

# FLASHLUBE BRAKE FLUID

## FLASHLUBE PTY LTD

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### SECTION 1 Identification of the substance / mixture and of the company / undertaking

#### Product Identifier

|                               |  |
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| Product name                  | FLASHLUBE BRAKE FLUID  |
| Chemical Name                 | Not Applicable   |
| Synonyms                      | FBF500M4; Brake Fluid; BRAKE FLUID 500ML DOT 4; FBF5L4; BRAKE FLUID 5LTR DOT 4; FBF20L4; BRAKE FLUID 20LTR DOT 4 |
| Chemical formula              | Not Applicable   |
| Other means of identification |  |

#### Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

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| Relevant identified uses | HYDRAULIC FLUID USED IN AUTOMOTIVE BRAKE & CLUTCH<br>Use according to manufacturer's directions. |
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#### Details of the manufacturer or supplier of the safety data sheet

|                         |  |
|-------------------------|--|
| Registered company name | FLASHLUBE PTY LTD  |
| Address                 | 249-263 Sunshine Road Tottenham VIC 3012 Australia       |
| Telephone               | 03 9325 9700 03 9325 9771                                |
| Fax                     | Not Available  |
| Website                 | <a href="http://www.flashlube.com">www.flashlube.com</a> |
| Email                   | sales@flashlube.com.au                                   |

#### Emergency telephone number

|                                     |                                     |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Association / Organisation          | CHEMWATCH EMERGENCY RESPONSE (24/7) |
| Emergency telephone number(s)       | +61 1800 951 288                    |
| Other emergency telephone number(s) | +61 3 9573 3188                     |


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### SECTION 2 Hazards identification

#### Classification of the substance or mixture

|                               |   |
|-------------------------------|---|
| Poisons Schedule              | Not Applicable  |
| Classification <sup>[1]</sup> | Acute Toxicity (Oral) Category 4, Skin Corrosion/Irritation Category 2, Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation Category 1                |
| Legend:                       | 1. Classified by Chemwatch; 2. Classification drawn from HCIS; 3. Classification drawn from Regulation (EU) No 1272/2008 - Annex VI |

#### Label elements

|                     |   |
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| Hazard pictogram(s) |  |
| Signal word         | Danger  |

#### Hazard statement(s)

|        |                               |
|--------|-------------------------------|
| H302   | Harmful if swallowed.         |
| H315   | Causes skin irritation.       |
| H318   | Causes serious eye damage.    |
| AUH019 | May form explosive peroxides. |

#### Precautionary statement(s) Prevention

|      |  |
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| P280 | Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, eye protection and face protection. |
| P264 | Wash all exposed external body areas thoroughly after handling.                  |
| P270 | Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.                              |

#### Precautionary statement(s) Response

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| P305+P351+P338 | IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. |
| P310           | Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor/physician/first aider.   |
| P301+P312      | IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor/physician/first aider if you feel unwell.  |
| P302+P352      | IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water.   |
| P330           | Rinse mouth.   |
| P332+P313      | If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.   |
| P362+P364      | Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.   |

**Precautionary statement(s) Storage**

Not Applicable

**Precautionary statement(s) Disposal**

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| P501 | Dispose of contents/container to authorised hazardous or special waste collection point in accordance with any local regulation. |
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**SECTION 3 Composition / information on ingredients****Substances**

See section below for composition of Mixtures

**Mixtures**

| CAS No   | %[weight] | Name                               |
|----------|-----------|------------------------------------|
| 143-22-6 | 20-60     | triethylene glycol monobutyl ether |
| 111-46-6 | 10-30     | diethylene glycol                  |
| 112-34-5 | <5        | diethylene glycol monobutyl ether  |
| 111-77-3 | <5        | diethylene glycol monomethyl ether |

**Legend:** 1. Classified by Chemwatch; 2. Classification drawn from HCIS; 3. Classification drawn from Regulation (EU) No 1272/2008 - Annex VI; 4. Classification drawn from C&L; \* EU IOELVs available

**SECTION 4 First aid measures****Description of first aid measures**

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| <b>Eye Contact</b>  | <p>If this product comes in contact with the eyes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Immediately hold eyelids apart and flush the eye continuously with running water.</li> <li>▶ Ensure complete irrigation of the eye by keeping eyelids apart and away from eye and moving the eyelids by occasionally lifting the upper and lower lids.</li> <li>▶ Continue flushing until advised to stop by the Poisons Information Centre or a doctor, or for at least 15 minutes.</li> <li>▶ Transport to hospital or doctor without delay.</li> <li>▶ Removal of contact lenses after an eye injury should only be undertaken by skilled personnel.</li> </ul>  |
| <b>Skin Contact</b> | <p>If skin contact occurs:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Immediately remove all contaminated clothing, including footwear.</li> <li>▶ Flush skin and hair with running water (and soap if available).</li> <li>▶ Seek medical attention in event of irritation.</li> </ul>   |
| <b>Inhalation</b>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ If fumes or combustion products are inhaled remove from contaminated area.</li> <li>▶ Lay patient down. Keep warm and rested.</li> <li>▶ Prostheses such as false teeth, which may block airway, should be removed, where possible, prior to initiating first aid procedures.</li> <li>▶ Apply artificial respiration if not breathing, preferably with a demand valve resuscitator, bag-valve mask device, or pocket mask as trained. Perform CPR if necessary.</li> <li>▶ Transport to hospital, or doctor, without delay.</li> </ul>  |
| <b>Ingestion</b>    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ <b>IF SWALLOWED, REFER FOR MEDICAL ATTENTION, WHERE POSSIBLE, WITHOUT DELAY.</b></li> <li>▶ For advice, contact a Poisons Information Centre or a doctor.</li> <li>▶ Urgent hospital treatment is likely to be needed.</li> <li>▶ In the mean time, qualified first-aid personnel should treat the patient following observation and employing supportive measures as indicated by the patient's condition.</li> <li>▶ If the services of a medical officer or medical doctor are readily available, the patient should be placed in his/her care and a copy of the SDS should be provided. Further action will be the responsibility of the medical specialist.</li> <li>▶ If medical attention is not available on the worksite or surroundings send the patient to a hospital together with a copy of the SDS.</li> </ul> <p><b>Where medical attention is not immediately available or where the patient is more than 15 minutes from a hospital or unless instructed otherwise:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ <b>INDUCE</b> vomiting with fingers down the back of the throat, <b>ONLY IF CONSCIOUS</b>. Lean patient forward or place on left side (head-down position, if possible) to maintain open airway and prevent aspiration.</li> </ul> <p><b>NOTE:</b> Wear a protective glove when inducing vomiting by mechanical means.</p> |

**Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

As in all cases of suspected poisoning, follow the ABCDEs of emergency medicine (airway, breathing, circulation, disability, exposure), then the ABCDEs of toxicology (antidotes, basics, change absorption, change distribution, change elimination).  
For poisons (where specific treatment regime is absent):

**BASIC TREATMENT**

- ▶ Establish a patent airway with suction where necessary.
- ▶ Watch for signs of respiratory insufficiency and assist ventilation as necessary.
- ▶ Administer oxygen by non-rebreather mask at 10 to 15 L/min.
- ▶ Monitor and treat, where necessary, for pulmonary oedema.
- ▶ Monitor and treat, where necessary, for shock.
- ▶ Anticipate seizures.

- ▶ **DO NOT** use emetics. Where ingestion is suspected rinse mouth and give up to 200 ml water (5 ml/kg recommended) for dilution where patient is able to swallow, has a strong gag reflex and does not drool.

#### ADVANCED TREATMENT

- ▶ Consider orotracheal or nasotracheal intubation for airway control in unconscious patient or where respiratory arrest has occurred.
- ▶ Positive-pressure ventilation using a bag-valve mask might be of use.
- ▶ Monitor and treat, where necessary, for arrhythmias.
- ▶ Start an IV D5W TKO. If signs of hypovolaemia are present use lactated Ringers solution. Fluid overload might create complications.
- ▶ Drug therapy should be considered for pulmonary oedema.
- ▶ Hypotension with signs of hypovolaemia requires the cautious administration of fluids. Fluid overload might create complications.
- ▶ Treat seizures with diazepam.
- ▶ Proparacaine hydrochloride should be used to assist eye irrigation.

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Treat symptomatically.

- ▶ Polyethylene glycols are generally poorly absorbed orally and are mostly unchanged by the kidney.
- ▶ Dermal absorption can occur across damaged skin (e.g. through burns) leading to increased osmolality, anion gap metabolic acidosis, elevated calcium, low ionised calcium, CNS depression and renal failure.
- ▶ Treatment consists of supportive care.

[Ellenhorn and Barceloux: Medical Toxicology]

## SECTION 5 Firefighting measures

### Extinguishing media

- ▶ Water spray or fog.
- ▶ Foam.
- ▶ Dry chemical powder.
- ▶ BCF (where regulations permit).
- ▶ Carbon dioxide.

### Special hazards arising from the substrate or mixture

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| <b>Fire Incompatibility</b> | ▶ Avoid contamination with oxidising agents i.e. nitrates, oxidising acids, chlorine bleaches, pool chlorine etc. as ignition may result |
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### Advice for firefighters

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| <b>Fire Fighting</b>         | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Alert Fire Brigade and tell them location and nature of hazard.</li> <li>▶ Wear full body protective clothing with breathing apparatus.</li> <li>▶ Prevent, by any means available, spillage from entering drains or water course.</li> <li>▶ Use water delivered as a fine spray to control fire and cool adjacent area.</li> <li>▶ Avoid spraying water onto liquid pools.</li> <li>▶ <b>DO NOT</b> approach containers suspected to be hot.</li> <li>▶ Cool fire exposed containers with water spray from a protected location.</li> <li>▶ If safe to do so, remove containers from path of fire.</li> </ul> |
| <b>Fire/Explosion Hazard</b> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Combustible.</li> <li>▶ Slight fire hazard when exposed to heat or flame.</li> <li>▶ Heating may cause expansion or decomposition leading to violent rupture of containers.</li> <li>▶ On combustion, may emit toxic fumes of carbon monoxide (CO).</li> <li>▶ May emit acrid smoke.</li> <li>▶ Mists containing combustible materials may be explosive.</li> </ul> <p>Combustion products include:<br/>carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>)<br/>other pyrolysis products typical of burning organic material.<br/>May emit poisonous fumes.<br/>May emit corrosive fumes.</p>                                       |
| <b>HAZCHEM</b>               | Not Applicable   |

## SECTION 6 Accidental release measures

### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

See section 8

### Environmental precautions

See section 12

### Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

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| <b>Minor Spills</b> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Remove all ignition sources.</li> <li>▶ Clean up all spills immediately.</li> <li>▶ Avoid breathing vapours and contact with skin and eyes.</li> <li>▶ Control personal contact with the substance, by using protective equipment.</li> <li>▶ Contain and absorb spill with sand, earth, inert material or vermiculite.</li> <li>▶ Wipe up.</li> <li>▶ Place in a suitable, labelled container for waste disposal.</li> </ul>   |
| <b>Major Spills</b> | <p>Moderate hazard.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Clear area of personnel and move upwind.</li> <li>▶ Alert Fire Brigade and tell them location and nature of hazard.</li> <li>▶ Wear breathing apparatus plus protective gloves.</li> <li>▶ Prevent, by any means available, spillage from entering drains or water course.</li> <li>▶ No smoking, naked lights or ignition sources.</li> <li>▶ Increase ventilation.</li> <li>▶ Stop leak if safe to do so.</li> <li>▶ Contain spill with sand, earth or vermiculite.</li> <li>▶ Collect recoverable product into labelled containers for recycling.</li> <li>▶ Absorb remaining product with sand, earth or vermiculite.</li> <li>▶ Collect solid residues and seal in labelled drums for disposal.</li> </ul> |

- ▶ Wash area and prevent runoff into drains.
- ▶ If contamination of drains or waterways occurs, advise emergency services.

Personal Protective Equipment advice is contained in Section 8 of the SDS.

## SECTION 7 Handling and storage

### Precautions for safe handling

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| <b>Safe handling</b>     | <p>The tendency of many ethers to form explosive peroxides is well documented. Ethers lacking non-methyl hydrogen atoms adjacent to the ether link are thought to be relatively safe</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ <b>DO NOT concentrate by evaporation, or evaporate extracts to dryness, as residues may contain explosive peroxides with DETONATION potential.</b></li> <li>▶ Any static discharge is also a source of hazard.</li> <li>▶ Before any distillation process remove trace peroxides by shaking with excess 5% aqueous ferrous sulfate solution or by percolation through a column of activated alumina.</li> <li>▶ Distillation results in uninhibited ether distillate with considerably increased hazard because of risk of peroxide formation on storage.</li> <li>▶ Add inhibitor to any distillate as required.</li> <li>▶ When solvents have been freed from peroxides by percolation through columns of activated alumina, the absorbed peroxides must promptly be desorbed by treatment with polar solvents such as methanol or water, which should then be disposed of safely.</li> </ul> <p>The substance accumulates peroxides which may become hazardous only if it evaporates or is distilled or otherwise treated to concentrate the peroxides. The substance may concentrate around the container opening for example.</p> <p>Purchases of peroxidisable chemicals should be restricted to ensure that the chemical is used completely before it can become peroxidised.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ A responsible person should maintain an inventory of peroxidisable chemicals or annotate the general chemical inventory to indicate which chemicals are subject to peroxidation. An expiration date should be determined. The chemical should either be treated to remove peroxides or disposed of before this date.</li> <li>▶ The person or laboratory receiving the chemical should record a receipt date on the bottle. The individual opening the container should add an opening date.</li> <li>▶ Unopened containers received from the supplier should be safe to store for 18 months.</li> <li>▶ Opened containers should not be stored for more than 12 months.</li> <li>▶ Avoid all personal contact, including inhalation.</li> <li>▶ Wear protective clothing when risk of exposure occurs.</li> <li>▶ Use in a well-ventilated area.</li> <li>▶ Prevent concentration in hollows and sumps.</li> <li>▶ <b>DO NOT enter confined spaces until atmosphere has been checked.</b></li> <li>▶ Avoid smoking, naked lights or ignition sources.</li> <li>▶ Avoid contact with incompatible materials.</li> <li>▶ When handling, <b>DO NOT eat, drink or smoke.</b></li> <li>▶ Keep containers securely sealed when not in use.</li> <li>▶ Avoid physical damage to containers.</li> <li>▶ Always wash hands with soap and water after handling.</li> <li>▶ Work clothes should be laundered separately.</li> <li>▶ Use good occupational work practice.</li> <li>▶ Observe manufacturer's storage and handling recommendations contained within this SDS.</li> <li>▶ Atmosphere should be regularly checked against established exposure standards to ensure safe working conditions.</li> <li>▶ <b>DO NOT allow clothing wet with material to stay in contact with skin</b></li> </ul> |
| <b>Other information</b> | <p>Consider storage under inert gas.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Store in an upright position.</li> <li>▶ Store in original containers.</li> <li>▶ Keep containers securely sealed.</li> <li>▶ No smoking, naked lights or ignition sources.</li> <li>▶ Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area.</li> <li>▶ Store away from incompatible materials and foodstuff containers.</li> <li>▶ Protect containers against physical damage and check regularly for leaks.</li> <li>▶ Observe manufacturer's storage and handling recommendations contained within this SDS.</li> </ul>   |

### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

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| <b>Suitable container</b>      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Glass container is suitable for laboratory quantities</li> <li>▶ <b>DO NOT use aluminium or galvanised containers</b></li> <li>▶ Metal can or drum</li> <li>▶ Packaging as recommended by manufacturer.</li> <li>▶ Check all containers are clearly labelled and free from leaks.</li> </ul>   |
| <b>Storage incompatibility</b> | <p>Alcohols</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ are incompatible with strong acids, acid chlorides, acid anhydrides, oxidising and reducing agents.</li> <li>▶ reacts, possibly violently, with alkaline metals and alkaline earth metals to produce hydrogen</li> <li>▶ react with strong acids, strong caustics, aliphatic amines, isocyanates, acetaldehyde, benzoyl peroxide, chromic acid, chromium oxide, dialkylzincs, dichlorine oxide, ethylene oxide, hypochlorous acid, isopropyl chlorocarbonate, lithium tetrahydroaluminate, nitrogen dioxide, pentafluoroguanidine, phosphorus halides, phosphorus pentasulfide, tangerine oil, triethylaluminium, triisobutylaluminium</li> <li>▶ should not be heated above 49 deg. C. when in contact with aluminium equipment</li> <li>▶ Glycol ethers may form peroxides under certain conditions; the potential for peroxide formation is enhanced when these substances are used in processes such as distillation where they are concentrated or even evaporated to near-dryness or dryness; storage under a nitrogen atmosphere is recommended to minimise the possible formation of highly reactive peroxides</li> <li>▶ Nitrogen blanketing is recommended if transported in containers at temperatures within 15 deg C of the flash-point and at or above the flash-point - large containers may first need to be purged and inerted with nitrogen prior to loading</li> <li>▶ In the presence of strong bases or the salts of strong bases, at elevated temperatures, the potential exists for runaway reactions.</li> <li>▶ Contact with aluminium should be avoided; release of hydrogen gas may result- glycol ethers will corrode scratched aluminium surfaces.</li> <li>▶ May discolour in mild steel/ copper; lined containers, glass or stainless steel is preferred</li> <li>▶ Glycols and their ethers undergo violent decomposition in contact with 70% perchloric acid. This seems likely to involve formation of the glycol perchlorate esters (after scission of ethers) which are explosive, those of ethylene glycol and 3-chloro-1,2-propanediol being more powerful than glyceryl nitrate, and the former so sensitive that it explodes on addition of water . Investigation of the hazards associated with use of 2-butoxyethanol for alloy electropolishing showed that mixtures with 50-95% of acid at 20 deg C, or 40-90% at 75 C, were explosive and initiable by sparks. Sparking caused mixtures with 40-50% of acid to become explosive, but 30% solutions appeared safe under static conditions of temperature and concentration.</li> <li>▶ Avoid strong acids, bases.</li> </ul> |

## SECTION 8 Exposure controls / personal protection

### Control parameters


**Occupational Exposure Limits (OEL)****INGREDIENT DATA**

| Source                             | Ingredient        | Material name        | TWA                | STEL          | Peak          | Notes         |
|------------------------------------|-------------------|----------------------|--------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| Australia Exposure Standards       | diethylene glycol | 2,2'-Oxybis[ethanol] | 23 ppm / 100 mg/m3 | Not Available | Not Available | Not Available |
| Ingredient                         | Original IDLH     |                      | Revised IDLH       |               |               |               |
| triethylene glycol monobutyl ether | Not Available     |                      | Not Available      |               |               |               |
| diethylene glycol                  | Not Available     |                      | Not Available      |               |               |               |
| diethylene glycol monobutyl ether  | Not Available     |                      | Not Available      |               |               |               |
| diethylene glycol monomethyl ether | Not Available     |                      | Not Available      |               |               |               |

**Occupational Exposure Banding**

| Ingredient                         | Occupational Exposure Band Rating   | Occupational Exposure Band Limit    |
|------------------------------------|---|-------------------------------------|
| triethylene glycol monobutyl ether | C   | > 1 to ≤ 10 parts per million (ppm) |
| diethylene glycol monobutyl ether  | E   | ≤ 0.1 ppm                           |
| diethylene glycol monomethyl ether | E   | ≤ 0.1 ppm                           |
| <b>Notes:</b>                      | <i>Occupational exposure banding is a process of assigning chemicals into specific categories or bands based on a chemical's potency and the adverse health outcomes associated with exposure. The output of this process is an occupational exposure band (OEB), which corresponds to a range of exposure concentrations that are expected to protect worker health.</i> |                                     |

**Exposure controls**

| <b>Appropriate engineering controls</b>  | <p>Engineering controls are used to remove a hazard or place a barrier between the worker and the hazard. Well-designed engineering controls can be highly effective in protecting workers and will typically be independent of worker interactions to provide this high level of protection. The basic types of engineering controls are:</p> <p>Process controls which involve changing the way a job activity or process is done to reduce the risk.</p> <p>Enclosure and/or isolation of emission source which keeps a selected hazard "physically" away from the worker and ventilation that strategically "adds" and "removes" air in the work environment. Ventilation can remove or dilute an air contaminant if designed properly. The design of a ventilation system must match the particular process and chemical or contaminant in use.</p> <p>Employers may need to use multiple types of controls to prevent employee overexposure.</p> <p>Local exhaust ventilation usually required. If risk of overexposure exists, wear approved respirator. Correct fit is essential to obtain adequate protection. Supplied-air type respirator may be required in special circumstances. Correct fit is essential to ensure adequate protection. An approved self contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) may be required in some situations.</p> <p>Provide adequate ventilation in warehouse or closed storage area. Air contaminants generated in the workplace possess varying "escape" velocities which, in turn, determine the "capture velocities" of fresh circulating air required to effectively remove the contaminant.</p> |                              |   |  |  |   |                                  |  |   |  |                              |
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| <p>Simple theory shows that air velocity falls rapidly with distance away from the opening of a simple extraction pipe. Velocity generally decreases with the square of distance from the extraction point (in simple cases). Therefore the air speed at the extraction point should be adjusted, accordingly, after reference to distance from the contaminating source. The air velocity at the extraction fan, for example, should be a minimum of 1-2 m/s (200-400 f/min) for extraction of solvents generated in a tank 2 meters distant from the extraction point. Other mechanical considerations, producing performance deficits within the extraction apparatus, make it essential that theoretical air velocities are multiplied by factors of 10 or more when extraction systems are installed or used.</p> |   |                              |   |  |  |   |                                  |  |   |  |                              |
| <b>Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment</b>   |    |                              |   |  |  |   |                                  |  |   |  |                              |
| <b>Eye and face protection</b>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Safety glasses with side shields.</li> <li>▶ Chemical goggles. [AS/NZS 1337.1, EN166 or national equivalent]</li> <li>▶ Contact lenses may pose a special hazard; soft contact lenses may absorb and concentrate irritants. A written policy document, describing the wearing of lenses or restrictions on use, should be created for each workplace or task. This should include a review of lens absorption and adsorption for the class of chemicals in use and an account of injury experience. Medical and first-aid personnel should be trained in their removal and suitable equipment should be readily available. In the event of chemical exposure, begin eye irrigation immediately and remove contact lens as soon as practicable. Lens should be removed at the first signs of eye redness or irritation - lens should be removed in a clean environment only after workers have washed hands thoroughly. [CDC NIOSH Current Intelligence Bulletin 59].</li> </ul>  |                              |   |  |  |   |                                  |  |   |  |                              |
| <b>Skin protection</b>   | See Hand protection below   |                              |   |  |  |   |                                  |  |   |  |                              |

|                              |   |
|------------------------------|---|
| <b>Hands/feet protection</b> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Wear chemical protective gloves, e.g. PVC.</li> <li>▶ Wear safety footwear or safety gumboots, e.g. Rubber</li> </ul> <p>The selection of suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality which vary from manufacturer to manufacturer. Where the chemical is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material can not be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application.</p> <p>The exact break through time for substances has to be obtained from the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed when making a final choice.</p> <p>Personal hygiene is a key element of effective hand care. Gloves must only be worn on clean hands. After using gloves, hands should be washed and dried thoroughly. Application of a non-perfumed moisturiser is recommended.</p> <p>Suitability and durability of glove type is dependent on usage. Important factors in the selection of gloves include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· frequency and duration of contact,</li> <li>· chemical resistance of glove material,</li> <li>· glove thickness and</li> <li>· dexterity</li> </ul> <p>Select gloves tested to a relevant standard (e.g. Europe EN 374, US F739, AS/NZS 2161.1 or national equivalent).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· When prolonged or frequently repeated contact may occur, a glove with a protection class of 5 or higher (breakthrough time greater than 240 minutes according to EN 374, AS/NZS 2161.10.1 or national equivalent) is recommended.</li> <li>· When only brief contact is expected, a glove with a protection class of 3 or higher (breakthrough time greater than 60 minutes according to EN 374, AS/NZS 2161.10.1 or national equivalent) is recommended.</li> <li>· Some glove polymer types are less affected by movement and this should be taken into account when considering gloves for long-term use.</li> <li>· Contaminated gloves should be replaced.</li> </ul> <p>As defined in ASTM F-739-96 in any application, gloves are rated as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Excellent when breakthrough time &gt; 480 min</li> <li>· Good when breakthrough time &gt; 20 min</li> <li>· Fair when breakthrough time &lt; 20 min</li> <li>· Poor when glove material degrades</li> </ul> <p>For general applications, gloves with a thickness typically greater than 0.35 mm, are recommended.</p> <p>It should be emphasised that glove thickness is not necessarily a good predictor of glove resistance to a specific chemical, as the permeation efficiency of the glove will be dependent on the exact composition of the glove material. Therefore, glove selection should also be based on consideration of the task requirements and knowledge of breakthrough times.</p> <p>Glove thickness may also vary depending on the glove manufacturer, the glove type and the glove model. Therefore, the manufacturers technical data should always be taken into account to ensure selection of the most appropriate glove for the task.</p> <p>Note: Depending on the activity being conducted, gloves of varying thickness may be required for specific tasks. For example:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Thinner gloves (down to 0.1 mm or less) may be required where a high degree of manual dexterity is needed. However, these gloves are only likely to give short duration protection and would normally be just for single use applications, then disposed of.</li> <li>· Thicker gloves (up to 3 mm or more) may be required where there is a mechanical (as well as a chemical) risk i.e. where there is abrasion or puncture potential</li> </ul> <p>Gloves must only be worn on clean hands. After using gloves, hands should be washed and dried thoroughly. Application of a non-perfumed moisturiser is recommended.</p> |
| <b>Body protection</b>       | See Other protection below  |
| <b>Other protection</b>      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Overalls.</li> <li>▶ P.V.C apron.</li> <li>▶ Barrier cream.</li> <li>▶ Skin cleansing cream.</li> <li>▶ Eye wash unit.</li> </ul>  |

**Recommended material(s)****GLOVE SELECTION INDEX**

Glove selection is based on a modified presentation of the:

"Forsberg Clothing Performance Index".

The effect(s) of the following substance(s) are taken into account in the **computer-generated** selection:

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| Material | CPI |
|----------|-----|
| BUTYL    | A   |
| NITRILE  | B   |
| NEOPRENE | C   |
| PVC      | C   |

\* CPI - Chemwatch Performance Index

A: Best Selection

B: Satisfactory; may degrade after 4 hours continuous immersion

C: Poor to Dangerous Choice for other than short term immersion

**NOTE:** As a series of factors will influence the actual performance of the glove, a final selection must be based on detailed observation. -

\* Where the glove is to be used on a short term, casual or infrequent basis, factors such as "feel" or convenience (e.g. disposability), may dictate a choice of gloves which might otherwise be unsuitable following long-term or frequent use. A qualified practitioner should be consulted.

**Ansell Glove Selection**

| Glove — In order of recommendation |
|------------------------------------|
| AlphaTec® 15-554                   |
| AlphaTec® Solvex® 37-185           |
| AlphaTec® 58-008                   |
| AlphaTec® 38-612                   |
| AlphaTec® 53-001                   |
| AlphaTec® 58-005                   |
| AlphaTec® 58-530B                  |
| AlphaTec® 58-530W                  |
| AlphaTec® 58-735                   |

**Respiratory protection**

Type A-P Filter of sufficient capacity. (AS/NZS 1716 & 1715, EN 143:2000 & 149:2001, ANSI Z88 or national equivalent)

Where the concentration of gas/particulates in the breathing zone, approaches or exceeds the "Exposure Standard" (or ES), respiratory protection is required.

Degree of protection varies with both face-piece and Class of filter; the nature of protection varies with Type of filter.

| Required Minimum Protection Factor | Half-Face Respirator | Full-Face Respirator | Powered Air Respirator  |
|------------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|
| up to 5 x ES                       | A-AUS / Class 1 P2   | -                    | A-PAPR-AUS / Class 1 P2 |
| up to 25 x ES                      | Air-line*            | A-2 P2               | A-PAPR-2 P2             |
| up to 50 x ES                      | -                    | A-3 P2               | -                       |
| 50+ x ES                           | -                    | Air-line**           | -                       |

^ - Full-face

A(All classes) = Organic vapours, B AUS or B1 = Acid gasses, B2 = Acid gas or hydrogen cyanide(HCN), B3 = Acid gas or hydrogen cyanide(HCN), E = Sulfur dioxide(SO2), G = Agricultural chemicals, K = Ammonia(NH3), Hg = Mercury, NO = Oxides of nitrogen, MB = Methyl bromide, AX = Low boiling point organic compounds(below 65 degC)

- ▶ Cartridge respirators should never be used for emergency ingress or in areas of unknown vapour concentrations or oxygen content.
- ▶ The wearer must be warned to leave the contaminated area immediately on detecting any odours through the respirator. The odour may indicate that the mask is not functioning properly, that the vapour concentration is too high, or that the mask is not properly fitted. Because of these limitations, only restricted use of cartridge respirators is considered appropriate.
- ▶ Cartridge performance is affected by humidity. Cartridges should be changed after 2 hr of continuous use unless it is determined that the humidity is less than 75%, in which case, cartridges can be used for 4 hr. Used cartridges should be discarded daily, regardless of the length of time used

AlphaTec® 79-700

The suggested gloves for use should be confirmed with the glove supplier.

## SECTION 9 Physical and chemical properties

### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

|   |   |  |                |
|---|---|--|----------------|
| <b>Appearance</b>                                     | Clear colourless to amber colour liquid with bland odour; not mixes with water. |  |                |
| <b>Physical state</b>                                 | Liquid  | <b>Relative density (Water = 1)</b>                        | 1.01-1.06      |
| <b>Odour</b>  | Not Available   | <b>Partition coefficient n-octanol / water</b>             | Not Available  |
| <b>Odour threshold</b>                                | Not Available   | <b>Auto-ignition temperature (°C)</b>                      | >300           |
| <b>pH (as supplied)</b>                               | 7-11  | <b>Decomposition temperature (°C)</b>                      | >300           |
| <b>Melting point / freezing point (°C)</b>            | <-50  | <b>Viscosity (cSt)</b>                                     | 5-10           |
| <b>Initial boiling point and boiling range (°C)</b>   | >205  | <b>Molecular weight (g/mol)</b>                            | Not Applicable |
| <b>Flash point (°C)</b>                               | >93   | <b>Taste</b>   | Not Available  |
| <b>Evaporation rate</b>                               | Not Available   | <b>Explosive properties</b>                                | Not Available  |
| <b>Flammability</b>                                   | Not Applicable  | <b>Oxidising properties</b>                                | Not Available  |
| <b>Upper Explosive Limit (%)</b>                      | Not Available   | <b>Surface Tension (dyn/cm or mN/m)</b>                    | Not Available  |
| <b>Lower Explosive Limit (%)</b>                      | Not Available   | <b>Volatile Component (%vol)</b>                           | Not Available  |
| <b>Vapour pressure (kPa)</b>                          | <0  | <b>Gas group</b>   | Not Available  |
| <b>Solubility in water</b>                            | Miscible  | <b>pH as a solution (1%)</b>                               | Not Available  |
| <b>Vapour density (Air = 1)</b>                       | Not Available   | <b>VOC g/L</b>   | Not Available  |
| <b>Heat of Combustion (kJ/g)</b>                      | Not Available   | <b>Ignition Distance (cm)</b>                              | Not Available  |
| <b>Flame Height (cm)</b>                              | Not Available   | <b>Flame Duration (s)</b>                                  | Not Available  |
| <b>Enclosed Space Ignition Time Equivalent (s/m3)</b> | Not Available   | <b>Enclosed Space Ignition Deflagration Density (g/m3)</b> | Not Available  |

## SECTION 10 Stability and reactivity

|   |  |
|---|--|
| <b>Reactivity</b>                         | See section 7  |
| <b>Chemical stability</b>                 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Unstable in the presence of incompatible materials.</li> <li>▶ Product is considered stable.</li> <li>▶ Hazardous polymerisation will not occur.</li> </ul> |
| <b>Possibility of hazardous reactions</b> | See section 7  |
| <b>Conditions to avoid</b>                | See section 7  |
| <b>Incompatible materials</b>             | See section 7  |
| <b>Hazardous decomposition products</b>   | See section 5  |

## SECTION 11 Toxicological information

### Information on toxicological effects

|                     |  |
|---------------------|--|
| <b>Inhaled</b>      | The material can cause respiratory irritation in some persons. The body's response to such irritation can cause further lung damage. Inhalation of aerosols (mists, fumes), generated by the material during the course of normal handling, may be damaging to the health of the individual. Inhalation hazard is increased at higher temperatures.  |
| <b>Ingestion</b>    | Accidental ingestion of the material may be harmful; animal experiments indicate that ingestion of less than 150 gram may be fatal or may produce serious damage to the health of the individual. Overexposure to non-ring alcohols causes nervous system symptoms. These include headache, muscle weakness and inco-ordination, giddiness, confusion, delirium and coma.  |
| <b>Skin Contact</b> | The material may cause mild but significant inflammation of the skin either following direct contact or after a delay of some time. Repeated exposure can cause contact dermatitis which is characterised by redness, swelling and blistering. Open cuts, abraded or irritated skin should not be exposed to this material. Entry into the blood-stream, through, for example, cuts, abrasions or lesions, may produce systemic injury with harmful effects. Examine the skin prior to the use of the material and ensure that any external damage is suitably protected. Most liquid alcohols appear to act as primary skin irritants in humans. Significant percutaneous absorption occurs in rabbits but not apparently in man. |
| <b>Eye</b>          | If applied to the eyes, this material causes severe eye damage.  |
| <b>Chronic</b>      | Long-term exposure to respiratory irritants may result in airways disease, involving difficulty breathing and related whole-body problems. Toxic: danger of serious damage to health by prolonged exposure through inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed. This material can cause serious damage if one is exposed to it for long periods. It can be assumed that it contains a substance which can produce severe defects. Ample evidence exists from experimentation that reduced human fertility is directly caused by exposure to the material. Ample evidence exists, from results in experimentation, that developmental disorders are directly caused by human exposure to the material.                        |

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TOXICITY

IRRITATION

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|                                    |   |  |
|------------------------------------|---|--|
|                                    | Not Available                                     | Not Available  |
| triethylene glycol monobutyl ether | <b>TOXICITY</b>                                   | <b>IRRITATION</b>  |
|                                    | Dermal (rabbit) LD50: 3051 mg/kg <sup>[2]</sup>   | Eye (Rodent - rabbit): 20mg/24H - Moderate                       |
|                                    | Oral (Rat) LD50: 5300 mg/kg <sup>[2]</sup>        | Eye (Rodent - rabbit): 50mg - Severe                             |
|                                    |   | Eye: adverse effect observed (irritating) <sup>[1]</sup>         |
|                                    |   | Skin (Rodent - rabbit): 10mg/24H - Mild                          |
|                                    |   | Skin (Rodent - rabbit): 500mg/24H - Mild                         |
|                                    |   | Skin: no adverse effect observed (not irritating) <sup>[1]</sup> |
| diethylene glycol                  | <b>TOXICITY</b>                                   | <b>IRRITATION</b>  |
|                                    | Dermal (rabbit) LD50: 11890 mg/kg <sup>[2]</sup>  | Eye (Rodent - rabbit): 50mg - Mild                               |
|                                    | Inhalation (Rat) LC50: >4.6 mg/14h <sup>[1]</sup> | Eye: no adverse effect observed (not irritating) <sup>[1]</sup>  |
|                                    | Oral (Rat) LD50: 12565 mg/kg <sup>[2]</sup>       | Skin (Human): 112mg/3D (intermittent) - Mild                     |
|                                    |   | Skin (Rodent - rabbit): 500mg - Mild                             |
|                                    |   | Skin: no adverse effect observed (not irritating) <sup>[1]</sup> |
| diethylene glycol monobutyl ether  | <b>TOXICITY</b>                                   | <b>IRRITATION</b>  |
|                                    | Dermal (rabbit) LD50: 4120 mg/kg <sup>[2]</sup>   | Eye (Rodent - rabbit): 20mg - Severe                             |
|                                    | Oral (Rat) LD50: 5660 mg/kg <sup>[2]</sup>        | Eye (Rodent - rabbit): 20mg/24H - Moderate                       |
|                                    |   | Eye: adverse effect observed (irritating) <sup>[1]</sup>         |
|                                    |   | Skin: no adverse effect observed (not irritating) <sup>[1]</sup> |
| diethylene glycol monomethyl ether | <b>TOXICITY</b>                                   | <b>IRRITATION</b>  |
|                                    | Dermal (rabbit) LD50: 2525 mg/kg <sup>[2]</sup>   | Eye (Rodent - rabbit): 500mg - Moderate                          |
|                                    | Oral (Rat) LD50: 4040 mg/kg <sup>[2]</sup>        | Eye (Rodent - rabbit): 500mg/24H - Mild                          |
|                                    |   | Eye: no adverse effect observed (not irritating) <sup>[1]</sup>  |
|                                    |   | Skin: no adverse effect observed (not irritating) <sup>[1]</sup> |

**Legend:** 1. Value obtained from Europe ECHA Registered Substances - Acute toxicity 2. Value obtained from manufacturer's SDS. Unless otherwise specified data extracted from RTECS - Register of Toxic Effect of chemical Substances

|   |   |
|---|---|
| <b>TRIETHYLENE GLYCOL MONOBUTYL ETHER</b>   | Tri-ethylene glycol ethers undergo enzymatic oxidation to toxic alkoxy acids. They may irritate the skin and the eyes. At high oral doses, they may cause depressed reflexes, flaccid muscle tone, breathing difficulty and coma. Death may result in experimental animal. However, repeated exposure may cause dose dependent damage to the kidneys as well as reproductive and developmental defects.   |
| <b>DIETHYLENE GLYCOL</b>  | Diglycolic acid is formed following the oxidation of accidentally ingested diethylene glycol in the body and can lead to severe complications with fatal outcome.   |
| <b>DIETHYLENE GLYCOL MONOMETHYL ETHER</b>   | The material may produce moderate eye irritation leading to inflammation. Repeated or prolonged exposure to irritants may produce conjunctivitis.   |
| <b>TRIETHYLENE GLYCOL MONOBUTYL ETHER &amp; DIETHYLENE GLYCOL MONOBUTYL ETHER</b> | The material may produce severe irritation to the eye causing pronounced inflammation. Repeated or prolonged exposure to irritants may produce conjunctivitis.  |
| <b>TRIETHYLENE GLYCOL MONOBUTYL ETHER &amp; DIETHYLENE GLYCOL</b>                 | The material may cause skin irritation after prolonged or repeated exposure and may produce on contact skin redness, swelling, the production of vesicles, scaling and thickening of the skin.  |
| <b>DIETHYLENE GLYCOL MONOBUTYL ETHER &amp; DIETHYLENE GLYCOL MONOMETHYL ETHER</b> | This category includes diethylene glycol ethyl ether (DGEE), diethylene glycol propyl ether (DGPE) diethylene glycol butyl ether (DGBE) and diethylene glycol hexyl ether (DGHE) and their acetates. Studies show that they can cause kidney and liver damage, skin and eye irritation as well as blood changes but do not cause damage to the reproductive, genetic and developmental abnormalities, sensitisation or respiratory systems. However, DGEE is reported to cause sperm insufficiency. |

|                                   |   |                          |   |
|-----------------------------------|---|--------------------------|---|
| Acute Toxicity                    | ✓ | Carcinogenicity          | ✗ |
| Skin Irritation/Corrosion         | ✓ | Reproductivity           | ✗ |
| Serious Eye Damage/Irritation     | ✓ | STOT - Single Exposure   | ✗ |
| Respiratory or Skin sensitisation | ✗ | STOT - Repeated Exposure | ✗ |
| Mutagenicity                      | ✗ | Aspiration Hazard        | ✗ |

**Legend:** ✗ – Data either not available or does not fill the criteria for classification  
 ✓ – Data available to make classification

## SECTION 12 Ecological information

### Toxicity

| Endpoint              | Test Duration (hr) | Species       | Value         | Source        |
|-----------------------|--------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| FLASHLUBE BRAKE FLUID | Not Available      | Not Available | Not Available | Not Available |

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| triethylene glycol monobutyl ether | Endpoint  | Test Duration (hr)            | Species                       | Value           | Source |
|------------------------------------|-----------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------|--------|
|                                    | EC50      | 72h                           | Algae or other aquatic plants | >500mg/l        | 1      |
|                                    | EC50      | 48h                           | Crustacea                     | >500mg/l        | 1      |
|                                    | LC50      | 96h                           | Fish                          | 1350mg/l        | 1      |
|                                    | NOEC(ECx) | 72h                           | Algae or other aquatic plants | 62.5mg/l        | 2      |
|                                    | EC50      | 96h                           | Algae or other aquatic plants | 744.74mg/l      | 2      |
| diethylene glycol                  | Endpoint  | Test Duration (hr)            | Species                       | Value           | Source |
|                                    | EC50      | 72h                           | Algae or other aquatic plants | >6500<13000mg/l | 2      |
|                                    | NOEC(ECx) | 192h                          | Algae or other aquatic plants | 800mg/l         | 1      |
|                                    | EC50      | 48h                           | Crustacea                     | >100mg/l        | 2      |
|                                    | LC50      | 96h                           | Fish                          | >100mg/l        | 4      |
| diethylene glycol monobutyl ether  | Endpoint  | Test Duration (hr)            | Species                       | Value           | Source |
|                                    | EC50      | 72h                           | Algae or other aquatic plants | 1101mg/l        | 2      |
|                                    | EC50      | 48h                           | Crustacea                     | >100mg/l        | 1      |
|                                    | LC50      | 96h                           | Fish                          | 1300mg/l        | 2      |
|                                    | NOEC(ECx) | 96h                           | Algae or other aquatic plants | >=100mg/l       | 1      |
| diethylene glycol monomethyl ether | Endpoint  | Test Duration (hr)            | Species                       | Value           | Source |
|                                    | EC50      | 72h                           | Algae or other aquatic plants | >500mg/l        | 1      |
|                                    | EC0(ECx)  | 48h                           | Crustacea                     | 500mg/l         | 1      |
|                                    | EC50      | 48h                           | Crustacea                     | >500mg/l        | 1      |
|                                    | LC50      | 96h                           | Fish                          | >969.6mg/L      | 4      |
| EC50                               | 96h       | Algae or other aquatic plants | >1000mg/l                     | 2               |        |

**Legend:** Extracted from 1. IUCLID Toxicity Data 2. Europe ECHA Registered Substances - Ecotoxicological Information - Aquatic Toxicity 4. US EPA, Ecotox database - Aquatic Toxicity Data 5. ECETOC Aquatic Hazard Assessment Data 6. NITE (Japan) - Bioconcentration Data 7. METI (Japan) - Bioconcentration Data 8. Vendor Data

**DO NOT** discharge into sewer or waterways.

#### Persistence and degradability

| Ingredient                         | Persistence: Water/Soil | Persistence: Air |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| triethylene glycol monobutyl ether | LOW                     | LOW              |
| diethylene glycol                  | LOW                     | LOW              |
| diethylene glycol monobutyl ether  | LOW                     | LOW              |
| diethylene glycol monomethyl ether | LOW                     | LOW              |

#### Bioaccumulative potential

| Ingredient                         | Bioaccumulation       |
|------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| triethylene glycol monobutyl ether | LOW (LogKOW = 0.0178) |
| diethylene glycol                  | LOW (BCF = 180)       |
| diethylene glycol monobutyl ether  | LOW (BCF = 0.46)      |
| diethylene glycol monomethyl ether | LOW (BCF = 0.18)      |

#### Mobility in soil

| Ingredient                         | Mobility           |
|------------------------------------|--------------------|
| triethylene glycol monobutyl ether | LOW (Log KOC = 10) |
| diethylene glycol                  | HIGH (Log KOC = 1) |
| diethylene glycol monobutyl ether  | LOW (Log KOC = 10) |
| diethylene glycol monomethyl ether | HIGH (Log KOC = 1) |

### SECTION 13 Disposal considerations

#### Waste treatment methods

| Product / Packaging disposal |  |
|------------------------------|--|
|                              | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Containers may still present a chemical hazard/ danger when empty.</li> <li>Return to supplier for reuse/ recycling if possible.</li> </ul> |

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## Otherwise:

- ▶ If container can not be cleaned sufficiently well to ensure that residuals do not remain or if the container cannot be used to store the same product, then puncture containers, to prevent re-use, and bury at an authorised landfill.
- ▶ Where possible retain label warnings and SDS and observe all notices pertaining to the product.

Legislation addressing waste disposal requirements may differ by country, state and/ or territory. Each user must refer to laws operating in their area. In some areas, certain wastes must be tracked.

A Hierarchy of Controls seems to be common - the user should investigate:

- ▶ Reduction
- ▶ Reuse
- ▶ Recycling
- ▶ Disposal (if all else fails)

This material may be recycled if unused, or if it has not been contaminated so as to make it unsuitable for its intended use. If it has been contaminated, it may be possible to reclaim the product by filtration, distillation or some other means. Shelf life considerations should also be applied in making decisions of this type. Note that properties of a material may change in use, and recycling or reuse may not always be appropriate.

- ▶ **DO NOT allow wash water from cleaning or process equipment to enter drains.**
- ▶ It may be necessary to collect all wash water for treatment before disposal.
- ▶ In all cases disposal to sewer may be subject to local laws and regulations and these should be considered first.
- ▶ Where in doubt contact the responsible authority.

## SECTION 14 Transport information

### Labels Required

|                  |                |
|------------------|----------------|
| Marine Pollutant | NO             |
| HAZCHEM          | Not Applicable |

Land transport (ADG): NOT REGULATED FOR TRANSPORT OF DANGEROUS GOODS

Air transport (ICAO-IATA / DGR): NOT REGULATED FOR TRANSPORT OF DANGEROUS GOODS

Sea transport (IMDG-Code / GGVSee): NOT REGULATED FOR TRANSPORT OF DANGEROUS GOODS

#### 14.7.1. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL and the IBC code

Not Applicable

#### 14.7.2. Transport in bulk in accordance with MARPOL Annex V and the IMSBC Code

| Product name                       | Group         |
|------------------------------------|---------------|
| triethylene glycol monobutyl ether | Not Available |
| diethylene glycol                  | Not Available |
| diethylene glycol monobutyl ether  | Not Available |
| diethylene glycol monomethyl ether | Not Available |

#### 14.7.3. Transport in bulk in accordance with the IGC Code

| Product name                       | Ship Type     |
|------------------------------------|---------------|
| triethylene glycol monobutyl ether | Not Available |
| diethylene glycol                  | Not Available |
| diethylene glycol monobutyl ether  | Not Available |
| diethylene glycol monomethyl ether | Not Available |

## SECTION 15 Regulatory information

### Safety, health and environmental regulations / legislation specific for the substance or mixture

#### triethylene glycol monobutyl ether is found on the following regulatory lists

Australia Hazardous Chemical Information System (HCIS) - Hazardous Chemicals  
Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals (AIIC)

#### diethylene glycol is found on the following regulatory lists

Australia Hazardous Chemical Information System (HCIS) - Hazardous Chemicals  
Australia Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP) - Schedule 10 / Appendix C  
Australia Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP) - Schedule 5  
Australia Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP) - Schedule 6  
Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals (AIIC)

#### diethylene glycol monobutyl ether is found on the following regulatory lists

Australia Hazardous Chemical Information System (HCIS) - Hazardous Chemicals  
Australia Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP) - Schedule 5  
Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals (AIIC)

#### diethylene glycol monomethyl ether is found on the following regulatory lists

Australia Hazardous Chemical Information System (HCIS) - Hazardous Chemicals  
Australia Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP) - Schedule 10 / Appendix C

Australia Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP) - Schedule 6

Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals (AIIC)

Chemical Footprint Project - Chemicals of High Concern List

**Additional Regulatory Information**

Not Applicable

**National Inventory Status**

| National Inventory                              | Status  |
|---|---|
| Australia - AIIC / Australia Non-Industrial Use | Yes   |
| Canada - DSL                                    | Yes   |
| Canada - NDSL                                   | No (triethylene glycol monobutyl ether; diethylene glycol; diethylene glycol monobutyl ether; diethylene glycol monomethyl ether)   |
| China - IECSC                                   | Yes   |
| Europe - EINEC / ELINCS / NLP                   | Yes   |
| Japan - ENCS                                    | Yes   |
| Korea - KECI                                    | Yes   |
| New Zealand - NZIoC                             | Yes   |
| Philippines - PICCS                             | Yes   |
| USA - TSCA                                      | All chemical substances in this product have been designated as TSCA Inventory 'Active'   |
| Taiwan - TCSI                                   | Yes   |
| Mexico - INSQ                                   | No (triethylene glycol monobutyl ether)   |
| Vietnam - NCI                                   | Yes   |
| Russia - FBEPH                                  | Yes   |
| <b>Legend:</b>                                  | Yes = All CAS declared ingredients are on the inventory<br>No = One or more of the CAS listed ingredients are not on the inventory. These ingredients may be exempt or will require registration. |

**SECTION 16 Other information**

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**Other information**

Classification of the preparation and its individual components has drawn on official and authoritative sources as well as independent review by the Chemwatch Classification committee using available literature references.

The SDS is a Hazard Communication tool and should be used to assist in the Risk Assessment. Many factors determine whether the reported Hazards are Risks in the workplace or other settings. Risks may be determined by reference to Exposures Scenarios. Scale of use, frequency of use and current or available engineering controls must be considered.

**Definitions and abbreviations**

- ▶ PC - TWA: Permissible Concentration-Time Weighted Average
- ▶ PC - STEL: Permissible Concentration-Short Term Exposure Limit
- ▶ IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer
- ▶ ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists
- ▶ STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit
- ▶ TEEL: Temporary Emergency Exposure Limit,
- ▶ IDLH: Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health Concentrations
- ▶ ES: Exposure Standard
- ▶ OSF: Odour Safety Factor
- ▶ NOAEL: No Observed Adverse Effect Level
- ▶ LOAEL: Lowest Observed Adverse Effect Level
- ▶ TLV: Threshold Limit Value
- ▶ LOD: Limit Of Detection
- ▶ OTV: Odour Threshold Value
- ▶ BCF: BioConcentration Factors
- ▶ BEI: Biological Exposure Index
- ▶ DNEL: Derived No-Effect Level
- ▶ PNEC: Predicted no-effect concentration
  
- ▶ AIIC: Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals
- ▶ DSL: Domestic Substances List
- ▶ NDSL: Non-Domestic Substances List
- ▶ IECSC: Inventory of Existing Chemical Substance in China
- ▶ EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial chemical Substances
- ▶ ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances
- ▶ NLP: No-Longer Polymers
- ▶ ENCS: Existing and New Chemical Substances Inventory
- ▶ KECI: Korea Existing Chemicals Inventory
- ▶ NZIoC: New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals
- ▶ PICCS: Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances
- ▶ TSCA: Toxic Substances Control Act
- ▶ TCSI: Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory
- ▶ INSQ: Inventario Nacional de Sustancias Químicas
- ▶ NCI: National Chemical Inventory
- ▶ FBEPH: Russian Register of Potentially Hazardous Chemical and Biological Substances

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