

**SAFETY DATA SHEET**  
according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006

**KLEENEX® Gel Hand Sanitiser**

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

**1.1 Product identifier**

Trade name : KLEENEX® Gel Hand Sanitiser

Product code : 06382000

Product code : 6380, 6381, 6382, 6383

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

Use of the Substance/Mixture : Biocidal product

**1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**

Company : Kimberly-Clark Europe Limited  
40 London Road  
Reigate  
Surrey RH2 9QP  
United Kingdom

Telephone : +44 1737 736000

Telefax : +44 1737 736670

E-mail address : sdscontact@kcc.com  
Responsible/issuing person

**1.4 Emergency telephone number**

: +44 1865 407333  
This telephone number is available 24 hours per day, 7 days per week.

National Poison Centre – Poison Information Service  
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**SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

**2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture**

**Classification (REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008)**

Flammable liquids, Category 2	H225: Highly flammable liquid and vapour.
Eye irritation, Category 2	H319: Causes serious eye irritation.
Chronic aquatic toxicity, Category 3	H412: Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

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### 2.2 Label elements

#### Labelling (REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008)

Hazard pictograms :



Signal word : Danger

Hazard statements : H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapour.  
H319 Causes serious eye irritation.  
H412 Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary statements : **Prevention:**  
P210 Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.  
P233 Keep container tightly closed.  
**Response:**  
P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.  
P337 + P313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.  
**Storage:**  
P403 + P235 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.  
**Disposal:**  
P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

### 2.3 Other hazards

This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.2 Mixtures

Chemical nature : Mixture

#### Hazardous components

Chemical name	CAS-No. EC-No. Registration number	Classification	Concentration (% w/w)
Tetradecanol	112-72-1 204-000-3	Eye Irrit. 2; H319 Aquatic Chronic 1; H410	>= 1 - < 2.5
Substances with a workplace exposure limit :			

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Ethanol	64-17-5 200-578-6	Flam. Liq. 2; H225 Eye Irrit. 2; H319	>= 70 - < 90
Glycerol	56-81-5 200-289-5		>= 1 - < 10

For explanation of abbreviations see section 16.

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**SECTION 4: First aid measures**

**4.1 Description of first aid measures**

- General advice : No hazards which require special first aid measures.  
When symptoms persist or in all cases of doubt seek medical advice.
- If inhaled : No hazards which require special first aid measures.
- In case of skin contact : Not required under normal use.
- In case of eye contact : If in eyes, rinse with water for 15 minutes.  
If eye irritation persists, consult a specialist.
- If swallowed : Do NOT induce vomiting.  
Consult a physician if necessary.

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

- Risks : Causes serious eye irritation.

**4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

- Treatment : No information available.

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**SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

**5.1 Extinguishing media**

- Suitable extinguishing media : Alcohol-resistant foam  
Dry chemical  
Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>)
- Unsuitable extinguishing media : Water spray jet

**5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**

- Specific hazards during firefighting : Highly flammable liquid and vapour.
- Hazardous combustion products : Carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide and unburned hydrocarbons (smoke).

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### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

- Special protective equipment for firefighters : In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus.
- Specific extinguishing methods : Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.
- Further information : Standard procedure for chemical fires.
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## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

### 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

- Personal precautions : Ensure adequate ventilation.  
Remove all sources of ignition.

### 6.2 Environmental precautions

- Environmental precautions : Do not allow uncontrolled discharge of product into the environment.

### 6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

- Methods for cleaning up : Soak up with inert absorbent material (e.g. sand, silica gel, acid binder, universal binder, sawdust).  
Shovel into suitable container for disposal.

### 6.4 Reference to other sections

For personal protection see section 8.

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## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

- Advice on safe handling : No special precautions required.
- Advice on protection against fire and explosion : Take necessary action to avoid static electricity discharge (which might cause ignition of organic vapours).
- Hygiene measures : General industrial hygiene practice.

### 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

- Requirements for storage areas and containers : Keep containers tightly closed in a cool, well-ventilated place.

### 7.3 Specific end use(s)

- Specific use(s) : Biocidal product

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### SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

#### 8.1 Control parameters

##### Occupational Exposure Limits

Components	CAS-No.	Value type (Form of exposure)	Control parameters	Basis
Ethanol	64-17-5	TWA	1,000 ppm 1,920 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	GB EH40
Further information	Where no specific short-term exposure limit is listed, a figure three times the long-term exposure should be used			
Glycerol	56-81-5	TWA (Mist)	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	GB EH40
Further information	Where no specific short-term exposure limit is listed, a figure three times the long-term exposure should be used			

#### 8.2 Exposure controls

##### Personal protective equipment

Eye protection : Not required under normal use.

Hand protection  
Remarks : not required under normal use

Skin and body protection : Not required under normal use.

Respiratory protection : No personal respiratory protective equipment normally required.

Protective measures : No special protective equipment required.

### SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

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

Appearance : gel

Colour : colourless

Odour : alcohol-like

pH : 8.0

Melting point/range : < -20 °C

Boiling point/boiling range : 85 °C

Flash point : 14 °C

Upper explosion limit : 15 %(V)

Lower explosion limit : 3.5 %(V)

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Density : 0.833 - 0.843 g/cm<sup>3</sup>

Solubility(ies)  
Water solubility : partly miscible

Auto-ignition temperature : > 425 °C

Viscosity  
Viscosity, dynamic : 250 mPa.s

### 9.2 Other information

No data available

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## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1 Reactivity

Not classified as a reactivity hazard.

### 10.2 Chemical stability

Stable

### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous reactions : Keep away from oxidizing agents, and acidic or alkaline products.

### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Conditions to avoid : Heat, flames and sparks.

### 10.5 Incompatible materials

Materials to avoid : Oxidizing agents

### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide and unburned hydrocarbons (smoke).

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## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

#### Acute toxicity

Not classified based on available information.

#### Components:

##### Tetradecanol:

Acute oral toxicity : LD50 (Rat, male and female): > 2,000 mg/kg

##### Ethanol:

Acute oral toxicity : LD50 (Rat, male and female): 10,470 mg/kg  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 401  
GLP: no

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Acute inhalation toxicity : LC50 (Rat, male and female): 124.7 mg/l  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 403  
GLP: no

**Glycerol:**

Acute oral toxicity : LD50 Oral (Mouse, male): 23,000 mg/kg  
Method: Acute toxicity estimate  
GLP: no

Acute inhalation toxicity : LC50 (Rat, male): > 2.75 mg/l  
Method: Acute toxicity estimate  
GLP: no

Acute dermal toxicity : LD50 Dermal (Guinea pig, male and female): 56,750 mg/kg  
Method: Acute toxicity estimate  
GLP: no

**Skin corrosion/irritation**

Not classified based on available information.

**Product:**

Result: No skin irritation

**Components:**

**Tetradecanol:**

Result: No skin irritation

**Ethanol:**

Species: Rabbit  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 404  
Result: No skin irritation  
GLP: yes

**Glycerol:**

Species: Rabbit  
Method: No information available.  
Result: No skin irritation  
GLP: no

**Serious eye damage/eye irritation**

Causes serious eye irritation.

**Product:**

Result: Mild eye irritation

**Components:**

**Tetradecanol:**

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Species: Rabbit  
Result: Eye irritation

**Ethanol:**

Species: Rabbit  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 405  
Result: Irritation to eyes, reversing within 21 days  
GLP: no

**Glycerol:**

Species: Rabbit  
Assessment: No eye irritation  
Method: No information available.  
Result: No eye irritation  
GLP: no

**Respiratory or skin sensitisation**

**Skin sensitisation**

Not classified based on available information.

**Respiratory sensitisation**

Not classified based on available information.

**Product:**

Remarks: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**Components:**

**Tetradecanol:**

Result: Did not cause sensitisation on laboratory animals.

**Ethanol:**

Species: Mouse  
Assessment: Does not cause skin sensitisation.  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 429  
Result: Did not cause sensitisation on laboratory animals.  
GLP: no

**Glycerol:**

Test Type: Draize Test  
Exposure routes: Dermal  
Species: Humans  
Result: Does not cause skin sensitisation.

**Germ cell mutagenicity**

Not classified based on available information.



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### **Components:**

#### **Glycerol:**

Genotoxicity in vitro : Result: negative

#### **Carcinogenicity**

Not classified based on available information.

### **Components:**

#### **Glycerol:**

Species: Rat, (male and female)  
Application Route: Oral  
Exposure time: 24 month(s)  
Frequency of Treatment: 1 daily

#### **Reproductive toxicity**

Not classified based on available information.

### **Components:**

#### **Glycerol:**

Effects on foetal development : Test Type: Two-generation study  
Species: Rat, male and female  
Application Route: Oral  
Dose: 2000 milligram per kilogram  
Frequency of Treatment: 1 daily

#### **STOT - single exposure**

Not classified based on available information.

#### **Product:**

Remarks: Not applicable

#### **STOT - repeated exposure**

Not classified based on available information.

#### **Product:**

Remarks: Not applicable

#### **Aspiration toxicity**

Not classified based on available information.

#### **Product:**

No aspiration toxicity classification

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### SECTION 12: Ecological information

#### 12.1 Toxicity

##### Components:

##### **Tetradecanol:**

- Toxicity to fish : LC50 : 1 mg/l  
Exposure time: 96 h  
Remarks: Aquatic toxicity is unlikely due to low solubility.
- Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates : EC50 : 3.2 mg/l  
Exposure time: 48 h  
Remarks: No toxicity at the limit of solubility
- Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates (Chronic toxicity) : NOEC: 0.0016 mg/l  
Exposure time: 21 d  
Species: Daphnia magna (Water flea)  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 211  
GLP: yes

##### **Ecotoxicology Assessment**

- Acute aquatic toxicity : This product has no known ecotoxicological effects.

##### **Ethanol:**

- Toxicity to fish : LC50 (Pimephales promelas (fathead minnow)): 14,200 mg/l  
Exposure time: 96 h  
Test Type: flow-through test
- Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates : EC50 (Ceriodaphnia dubia (water flea)): 5,012 mg/l  
Exposure time: 48 h  
Test Type: static test
- Toxicity to algae : EC50 (Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae)): 275 mg/l  
Exposure time: 72 h  
Test Type: static test

##### **Glycerol:**

- Toxicity to fish : LC50 (Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout)): 54,000 mg/l  
Exposure time: 96 h  
Test Type: static test  
Method: No information available.  
GLP: no
- Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates : EC50 (Daphnia magna (Water flea)): 1,955 mg/l  
Exposure time: 48 h  
Test Type: static test  
Method: No information available.  
GLP: no

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### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

#### Components:

##### **Glycerol:**

Biodegradability : Result: Readily biodegradable.

### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

#### Components:

##### **Tetradecanol:**

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water : log Pow: 5.5

### 12.4 Mobility in soil

No data available

### 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

#### Product:

Assessment : This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher..

### 12.6 Other adverse effects

No data available

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## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

Product : Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

Contaminated packaging : Dispose of as unused product.  
Do not re-use empty containers.

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## SECTION 14: Transport information

### 14.1 UN number

ADR : UN 1987

IMDG : UN 1987

IATA : UN 1987

### 14.2 UN proper shipping name

ADR : ALCOHOLS, N.O.S.  
(Ethanol)

IMDG : ALCOHOLS, N.O.S.

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**IATA** : (Ethanol)  
: Alcohols, n.o.s.  
(Ethanol)

**14.3 Transport hazard class(es)**

**ADR** : 3  
**IMDG** : 3  
**IATA** : 3

**14.4 Packing group**

**ADR**  
Packing group : II  
Classification Code : F1  
Hazard Identification Number : 33  
Labels : 3  
Tunnel restriction code : (D/E)

**IMDG**  
Packing group : II  
Labels : 3  
EmS Code : F-E, S-D

**IATA**  
Packing instruction (cargo aircraft) : 364  
Packing instruction (LQ) : Y341  
Packing group : II  
Labels : Flammable Liquids

**14.5 Environmental hazards**

**ADR**  
Environmentally hazardous : no

**IMDG**  
Marine pollutant : no

**14.6 Special precautions for user**

Not applicable

**14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code**

Not applicable for product as supplied.

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**SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

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

REACH - Candidate List of Substances of Very High Concern for Authorisation (Article 59). : Not applicable

REACH - List of substances subject to authorisation (Annex XIV) : Not applicable

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Regulation (EC) No 1005/2009 on substances that deplete the ozone layer : Not applicable

Regulation (EC) No 850/2004 on persistent organic pollutants : Not applicable

Seveso III: Directive 2012/18/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council on the control of major-accident hazards involving dangerous substances.

		Quantity 1	Quantity 2
P5c	FLAMMABLE LIQUIDS	5,000 t	50,000 t
34	Petroleum products: (a) gasolines and naphthas, (b) kerosenes (including jet fuels), (c) gas oils (including diesel fuels, home heating oils and gas oil blending streams),(d) heavy fuel oils	2,500 t	25,000 t
Volatile organic compounds	: Directive 2010/75/EU of 24 November 2010 on industrial emissions (integrated pollution prevention and control) Volatile organic compounds (VOC) content: 80.8 %, 825.61 g/l Volatile CMR compounds: 0 % Remarks: VOC content excluding water		

### 15.2 Chemical safety assessment

No information available.

## SECTION 16: Other information

### Full text of H-Statements

H225 : Highly flammable liquid and vapour.  
H319 : Causes serious eye irritation.  
H410 : Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

### Full text of other abbreviations

Aquatic Chronic : Chronic aquatic toxicity  
Eye Irrit. : Eye irritation  
Flam. Liq. : Flammable liquids

ADN - European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways; ADR - European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road; AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances; ASTM - American Society for the Testing of Materials; bw - Body weight; CLP - Classification Labelling Packaging Regulation; Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008; CMR - Carcinogen, Mutagen or Reproductive Toxicant; DIN - Standard of the German Institute for Standardisation; DSL - Domestic Substances List (Canada); ECHA - European Chemicals Agency; EC-Number - European Community number; ECx - Concentration associated with x% response; ELx - Loading rate associated with x% response; EmS - Emergency Schedule; ENCS - Existing and New Chemical Substances (Japan); ErCx - Concentration associated with x% growth rate response; GHS - Globally Harmonized System; GLP - Good Laboratory Practice; IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer; IATA - International Air Transport Association; IBC - International Code for the

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Construction and Equipment of Ships carrying Dangerous Chemicals in Bulk; IC50 - Half maximal inhibitory concentration; ICAO - International Civil Aviation Organization; IECSC - Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China; IMDG - International Maritime Dangerous Goods; IMO - International Maritime Organization; ISHL - Industrial Safety and Health Law (Japan); ISO - International Organisation for Standardization; KECI - Korea Existing Chemicals Inventory; LC50 - Lethal Concentration to 50 % of a test population; LD50 - Lethal Dose to 50% of a test population (Median Lethal Dose); MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships; n.o.s. - Not Otherwise Specified; NO(A)EC - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Concentration; NO(A)EL - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Level; NOELR - No Observable Effect Loading Rate; NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals; OECD - Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development; OPPTS - Office of Chemical Safety and Pollution Prevention; PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic substance; PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances; (Q)SAR - (Quantitative) Structure Activity Relationship; REACH - Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals; RID - Regulations concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail; SADT - Self-Accelerating Decomposition Temperature; SDS - Safety Data Sheet; SVHC - Substance of Very High Concern; TCSI - Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory; TRGS - Technical Rule for Hazardous Substances; TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act (United States); UN - United Nations; vPvB - Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative

### Further information

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