

Annex 1 to the contract pursuant to  
 DE-UZ 194 Hand Dishwashing Detergents and Hard Surface  
 Cleaners  
 DE-UZ 201 Dishwasher detergents  
 DE-UZ 202 Laundry detergents

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## Manufacturer's declaration

### 1. Basic Award Criteria

	Blue Angel for	Basic award criteria	Edition
	Hand Dishwashing Detergents and Hard Surface Cleaners	DE-UZ 194	July 2018
	Dishwasher detergents	DE-UZ 201	July 2018
	Laundry detergents	DE-UZ 202	July 2018

### 2. Manufacturer / production location(s) / product name(s)

<b><u>Applicant:</u></b> (Full company name and address)	
<b><u>Distributor:</u></b> (If different to the applicant)	
<b><u>Manufacturer and manufacturing location:</u></b> (If different to the applicant)	

### Products:

No.	Brands/ Trading name	Product name	Product type	Details Product type	Details Product type
1					
2					
3					

No.	Recipe/packaging: Date/version (Excel file)	Packaging no. (Excel file)	Article number	Use	
				Commercial	Private
1					
2					
3					

### 3. Scope:

All relevant information that is required to verify that the product comes under the scope of the Basic Award Criteria is enclosed with the application (Excel file, label, technical data sheets).

### 4. Legal requirements

The product complies with all the legal requirements in the country in which it is to be marketed. The substance requirements defined by Regulation (EC) No. 648/2004 (Detergents Regulation, DetVO) on detergents and the CLP Regulation (Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008) are observed.

### 5. Formulation of the end product:

The completed Annex 2 (Excel file) is enclosed with the application. It has been made available to RAL gGmbH in electronic form.

### 6. Paragraph 3.2 Renewable raw materials in surfactants

Compliance with the requirement is declared. The proportion of renewable carbon is calculated based on the organic carbon (Annex 2) and verified with a declaration by the surfactant manufacturer. The calculation shall be based on the annual production volume. (see Supplement A)

### 7. Paragraph 3.3 Requirements for renewable raw materials produced from palm oil and palm kernel oil

No renewable raw materials produced from palm oil and palm kernel oil have been used in the product. Declarations from the producers of the raw materials are enclosed.

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The following certification systems are used:

RSPO (Roundtable on Sustainable Palmoil)

ISCC+ (International Sustainability & Carbon Certification)

RSB (Roundtable on Sustainable Biomaterial).

In the case of RSPO "Mass Balance", "Segregation" or "Identity Preserved" certification, the manufacturing company must verify their membership of the RSPO (in the case of first-time applications, to be applied for after the issuing of the contract).

The RSPO membership number is:

RSPO membership will be applied for at a later date.

The following shall be submitted to RAL gGmbH at the latest after the Blue Angel ecolabel has been used for the first 15 months and then annually: RSPO membership number and proofs of

purchase (delivery notes/invoices) for the corresponding raw materials. The documents must state the RSPO certificate number for the producer of the raw material.

Alternatively, a corresponding certificate and the audit report will be submitted to verify completion of a supply chain audit.

*A supply chain audit is obligatory:*

- for ordinary RSPO members
- if using "MB claim transfer cross referencing"
- if products are produced by contract manufacturers who are not RSPO members themselves and are bound to the applicant via "outsourcing agreements".

**8. Paragraph 3.4 Biodegradability**

Compliance with the requirements is declared. The calculation is included in Annex 2. For substances not included in Part A of the DID list, suitable documents are enclosed to support a calculation in accordance with Part B of the DID List.

**9. Paragraph 3.5 Toxicity to aquatic organisms**

Compliance with the requirements is declared. The calculation is included in Annex 2. For substances not included in Part A of the DID list, suitable documents are enclosed to support a calculation in accordance with Part B of the DID List.

**10. Paragraph 3.6 General exclusion of substances with certain properties**

Compliance with the requirements is declared. Suitable documents (SDS for the raw materials, declarations from the producers of the raw materials) are enclosed with the application.

**11. Paragraph 3.7 Exclusion of substances**

Compliance with the requirements is declared. Suitable documents (SDS for the raw materials, declarations from the producers of the raw materials) are enclosed with the application.

**12. Paragraph 3.8 Requirements for specific substances**

Compliance with the requirements is declared. Suitable documents (SDS for the raw materials, declarations from the producers of the raw materials) are enclosed with the application.

**13. Paragraph 3.9 Labelling of the end product**

Compliance with the requirements is declared.

A product label and the SDS for the end product are enclosed.

**14. Paragraph 3.10 Dosage requirements**

Compliance with the requirements is declared. A product label is enclosed.

**15. Paragraph 3.11 Fitness for use**

Compliance with the requirements is declared.

Test results in accordance with the supplements are enclosed.

#### **16. Paragraph 3.12 Packaging requirements**

Weight utility ratio (WUR): The calculation is included in Annex 2. Either the WUR criterion has been complied with or the primary packaging contains more than 80% renewable materials. If the WUR criterion is only complied with due to the use of recycled materials, appropriate verification of the proportion of renewable materials is enclosed with the application.

Packagings, sleeves, labels or closures are not made out of halogenated polymers e.g. PVC.

Paper/cardboard used in the sales packaging contains at least 80% recycled materials.

The sales packaging is not made out of paper/cardboard.

Paper/cardboard used in secondary packaging that also serves as transport packaging contains at least 70% recycled materials.

Secondary packaging that also serves as transport packaging is not made out of paper/cardboard.

Products offered as trigger sprays: Trigger spray bottles are refillable and recyclable.

No trigger spray bottles are offered for sale.

The requirement for a recycling-oriented design has been complied with; the materials used in the packaging components (and their densities where relevant) are listed in Annex 2.

#### **17. Paragraph 3.13 Consumer information**

The product is classified and labelled as hazardous to human health according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008. Advertising claims such as "less environmentally damaging", "less hazardous to water", "less hazardous substances" or comparable statements which could be considered to play down the risks are not used.

The product is not classified and labelled as hazardous to human health according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008.

The type of enzyme contained in the product is stated on the packaging.

End products carry the following safety instructions (or an equivalent text) in either text form or as a pictogram: "Keep away from children!"

The primary packaging contains information on reuse, recycling and the proper disposal of the packaging.

#### Only for dilutable hard surface cleaners:

For all-purpose cleaners and dilutable kitchen, bathroom and glass cleaners, an exact dosage recommendation is attached to the packaging in a font size of at least 2 millimetres and against a visible background. For all-purpose cleaners, the dosage recommendation includes at least doses for "lightly soiled" and "normally soiled" surfaces.

In addition, a suitable dosing system (e.g. in the form of a cap that can be used as a dosing aid) is supplied for all-purpose cleaners.

The following text (or an equivalent text) appears on the packaging:

"Proper dosage saves costs and minimises environmental impacts."

Only for hand dishwashing detergent:

The end product carries the following instructions on the packaging:

"Do not rinse under running water but immerse the dishes and use the recommended dosage."

The recommended dosage is stated on the packaging in a font size of at least 2 millimetres and against a visible background. The dosage is stated in millilitres (or teaspoons) per 5 litres of dishwashing water for "lightly soiled" and "normally soiled" dishes.

Information on the approximate number of dishwashing cycles that is possible with one bottle in the case of normally soiled dishes. This number can be calculated by dividing the total volume of the end product by the dosage required for 5 litres of dishwashing water for normally soiled dishes.

In addition, a suitable dosing system (e.g. in the form of a push-pull closure) is supplied for hand dishwashing detergents.

Only for dishwasher detergents:

The dosage instructions are stated on the packaging in accordance with Regulation (EC) No. 648/2004. This includes the standard dosage in grams or millilitres or the number of tabs for the main washing cycle for normally soiled dishes in a fully loaded dishwasher for 12 place settings, if necessary with information on the dosages for the water hardness levels of soft, medium and hard.

A dosing aid is provided free of charge on request for dishwasher detergents that need to be measured out by the end consumer. If the dosing aid is not enclosed with every packaging unit or it cannot be stocked at the retail outlet, it must be possible to request it via a free hotline, via email or via the Internet and the subsequent delivery must be completed free of charge.

Description of the dosing aid provided:

The packaging contains the following or comparable instructions:

- Clean at the lowest possible temperature.
- Only clean dishes with a completely full machine and not to add more detergent to the machine than recommended.
- Information on obtaining a dosage aid (if relevant).

Only for laundry detergents:

The recommended dosages for "lightly", "normally" and "heavily" soiled laundry and the different water hardness levels, as well as the weight of the laundry per load, are stated on the product.

A dosing aid is provided free of charge on request for laundry detergents that need to be measured out by the end consumer. If the dosing aid is not enclosed with every packaging unit or it cannot be stocked at the retail outlet, it is possible to request it via a free hotline, via email or via the Internet and the subsequent delivery must be completed free of charge.

Description of the dosing aid provided:

The packaging contains the following or comparable instructions:

- Wash at the lowest possible temperature.
- Fill the drum with maximum possible load for the type of textile.
- Dose the laundry detergent according to the level of soiling and the level of water hardness, follow the dosage instructions to achieve the best possible washing performance with the least amount of detergent.
- Information on obtaining a dosage aid (if relevant).
- Instructions on where information about water hardness can be found.

Only for hand dishwashing detergents and hard surface cleaners:

End products carry the following safety instructions (or an equivalent text) in either text form or as a pictogram:

- "Do not mix different cleaners!"
- "Avoid inhaling sprayed product" (only for end products that are packaged as sprays).

**18. Paragraph 3.14 Training of commercial/industrial users (only for hand dishwashing detergents and hard surface cleaners that are used by commercial/industrial users)**

The manufacturer, distributor or a third party offers training courses or training material for cleaning personnel. These provide step by step explanations of how to properly dilute, use and dispose of the product, as well as instructions on using associated equipment.

A sample of the training material with a detailed explanation of how to properly dilute, use and dispose of the product, as well as instructions on using associated equipment or a description of the training course, are enclosed with the application.

Location:

Date:

Applicant:  
(legally binding  
signature)