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

1.1. Product identifier

Product Code(s)	23044
Safety data sheet number	23044
Product Name	FATTY ACIDS, C16-18
EC Number	266-928-5
CAS No	67701-03-5
Synonyms	PALMERA B1802 CG, STEARIC ACID, RADIACID 0423, RADIACID 0421, STEARIN 417 FLINGOR, STEARIN 421 FLINGOR, STEARIN 423 PULVER, STEARIN 406, RADIACID 0417, STEARIC ACID VEG 1843, PRISTERENE 4916, KORTACID PH 80, PRISTERENE 4963-PA-(GD), STEARIC ACID 1865-M, PALMERA B1801, PALMERA B1802 BEAD, STEARIC ACID V-D1, RADIACID 0417 RSPO MB, PALMERA B1802 FLAKE, WILFARIN SA 1838
Pure substance/mixture	Substance
Molecular weight	274

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

Recommended use	Industrial application Soaps Emulsifier Lubricant surfactant Chemical intermediate Cosmetics Pharmaceuticals Food industry
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1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Supplier

Univar Solutions UK Ltd
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1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency Telephone

SGS - +32 (0)3 575 55 55 (24h)

SECTION 2: Hazards identification**2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture**

Not classified

2.2. Label elements

Not classified

Hazard statements

Not classified

- 0 % of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown acute oral toxicity.
- 0 % of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown acute dermal toxicity.
- 0 % of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown acute inhalation toxicity (gas).
- 0 % of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown acute inhalation toxicity (vapour).
- 0 % of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown acute inhalation toxicity (dust/mist).

2.3. Other hazards

No information available.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**3.1 Substances**

Chemical name	Weight-%	EC No (EU Index No)	UK REACH registration number	Classification according to GB CLP (SI 2020/1567 as amended)	Specific concentration limit (SCL)	M-Factor	M-Factor (long-term)
FATTY ACIDS, C16-18 67701-03-5	90 - 100%	266-928-5	-	Not Classified	-	-	-

Full text of H- and EUH-phrases: see section 16

This product does not contain candidate substances of very high concern at a concentration $\geq 0.1\%$ (UK REACH Article 59)

SECTION 4: First aid measures**4.1. Description of first aid measures****Inhalation**

Remove to fresh air. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

Eye contact

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, lifting lower and upper eyelids.
Consult a doctor.

Skin contact	Wash skin with soap and water. In the case of skin irritation or allergic reactions see a doctor.
Ingestion	Rinse mouth.

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

Eyes	May cause temporary eye irritation.
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4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Note to doctors	Treat symptomatically.
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SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable Extinguishing Media	Dry chemical, CO2, alcohol-resistant foam or water spray.
Large Fire	CAUTION: Use of water spray when fighting fire may be inefficient.
Unsuitable extinguishing media	Do not scatter spilled material with high pressure water streams.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Hazardous combustion products	Carbon oxides.
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5.3. Advice for firefighters

Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters	Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full firefighting turnout gear. Use personal protection equipment.
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SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions	Ensure adequate ventilation.
For emergency responders	Use personal protection recommended in Section 8.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions	See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information.
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6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for containment	Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.
Methods for cleaning up	Take up mechanically, placing in appropriate containers for disposal.
Prevention of secondary hazards	Clean contaminated objects and areas thoroughly observing environmental regulations.

6.4. Reference to other sections

Reference to other sections See section 8 for more information. See section 13 for more information.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling Ensure adequate ventilation.

General hygiene considerations Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

Specific use(s)

See section 1 for more information.

Risk Management Methods (RMM) The information required is contained in this Safety Data Sheet.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

Exposure Limits This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

Biological occupational exposure limits This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with biological limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

Derived No Effect Level (DNEL) - Workers

Chemical name	Oral	Dermal	Inhalation
FATTY ACIDS, C16-18 67701-03-5		10.0 mg/kg/day [4] [6]	17.632 mg/m ³ [4] [6]

[4] Systemic health effects.

[6] Long term.

Derived No Effect Level (DNEL) - General Public

Chemical name	Oral	Dermal	Inhalation
FATTY ACIDS, C16-18 67701-03-5	2.5 mg/kg/day [4] [6]	5 mg/kg/day [4] [6]	4.348 mg/m ³ [4] [6]

[4] Systemic health effects.

[6] Long term.

Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC) No information available.

8.2. Exposure controls

Engineering controls No information available.

Personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles). According to EN 16321-1.

Hand protection Ensure that the breakthrough time of the glove material is not exceeded. Refer to glove supplier for information on breakthrough time for specific gloves. Gloves must conform to standard EN 374.

Skin and body protection No special protective equipment required.

Respiratory protection No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions. If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, ventilation and evacuation may be required.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

Physical state	Solid
Appearance	Wax Beads
Colour	White/off-white
Odour	Characteristic. Slight.
Odour threshold	No information available

Property	Values	Remarks • Method
Melting point / freezing point	53 - 56 °C	
Initial boiling point and boiling range	> 200 °C	
Flammability		No information available.
Flammability Limit in Air		No information available.
Upper flammability or explosive limits		
Lower flammability or explosive limits		
Flash point	> 180 °C	
Autoignition temperature	> 350 °C	
Decomposition temperature		No information available.
pH	7	
pH (as aqueous solution)		No information available.
Kinematic viscosity		No information available.
Dynamic viscosity		No information available.
Water solubility	Insoluble in water	
Solubility(ies)		No information available.
Partition coefficient	log Pow: > 3	
Vapour pressure	< 0.01 hPa	@ 20.0 °C.
Relative density	0.84 - 0.90	20.0 °C.
Bulk density		No information available
Liquid Density	No information available	No information available
Relative vapour density	9.8	
Particle characteristics		No information available.
Particle Size	No information available	
Particle Size Distribution	No information available	
Explosive properties	No information available	

Oxidising properties No information available

9.2. Other information

Molecular weight 274

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

Reactivity Stable under recommended storage conditions.

10.2. Chemical stability

Stability Stable under normal conditions.

Explosion data

Sensitivity to mechanical impact None.

Sensitivity to static discharge None.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Possibility of hazardous reactions None under normal processing.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Conditions to avoid Excessive heat.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Incompatible materials Strong oxidising agents.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products Carbon oxides.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Information on likely routes of exposure

Product Information

Inhalation May cause irritation.

Eye contact May cause temporary eye irritation.

Skin contact May cause slight irritation.

Ingestion Gastrointestinal discomfort.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

Symptoms No information available.

Acute toxicity

Numerical measures of toxicity

No information available

The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document

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- 0 % of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown acute dermal toxicity.
- 0 % of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown acute inhalation toxicity (gas).
- 0 % of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown acute inhalation toxicity (vapour).
- 0 % of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown acute inhalation toxicity (dust/mist).

Chemical name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
FATTY ACIDS, C16-18	> 5000 mg/kg (Rat)	> 2000 mg/kg (Rabbit)	> 0.1621 mg/l (Rat) 4h

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Skin corrosion/irritation No information available.

FATTY ACIDS, C16-18 (67701-03-5)

Method	Species	Exposure route	Effective dose	Exposure time	Results
OECD Test No. 404: Acute Dermal Irritation/Corrosion	Rabbit	Dermal			non-irritant

Serious eye damage/eye irritation No information available.

FATTY ACIDS, C16-18 (67701-03-5)

Method	Species	Exposure route	Effective dose	Exposure time	Results
OECD Test No. 405: Acute Eye Irritation/Corrosion	Rabbit	eye			non-irritant

Respiratory or skin sensitisation No information available.

Germ cell mutagenicity No information available.

Component Information

FATTY ACIDS, C16-18 (67701-03-5)

Method	Species	Results
OECD Test No. 476: In Vitro Mammalian Cell Gene Mutation Tests using the Hprt and xprt genes	Mouse	Negative
OECD Test No. 473: In vitro Mammalian Chromosome Aberration Test	Salmonella typhimurium	Negative

Carcinogenicity No information available.

Reproductive toxicity No information available.

STOT - single exposure No information available.

FATTY ACIDS, C16-18 (67701-03-5)

Method	Species	Exposure route	Effective dose	Exposure time	Results
					Based on available data the

					classification criteria are not met.
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STOT - repeated exposure

No information available.

Component Information

FATTY ACIDS, C16-18 (67701-03-5)

Method	Species	Exposure route	Effective dose	Exposure time	Results
OECD Test No. 422: Combined Repeated Dose Toxicity Study with the Reproduction/Developmental Toxicity Screening Test	Rat	Oral	1000 mg/kg		Not classified
	Rat	Oral	~ 5000 mg/kg		Not classified

Aspiration hazard

No information available.

Other adverse effects

No information available.

SECTION 12: Ecological information**12.1. Toxicity****Ecotoxicity**

Not considered to be harmful to aquatic life.

FATTY ACIDS, C16-18 (67701-03-5)

Method	Species	Endpoint type	Effective dose	Exposure time	Results
OECD Test No. 203: Fish, Acute Toxicity Test	Leuciscus idus	LC50	> 1000 mg/L	48 hours	
OECD Test No. 203: Fish, Acute Toxicity Test	Brachydanio rerio	LC50	> 1000 mg/L	96 hours	
OECD Test No. 203: Fish, Acute Toxicity Test	Leuciscus idus	LC50	> 1000 mg/L	48 hours	
OECD Test No. 202: Daphnia sp., Acute Immobilisation Test	Daphnia magna	EC50	> 4.8 mg/L	48 hours	
OECD Test No. 202: Daphnia sp., Acute Immobilisation Test	Daphnia magna	EC50	> 32 mg/L	47 hours	
	Artemia salina	LC50	> 20 mg/L	48 hours	
OECD Test No. 201: Freshwater Algae and Cyanobacteria, Growth Inhibition Test	Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata	ErC50	> 0.9 mg/L	72 hours	
OECD Test No. 201: Freshwater Algae and Cyanobacteria, Growth Inhibition Test	Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata	EbC50	> 0.9 mg/L	72 hours	
OECD Test No. 201: Freshwater Algae and Cyanobacteria, Growth Inhibition Test	Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata	NOEC	> 0.9 mg/L	72 hours	
OECD Test No. 201: Freshwater Algae and Cyanobacteria, Growth Inhibition Test		NOEC	> 0.9 mg/L	72 hours	

ISO 10712	Pseudomonas putida	EC10	883 mg/L	18 hours	
OECD Test No. 211: Daphnia magna Reproduction Test	Daphnia magna	NOEC	0.22 mg/L	21 days	

12.2. Persistence and degradability

Persistence and degradability Readily biodegradable.

FATTY ACIDS, C16-18 (67701-03-5)

Method	Exposure time	Value	Results
	28 days	Biodegradation > 65%	Readily biodegradable

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulation No information available.

Chemical name	Partition coefficient
FATTY ACIDS, C16-18	7.05 - 8.23

12.4. Mobility in soil

Mobility in soil Insoluble.

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT and vPvB assessment The product does not contain any substance(s) classified as PBT or vPvB.

Chemical name	PBT and vPvB assessment
FATTY ACIDS, C16-18	The substance is not PBT / vPvB

12.6. Other adverse effects

No information available.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**13.1. Waste treatment methods**

Waste from residues/unused products Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Dispose of waste in accordance with environmental legislation.

Contaminated packaging Do not reuse empty containers.

SECTION 14: Transport information**IATA**

14.1 UN number or ID number	Not regulated
14.2 UN proper shipping name	Not regulated
14.3 Transport hazard class(es)	Not regulated
14.4 Packing group	Not regulated
14.5 Environmental hazards	Not applicable
14.6 Special precautions for user	
Special Provisions	None

IMDG

14.1 UN number or ID number	Not regulated
14.2 UN proper shipping name	Not regulated
14.3 Transport hazard class(es)	Not regulated
14.4 Packing group	Not regulated
14.5 Environmental hazards	Not applicable
14.6 Special precautions for user	
Special Provisions	None
14.7 Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments	No information available

RID

14.1 UN number or ID number	Not regulated
14.2 UN proper shipping name	Not regulated
14.3 Transport hazard class(es)	Not regulated
14.4 Packing group	Not regulated
14.5 Environmental hazards	Not applicable
14.6 Special precautions for user	
Special Provisions	None

ADR

14.1 UN number or ID number	Not regulated
14.2 UN proper shipping name	Not regulated
14.3 Transport hazard class(es)	Not regulated
14.4 Packing group	Not regulated
14.5 Environmental hazards	Not applicable
14.6 Special precautions for user	
Special Provisions	None

SECTION 15: Regulatory information**15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture****National regulations****Authorisations and/or restrictions on use:**

This product does not contain substances subject to authorisation (UK REACH - Annex XIV).

This product does not contain substances subject to restriction (UK REACH - Annex XVII).

Persistent Organic Pollutants

Not applicable

Export Notification requirements

Not applicable

Named dangerous substances per COMAH Regulations 2015 (as amended)

Not applicable

The Ozone-Depleting Substances Regulations 2015

Not applicable

The Biocidal Products Regulations 2001 (as amended)

Not applicable

The Water Environment (Water Framework Directive) (England and Wales) Regulations 2017 (as amended)

Not applicable

Poisons Act 1972 (Explosive Precursors) Regulations (as Amended)

Not applicable

International Inventories

TSCA	Contact supplier for inventory compliance status
DSL/NDSL	Contact supplier for inventory compliance status
EINECS/ELINCS	Contact supplier for inventory compliance status
ENCS	Contact supplier for inventory compliance status
IECSC	Contact supplier for inventory compliance status
KECI	Contact supplier for inventory compliance status
PICCS	Contact supplier for inventory compliance status
AIIC	Contact supplier for inventory compliance status
NZIoC	Contact supplier for inventory compliance status

Legend:

TSCA	- United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory
DSL/NDSL	- Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List
EINECS/ELINCS	- European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances
ENCS	- Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances
IECSC	- China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances
KECL	- Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances
PICCS	- Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances
AIIC	- Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals
NZIoC	- New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

15.2. Chemical safety assessment

Chemical Safety Report A Chemical Safety Assessment has been carried out for this substance

SECTION 16: Other information**Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet****Legend**

SVHC: Substances of Very High Concern for Authorisation:

Legend Section 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

TWA	TWA (time-weighted average)	STEL	STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit)
Ceiling	Maximum limit value	*	Skin designation
+	Sensitisers		
Revision Note SDS sections updated			

Classification procedure

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]	Method Used
Acute oral toxicity	Calculation method
Acute dermal toxicity	Calculation method
Acute inhalation toxicity - gas	Calculation method
Acute inhalation toxicity - vapour	Calculation method
Acute inhalation toxicity - dust/mist	Calculation method
Skin corrosion/irritation	Calculation method
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Calculation method
Respiratory sensitisation	Calculation method
Skin sensitisation	Calculation method
Mutagenicity	Calculation method
Carcinogenicity	Calculation method
Reproductive toxicity	Calculation method
STOT - single exposure	Calculation method
STOT - repeated exposure	Calculation method
Acute aquatic toxicity	Calculation method
Chronic aquatic toxicity	Calculation method
Aspiration hazard	Calculation method

Ozone

Calculation method

Key literature references and sources for data used to compile the SDS

Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (ATSDR)
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ChemView Database
European Food Safety Authority (EFSA)
European Chemicals Agency (ECHA) Committee for Risk Assessment (ECHA_RAC)
European Chemicals Agency (ECHA) (ECHA_API)
Environmental Protection Agency
Acute Exposure Guideline Level(s) (AEGL(s))
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency High Production Volume Chemicals
Food Research Journal
Hazardous Substance Database
International Uniform Chemical Information Database (IUCLID)
National Institute of Technology and Evaluation (NITE)
Australian National Industrial Chemicals Notification and Assessment Scheme (NICNAS)
NIOSH (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)
National Library of Medicine's ChemID Plus (NLM CIP)
National Library of Medicine's PubMed database (NLM PUBMED)
U.S. National Toxicology Program (NTP)
New Zealand's Chemical Classification and Information Database (CCID)
Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development Environment, Health, and Safety Publications
Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development High Production Volume Chemicals Programme
Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development Screening Information Data Set
World Health Organization

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Take note of Directive 98/24/EC on the protection of the health and safety of workers from the risks related to chemical agents at work

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