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

· **Informations to product No. 7420**

· **Product name:**

Nachtkerzenöl, raffiniert
Oenotherae oleum raffinatum (stabilisiert)
Evening primrose oil

· **Supplier of the Product / responsible Company:**

Caesar & Loretz GmbH
 Herderstr. 31
 40721 Hilden
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· **Emergency telephone:**

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 Langenbeckstr. 1, 55131 Mainz
 Tel.: 06131/19240

· **Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against:**

No further relevant information available.

· **Application of the substance / mixture:**

Ingredient for pharmaceutical drugs or active pharmaceutical ingredient.

2 Hazards identification

· **Hazards identification:** The substance is not classified as dangerous according to European Union legislation.

3 Composition / information on ingredients

· **Chemical characterization:**

CAS-No.: 90028-66-3 Evening primrose oil

· **EINECS-No.:** 289-859-2

· **REACH Reg. No.:** Exempted from the obligation to register according to Annex 4 / 5 REACH-regulation.

· **INCI-Name:** Oenothera Biennis (Evening Primrose) Oil

· **General information:** Mixture of triglycerides of different fatty acids.

Fatty acid composition

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| ▪ <C16 | max 0,3% |
| ▪ 16:0 palmitic acid | 4,0-10,0% |
| ▪ 18:0 stearic acid | 1,0-4,0% |
| ▪ 18:1 oleic acid | 5,0-12,0% |
| ▪ 18:2 linoleic acid | 65,0-85,0% |
| ▪ 18:3 gamma-linolenic acid | 7,0-14,0% |
| ▪ 18:3 alpha-linolenic acid | max 0,5% |

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4 First aid measures

- **After inhalation:** Fresh air. If irritation of respiratory ways continues, seek medical advice.
- **after skin contact:** Wash away with water and soap. If product is hot: symptomatic treatment.
- **after eye contact:** Rinse out with plenty of water with the eyelid wide open.
- **after swallowing:** If feeling unwell continuously seek medical advice.

5 Fire-fighting measures

- **Suitable extinguishing media:** All regular extinguishing media can be used. Select fire fighting measures suitable to surrounding environment.
- **Specific hazards during fire fighting:** Combustible, but not flammable. In case of fire dangerous vapours/gases can be generated: Smoke gases, acroleine, carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide.
- **Additional information:** Prevent fire extinguishing water from contaminating surface water, the ground water system or soil. Residues must be deposited according to local regulations.

6 Accidental release measures:

- **Personal protective measures:** No special measures required. Danger: Spilled oil makes floor slippery.
- **Environmental protective measures:** Prevent from entering into drains, prevent from contaminating surface water or the ground water system.
- **Methods for cleaning:** Absorb with liquid-binding material: Sand, silica gel, acid binder, universal binder, saw dust. Disposal according to Chapter 13 of this MSDS. Clean up with water.

7 Handling and storage

- **Handling:** No special measures required.
- **Storage:**
- **Requirements for storage areas and containers:** Under an inert gas (nitrogen/argon). Store cool and dry, keep away from fire and ignition sources.
- **Additional informations to storage conditions:** Keep container dry and tightly closed. Protect from air and sunlight.

8 Exposure controls / personal protective equipment

- **Personal protective equipment:**
- **Respiratory protection:** Filter mask if aerosols are generated.
- **Eye protection:** If hot product is used, wear protection glasses.

9 Physical and chemical properties

- **Form:** liquid
- **Colour:** colourless – light yellow.
- **Odour:** characteristic/neutral
- **Melting point / melting range:** not determined
- **Boiling point / boiling range:** > 350 °C

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- **Flash point:** > 300 °C
- **Vapour pressure:** (100 °C) < 1 hPa
- **Density:** (20 °C) 0,923 g/cm³
- **Solubility in / Miscibility with**
- **Water:** not miscible
- **pH-range:** (neutral)
- **Viscosity:** (20 °C) ca. 60 mPas
- **Refractive index:** ca. 1,48

10 Stability and reactivity

- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to avoid:** Stable. Keep away from heat, open fire and other ignition sources.
- **Materials to avoid:** Strong oxidizers.
- **Hazardous reactions:** After strong heating organic crack products can be generated. No decomposition at ambient temperature.
- **Hazardous decomposition products:** At high temperatures irritant or harmful vapours are released.

11 Toxicological information

- **Acute toxicity:** Quantitative toxicological data for this product are not available. Food ingredient.
- **Sub-acute / chronic toxicity:** No data available. General informations about vegetable oils don't reveal any carcinogene potential.
- **Additional toxicological informations:** In case of appropriate handling and usage the product does not cause harmful effects.

12 Ecological information

- **Aquatic toxicity:** Not acute harmful for water organisms. Quantitative ecotoxicological data are not available. Naturally occurring substance.
- **Information about elimination (persistence and degradability):** Readily biodegradable.
- **Additional informations:** The classification is based on general informations about vegetable oils. In environmental waters the product contributes to oxygen consumption. In soil the water penetration is obstructed.
- **Water hazard class:** Generally hazardous for water according to annex 1 No. 3.2 AwSV

13 Disposal considerations

- **Product:**
- **Recommendation:** Disposal according to local regulations as pharmaceutical waste.
- **Empty contaminated packaging:**
- **Recommendation:** Disposal according to the local regulations.

14 Transport informations

- **Land transport according to ADR:**
Not classified as dangerous in the meaning of transport regulations.

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15 Regulatory information

· **Labelling according to actual legislation (GHS, Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals):**

The product does not need to be labelled according to GHS-regulations.

· **National regulations (Germany):**

· **Water hazard class:** see chapter 12

· **Storage class TRGS 510:** 10

· **VbF class:** -

16 Other Information

The information provided in this MSDS is correct to the best of our knowledge at the date of edition.

· **Reason for last revision:** Adjustment to regulation (EC) 1907/2006 (REACH) and GHS-labelling system.