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SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION

Product identifier used on the label

: Propylene Glycol

Other means of identification: Not applicable.

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

: Heat transfer medium; Industrial applications.

Use pattern:Professional Use Only Restriction on use: None known

Chemical family : Glycol based fluid.

Name, address, and telephone number

of the supplier:

Name, address, and telephone number of

the manufacturer:

Refer to supplier

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Supplier's Telephone # : (705) 436-5580

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SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification of the chemical

Clear liquid. Odorless.

This material is not classified as hazardous under U.S. OSHA regulations (29 CFR 1910.1200) (Hazcom 2012) and Canadian WHMIS regulations (Hazardous Products Regulations) (WHMIS 2015).

Label elements

Hazard pictogram(s)

None required under U.S. OSHA Hazcom 2012 and Canadian WHMIS 2015 regulations.

Signal Word

None required.

Hazard statement(s)

None required.

Precautionary statement(s)

None required.

Other hazards

Other hazards which do not result in classification:

Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhea. May be mildly irritating to skin, eyes and respiratory system.

SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Pure substance



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Chemical name	Common name and synonyms	CAS#	Concentration (% by weight)
Propylene glycol	Propane-1,2-diol 1,2-Dihydroxypropane	57-55-6	100.00

SECTION 4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

Description of first aid measures

ingestion : Do NOT induce vomiting. Have victim rinse mouth with water, then give one to two

glasses of water to drink. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

Call a physician.

Inhalation: If inhaled, move to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen by qualified medical

personnel only. If breathing has stopped, give artificial respiration. Obtain medical

attention if symptoms develop and persist.

Skin contact: Wash off immediately with plenty of water. Remove and wash contaminated clothing

before re-use. If irritation or symptoms develop, seek medical attention.

Eye contact : Immediately flush eyes with running water for at least 5 to 10 minutes. If irritation

persists, seek prompt medical attention.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

: May cause mild eye irritation. Symptoms may include stinging and tearing. May cause mild skin irritation. Symptoms may include mild redness and swelling. May cause respiratory irritation. Symptoms may include upper respiratory irritation, coughing and breathing difficulties. Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhea.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

: Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media

: Use media suitable to the surrounding fire such as water fog or fine spray, alcohol foams, carbon dioxide and dry chemical.

Unsuitable extinguishing media

: Do not use a solid water stream as it may scatter and spread fire.

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture / Conditions of flammability

: Burning may produce irritating, toxic and obnoxious fumes.

Flammability classification (OSHA 29 CFR 1910.106)

: Not flammable.

Hazardous combustion products

: Carbon oxides; Phosphorus oxides.

Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

Protective equipment for fire-fighters

: Firefighters must use standard protective equipment including flame retardant coat, helmet with face shield, gloves, rubber boots, and in enclosed spaces, SCBA.Do not enter without wearing specialized protective equipment suitable for the situation. Firefighter's normal protective clothing (Bunker Gear) will not provide adequate protection. A full-body encapsulating chemical protective suit with positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (NIOSH approved or equivalent) may be necessary.

Special fire-fighting procedures

: Firefighters should wear proper protective equipment and self-contained breathing apparatus with full face piece operated in positive pressure mode. Move containers from fire area if safe to do so. Water spray may be useful in cooling equipment exposed to heat and flame.



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SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

: Restrict access to area until completion of clean-up. Ensure clean-up is conducted by trained personnel only. Wear suitable protective equipment. Refer to protective measures listed in sections 7 and 8. Restrict access to area until completion of clean-up.

Environmental precautions: Ensure spilled product does not enter drains, sewers, waterways, or confined spaces.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

: Ventilate area of release. Stop spill or leak at source if safely possible. Dike for water control. Use only non-sparking tools and equipment in the clean-up process. Contain and absorb spilled liquid with non-combustible, inert absorbent material (e.g. sand), then place absorbent material into a container for later disposal (see Section 13).

Special spill response procedures

: In Canada:For 24-hour emergency assistance, call: 1-613-996-6666 (CANUTEC). US CERCLA Reportable quantity (RQ): None.

SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

: Use only in well-ventilated areas. Wear suitable protective equipment during handling. Avoid breathing vapours or mists, Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Keep away from extreme heat and flame. Keep away from incompatibles. Keep containers tightly closed when not in use. Wash thoroughly after handling.

Conditions for safe storage

Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area. Store away from incompatible materials. Storage area should be clearly identified, clear of obstruction and accessible only to trained and authorized personnel. Inspect periodically for damage or leaks. No smoking in the area.

: Oxidizing agents; Acids. Incompatible materials

SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Exposure Limits:					
Chemical Name	ACGIH '	<u>TLV</u>	OSHA PEL		
	<u>TWA</u>	<u>STEL</u>	<u>PEL</u>	<u>STEL</u>	
Propylene glycol	10 mg/m³ (AIHA WEEL)	N/Av	N/Av	N/Av	

^{*}Note: The ACGIH TLV listed above for Propylene glycol is an AIHA WEEL.

Exposure controls

Ventilation and engineering measures

: Use in a well-ventilated area. Use general or local exhaust ventilation to maintain air concentrations below recommended exposure limits.

Respiratory protection

: If airbourne concentrations are above the permissible exposure limit or are not known, use NIOSH-approved respirators. Advice should be sought from respiratory protection specialists. Respirators should be selected based on the form and concentration of contaminants in air, and in accordance with OSHA (29 CFR 1910.134) or CSA Z94.4-02.

Gloves impervious to the material are recommended. Advice should be sought from Skin protection glove suppliers.

: Chemical goggles are recommended when there is a potential for splashing. Eye / face protection



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Other protective equipment : Wear sufficient clothing to prevent skin contact. Depending on conditions of use, an

impervious apron should be worn. An eyewash station and safety shower should be

made available in the immediate working area.

General hygiene considerations

: Avoid breathing vapour or mist. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Do not eat, drink, smoke or use cosmetics while working with this product. Upon completion of work, wash hands before eating, drinking, smoking or use of toilet facilities. Remove soiled clothing and wash it thoroughly before reuse. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety

practice.

SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical State : Liquid

Colour : Clear, colorless.
Odour : Odorless.
Odour threshold : N/Av
pH : N/Av

Melting Point/Freezing point : < - -59°C (< -74.2°F)

Initial boiling point and boiling range

: 188.2°C (370.76°F)

Flash point : 99 °C (210.2°F)
Flashpoint (Method) : closed cup

Evaporation rate (BuAe = 1) : N/Av

Flammability : Not applicable.

Lower explosion or flammability limit (% by vol.)

: 2.6%

Upper explosion or flammability limit (% by vol.)

: 12.5%

Oxidizing properties : None known.

Explosive properties : Not explosive

Vapour pressure : 0.07 mm Hg

Relative vapour density : 2.6
Relative density / Specific gravity

: 1.04

Solubility in water : Soluble
Other solubility(ies) : Not available.

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water or Coefficient of water/oil distribution

: -1.4 to -0.3

Auto-ignition temperature : 371.11°C (700°F) **Decomposition temperature** : Not available.

Viscosity : 54.05 cSt @ 20°C (68°F)

Particle characteristics : Not applicable.

Volatiles (% by weight) : Not available.

Volatile organic Compounds (VOC's)

: N/Av

Absolute pressure of container

: N/Ap

Flame projection length : N/Ap Other physical/chemical comments

: None known or reported by the manufacturer.



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SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity: Not normally reactive.

Chemical stability : Material is stable under normal conditions.

Possibility of hazardous reactions

: Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

Conditions to avoid : Avoid excessive heat, sparks and open flame. Avoid contact with incompatible

materials. Do not use in areas without adequate ventilation.

Incompatible materials : Strong oxidizing agents; Strong acids; Strong alkalis

Hazardous decomposition products

: None known, refer to hazardous combustion products in Section 5.

SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on likely routes of exposure:

Routes of entry inhalation : YES
Routes of entry skin & eye : YES
Routes of entry Ingestion : YES
Routes of exposure skin absorption

: NO

Potential Health Effects:

Signs and symptoms of short-term (acute) exposure

Sign and symptoms Inhalation

: If product is heated or mists are formed, inhalation may cause irritation to the nose, throat and respiratory tract.

Sign and symptoms ingestion

: Ingestion may irritate digestive tract and cause nausea, vomiting and diarrhea. Ingestion of larger amounts may cause defects to the central nervous system (e.g.

dizziness, headache).

Sign and symptoms skin : Direct skin contact may result in little or no irritation.

Sign and symptoms eyes : May cause mild transient irritation.

Potential Chronic Health Effects

: Prolonged or repeated contact may cause drying, cracking and defatting of the skin.

Mutagenicity : Not expected to be mutagenic in humans.

Carcinogenicity : No components are listed as carcinogens by ACGIH, IARC, OSHA or NTP.

Reproductive effects & Teratogenicity

: Not expected to cause reproductive effects.

Sensitization to material: Not expected to be a skin or respiratory sensitizer.

Specific target organ effects: Target Organs::Eyes, skin, respiratory system, digestive system, central nervous

system.

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Regulations) (WHMIS 2015).

Medical conditions aggravated by overexposure

: None known.

Synergistic materials : Not available.



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Toxicological data

: There is no available data for the product itself, only for the ingredients. See below for individual ingredient acute toxicity data.

	LCso(4hr)	LD50	
Chemical name	<u>inh, rat</u>	(Oral, rat)	(Rabbit, dermal)
Propylene glycol	> 158 mg/L (aerosol)	21 800 mg/kg	20 800 mg/kg

Other important toxicological hazards

: None known.

SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

: Not expected to be harmful to aquatic organisms. However, this does not exclude the possibility that large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging effect on the environment. Do not allow material to contaminate ground water system. See the following tables for individual ingredient ecotoxicity data.

Ecotoxicity data:

Ingradianta	CAC#	Toxicity to Fish				
<u>Ingredients</u>	CAS#	LC50 / 96h	NOEC / 21 day	M Factor		
Propylene glycol	57-55-6	46 500 mg/L (Fathead minnow)	N/Av	None.		

<u>Ingredients</u>	CAS#	Toxicity to Daphnia				
		EC50 / 48h NOEC / 21		M Factor		
Propylene glycol	57-55-6	43 500 mg/L (Daphnia magna)	N/Av	None.		

<u>Ingredients</u>	CAS#	Toxicity to Algae				
		EC50 / 96h or 72h	NOEC / 96h or 72h	M Factor		
Propylene glycol	57-55-6	19 000 mg/L/96hr (Green algae)	N/Av	None.		

Persistence and degradability

: Readily biodegradable.

Bioaccumulation potential: No information available.

<u>Components</u>	Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (log Kow)	Bioconcentration factor (BCF)
Propylene glycol (CAS 57-55-6)	- 1.41 to - 0.3	<1

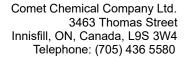
Mobility in soil : No information available.

Other Adverse Environmental effects

: No information available.

SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Handling for Disposal: Handle waste according to recommendations in Section 7.





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Methods of Disposal

: Dispose in accordance with all applicable federal, state, provincial and local

regulations.

RCRA

: If this product, as supplied, becomes a waste in the United States, it may meet the criteria of a hazardous waste as defined under RCRA, Title 40 CFR 261. It is the responsibility of the waste generator to determine the proper waste identification and disposal method. For disposal of unused or waste material, check with local, state and federal environmental agencies.

SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Regulatory Information	UN Number	UN proper shipping name	Transport hazard class(es)	Packing Group	Label
49CFR/DOT	None.	Not regulated.	not regulated	none	\bigotimes
49CFR/DOT Additional information	None.				
TDG	None.	Not regulated.	Not regulated	none	\bigotimes
TDG Additional information	None.				

Special precautions for user :

None known or reported by the manufacturer.

Environmental hazards

This substance does not meet the criteria for an environmentally hazardous substance according to the IMDG Code. See ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION, Section 12.

SECTION 15 - REGULATORY INFORMATION

US Federal Information:

Components listed below are present on the following U.S. Federal chemical lists:

La sura di auta			CERCLA Reportable	SARA TITLE III: Sec. 302, Extremely	SARA TITLE III: Sec. 313, 40 CFR 372, Specific Toxic Chemical		
<u>Ingredients</u>	CAS#	CAS # Inventory	Quantity(RQ) (40 CFR 117.302):	Hazardous Substance, 40 CFR 355:	Toxic Chemical	de Minimis Concentration	
Propylene glycol	57-55-6	Yes	None.	None.	No	No	

SARA TITLE III: Sec. 311 and 312 SDS Requirements, 40 CFR 370 Hazard Classes: Not a hazard under normal conditions of use.

US State Right to Know Laws:

The following chemicals are specifically listed by individual States:

Ingredients	Ingredients CAS #	California Proposition 65			State "Right to Know" Lists				
g. ca.cc		Listed	Type of Toxicity	CA	MA	MN	NJ	PA	RI
Propylene glycol	57-55-6	No	N/Ap	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes



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Canadian Information:

All ingredients are present on the DSL.

International Information:

Components listed below are present on the following International Inventory list:

<u>Ingredients</u>	CAS#	European EINECs	Australia AICS	Philippines PICCS	Japan ENCS	Korea KECI/KECL	China IECSC	NewZealand IOC
Propylene glycol	57-55-6	200-338-0	Present	Present	(2)-234	KE-29267	Present	May be used as a single component chemical under an appropriate group standard

SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

Legend : ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

CAS: Chemical Abstract Services

CERCLA: Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act

of 1980

CNS: Central Nervous System COC: Cleveland Open Cup

CSA: Canadian Standards Association DOT: Department of Transportation EPA: Environmental Protection Agency

IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer

LC: Lethal Concentration

LD: Lethal Dose N/Ap: Not Applicable N/Av: Not Available

NIOSH: National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health

NTP: National Toxicology Program

OSHA: Occupational Safety and Health Administration

PEL: Permissible exposure limit

SARA: Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act

STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit TLV: Threshold Limit Values TWA: Time Weighted Average

References : 1. ACGIH, Threshold Limit Values for Chemical Substances and Physical Agents &

Biological Exposure Indices2. ECHA - European Chemical Agency3. Canadian Centre for Occupational Health and Safety, CCInfoWeb databases4. Safety Data Sheets from manufacturer.5. US EPA Title III List of Lists 6. California Proposition 65 List 7. OECD -

The Global Portal to Information on Chemical Substances - eChemPortal

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Other special considerations for handling

: Provide adequate information, instruction and training for operators.

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