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## Dear Valued Customer To Whom It May Concern

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### **REACH with Ecolab**

Based on current and available information, only a very small segment of Ecolab products sold within the European Union and United Kingdom contain Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC) as listed on the Candidate List published by the European Chemicals Agency (ECHA) and Health and Safety Executive (HSE).

To view the Candidate List of SVHC, please visit: <a href="https://echa.europa.eu/candidate-list-table">https://echa.europa.eu/candidate-list-table</a> for EU REACH list and <a href="mailto:candidate-list.xlsx">candidate-list.xlsx</a> (live.com) for UK REACH.

This table reflects the affected Ecolab products. There were no additional Ecolab substances or products affected by the updated Candidate List as of **23**<sup>rd</sup> **January 2024**.

EINECS#	CAS#	Product	
203-856-5	111-30-8	Dentasept Ultra, Incidin, Incidin Rapid, Kodra Des, Olympus Disinfectant, Sekumatic FD, Steranios 2%, Soluscope D, Soluscope GTA, Virocid;	
208-764-9	541-02-6	Skinman Foam	
210-894-6	625-45-6	VR 2210-300	
233-139-2	10043-35-3	Sanitizing Wash N Walk, Antibacterial Clean & Smooth (Dubai)	

Although the REACH regulation does not apply to articles, it may apply to substances contained in articles when Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC) are present in the article above 0.1% (w/w) concentration. Ecolab purchases articles (equipment) from third parties. We are in the continuous process of obtaining information about SVHCs in articles from our suppliers and will provide updates as information is available.

If you would like more information regarding our position on REACH, please visit our website at www.ecolab.com. If you have further questions, please contact me directly or send your query to Reach@ecolab.com.

Sincerely yours,

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The obligations from the Registration, Evaluation, Authorization and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH) Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 for manufacturers, formulators and the final downstream users differ according to their role. Ecolab has an active program in place to secure customer's processes through REACH Regulation.

According to Article 33 of REACH, suppliers of articles have the obligation to inform downstream customers of the presence of Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC)<sup>1</sup> in articles<sup>2</sup> when the concentration is above 0.1% weight by weight (w/w). Article suppliers are required to communicate actively in order to provide sufficient information to allow the safe use of the article, including as a minimum, the name of the substance.

Based on information received from our upstream suppliers, only a small subset of products is assembled with articles containing SVHC exceeding 0.1% (w/w) concentration. The table below includes the identified SVHC, as well as Ecolab products where this substance is present above 0.1% (w/w):

Substance Name	CAS#	Products	Safe Use
Lead	7439-92-1	Peristaltic pump WP10-P4M2-WI6-B	The product contains LEAD. Do not destroy the pump in order not to contact the lead part. Wear gloves when replacing the tubing or take care not to touch on shaft.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The REACH Regulation (EC) 1907/2006 defines substances of very high concern ("SVHCs") as substances that are classified as: carcinogenic, mutagenic or toxic for reproduction ("CMR") Category 1A or 1B, persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic ("PBT"), very persistent and very bioaccumulative ('vPvB"), endocrine disruptors, or raise other equivalent health and environmental concerns.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> An article is defined by REACH Art.3 as an object which during production is given a special shape, surface or design which determines its function to a greater degree than does its chemical composition.

6,6'-di-tert-	119-47-1	•	EMPIV pump	Wear gloves when
butyl-2,2'-		•	Dosing valve	replacing the O-Ring.
methylened		•	Combi valve	
i-p-cresol		•	PDP	
'		•	Turbo Smart Pumps (TSP)	
		•	DG1	
		•	DG3	
		•	Fluidos / MPI TR	
		•	Dosing stations EMPII/III/IV	

We will keep monitoring the presence of SVHCs in our articles and updating the previous information as needed.

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<u>SCIP database for information on Substances of Concern In articles as such or in complex objects</u> (Products) established under the Waste Framework Directive (WFD).

From 5 January, 2021 companies supplying articles containing substances of very high concern (SVHCs) on the Candidate List in a concentration above 0.1% weight by weight (w/w) on the EU market have to submit information on these articles to ECHA. Ecolab has submitted dossiers to SCIP database for the impacted articles. We are aware this new duty ensures that the information on articles containing substances of very high concern (SVHCs) on ECHA's Candidate List is available throughout the whole lifecycle of products and materials, including the waste stage.

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