

## **AQUAGUARD 609**

FOR USE AS A DISINFECTANT, SANITIZER, BACTERICIDE, SLIMICIDE AND ALGICIDE IN  
RECIRCULATING COOLING WATER SYSTEMS AND PULP AND PAPER PROCESSES

### **COMMERCIAL**

### **READ THE LABEL BEFORE USING**

#### **GUARANTEE:**

Sodium bromide.....40%

### **REGISTRATION NO. 27788 PEST CONTROL PRODUCTS ACT**

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### **NOTICE TO USER**

This pest control product is to be used only in accordance with the directions on the label. It is an offence under the Pest Control Products Act to use this product in a way that is inconsistent with the directions on the label. The user assumes the risk to persons or property that arises from any such use of this product.

### **DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

**RECIRCULATING COOLING WATER SYSTEMS.** AQUAGUARD 609 as drummed is not a microbiocide. AQUAGUARD 609 is formulated to react with the hypochlorous acid (HOCl) from the addition of chlorine to form the biocidal active hypobromous acid. The reaction product has greater biocidal activity at significantly lower dosages than chlorine alone. For recirculating cooling water applications, feed AQUAGUARD 609 either before or after the oxidant injection point into the water to be treated. Be sure rapid mixing of the treated water, AQUAGUARD 609 and oxidant is achieved.

**DOSAGE:** The dosage rate is proportional to the feed rate of the chlorine source. For best results feed 0.90 kg AQUAGUARD 609/1 kg chlorine gas or 0.87 kg AQUAGUARD 609/10 kg 12% sodium hypochlorite.

**PULP AND PAPER APPLICATIONS.** This product effectively controls algal, bacterial, and fungal slime in pulp and paper mill fresh and sea water influent water systems; cooling water systems, service water systems, white water systems, and other process water. Treat water at critical areas in the system process where mixing of the product with influent will be uniform. The frequency and duration of the treatment will depend upon the severity of the problem. Badly fouled process systems must be cleaned before initial treatment.

AQUAGUARD 609 should be ratioed to chlorine dosage. Normal feed ratio is 3 to 20 grams AQUAGUARD 609 for every 10 grams of chlorine or the equivalent of sodium hypochlorite. Add up to 0.70 kg of this product to 10,000 L, or 70 parts per million, of water in the system, to achieve

a measured residual of up to 5 parts per million bromine as needed to maintain control of the system.

### **PRECAUTIONS**

**KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.** May cause skin and eye irritation. May be harmful if swallowed. Do not get in eyes, on skin or on clothing. Wear goggles or safety glasses and rubber gloves when handling this product. Avoid breathing dust. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

### **FIRST AID**

**If on skin or clothing:** Take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15 -20 minutes. Call a poison control centre or doctor for treatment advice.

**If swallowed:** Call a poison control centre or doctor immediately for treatment advice. Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow. Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by a poison control centre or doctor. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

**If in eyes:** Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15–20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye. Call a poison control centre or doctor for treatment advice.

**If inhaled:** Move person to fresh air. If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably by mouth-to-mouth, if possible. Call a poison control centre or doctor for further treatment advice. Take container, label or product name and Pest Control Product Registration Number with you when seeking medical attention.

**TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION:** Avoid alcohol. Treat symptomatically.

### **DISPOSAL**

- 1) Triple or pressure-rinse the empty container and add the rinsings to the treatment site.
- 2) Follow provincial instructions for any required additional cleaning of the container prior to its disposal.
- 3) Make the empty container unsuitable for further use.
- 4) Dispose of the container in accordance with provincial requirements.
- 5) For information on disposal of unused, unwanted product, contact the manufacturer or the provincial regulatory agency.

Contact the manufacturer and the provincial regulatory agency in case of a spill, and for clean-up of spills.

### **ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS**

This product is toxic to fish and other aquatic organisms. It is not to be used in circumstances that would cause or allow it to enter lakes, streams, ponds, estuaries, oceans or other waters in contravention of federal or provincial regulatory requirements. The requirements of applicable laws should be determined before using the product.

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