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# **HEALTH AND SAFETY DATA SHEET**

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## SCREENWASH DE-ICER

## 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE

**Product Label Name:** 

Screenwash De-icer

## 2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Product	CAS Number	Class	Contents	Risk Phrases
IMS 99 Methanol Surfactants	64-17-5 67-56-1	F F, T	>5% to <25% >0.1% to <3% < 3%	F F-R11

## 3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Flammable.

#### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

First Aid - Inhalation:

Move to fresh air and rest. Oxygen or artificial

respiration if there is difficulty in breathing. Seek

medical advice.

Skin:

Remove contaminated clothing. Wash immediately

with copious amounts of water.

Eye:

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water. Eyelids should

be held away from the eyeball to ensure thorough rinsing. Seek medical advice if irritation develops.

Ingestion:

Rinse mouth, give water to drink. Transport to

hospital (send copy of Safety Data Sheet with patient).

## 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

**Extinguishing Media:** 

(Sprayed) water, foam, dry chemical powder, carbon

dioxide.

**Special Exposure Hazards:** 

Reacts strongly with halogenated hydrocarbons.

Vapours may form explosive mixtures with air.

**Protective Equipment:** 

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**Personal Precautions:** 

For personal protection see Section 8.

**Environmental Precautions:** 

Do not empty into drains.

**Methods for Cleaning Up:** 

Keep away from sources of ignition – No Smoking. Collect as much as possible in a clean container for

(preferable) reuse or disposal. Dispose of any

hazardous waste in accordance with Waste Disposal and water Authority Regulations. Flush remainder

with water.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling:

The usual precautions for handling chemicals should

be observed.

Fire and Explosion Prevention:

**Storage Requirements:** 

Keep away from sources of ignition - No Smoking.

Store at a cool and well ventilated place. Keep away from sources of ignition – No Smoking. Keep away

from oxidants.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

**Personal Protection:** 

Hand:

Protective gloves.

Eye:

Safety goggles.

Skin and Body:

Protective clothing.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance:

Liquid

Colour:

Blue

Odour:

Alcohol like

Flammability:

flammable

Solubility in Water:

Miscible

## 10. STABILITY/REACTIVITY

Conditions to Avoid:

Avoid exposure to hot elements, naked flames or other

sources of ignition.

Materials to Avoid:

Incompatible with oxidising agents, concentrated

nitric acid, sulphuric acid.

**Hazardous Decomposition** 

**Products:** 

None unusual. Burning will produce smoke, carbon

monoxide and/or carbon dioxide.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

(IMS 99)

Acute Toxicity Data LD50 Oral (rats) = 6.2 - 17.8 g/kg

Fatal dose in man 300-400 ml.

Chronic intoxication may produce damage to the optic nerve in addition to degenerative

changes in liver, kidneys, brain, gastrointestinal tract

and heart muscle.

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

There is no specific data on IMS.

Ethanol is readily biodegradable after 15 days in non-acclimated fresh water, 75% occurs after 20 days in salt water.

Partitioning: log P octanol/water=0.3

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

#### **Disposal Dangers:**

Care should be taken to prevent accidental mixing with acids or strong oxidising agents, in drains, is avoided.

## **Disposal Methods:**

Arrange for removal of containers by a licensed contractor in accordance with waste disposal regulations.

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Land Transport (ADR/RID)

ADR Class:

3

Hazard Identification No:

33

UN No:

1993

**Packing Group** 

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## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Labelling According to

**EC Directives:** 

See Section 2

Symbol(s):

Flammable (F)

Risk Phrase(s):

R11 - Highly flammable

Safety Phrase(s):

S1/2: Keep locked up and out of reach of children.

S7: Keep container tightly closed.

S16: Keep away from sources of ignition - No

Smoking.

S36/37: Wear suitable protective clothing and gloves. S45: In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately. (Show label where

possible).

## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

**Disclaimer:** This information is based on our current knowledge and is intended to describe the product for the purposes of health, safety and environmental requirements only. It should not therefore be construed as guaranteeing any specific property of the product.