Material Safety Data Sheet

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Product Name: CASTROL OPTI VISCOLEB 32

Not classified as hazardous according to criteria of NOHSC

1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND COMPANY

Product Name

CASTROL OPTI VISCOLEB 32

Product Use

Food machinery lubricant.

Company Name

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Other Information

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2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Information on

Composition

Contains synthetic lubricant and additives.

Ingredients Name CAS Proportion

Ingredients determined not to be Not required 100 %

hazardous

3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Not classified as hazardous according to NOHSC criteria. Not classified as a dangerous good according to the ADG Code.

Risk Phrases

Not applicable

Safety Phrases Not applicable

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Inhalation

Remove the source of contamination or move the victim to fresh air. Ensure airways are clear and have qualified person give oxygen through a facemask if breathing is difficult. If irritation develops and persists, seek medical attention.

Ingestion

DO NOT induce vomiting. Immediately wash out mouth with water. Seek medical attention.

Skin

Remove contaminated clothing. Wash gently and thoroughly with water and non-abrasive soap. Ensure contaminated clothing is washed before re-use or discard. If irritation develops, seek medical attention.

Eve

If contact with the eye(s) occur, wash with copious amounts of water, holding eyelids(s) open. Take care not to rinse contaminated water into the non-effected eye. If irritation develops and persists, seek medical attention.

First Aid Facilities

Eye wash and normal washroom facilities.

Advice to Doctor

Treat symptomatically.

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Extinguishing Media

Use dry chemical powder, carbon dioxide or foam.

Do NOT use water jets. Cool fire exposed containers with water spray.

Specific Hazards

Combustible C2 liquid. This product will burn if exposed to fire.

Hazardous

Combustion Products

Under fire conditions this product may emit toxic and/or irritating fumes including carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide.

Precautions in

connection with Fire

Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus (S.C.B.A) and full protective clothing should be worn to minimise exposure.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Increase ventilation. Evacuate all unnecessary personnel. Wear full protective equipment and clothing to minimise exposure. If possible contain the spill. Place inert, non combustible, absorbent material onto spillage. Use clean non-sparking tools to collect the material and place into a suitable labelled container. If large quantities of this material enter the waterways contact the Environmental Protection Authority, or your local Waste Management Authority.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Corrosiveness

Not corrosive to aluminium.

Handling

Repeated or prolonged contact with this material should be avoided in order to lessen the possibility of skin disorders. It is essential that all who come into contact with this material maintain high standards of personal hygiene ie. washing hands prior to eating, drinking or going to the toilet. Build-up of mists in the working atmosphere must be prevented.

Storage

Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area away from sources of ignition. This product should be stored away from foodstuffs and strong oxidising agents. For information on the design of the storeroom reference should be made to Australian Standard AS1940, The storage and handling of flammable and combustible liquids. Reference should also be made to any relevant Commonwealth, State or Territory regulations.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS, PERSONAL PROTECTION

Exposure Limits

No exposure standards have been established for this material by the National Occupational Health And Safety Commission (NOHSC).

Respiratory

Protection

Avoid breathing of vapours or mists. Where ventilation is inadequate and vapours or mists are generated the use of an approved respirator with organic vapour/particulate filter complying with AS/NZS 1715 and AS/NZS 1716 is recommended; however final choice of appropriate breathing protection is dependant upon actual airborne concentrations and the type of breathing protection required will vary according to individual circumstances. Expert advice may be required to make this decision. Reference should be made to Australian Standards AS/NZS 1715- Selection, Use and Maintenance of Respiratory Protective Devices; and AS/NZS 1716- Respiratory Protective Devices.

Eye Protection

Safety glasses with side shields, goggles or full-face shield as appropriate recommended. Final choice of appropriate eye/face protection will vary according to individual circumstances i.e. methods of handling or engineering controls and according to risk assessments undertaken. Eye protection should conform with Australian/New Zealand Standard AS/NZS 1337 - Eye Protectors for Industrial Applications.

Hand Protection

Wear gloves of impervious material. Final choice of appropriate gloves will vary according to individual circumstances i.e. methods of handling or according to risk assessments undertaken. Reference should be made to AS/NZS 2161.1: Occupational protective gloves - Selection, use and maintenance.

Body Protection

Wear appropriate clothing including chemical resistant apron where clothing is likely to be contaminated. It is advisable that a local supplier of personal protective clothing is consulted regarding the choice of material.

Eng. Controls

Natural ventilation should be sufficient, however where vapours or mists are generated the use of a local exhaust ventilation system (drawing vapours/mists away from workers breathing zone) is recommended.

Other Information

No biological limit allocated.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance

Colourless liquid.

Odour

Mild odour.

Melting Point

Not available.

Boiling Point

Not available.

Solubility in Water

Insoluble

Specific Gravity (H2O=1)

1.0 @ 20°C

pH Value

Not applicable

Vapour Pressure

0.01 kPa

Vapour Density

(Air=1)

Not applicable

Pour Point

-60°C

Flash Point

220°C (Closed Cup)

Flammability

Classified as a Class C2 (COMBUSTIBLE LIQUID) for the purposes of storage and handling, in accordance with the requirements of AS1940. This product should be stored and used in a well ventilated area away from naked flames, sparks and other sources of ignition.

Ignition Temperature

Not available

Flammable Limits LEL

Not available

Flammable Limits UEL

Not available

Kinematic Viscosity

31 mm²/s (cSt) @ 40°C 5.8 mm²/s (cSt) @ 100°C

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability

Stable under normal conditions.

Hazardous

Polymerization

Will not occur.

Materials to Avoid

Strong oxidising agents.

Hazardous

Decomposition

Products

Thermal decomposition may result in the release of toxic and/or irritating fumes including carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide.

Hazardous Reaction

Hazardous reaction with strong oxidising agents.

Conditions to Avoid

Heat, direct sunlight, open flames or other sources of ignition.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Toxicology Information

No toxicity data is available for this material. No component of this product at levels greater than 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen by the International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC).

Inhalation

May cause irritation to the mucous membrane and upper airways, where material is heated and is used in poorly ventilated areas. Symptoms may include headache, dizziness and nausea.

Ingestion

May cause irritation of the gastrointestinal system. Symptoms may include nausea, vomiting and diarrhoea.

Skin

May cause irritation in contact with the skin, which may result in redness and itchiness, possibly leading to dermatitis.

Eye

May cause eye irritation, resulting in redness, stinging and lachrymation.

Chronic Effects

Prolonged or repeated contact with this material may result in skin irritation possibly leading to dermatitis.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

No ecological data is available for this material.

Environ. Protection

Prevent this material from entering the environment.

Mobility

No data available for this specific product.

Persistence /

Degradability

No data available for this specific product.

Bioaccumulation

No data available for this specific product.

Ecotoxicity

No data available for this specific product.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Dispose of waste according to federal, E.P.A. and state regulations. Assure conformity with all applicable regulations.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Not classified as a Dangerous Good according to the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail.

U.N. Number

None Allocated

Proper Shipping Name

COMBUSTIBLE LIQUID - CLASS C2 Flashpoint >150°C

DG Class

None Allocated

Hazchem Code

None Allocated

Packing Group

None Allocated

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Poisons Schedule

Not Scheduled

16. OTHER INFORMATION

Contact Person/Point

For information concerning details on this Safety Data Sheet contact your local Technical Services Manager on the following numbers:-

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