

# **SECTION 1: PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION**

PRODUCT NAME: GREASE-X EMULSIFIER

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PRODUCT USE: Grease cleaning

# **SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

## **Hazard classification**

This material is hazardous under the criteria of the Federal OSHA Hazard Communication Standard 29CFR 1910.1200.

Eye irritation - Category 1 Skin irritation - Category 2

# Label elements

Signal word: DANGER!

# Hazards

Causes eye irritation. Causes skin irritation.

# **Precautionary statements**

Prevention

Wash skin thoroughly after handling.

# Response

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/ attention.

# SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

A mixture of biodegradable non-ionic surfactants and non-hazardous ingredients.

## **SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES**

Description of first aid measures General advice: If potential for exposure exists refer to Section 8 for specific personal protective equipment.

**Inhalation:** Move person to fresh air; if effects occur, consult a physician.

**Skin contact:** Wash off with plenty of water. Suitable emergency safety shower facility should be available in work area.

**Eye contact:** Flush eyes thoroughly with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses after the initial 1-2 minutes and continue flushing for several additional minutes. If effects occur, consult a physician, preferably an ophthalmologist. Suitable emergency eye wash facility should be available in work area.

**Ingestion:** If swallowed, seek medical attention. Do not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed: Aside from the information found under Description of first aid measures (above) and Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed (below), any additional important symptoms and effects are described in Section 11: Toxicology Information.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed Notes to physician: No specific antidote. Treatment of exposure should be directed at the control of symptoms and the clinical condition of the patient.

# **SECTION 5: FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

**Suitable extinguishing media:** To extinguish combustible residues of this product use water fog, carbon dioxide, dry chemical or foam.

Unsuitable extinguishing media: no data available

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

**Hazardous combustion products**: Under fire conditions some components of this product may decompose. The smoke may contain unidentified toxic and/or irritating compounds.

**Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards:** This material will not burn until the water has evaporated. Residue can burn.

#### **Advice for firefighters**

**Fire Fighting Procedures:** Keep people away. Isolate fire and deny unnecessary entry. To extinguish combustible residues of this product use water fog, carbon dioxide, dry chemical or foam.

**Special protective equipment for firefighters:** Wear positive-pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) and protective fire fighting clothing (includes fire fighting helmet, coat, trousers, boots, and gloves). If protective equipment is not available or not used, fight fire from a protected location or safe distance.

# **SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

**Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures:** Isolate area. Keep unnecessary and unprotected personnel from entering the area. Refer to section 7, Handling, for additional precautionary measures. Spilled material may cause a slipping hazard. Use appropriate safety equipment. For additional information, refer to Section 8, Exposure Controls and Personal Protection.

**Environmental precautions:** Prevent from entering into soil, ditches, waterways and/or groundwater. See Section 12, Ecological Information.

**Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up**: Contain spilled material if possible. Absorb with materials such as: Sand. Dirt. Collect in suitable and properly labeled containers. See Section 13, Disposal Considerations, for additional information.

# **SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE**

**Precautions for safe handling:** Avoid contact with eyes. Avoid contact with skin. Wash thoroughly after handling. See Section 8, EXPOSURE CONTROLS AND PERSONAL PROTECTION.

**Conditions for safe storage:** Keep from freezing. Store in acool dry place. Store in a tightly closed container. Additional storage and handling information on this product may be obtained by calling your sales or customer service contact.

# **SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

#### **Control parameters**

Exposure limits are listed below, if they exist.

None established

#### **Exposure controls**

**Engineering controls:** Use local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to maintain airborne levels below exposure limit requirements or guidelines. If there are no applicable exposure limit requirements or guidelines, general ventilation should be sufficient for most operations. Local exhaust ventilation may be necessary for some operations.

# **Individual protection measures**

Eye/face protection: Use chemical goggles.

## Skin protection

Hand protection: Use gloves chemically resistant to this material when prolonged or frequently repeated contact could occur. Examples of preferred glove barrier materials include: Neoprene. Nitrile/butadiene rubber ("nitrile" or "NBR"). Polyvinyl chloride ("PVC" or "vinyl"). Avoid gloves made of: Polyvinyl alcohol ("PVA"). NOTICE: The selection of a specific glove for a particular application and duration of use in a workplace should also take into account all relevant workplace factors such as, but not limited to: Other chemicals which may be handled, physical requirements (cut/puncture

protection, dexterity, thermal protection), potential body reactions to glove materials, as well as the instructions/specifications provided by the glove supplier.

Other protection: Wear clean, body-covering clothing.

**Respiratory protection:** Respiratory protection should be worn when there is a potential to exceed the exposure limit requirements or guidelines. If there are no applicable exposure limit requirements or guidelines, wear respiratory protection when adverse effects, such as respiratory irritation or discomfort have been experienced, or where indicated by your risk assessment process. In misty atmospheres, use an approved particulate respirator. The following should be effective types of air-purifying respirators: Particulate filter.

## **SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

PHYSICAL STATE: Liquid
ODOR: Slight sweet

APPEARANCE: Water viscosity liquid

COLOR: Light amber
SOLUBILITY IN WATER: Complete
FREEZING POINT: < 0°C
BOILING POINT: > 100°C

## **SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Reactivity: no data available

**Chemical stability**: Thermally stable at typical use temperatures.

Possibility of hazardous reactions: Polymerization will not occur.

**Conditions to avoid:** Active ingredient decomposes at elevated temperatures.

**Incompatible materials**: Avoid contact with: oxidizers.

**Hazardous decomposition products:** Decomposition products depend upon temperature, air supply and the presence of other materials. Decomposition products can include and are not limited to: Sulfur dioxide.

# **SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Toxicological information on this product or its components appear in this section when such data is available.

# Acute toxicity Acute oral toxicity

Very low toxicity if swallowed. Harmful effects not anticipated from swallowing small amounts.

LD50, Rat, > 2,000 mg/kg No deaths occurred at this concentration.

# Acute dermal toxicity

Prolonged skin contact is unlikely to result in absorption of harmful amounts. LD50, Rabbit, > 2,000 mg/kg No deaths occurred at this concentration.

#### Acute inhalation toxicity

Vapors are primarily water; single exposure is not likely to be hazardous. Mist may cause irritation of upper respiratory tract (nose and throat). The LC50 has not been determined.

#### Skin corrosion/irritation

Prolonged contact may cause slight skin irritation with local redness.

# Serious eye damage/eye irritation

May cause severe eye irritation.

May cause moderate corneal injury.

#### Sensitization

For skin sensitization:

No relevant data found.

For respiratory sensitization:

No relevant data found.

# **Specific Target Organ Systemic Toxicity (Single Exposure)**

Evaluation of available data suggests that this material is not an STOT-SE toxicant.

# Specific Target Organ Systemic Toxicity (Repeated Exposure)

In animals, effects have been reported on the following organs:

Gastrointestinal tract.

## Carcinogenicity

Similar material(s) did not cause cancer in laboratory animals.

#### **Teratogenicity**

Did not cause birth defects or other effects in the fetus even at doses which caused toxic effects in the mother.

## **Reproductive toxicity**

In animal studies, did not interfere with reproduction.

In animal studies, did not interfere with fertility.

## Mutagenicity

In vitro genetic toxicity studies were negative.

## **Aspiration Hazard**

Based on physical properties, not likely to be an aspiration hazard.

# **Acute inhalation toxicity**

Excessive exposure may cause irritation to upper respiratory tract (nose and throat) and lungs.

The LC50 has not been determined.

# **SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Ecotoxicological information on this product or its components appear in this section when such data is available.

#### **Toxicity**

# Acute toxicity to fish

Material is slightly toxic to aquatic organisms on an acute basis (LC50/EC50 between 5 and 10 mg/L in the most sensitive species tested).

As product: LC50,

Pimephales promelas (fathead minnow), 96 Hour, 13 mg/l

# Acute toxicity to aquatic invertebrates

As product:

LC50, Daphnia magna (Water flea), 48 Hour, >1,000 mg/l

## Persistence and degradability

**Biodegradability:** Material is biodegradable according to SDA Semi-Continuous Activated Sludge (SCAS) confirming test for anionic surfactants. Based on stringent OECD test guidelines, this material cannot be considered as readily biodegradable; however, these results do not necessarily mean that the material is not biodegradable under environmental conditions.

### **Bioaccumulative potential**

Bioaccumulation: No bioconcentration is expected because of the relatively high water solubility.

## Mobility in soil

No relevant data found.

## **SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

WASTE DISPOSAL METHOD: Dispose of in manner consistent with federal, state, and local regulations.

Not listed as a material banned from land disposal.

# **SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

# DOT

Not regulated for transport

#### **Classification for SEA transport (IMO-IMDG):**

Not regulated for transport

Transport in bulk according to Annex I or II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC or IGC Code Consult IMO regulations before transporting ocean bulk

# Classification for AIR transport (IATA/ICAO):

Not regulated for transport

This information is not intended to convey all specific regulatory or operational requirements/information relating to this product. Transportation classifications may vary by container volume and may be influenced by regional or country variations in regulations. Additional transportation system information can be obtained through an authorized sales or customer service representative. It is the responsibility of the transporting organization to follow all applicable laws, regulations and rules relating to the transportation of the material.

# **SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION**

#### **OSHA Hazard Communication Standard**

This product is a "Hazardous Chemical" as defined by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200.

# Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 Title III (Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act of 1986) Sections 311 and 312

Acute Health Hazard

# Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 Title III (Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act of 1986) Section 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.

## California Proposition 65 (Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986)

This product contains no listed substances known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects or other reproductive harm, at levels which would require a warning under the statute.

## **United States TSCA Inventory (TSCA)**

All components of this product are in compliance with the inventory listin

# **SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION**

THE INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET, AS OF THE ISSUE DATE, IS BELIEVED TO BE TRUE AND CORRECT. HOWEVER, THE ACCURACY OF COMPLETENESS OF THIS INFORMATION AND ANY RECOMMENDATIONS OR SUGGESTIONS, ARE MADE WITHOUT WARRANTY OR GUARANTEE. SINCE THE CONDITIONS OF USE ARE BEYOND THE CONTROL OF OUR COMPANY, IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE USER TO DETERMINE THE CONDITIONS OF SAFE USE OF THIS PRODUCT.

## **Hazard Rating System**

#### **NFPA**

Health	Fire	Reactivity
_2	0	0

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