

# WB5 Buffer

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### SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

#### 1.1. Product identifier

Product form : Mixture  
Trade name : WB5 Buffer  
Product code : 190811 WB5 Buffer, 300 mL  
190874 WB5 Buffer, 351 mL  
190922 WB5 Buffer, 2.4 mL  
191041 WB5 Buffer, 80 mL  
Product group : Trade product

#### 1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

##### 1.2.1. Relevant identified uses

No additional information available

##### 1.2.2. Uses advised against

Restrictions on use : None known

#### 1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Covaris, LLC  
14 Gill St., Unir H  
01801 Woburn – MA  
USA  
T +1 (781) 932-3959

#### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : Chemtrec (800) 424-9300

| Country        | Organisation/Company                                                         | Address                                  | Emergency number                                                                                       | Comment                              |
|----------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Australia      | NSW Poisons Information Centre<br>The Children's Hospital at Westmead        | Locked Bag 4001<br>NSW 2145 Westmead     | 13 11 26                                                                                               |                                      |
| Ireland        | National Poisons Information Centre<br>Beaumont Hospital                     | PO Box 1297<br>Beaumont Road<br>9 Dublin | +353 1 809 2566<br>(Healthcare professionals-<br>24/7)<br>+353 1 809 2166 (public,<br>8am - 10pm, 7/7) |                                      |
| New Zealand    | National Poisons Centre                                                      | PO Box 56<br>9054 Dunedin                | 0800 764 766                                                                                           |                                      |
| United Kingdom | National Poisons Information Service<br>(Birmingham Centre)<br>City Hospital | Dudley Road<br>B18 7QH Birmingham        | 0344 892 0111                                                                                          | Only for healthcare<br>professionals |

### SECTION 2: Hazards identification

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

##### Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

Not classified

##### Adverse physicochemical, human health and environmental effects

To our knowledge, this product does not present any particular risk, provided it is handled in accordance with good occupational hygiene and safety practice.

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### 2.2. Label elements

#### Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

No labelling applicable

### 2.3. Other hazards

Contains no PBT/vPvB substances  $\geq 0.1\%$  assessed in accordance with REACH Annex XIII

| Component                                         |                                                                                                                                                                                 |
|---------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Polyethylene glycol octylphenyl ether (9036-19-5) | This substance/mixture does not meet the PBT criteria of REACH regulation, annex XIII<br>This substance/mixture does not meet the vPvB criteria of REACH regulation, annex XIII |

The mixture contains substance(s) included in the list established in accordance with Article 59(1) of REACH for having endocrine disrupting properties, or is identified as having endocrine disrupting properties in accordance with the criteria set out in Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605

| Component                                        |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
|--------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Polyethylene glycol octylphenyl ether(9036-19-5) | The substance is included in the list established in accordance with Article 59(1) of REACH for having endocrine disrupting properties, or is identified as having endocrine disrupting properties in accordance with the criteria set out in Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605 |

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.1. Substances

Not applicable

### 3.2. Mixtures

| Name                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | Product identifier | %   | Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]                  |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|-----|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Polyethylene glycol octylphenyl ether<br>substance listed as REACH Candidate (4-(1,1,3,3-tetramethylbutyl)phenol, ethoxylated)<br>substance listed in REACH Annex XIV (4-(1,1,3,3-Tetramethylbutyl) phenol, ethoxylated (covering well-defined substances and UVCB substances, polymers and homologues))<br>substance identified as having endocrine disrupting properties | CAS-No.: 9036-19-5 | 0.5 | Acute Tox. 4 (Oral), H302 (ATE=1900 mg/kg bodyweight)<br>Aquatic Chronic 2, H411 |

Full text of H- and EUH-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.                                |
| First-aid measures after eye contact  | : Rinse eyes with water as a precaution.                         |
| First-aid measures after ingestion    | : Call a poison center or a doctor if you feel unwell.           |

### 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

|                  |                                          |
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| Symptoms/effects | : May cause slight temporary irritation. |
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### 4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treat symptomatically.

## SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

### 5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media : Water spray. Dry powder. Foam. Carbon dioxide.

### 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Hazardous decomposition products in case of fire : Toxic fumes may be released.

### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

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.

#### 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. Wear personal protective equipment.  
Hygiene measures : 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.

### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

No additional information available

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### SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

#### 8.1. Control parameters

##### 8.1.1 National occupational exposure and biological limit values

No additional information available

##### 8.1.2. Recommended monitoring procedures

No additional information available

##### 8.1.3. Air contaminants formed

No additional information available

##### 8.1.4. DNEL and PNEC

No additional information available

##### 8.1.5. Control banding

No additional information available

#### 8.2. Exposure controls

##### 8.2.1. Appropriate engineering controls

###### Appropriate engineering controls:

Ensure good ventilation of the work station.

##### 8.2.2. Personal protection equipment

###### 8.2.2.1. Eye and face protection

###### Eye protection:

Safety glasses

###### 8.2.2.2. Skin protection

###### Skin and body protection:

Wear suitable protective clothing

###### Hand protection:

Protective gloves

###### 8.2.2.3. Respiratory protection

###### Respiratory protection:

In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment

###### 8.2.2.4. Thermal hazards

No additional information available

##### 8.2.3. Environmental exposure controls

###### Environmental exposure controls:

Avoid release to the environment.

### SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

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

|                 |                            |
|-----------------|----------------------------|
| Physical state  | : Liquid                   |
| Colour          | : Colourless.              |
| Appearance      | : Clear, colorless liquid. |
| Odour           | : None.                    |
| Odour threshold | : Not available            |
| Melting point   | : Not applicable           |
| Freezing point  | : Not available            |
| Boiling point   | : 100 °C                   |
| Flammability    | : Not applicable           |

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| Explosive limits                                | : Not available  |
| Lower explosion limit                           | : Not available  |
| Upper explosion limit                           | : Not available  |
| Flash point                                     | : Not available  |
| Auto-ignition temperature                       | : Not available  |
| Decomposition temperature                       | : Not available  |
| pH                                              | : 7.6            |
| Viscosity, kinematic                            | : Not available  |
| Solubility                                      | : Not available  |
| Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Kow) | : Not available  |
| Vapour pressure                                 | : Not available  |
| Vapour pressure at 50 °C                        | : Not available  |
| Density                                         | : Not available  |
| Relative density                                | : Not available  |
| Relative vapour density at 20 °C                | : Not available  |
| Particle characteristics                        | : Not applicable |

### 9.2. Other information

#### 9.2.1. Information with regard to physical hazard classes

No additional information available

#### 9.2.2. Other safety characteristics

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 hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

|                             |                  |
|-----------------------------|------------------|
| Acute toxicity (oral)       | : Not classified |
| Acute toxicity (dermal)     | : Not classified |
| Acute toxicity (inhalation) | : Not classified |

| Polyethylene glycol octylphenyl ether (9036-19-5) |              |
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| LD50 oral rat                                     | 1900 mg/kg   |
| LD50 dermal rabbit                                | > 3000 mg/kg |

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| Skin corrosion/irritation         | : Not classified<br>pH: 7.6 |
| Serious eye damage/irritation     | : Not classified<br>pH: 7.6 |
| Respiratory or skin sensitisation | : 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            |

| Polyethylene glycol octylphenyl ether (9036-19-5) |                        |
|---------------------------------------------------|------------------------|
| Viscosity, kinematic                              | 226 mm <sup>2</sup> /s |

### 11.2. Information on other hazards

#### 11.2.1. Endocrine disrupting properties

| Component                                        |                                                                                                                  |
|--------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Polyethylene glycol octylphenyl ether(9036-19-5) | The substance is identified for having endocrine disrupting properties but there is no additional data available |

#### 11.2.2. Other information

No additional information available

## SECTION 12: Ecological information

### 12.1. Toxicity

|                                                           |                                                                                                                         |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Ecology - general                                         | : The product is not considered harmful to aquatic organisms nor to cause long-term adverse effects in the environment. |
| Hazardous to the aquatic environment, short-term (acute)  | : Not classified                                                                                                        |
| Hazardous to the aquatic environment, long-term (chronic) | : Not classified                                                                                                        |

| Polyethylene glycol octylphenyl ether (9036-19-5) |                                                   |
|---------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|
| LC50 - Fish [1]                                   | 4 – 8.9 mg/l Pimephales promelas (Fathead minnow) |
| EC50 - Crustacea [1]                              | 18 – 26 mg/l Daphnia magna (Water flea)           |

### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

| Polyethylene glycol octylphenyl ether (9036-19-5) |                        |
|---------------------------------------------------|------------------------|
| Persistence and degradability                     | Readily biodegradable. |
| Biodegradation                                    | > 60 % (28 days)       |

### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

| Polyethylene glycol octylphenyl ether (9036-19-5) |                       |
|---------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Bioconcentration factor (BCF REACH)               | 15                    |
| Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)   | 2.7 (estimated value) |

### 12.4. Mobility in soil

No additional information available

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### 12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

No additional information available

### 12.6. Endocrine disrupting properties

| Component                                        |                                                                                                                  |
|--------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Polyethylene glycol octylphenyl ether(9036-19-5) | The substance is identified for having endocrine disrupting properties but there is no additional data available |

### 12.7. Other adverse effects

No additional information available

## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

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

## SECTION 14: Transport information

In accordance with ADR / IMDG / IATA / ADN / RID

| ADR                                     | IMDG           | IATA           | ADN            | RID            |
|-----------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| <b>14.1. UN number or ID number</b>     |                |                |                |                |
| Not applicable                          | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable |
| <b>14.2. UN proper shipping name</b>    |                |                |                |                |
| Not applicable                          | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable |
| <b>14.3. Transport hazard class(es)</b> |                |                |                |                |
| Not applicable                          | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable |
| <b>14.4. Packing group</b>              |                |                |                |                |
| Not applicable                          | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable |
| <b>14.5. Environmental hazards</b>      |                |                |                |                |
| Not applicable                          | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable |
| No supplementary information available  |                |                |                |                |

### 14.6. Special precautions for user

#### Overland transport

Not applicable

#### Transport by sea

Not applicable

#### Air transport

Not applicable

#### Inland waterway transport

Not applicable

#### Rail transport

Not applicable

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### 14.7. Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

Not applicable

## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

### 15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

#### 15.1.1. EU-Regulations

##### REACH Annex XVII (Restriction List)

Contains no REACH substances with Annex XVII restrictions

##### REACH Annex XIV (Authorisation List)

Contains REACH Annex XIV substances: 4-(1,1,3,3-tetramethylbutyl)phenol, ethoxylated (CAS 9036-19-5)

##### REACH Candidate List (SVHC)

Contains a substance on the REACH candidate list: 4-(1,1,3,3-tetramethylbutyl)phenol, ethoxylated (CAS 9036-19-5)

##### PIC Regulation (Prior Informed Consent)

Contains no substance subject to Regulation (EU) No 649/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 4 July 2012 concerning the export and import of hazardous chemicals.

##### POP Regulation (Persistent Organic Pollutants)

Contains no substance subject to Regulation (EU) No 2019/1021 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 June 2019 on persistent organic pollutants

##### Ozone Regulation (1005/2009)

Contains no substance subject to REGULATION (EU) No 1005/2009 OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL of 16 September 2009 on substances that deplete the ozone layer.

##### Explosives Precursors Regulation (2019/1148)

Contains no substance subject to Regulation (EU) 2019/1148 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 June 2019 on the marketing and use of explosives precursors.

##### Drug Precursors Regulation (273/2004)

Contains no substance(s) listed on the Drug Precursors list (Regulation EC 273/2004 on drug precursors)

#### 15.1.2. National regulations

All chemical substances in this product are listed in the EPA (Environment Protection Agency) TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) Inventory

##### Germany

|                                            |                                                                                                                                                                                       |
|--------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Employment restrictions                    | : Observe restrictions according Act on the Protection of Working Mothers (MuSchG).<br>Observe restrictions according Act on the Protection of Young People in Employment (JArbSchG). |
| Water hazard class (WGK)                   | : WGK 2, Significantly hazardous to water (Classification according to AwSV, Annex 1).                                                                                                |
| Hazardous Incident Ordinance (12. BImSchV) | : Is not subject of the Hazardous Incident Ordinance (12. BImSchV)                                                                                                                    |

##### Netherlands

|                                                      |                                     |
|------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| SZW-lijst van kankerverwekkende stoffen              | : None of the components are listed |
| SZW-lijst van mutagene stoffen                       | : None of the components are listed |
| SZW-lijst van reprotoxische stoffen – Borstvoeding   | : None of the components are listed |
| SZW-lijst van reprotoxische stoffen – Vruchtbaarheid | : None of the components are listed |
| SZW-lijst van reprotoxische stoffen – Ontwikkeling   | : None of the components are listed |

##### Switzerland

|                    |                      |
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| Storage class (LK) | : LK 10/12 - Liquids |
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### 15.2. Chemical safety assessment

No chemical safety assessment has been carried out



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### SECTION 16: Other information

| Full text of H- and EUH-statements: |                                                                   |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Acute Tox. 4 (Oral)                 | Acute toxicity (oral), Category 4                                 |
| Aquatic Chronic 2                   | Hazardous to the aquatic environment – Chronic Hazard, Category 2 |
| H302                                | Harmful if swallowed.                                             |
| H411                                | Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.                  |

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This information is based on our current knowledge and is intended to describe the product for the purposes of health, safety and environmental requirements only. It should not therefore be construed as guaranteeing any specific property of the product.