

COSHH Risk Assessment No: 026

Product Name: Detex Blox



Registration number – N/a		Appearance – Beige block with ridges	
Describe the activity or work process. <i>(Inc. how long/ how often this is carried out and quantity substance used)</i>		Non-Toxic monitoring block used to identify the presence of rodents. No restriction on length of use. Preferred method of monitoring in internal and external areas.	
Location of process being carried out?		Used to monitor for both rats and mice internally and externally.	
Identify the persons at risk:		Employees ☐	Sub-contractors ☐ Public ☐
Name the substance involved in the process and its manufacturer.		Detex Blox (Bell laboratories)	

Classification (state the category of danger)

	☐	Very Toxic		☐	Irritant - dermatitis causing		☐	Extremely Flammable
	☐	Toxic		☐	Sensitising		☐	Highly Flammable
	☐	Corrosive		☐	Biological		☐	Flammable
	☐	Harmful – lung damage if swallowed		☐	Oxidising		☐	Environmental

Hazard Type

☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☒	☐
Gas	Vapour	Mist	Fume	Dust	Liquid	Solid	Other (State)

Route of Exposure

☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Inhalation	Skin	Eyes	Ingestion	Other (State)

Workplace Exposure Limits (WELs) please indicate n/a where not applicable

n/a	Short-term exposure level (15 mins): n/a
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State the Risks to Health from Identified Hazards

EC Classification: Not classified as hazardous

Control Measures:

Always read label before use and comply with details.
Operator to use wear suitable PPE when handling, including gloves, due to possible risks associated with rodents. Records of PPE maintenance to be held

Safety Phrases: Non-Toxic			
Is health surveillance or monitoring required? Yes ☐ No ☒ 			
Personal Protective Equipment <i>(state type and standard)</i>			
 ☐		 ☐	
Dust mask		Visor	
 ☐		 ☐	
Respirator		Goggles	
 ☒	Disposible gloves	 ☐	
Gloves		Overalls	
 ☒	Steel toe cap boots to be worn as per company dress code.	 ☐	
Footwear		Other	
First Aid Measures			
Inhalation: Non-Toxic Skin: Non-Toxic Eyes: Non-Toxic Ingestion: Non-Toxic.			
Storage			
Storage: Keep in original labelled container, tightly closed. Store in cool, dry place			
Disposal of Substances & Contaminated Containers			
Hazardous Waste ☐ Skip ☐ Return to Depot ☐ Return to Supplier ☐ Other ☒			
(If Other Please State): Non Toxic can be placed in refuse			

Is exposure adequately controlled?	Yes ☒ No ☐
Risk Rating Following Control Measures	
High ☐	Medium ☐
Low ☒	
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