FOR ANY EMERGENCY, 24 HOURS / 7 DAYS, CALL: 1-800-654-6911 (OUTSIDE USA: 1-423-780-2970)
FOR ALL TRANSPORTATION ACCIDENTS, CALL CHEMTREC®: 1-800-424-9300 (OUTSIDE USA: 1-703-527-3887)
FOR ALL SDS QUESTIONS & REQUESTS, CALL: 1-800-511-MSDS (OUTSIDE USA: 1-423-780-2347)

PRODUCT NAME: **GLB pH UP**

**SECTION 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION**

**Supplier**
GLB
1400 Bluegrass Lakes Parkway, Alpharetta, GA, 30004 USA
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Telefax: +17705215959
Web: www.poolspacecare.com

**Manufacturer**
Advantis Technologies
1200 Bluegrass Lakes Parkway
Alpharetta, GA 30004
United States of America

**REVISION DATE:** 05/26/2015
**SUPERCEDES:** 06/01/2009
**MSDS Number:** 000000024500
**SYNONYMS:** None
**CHEMICAL FAMILY:** None
**DESCRIPTION / USE:** None established
**FORMULA:** None established

**SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

**GHS Classification**
- Eye irritation: Category 2A
- Acute toxicity (Inhalation): Category 4

**GHS Label element**
- Hazard pictograms:
- Signal word: Warning
Hazard statements
H319 Causes serious eye irritation.
H332 Harmful if inhaled.

Precautionary statements
Prevention:
P261 Avoid breathing vapours.
P264 Wash hands thoroughly after handling.
P271 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.
P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.

Response:
P304 + P340 IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.
P312 Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician if you feel unwell.
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.

Other hazards
None known.

SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

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SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Inhalation: IF INHALED: Remove individual to fresh air. Seek medical attention if breathing becomes difficult or if respiratory irritation develops. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Call for medical assistance.

Skin Contact: IF ON SKIN: Immediately flush skin with plenty of water for 15 minutes. If clothing comes in contact with the product, the clothing should be removed immediately and laundered before re-use. Seek medical attention.

Eye Contact: IF IN EYES: Flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Seek medical attention if irritation develops.

Ingestion: IF SWALLOWED: Call a physician immediately. DO NOT induce vomiting unless directed to do so by a physician. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.
SECTION 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

Flammability Summary (OSHA): Product is not known to be flammable, combustible, pyrophoric or explosive.

Flammable Properties
Flash Point: Not applicable
Autoignition Temperature: Not applicable
Fire / Explosion Hazards: Material will not ignite or burn.
Extinguishing Media: Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.
Fire Fighting Instructions: Use water spray to cool unopened containers. In case of fire, use normal fire-fighting equipment and the personal protective equipment recommended in Section 8 to include a NIOSH approved self-contained breathing apparatus.

Hazardous Combustion Products: Carbon monoxide, Carbon dioxide, Sodium oxide
Upper Flammable / Explosive Limit, % in air: Not applicable
Lower Flammable / Explosive Limit, % in air: Not applicable

SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal Protection for Emergency Situations: Use the personal protective equipment recommended in Section 8 and a NIOSH approved self-contained breathing apparatus.

Spill Mitigation Procedures
Air Release: Not applicable
Water Release: This material is soluble in water. Notify all downstream users of possible contamination. Divert water flow around spill if possible and safe to do so.
Land Release: Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. Avoid dust generation. Do not place spill materials back in their original containers. After removal, flush contaminated area thoroughly with water.

Additional Spill Information: Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Use personal protective equipment as required. Evacuate personnel to safe areas.

SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling: Do not take internally. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. If in eyes or on skin, rinse well with water. Avoid breathing dust.
Storage: Store in a cool, dry and well ventilated place. Isolate from incompatible materials.
Incompatible Materials for Storage: Refer to Section 10, "Incompatible Materials."
SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Ventilation: Local exhaust ventilation is recommended if significant dusting occurs. Otherwise use general exhaust ventilation. 

Protective Equipment for Routine Use of Product

Respiratory Protection: Respiratory protection not normally needed. If dusting occurs, wear a NIOSH approved N95 dust respirator.

Skin Protection: Impervious gloves

Eye Protection: Chemical resistant goggles must be worn.

Protective Clothing Type: Natural rubber, Neoprene, Nitrile

General Protective Measures: Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.

Components with workplace control parameters

no data available

SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

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SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability and Reactivity Summary: Stable under normal conditions., Product will not undergo hazardous polymerization.
Conditions to Avoid: Heat, Exposure to moist air or water
Chemical Incompatibility: Aluminum powder, Acids
Hazardous Decomposition Products: Carbon monoxide, Carbon dioxide, Sodium oxide
Decomposition Temperature: 400 °C

SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Component Animal Toxicology
Oral LD50 value:
Sodium carbonate  LD50  =  4,090 mg/kg  Rat

Component Animal Toxicology
Dermal LD50 value:
Sodium carbonate  LD50  Believed to be >  2,000 mg/kg  Rabbit

Component Animal Toxicology
Inhalation LC50 value:
Sodium carbonate  LC50  1 h  =  4.6 mg/l  Rat

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Skin Irritation: May cause mild skin irritation.
Eye Irritation: Moderate eye irritant
Skin Sensitization: This material is not known or reported to be a skin or respiratory sensitizer.

Acute Toxicity: Contact with the eyes and mucous membranes causes transient irritation. Minor corneal involvement may occur if product is not rinsed immediately from the eyes. Inhalation may cause irritation. Contact with skin causes irritation.
Subchronic / Chronic Toxicity: Damage to lungs has been observed in laboratory animals from repeated inhalation of high concentrations (70 mg/m3). This damage is characterized by thickening of the walls of the air sacs and a low grade of pulmonary inflammation. The risk to human health is low due to the high concentration required to produce the effect., Repeated or prolonged skin contact with this product may cause dermatitis and blistering.

Sodium carbonate  Male rats were exposed to an aerosol of 2% aqueous solution of this chemical, 4 hr.day, 5 days/week for 3-1/2 months. No effect was observed at a concentration of
10 or 20 mg/cubic meter. At 70 mg/cubic meter weight gain was decreased and the lungs showed thickening of the intra-alveolar walls, hyperemia, and lymphoid infiltration. Repeated or prolonged skin contact with this product may cause dermatitis and blistering.

Reproductive and Developmental Toxicity: This chemical has been tested in laboratory animals and no evidence of teratogenicity was seen.

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Mutagenicity: This product was determined to be non-mutagenic in the Ames assay. It was also shown to be non-clastogenic in the chromosomal aberration test.

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Carcinogenicity: This product is not known or reported to be carcinogenic by any reference source including IARC, OSHA, NTP or EPA.

SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Overview: Practically non-toxic to fish and other aquatic organisms.

Ecological Toxicity Values for: Sodium carbonate

Pimephales promelas (fathead minnow) - (nominal, static). 96 h LC50 < 850 mg/l
Bluegill - (nominal, static). 96 h LC50 = 320 mg/l
Mosquito fish - (nominal, static). 96 h LC50 = 740 mg/l
Daphnia magna, - (nominal, static). 48 h LC50 = 265 mg/l
Ceriodaphnia dubia - (nominal) 48 h EC50 = 199.82 mg/l
Navicula seminulum (diatom) - (nominal, static). 96 h EC50 = 242 mg/l

SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

CARE MUST BE TAKEN TO PREVENT ENVIRONMENTAL CONTAMINATION FROM THE USE OF THE MATERIAL. THE USER OF THE MATERIAL HAS THE RESPONSIBILITY TO DISPOSE OF UNUSED MATERIAL, RESIDUES AND CONTAINERS IN COMPLIANCE WITH ALL RELEVANT LOCAL, STATE AND FEDERAL LAWS AND REGULATIONS REGARDING TREATMENT, STORAGE AND DISPOSAL FOR HAZARDOUS AND NONHAZARDOUS WASTES.

Waste Disposal Summary: If this product becomes a waste, it DOES NOT meet the criteria of a...
hazardous waste as defined under 40 CFR 261, in that it does not exhibit the characteristics of hazardous waste of Subpart C, nor is it listed as a hazardous waste under Subpart D. As a nonhazardous solid waste it should be disposed of in accordance with local, state and federal regulations.

SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT
Not dangerous goods

TDG
Not dangerous goods

IATA
Not dangerous goods

IMDG-CODE
Not dangerous goods

SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

EPCRA - Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act

SARA 302
No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

SARA 313
This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

Clean Air Act

This product does not contain any hazardous air pollutants (HAP), as defined by the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 12 (40 CFR 61).

This product does not contain any chemicals listed under the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 112(r) for Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130, Subpart F).

This product does not contain any chemicals listed under the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 111 SOCMI Intermediate or Final VOC's (40 CFR 60.489).
Clean Water Act

This product does not contain any Hazardous Substances listed under the U.S. CleanWater Act, Section 311, Table 116.4A.

This product does not contain any Hazardous Chemicals listed under the U.S. CleanWater Act, Section 311, Table 117.3.

This product does not contain any toxic pollutants listed under the U.S. Clean Water Act Section 307

US State Regulations

Massachusetts Right To Know

No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

Pennsylvania Right To Know

Sodium carbonate 497-19-8

New Jersey Right To Know

Sodium carbonate 497-19-8

California Prop 65

This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.

The components of this product are reported in the following inventories:

TSCA: The components of this product are listed on the TSCA Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances.

Inventories

AICS (Australia), DSL (Canada), IECSC (China), REACH (European Union), ENCS (Japan), ISHL (Japan), KECI (Korea), NZIoC (New Zealand), PICCS (Philippines), TSCA (USA)

SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

SECTIONS REVISED: First formulated version in SAP.
Major References: Available upon request.
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