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## Pro-Flow 570

## GHS

## Safety Data Sheet

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## 1. Product Identification

**Trade Name:** Pro-Flow 570 Surfactant  
**CAS Number:** Mixture – See Section 2  
**Product Family:** Complex Mixture.  
**Synonyms:** N/AP

## 2. Hazards Identification

**Hazard Classification:** Aspiration Hazard-Category 2  
Acute Toxicity-Category 4  
Skin Irritation-Category 2  
Eye Irritation-Category 2  
TOST (Repeated)-Category 2  
Chronic Aquatic Toxicity-Category IV



### WARNING

**Hazard Statements:**

IRRITANT – ABSORBED THROUGH THE SKIN - CENTRAL NERVOUS SYSTEM -HARMFUL OR FATAL IF SWALLOWED -  
ASPIRATION HAZARD

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## Precautionary Statements:

Keep away from heat, sparks, open flame, and other ignition sources.

Avoid contact.

If swallowed, and patient is fully conscious and alert, give 2 to 4 glasses of salt water or milk and INDUCE VOMITING. Get medical attention immediately.

Contact with this product may cause eye, skin, and mucous membrane irritation. Harmful if absorbed through the skin. Avoid prolonged breathing of vapors or mists. Inhalation may cause irritation, anesthetic effects (dizziness, nausea, headache, intoxication) and respiratory system effects. Excessive exposure may affect the liver, kidneys, and heart.

## 3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

Component Name	CAS Registry No.	Concentration % (Wt.)
Quaternary Ammonium Chloride	61789-71-7	< 10%

## 4. First Aid Measures:

Take proper precautions to ensure your own health and safety before attempting rescue or providing first aid. For more specific information, refer to Exposure Controls and Personal Protection in Section 8 of this MSDS.

<b>Inhalation</b>	Immediately move individual to fresh air. If individual is not breathing, immediately begin artificial respiration. If heart has stopped, immediately begin CardioPulmonary Resuscitation (CPR). If breathing is difficult, 100 percent humidified oxygen should be administered by a qualified individual. Seek medical attention immediately.
<b>Eye Contact</b>	Check for and remove contact lenses. Immediately flush eyes with cool, clean low-pressure water for at least 15 minutes. Hold eyelids apart to ensure complete irrigation of the eye and eyelid tissue. Do not use eye ointment. Seek medical attention immediately.
<b>Skin Contact</b>	Remove contaminated shoes and clothing. Flush affected area with large amounts of water. If skin surface is damaged, apply a clean dressing and seek medical attention. Do not use ointments. If skin surface is not damaged, clean affected area thoroughly with mild soap and water. Seek medical attention if tissue appears damaged or if pain or irritation persists.
<b>Ingestion</b>	If patient is fully conscious and alert, give 2 to 4 cups of salt water or milk, INDUCE VOMITING by touching the back of the patient's throat with finger. NEVER GIVE ANYTHING BY MOUTH TO AN UNCONSCIOUS PERSON. If spontaneous vomiting is about to occur, place individual's head below his knees. If individual is drowsy or unconscious, place on his left side with head down. Do not leave individual unattended. Seek medical attention immediately.
<b>Notes to Physician</b>	If severe exposure is suspected, observe for 48 to 72 hours for delayed pulmonary edema. Inhalation overexposure can produce toxic effects. Monitor for respiratory distress. If cough or difficulty breathing develops, evaluate for upper respiratory tract inflammation, bronchitis, and pneumonitis. Vigorous anti-inflammatory / steroid treatment may be required at first evidence of upper airway or pulmonary edema. Administer 100 percent humidified supplemental oxygen with assisted ventilation as required.

## 5. Fire Fighting Measures

<b>NFPA Flammability Classification</b>	NA
<b>Flash Point Method</b>	CLOSED CUP: > 210 ° F. (98.89 ° C.). (Tagliabue [ASTM D-56])
<b>Flammable Limits</b>	Lower: App. 1.0%                      Upper: App. 10.0%
<b>Autoignition Temperature</b>	No Data
<b>Hazardous Combustion Products</b>	Burning or excessive heating may produce smoke, carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, oxides of nitrogen, and possibly other harmful gasses and/or vapors.

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## Fire and Explosion Hazards

Use only with adequate ventilation. If container is not properly cooled, it can rupture in the heat of a fire. Never use welding or cutting torch on or near drum (even empty) because product (even just residue) may ignite explosively.

## Extinguishing Media

Use dry chemicals, carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), foam, water fog, or inert gas (nitrogen).

## Fire Fighting Instructions

NEVER use a water jet directly on the fire because it may spread the fire to a larger area. Wear a self-contained breathing apparatus with a full facepiece operated in the positive pressure demand mode with appropriate turn-out gear and chemical resistant personal protective equipment. Refer to the personal protective equipment section of this MSDS. Notify appropriate authorities if liquid(s) enter sewers / waterways.

## 6. Accidental Release Measures

Take proper precautions to ensure your own health and safety before attempting spill control or clean-up. For more specific information, refer to the Emergency Overview on Page 1, Exposure Controls and Personal Protection in Section 8 and Disposal Considerations in Section 13 of this MSDS.

### General

Stop the leak if it can be done without risk. Do not touch or walk through spilled material. CAUTION: SLIPPERY. Released material may be slippery on smooth, hard surfaces, especially when wet. Absorb or cover with dry earth, sand, or other non-combustible material, and transfer to appropriate waste containers. Use clean, non-sparking tools to collect absorbed material.

### Small Spills

Absorb liquid on vermiculite, floor absorbent, or other absorbent material and transfer to container for disposal.

### Large Spills

Secure area and control access. Dike far ahead of a liquid spill to ensure complete collection. Water mist or spray may be used to reduce or disperse vapors; but, it may not prevent ignition in closed spaces. This material's run-off may create an explosion or fire hazard. Eliminate all ignition sources (flares, flames including pilot lights, electrical sparks). Persons not wearing protective equipment should be excluded from area of spill until clean-up has been completed. Stop spill at source, prevent from entering drains, sewers, streams or other bodies of water. Prevent from spreading. If run-off occurs, notify proper authorities that a spill has occurred. Pump or vacuum transfer spilled product to clean containers for recovery. Absorb unrecoverable product. Transfer contaminated absorbent, soil and other materials to containers for disposal.

## 7. Handling and Storage

### Handling

Keep containers closed and do not handle or store near heat, sparks, or any other potential ignition sources. Bond and ground all equipment before transferring this material from one container to another. Do not breathe vapor. Use only with adequate ventilation / personal protection. Never siphon by mouth or take internally. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Prevent contact with food, chewing, or smoking materials.

When performing repairs and maintenance on contaminated equipment, keep unnecessary persons away from the area. Eliminate all potential ignition sources. Drain and purge equipment, as necessary, to remove material residues. Use gloves constructed of impervious materials and protective clothing if direct contact is anticipated. Provide ventilation to maintain exposure potential below applicable exposure limits. Promptly remove contaminated clothing. Wash exposed skin thoroughly with soap and water after handling.

Empty containers may contain material residues which may ignite with explosive force. Misuse of empty containers can be dangerous if used to store toxic, flammable, or reactive materials. Cutting or welding of empty containers can cause fire, explosion, or release of toxic fumes from residues. Do not pressurize or expose empty containers to open flame, sparks, or heat. Keep container closed and drum bungs in place. All label warnings and precautions must be observed. Return empty drums to a qualified reconditioner. Consult appropriate federal, state and local authorities before reusing, reconditioning, reclaiming, recycling, or disposing of empty containers and/or waste residues of this material. Emergency eyewash fountains and safety showers should be available in the immediate vicinity of potential exposure.

### Storage

Store and transport in accordance with all applicable laws. Keep containers tightly closed and store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated place, plainly labeled, and out of closed vehicles. Keep away from all ignition sources! Ground all equipment containing this material. Containers should be able to withstand pressures expected from warming and cooling in storage. This product should be stored in a cool, well-ventilated area. All electrical equipment in areas where this material is stored or handled should be installed in accordance with applicable requirements of the NFPA's National Electrical Code (NEC).

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## 8. Exposure Controls and Personal Protection

**Engineering Controls** Provide exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls to keep the airborne concentrations of vapor and/or mists below the pertinent exposure limits (see below). All electrical equipment should comply with the NFPA NEC Standards. Ensure that an emergency eye wash station and safety shower are near the work-station location.

**Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)** Personal protective equipment should be selected based upon the conditions under which this material is used. A hazard assessment of the work area for PPE requirements should be conducted by a qualified professional pursuant to OSHA regulations. The following pictograms represent the minimum requirements for personal protective equipment. For certain operations, additional Personal Protective Equipment may be required.



**Eye Protection** Safety glasses with side shields are recommended as a minimum protection. During transfer operations or when there is a likelihood of misting, splashing, or spraying, chemical goggles and face shield should be worn. Suitable eye wash equipment should be readily available.

**Hand Protection** Avoid skin contact and use gloves (disposable PVC, neoprene, Nitrile, vinyl, or PVC/NBR). Before eating, drinking, smoking, use of toilet facilities, or leaving work, wash hands with plenty of mild soap and water. DO NOT use gasoline, kerosene, other solvents, or harsh abrasive skin cleaners.

**Body Protection** Avoid skin contact. It is recommended that fire-retardant garments (e.g. Nomex™) be worn while working with flammable and combustible liquids. If splashing or spraying is expected, chemical-resistant protective clothing (Tyvek®, Nitrile, or neoprene) should be worn. This might include long sleeves, apron, slicker suit, boots, and additional facial protection. If general contact occurs, IMMEDIATELY remove soaked clothing and take a shower. Contaminated leather goods should be removed promptly and discarded.

**Respiratory Protection** For unknown vapor concentrations use a positive-pressure, pressure-demand, self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA). For known vapor concentrations above the occupational exposure guidelines (see below), use a NIOSH-approved organic vapor respirator if adequate protection is provided. Protection factors vary depending upon the type of respirator used. Respirator use should follow OSHA requirements (29 CFR 1910.134) or equivalent standard (e.g. ANSI Z88.2).  
**General Comments** Warning! Odor is an inadequate warning for hazardous conditions.

### Occupational Exposure Guidelines

#### Substance

#### Applicable Workplace Exposure Levels

Quaternary Ammonium Chloride

No ACGIH, NIOSH or OSHA exposure guidelines listed for this product.

## 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

<b>Physical State</b>	Liquid	<b>Color</b>	Transparent.
<b>Odor</b>	Alcohol Odor	<b>pH</b>	7.0
<b>Specific Gravity</b>	0.990 gm./ml.	<b>Liquid Density</b>	8.26 Lbs. / Gallon
<b>Vapor Pressure</b>	25.1 mm Hg @ 68 ° F.	<b>Vapor Density</b>	~ 1.1 (Air = 1)
<b>Boiling Point / Range</b>	190° F to 200° F.	<b>Freezing Point</b>	App. + 20° F.
<b>Evaporation Rate</b>	Slower than Ethyl Ether	<b>Solubility in Water</b>	Soluble at all temperatures

## 10. Stability and Reactivity

<b>Chemical Stability</b>	Stable
<b>Hazardous Polymerization</b>	Not expected to occur.
<b>Conditions to Avoid</b>	Keep away from extreme heat, sparks, open flame, and strongly oxidizing conditions.
<b>Materials Incompatibility</b>	Strong oxidizing agents, Chlorine, Coatings, Rubber, Certain forms of plastics. Aluminum metals. Zinc (i.e. Galvanized steel). Iron, Copper, or Bronze. Any reactive metal which will displace

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**Hazardous Decomposition Products** hydrogen.  
May form carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, and other oxides of carbon, and nitrogen.

## 11. Toxicological Information

<b>Product Summary</b>	Quaternary Ammonium Chloride
<b>Carcinogenicity</b>	None of the intentional materials in this product are listed by ACGIH, IARC, NIOSH, NTP or OSHA.
<b>Epidemiology</b>	Quaternary Ammonium Chloride: No Data
<b>Teratogenicity</b>	Quaternary Ammonium Chloride: No Data
<b>Reproductive Effects</b>	Quaternary Ammonium Chloride: No Data
<b>Neurotoxicity</b>	No information available
<b>Mutagenicity</b>	Quaternary Ammonium Chloride: No Data
<b>Immediate (Acute) Effects</b>	Quaternary Ammonium Chloride: LD50 (oral – rat): 350 mg/kg.
<b>Delayed (Subchronic and Chronic) Effects</b>	No Data Available.
<b>Other Studies</b>	Quaternary Ammonium Chloride: No Data

## 12. Ecological Information

**Ecotoxicity** Ecological effects testing has not been conducted on this material. If spilled, this material, its storage tank water bottoms and sludge, and any contaminated soil or water may be hazardous to human, animal, and aquatic life. The Methanol content of this product is volatile and might contribute to the creation of atmospheric smog.

**Environmental Fate** This material is potentially toxic to freshwater and saltwater ecosystems. The Methanol component of this product will normally evaporate rapidly. Methanol is expected to biodegrade in soil and water very rapidly.

## 13. Disposal Considerations

**Waste Management Information** Dispose of in accordance with all applicable local, state, and federal regulations. Recovered non-usable material may be regulated by US EPA as a hazardous waste due to its ignitability and/or its toxic characteristics. In addition, conditions of use may cause this material to become a hazardous waste, as defined by Federal or State regulations. It is the responsibility of the user to determine if the material is a RCRA "hazardous waste" at the time of disposal. Transportation, treatment, storage, and disposal of waste material must be conducted in accordance with RCRA regulations (see 40 CFR Parts 260 through 271). State and/or local regulations might be even more restrictive. Contact the RCRA/Superfund Hotline at (800) 424-9436 or your regional US EPA office for guidance concerning case specific disposal issues.

## 14. Transport Information

### DOT Information - 49 CFR 172.101

**Proper Shipping Name** Non DOT Regulated

**Hazard Class**

**Packing Group**

**UN / NA ID**

**NOS Component**

**RQ (Reportable Quantity) –** SARA 302: No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title

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49 CFR 172.101

III, Section 302.

ERG No.

Placards Required

None

## 15. Regulatory Information

TSCA Inventory	The intentional ingredients of this product are listed.				
CERCLA RQ - 40 CFR 302.4(a)	This material does not contain any components with a CERCLA RQ.				
SARA 302 Components – 40 CFR 355 Appendix A	None identified				
SARA 311/312 - 40 CFR 370.2	None identified				
SARA 313 Components - 40 CFR 372.65	None Identified				
OSHA Process Safety Management – 29 CFR 1910	None Listed				
EPA Accidental Release Prevention – 40 CFR 68	None Listed				
California Proposition 65	None				
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## 16. Other Information

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Abbreviations:

App. = Approximately    EQ = Equal    > = Greater Than    < = Less Than    N/AP = Not Applicable    ND = No Data  
NE = Not Established

ACGIH = American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists  
IARC = International Agency for Research on Cancer  
NIOSH = National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health  
NPCA = National Paint and Coating Manufacturers Association  
NFPA = National Fire Protection Association

AIHA = American Industrial Hygiene Association  
NTP = National Toxicology Program  
OSHA = Occupational Safety and Health Administration  
HMIS = Hazardous Materials Information System  
EPA = Environmental Protection Agency

**Explanation of the HMIS® Ratings**

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## HMIS<sup>®</sup> III - HEALTH HAZARD RATINGS

\* **Chronic Hazard** Chronic (long-term) health effects may result from repeated overexposure

**0 Minimal Hazard** No significant risk to health

**1 Slight Hazard** Irritation or minor reversible injury possible

**2 Moderate Hazard** Temporary or minor injury may occur

**3 Serious Hazard** Major injury likely unless prompt action is taken and medical treatment is given

**4 Severe Hazard** Life-threatening, major or permanent damage may result from single or repeated overexposures

## HMIS<sup>®</sup> III - FLAMMABILITY RATINGS

**0 Minimal Hazard** Materials that will not burn

**1 Slight Hazard** Materials that must be preheated before ignition will occur. Includes liquids, solids and semi solids having a flash point above 200 F. (Class IIIB)

**2 Moderate Hazard** Materials which must be moderately heated or exposed to high ambient temperatures before ignition will occur. Includes liquids having a flash point at or above 100 F but below 200 F. (Classes II & IIIA)

**3 Serious Hazard** Materials capable of ignition under almost all normal temperature conditions. Includes flammable liquids with flash points below 73 F and boiling points above 100 F. as well as liquids with flash points between 73 F and 100 F. (Classes IB & IC)

**4 Severe Hazard** Flammable gases, or very volatile flammable liquids with flash points below 73 F, and boiling points below 100 F. Materials may ignite spontaneously with air. (Class IA)

## HMIS<sup>®</sup> III - PHYSICAL HAZARD RATINGS

**0 Minimal Hazard** Materials that are normally stable, even under fire conditions, and will NOT react with water, polymerize, decompose, condense, or self-react. Non-Explosives.

**1 Slight Hazard** Materials that are normally stable but can become unstable (self-react) at high temperatures and pressures. Materials may react non-violently with water or undergo hazardous polymerization in the absence of inhibitors.

**2 Moderate Hazard** Materials that are unstable and may undergo violent chemical changes at normal temperature and pressure with low risk for explosion. Materials may react violently with water or form peroxides upon exposure to air.

**3 Serious Hazard** Materials that may form explosive mixtures with water and are capable of detonation or explosive reaction in the presence of a strong initiating source. Materials may polymerize, decompose, self-react, or undergo other chemical change at normal temperature and pressure with moderate risk of explosion.

**4 Severe Hazard** Materials that are readily capable of explosive water reaction, detonation or explosive decomposition, polymerization, or self-reaction at normal temperature and pressure.