):** 1.1 g/cm³ (9.18 lbs/gal)

· **Relative density** Not determined.

· **Vapour density** Not determined.

· **Evaporation rate** Not determined.

· **Solubility in / Miscibility with**

· **Water:** Fully miscible.

· **Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):** Not determined.

· **Viscosity:**

· Dynamic @ 20 °C (68 °F):	1000 mPas
· Kinematic:	Not determined.

· **Solvent content:**

· **Organic solvents:** 70.0 %

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VOC content:	70.0 %
Solids content:	30.0 %
Other information	No further relevant information available.

10 Stability and reactivity

- **Reactivity** No further relevant information available.
- **Chemical stability** Product is stable under normal conditions.
- **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:**

111-77-3 diethylene glycol monomethyl ether

Oral	LD50	5500 mg/kg (rat)
Dermal	LD50	6540 mg/kg (rabbit)

- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **on the skin:** No irritant effect.
- **on the eye:** No irritating effect.
- **Additional toxicological information:**
The product shows the following dangers according to internally approved calculation methods for preparations:

- **Carcinogenic categories**

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

None of the ingredients are listed.

- **NTP (National Toxicology Program)**

None of the ingredients are listed.

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

None of the ingredients are listed.

12 Ecological information

- **Toxicity**
- **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.
- **Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.
- **Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.

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- **Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.
- **Additional ecological information:**
- **General notes:** Water hazard class 1 (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water
- **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.
- **Recommended cleansing agent:** Water, if necessary with cleansing agents.

14 Transport information

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · UN-Number | Non-Regulated Material |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA | Non-Regulated Material |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · UN proper shipping name | Non-Regulated Material |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA | Non-Regulated Material |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Transport hazard class(es) | Non-Regulated Material |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA · Class | Non-Regulated Material |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Packing group | Non-Regulated Material |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA | Non-Regulated Material |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Environmental hazards: | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Marine pollutant: | No |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Special precautions for user | Not applicable. |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code | Not applicable. |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · UN "Model Regulation": | - |

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15 Regulatory information

- **Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**
- **Sara**

- **Section 355 (extremely hazardous substances):**

None of the ingredients are listed.

- **Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings):**

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- **TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act):**

All ingredients are listed.

- **Proposition 65**

- **Chemicals known to cause cancer:**

None of the ingredients are listed.

- **Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for females:**

None of the ingredients are listed.

- **Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for males:**

None of the ingredients are listed.

- **Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity:**

None of the ingredients are listed.

- **Carcinogenic categories**

- **EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)**

None of the ingredients are listed.

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

None of the ingredients are listed.

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

This product is listed as a hazardous material under criteria of the Federal OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200.

- **GHS label elements**

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- **Hazard pictograms**



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- **Signal word** Warning

- **Hazard-determining components of labeling:**

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- **Hazard statements**

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- **Precautionary statements**

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IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.

Store locked up.

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

• **National regulations:**

The product is subject to be labeled according with the prevailing version of the regulations on hazardous substances.

• **State Right to Know**

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11138-66-2	Xanthan Gum		25-50%

All ingredients are listed.

• **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.

• **Date of preparation / last revision** 08/05/2014 / 1

• **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

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

NFPA: National Fire Protection Association (USA)

HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)

VOC: Volatile Organic Compounds (USA, EU)

LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent

LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent

: Flammable liquids, Hazard Category 4

Repr. 2: Reproductive toxicity, Hazard Category 2

• *** Data compared to the previous version altered.**

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