

# **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

**BC3 - DEGREASER** 

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#### **CLASSIFIED AS HAZARDOUS**

## 1. IDENTIFICATION

**GHS Product Identifier** 

**BC3 - DEGREASER** 

**Product Code** 

2210150

**Company Name** 

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Telephone/Fax Number

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**Emergency phone number** 

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Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Heavy duty cleaner and degreaser

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## 2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

# GHS classification of the substance/mixture

Classified as Hazardous according to the Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (GHS) including Work, Health and Safety Regulations, Australia.

Classified as Dangerous Goods according to the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail. (7th edition)

Eye Damage/Irritation: Category 1 Skin Corrosion/Irritation: Category 2

## Signal Word (s)

**DANGER** 

## Hazard Statement (s)

H315 Causes skin irritation.

H318 Causes serious eye damage.

## Pictogram (s)

Corrosion, Exclamation mark



#### Precautionary statement - Prevention

P264 Wash contaminated skin thoroughly after handling.

P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

## Precautionary statement - Response

P302+P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.

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 or doctor/physician.

P333+P313 If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

P362+P364 Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

# 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

## **Ingredients**

Name	CAS	Proportion
Sodium metasilicate, pentahydrate	10213-79-3	1-<5 %
Benzenesulfonic acid, mono-C10-16-alkyl derivatives, sodium salts	68081-81-2	<5 %
Sodium (C10- 16)alkyl ether sulfate	68585-34-2	<1 %
Amides, C8-18 (even numbered) and C18-unsatd., N, N- bis(hydroxyethyl)	68603-42-9	<1 %
Ingredients determined not to be hazardous		Balance

#### 4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

# Inhalation

If inhaled, remove affected person from contaminated area and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Apply artificial respiration if NOT breathing and immediately seek medical attention. If experiencing respiratory symptoms call a POISONS INFORMATION CENTER or doctor/physician for medical attention.

#### Ingestion

Do NOT induce vomiting. Wash/rinse out mouth thoroughly with water. Seek immediate medical attention.

## Skin

If on skin (or hair) remove/take off all contaminated clothing immediately. Wash/rinse skin gently and thoroughly with water/ shower and non-abrasive soap for 15 minutes after handling. Ensure contaminated clothing is washed before re-use or discard. Seek immediate medical attention.

#### Eye contact

If in eyes, hold eyelids apart and flush the eyes continuously with running water. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue flushing until advised to stop by the Poisons Information Centre or a doctor, or for at least 15 minutes. Seek immediate medical attention.

#### **First Aid Facilities**

Eyewash, safety shower and normal washroom facilities.

#### **Advice to Doctor**

Vomiting has not been induced because of risk of aspiration into the lungs. Contact Poisons Information Centre. Treat symptomatically.

## **Other Information**

For advice in an emergency, contact a Poisons Information Centre (Phone Australia 131 126) or a doctor at once.

## 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

## **Suitable Extinguishing Media**

Use extinguishing media appropriate to surrounding fire.

#### **Unsuitable Extinguishing Media**

Do not use water jet.

#### **Hazards from Combustion Products**

Under fire conditions this product may emit toxic and/or irritating fumes, smoke and gases including water vapour, carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide and oxides of nitrogen.

## **Specific Hazards Arising From The Chemical**

This product is non combustible. However, following evaporation of aqueous component under fire conditions, the non-aqueous component may decompose and/or burn.

#### **Hazchem Code**

2X

# Precautions in connection with Fire

Fire fighters should wear full protective clothing and self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) operated in positive pressure mode. Fight fire from safe location.

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

#### **Emergency Procedures**

Evacuate all unprotected personnel. Do not allow contact with skin and eyes. Do not breathe mist/vapour. It is essential to wear self-contained breathing apparatus (S.C.B.A) and full personal protective equipment and clothing to prevent exposure. Avoid exposure to spillage by collecting the material using vacuum and transfer into suitable labelled containers for subsequent recycling or disposal. As a water based product, if spilt on electrical equipment the product will cause short-circuits.

Before dealing with spillage take necessary protective measures, inform others to keep at a safe distance. Spillages will be very slippery. Contain large spills with an inert material such as sand, soil or vermiculite. Collect and seal in properly labelled containers for disposal. Small spills may be mopped up. If local regulations permit, wash down area with excess water and run to waste, diluting greatly with running water. Otherwise absorb on inert absorbent, transfer to container and arrange removal by disposals company. Wash site of spillage thoroughly with water. Ventilate area to dispel any residual vapour.

Dispose of waste according to applicable local and national regulations. If contamination of sewers or waterways occurs inform the local water and waste management authorities in accordance with local regulations.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

# **Precautions for Safe Handling**

Corrosive liquid. Attacks skin and eyes. Causes burns. Avoid breathing in vapours, mist or fumes. Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection when mixing and using. Use in designated areas with adequate ventilation. Keep containers tightly closed. Ensure a high level of personal hygiene is maintained when using this product, that is, always wash hands after handling, and before eating, drinking, smoking or using the toilet facilities.

#### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Corrosive liquid. Store in a cool dry well-ventilated area. Store away from oxidising agents and bases/acids. Protect from freezing. Keep containers closed when not in use, securely sealed and protected against physical damage. Inspect regularly for deficiencies such as damage or leaks. Provide a catch-tank in a bunded area. Store in original packages as approved by manufacturer. Do not mix with other chemicals. Clean up all spills and splashes promptly; avoid secondary accidents. Ensure that storage conditions comply with applicable local and national regulations.

For information on the design of the storeroom, reference should be made to Australian Standard AS 3780 The storage and handling of corrosive substances.

# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

## Occupational exposure limit values

No exposure standards have been established for this material.

# **Biological Limit Values**

No biological limits allocated.

## **Appropriate Engineering Controls**

This substance is hazardous and should be used with a local exhaust ventilation system, drawing vapours away from workers' breathing zone. If the engineering controls are not sufficient to maintain concentrations of vapours/mists below the exposure standards, suitable respiratory protection must be worn.

## **Respiratory Protection**

If engineering controls are not effective in controlling airborne exposure then an approved respirator with a replaceable vapor/mist filter should be used. Refer to relevant regulations for further information concerning respiratory protective requirements. 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, in order to make any necessary changes for individual circumstances.

#### **Eve Protection**

Safety glasses with full face shield should be used. Eye protection devices should conform to relevant regulations. Eye protection should conform with Australian/New Zealand Standard AS/NZS 1337 - Eye Protectors for Industrial Applications.

#### **Hand Protection**

Wear gloves of impervious material such as rubber or plastic. Final choice of appropriate gloves will vary according to individual circumstances. i.e. methods of handling or according to risk assessments undertaken. Occupational protective gloves should conform to relevant regulations.

Reference should be made to AS/NZS 2161.1: Occupational protective gloves - Selection, use and maintenance.

# **Body Protection**

Suitable protective workwear, e.g. cotton overalls buttoned at neck and wrist is recommended. Chemical resistant apron is recommended where large quantities are handled.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

#### **Form**

Liquid

# **Appearance**

Brown water-based liquid

## Colour

Brown

#### Odour

Odourless

# **Boiling Point**

100°C

#### Solubility in Water

Miscible with water in all proportions

## **Specific Gravity**

1.04-1.05

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12.5-13.5

#### **Vapour Pressure**

Not available

## Vapour Density (Air=1)

Not available

## **Evaporation Rate**

Not available

#### **Flash Point**

Not applicable

## **Flammability**

Not flammable

## **10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

## **Chemical Stability**

Stable under normal conditions of storage and handling.

#### **Conditions to Avoid**

Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight. Protect from freezing.

## Incompatible materials

Strong oxidising agents, strong acids.

# **Hazardous Decomposition Products**

Thermal decomposition may result in the release of toxic and/or irritating fumes.

#### Possibility of hazardous reactions

Upon thermal decomposition may evolve irritating/toxic fumes, inlcuding oxides of carbon, nitrogen, sulphur.

## **Hazardous Polymerization**

Not expected to occur

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

## **Toxicology Information**

No toxicity data available for this material. The available data for the ingredients is provided below.

## **Acute Toxicity - Oral**

Silicic acid, disodium salt (Pentahydrate) CAS 10213-79-3 LD50 (rat) oral 847 mg/kg

(C10-16)alkylbenzenesulfonic acid, sodium salt 68081-81-2 LD50(rat)oral 500-2000 mg/kg

Sodium (C10-16)alkyl ether sulfate CAS 68585-34-2 30 LD50(rat) oral 2000 mg/kg

(2-Methoxymethylethoxy) propanol CAS 34590-94-8 LD50 (rat) oral >9500 mg/kg

#### Ingestion

Ingestion of this product will cause nausea, vomiting, abdominal pain and chemical burns to the mouth, throat and stomach.

## Inhalation

Inhalation of mist or vapour will result in respiratory irritation and possible harmful corrosive effects including burns, lesions of the nasal septum, pulmonary edema, and scarring of tissue. May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.

# Skin

Causes burns. Corrosive to the skin. Skin contact can cause redness, itching, irritation, severe pain and chemical burns with resultant tissue destruction.

#### Eve

Causes eye damage. Eye contact will cause stinging, blurring, tearing, severe pain and possible burns, necrosis, permanent damage and blindness.

## Respiratory sensitisation

May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if atomised and inhaled.

## **Skin Sensitisation**

Not expected to be a skin sensitiser.

## Germ cell mutagenicity

Not considered to be a mutagenic hazard.

#### Carcinogenicity

Not considered a carcinogenic hazard.

## **Reproductive Toxicity**

Not considered to be toxic to reproduction.

#### **STOT-single exposure**

Not expected to cause toxicity to a specific target organ.

#### STOT-repeated exposure

Not expected to cause toxicity to a specific target organ.

## **Aspiration Hazard**

Not expected to be an aspiration hazard.

#### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### **Ecotoxicity**

No toxicity data available for this material.

## Persistence and degradability

Not available

# Mobility

Not available

## **Bioaccumulative Potential**

Not available

#### **Other Adverse Effects**

Not available

## **Environmental Protection**

Do not discharge this material into waterways, drains and sewers.

#### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

#### **Disposal considerations**

The disposal of the spilled or waste material must be done in accordance with applicable local and national regulations.

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

## **Transport Information**

This material is classified as a Class 8 Corrosive Substances Dangerous Goods

Class 8 Dangerous Goods are incompatible in a placard load with any of the following:

- Class 1: Explosives
- Division 4.3: Dangerous when wet Substances
- Division 5.1: Oxidising substances
- Division 5.2: Organic peroxides
- Class 6, Toxic or Infectious Substances, if the Class 6 dangerous goods are cyanides and the Class 8 dangerous goods are acids Class 7: Radioactive materials unless specifically exempted

and are incompatible with food and food packaging in any quantity.

Strong acids must not be loaded in the same freight container or on the same vehicle with strong alkalis. Packing Group I and II acids and alkalis should be considered as strong.

#### Marine Transport (IMO/IMDG):

Classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code (IMDG Code) for transport by

Class/Division: 8 UN No: 1760

Proper Shipping Name: CORROSIVE LIQUID, N.O.S. (Contains sodium hydroxide & sodium metasilicate, pentahydrate)

Packing Group: III EMS: F-A, S-B

Special Provisions: 223, 274

## Air Transport (ICAO/IATA):

Classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the International Air Transport Association (IATA) Dangerous Goods Regulations for

transport by air. Class/Division: 8 UN No: 1760

Proper Shipping Name: corrosive liquid, n.o.s. (Contains sodium hydroxide & sodium metasilicate, pentahydrate)

Packing Group: III

Packaging Instructions (passenger & cargo): 852

Packaging Instructions (cargo only): 856

Hazard Label: Corrosive Special Provisions: A3, A803

## **U.N. Number**

1760

## **UN proper shipping name**

CORROSIVE LIQUID, N.O.S.(Contains sodium metasilicate, pentahydrate)

## Transport hazard class(es)

8

# **Packing Group**

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#### **Hazchem Code**

2X

## **IERG Number**

37

## **IMDG Marine pollutant**

No

# **Transport in Bulk**

Not available

## **Special Precautions for User**

Not available

# 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

## **Regulatory information**

Classified as Hazardous according to the Globally Harmonised System of classification and labelling of chemicals (GHS) including Work, Health and Safety regulations, Australia

Classified as a Scheduled Poison according to the Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP).

#### **Poisons Schedule**

**S**5

# **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

# Date of preparation or last revision of SDS

SDS reviewed: Nov 2018 SDS reviewed: May 2018 SDS superseded: May 2016

## References

Preparation of Safety Data Sheets for Hazardous Chemicals Code of Practice.

Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons.

Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road & Rail.

Model Work Health and Safety Regulations, Schedule 10: Prohibited carcinogens, restricted carcinogens and restricted hazardous chemicals.

Workplace exposure standards for airborne contaminants.

Adopted biological exposure determinants, American Conference of Industrial Hygienists (ACGIH).

Globally Harmonised System of classification and labelling of chemicals.

#### **Contact Person/Point**

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24-Hour Emergency Telephone: AUS: 1800 629 953 NZ: Poisons 0800 764 766,

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