

Product Name **W - 45 ENGINE DEGREASER**
1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE MATERIAL AND SUPPLIER

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Synonym(s) ENGINE DEGREASER • PRODUCT CODE – 428
Use(s) MULTI PURPOSE CLEANER AND DEGREASER FOR USE ON ENGINES, SPARE PARTS, METAL AND FLOOR.
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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION
CLASSIFIED AS HAZARDOUS ACCORDING TO NOHSC/ASCC CRITERIA
RISK PHRASES

R36/38 Irritating to skin and eyes.

SAFETY PHRASES

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

S24/25 Avoid contact with skin and eyes

S26 In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice

S37/39 Wear suitable gloves and eye/face protection

S45 In case of accident or if you feel unwell seek medical advice immediately (show the label where possible)

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UN No.	None Allocated	DG Class	None Allocated	Subsidiary Risk(s)	None Allocated
Packing Group	None Allocated	Hazchem Code	None Allocated	EPG	None Allocated

3. COMPOSITION/ INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Ingredient	Formula	CAS No.	Content
POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE	K-OH	1310-58-3	<1%
SODIUM METASILICATE ANHYDROUS	Na ₂ -Si-O ₃	6834-92-0	1-10%

ETHYLENE GLYCOL MONOBUTYL ETHER	C6-H14-O2	111-76-2	1-10%
NON HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS	Not Available	Not Available	Remainder

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

- Eye** If in eyes, hold eyelids apart and flush the eye continuously with running water. Continue flushing until advised to stop by the Poison Information Centre or a doctor, or for at least 15 minutes.
- Skin** If skin or hair contact occurs, remove contaminated clothing and flush skin and hair with running water. Continue flushing with water until advised to stop by the Poisons Information Centre or a doctor.
- Inhalation** If inhaled, remove from contaminated area. To protect rescuer, use an Air-line respirator where an inhalation risk exists. Apply artificial respiration if not breathing.
- Ingestion** For advice, contact a Poison Information Centre on 13 11 26 (Australia Wide) or a doctor (at once). If swallowed, do not induce vomiting.
- Advice to Doctor** Treat symptomatically.

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

- Flammability** Non flammable. May evolve toxic gases if strongly heated to decomposition.
- Fire and Explosion** Non flammable. Treat as per required for surrounding fires: Evacuate area and contact emergency services. Remain upwind & notify those downwind of hazard. Wear full protective equipment including Self Contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA) when combating fire. Use waterfog to cool intact containers and nearby storage areas.
- Extinguishing** Non flammable. Prevent contamination of drains or waterways.
- Hazchem Code** None Allocated.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

- Spillage** If spilt (bulk), contact emergency services if appropriate. Wear splash-proof goggles and PVC/rubber gloves, an Air-line respirator (where an inhalation risk exists). Absorb spill with sand or similar and place in sealed containers for disposal. Wash spill site down with water. For small amounts, dilute with water and flush to sewer. Caution: surfaces may be slippery.

7. STORAGE AND HANDLING

- Storage** Store in cool, dry, well ventilated area, removed from acids, combustible materials and foodstuffs. Ensure containers are adequately labeled, protected from physical damage and sealed when not in use. Check regularly for leaks or spills.
- Handling** Before use carefully read the product label. Use of safe work practices are recommended to avoid eye or skin contact and inhalation. Observe good personal hygiene, including washing hands before eating. Prohibit eating, drinking and smoking in contaminated areas.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/ PERSONAL PROTECTION

Exposure Stds	Sodium Hydroxide (Peak limitation) Ethylene Glycol Monobutyl Ether	TWA: 2.0mg/m3 [Reference: ASCC (AUS)] TWA: 20.0mg/m3; 96.9ppm [Reference: ASCC (AUS)]
Biological Limits	No biological limit allocated.	
Engineering Controls	Do not inhale vapours. Ensure adequate natural ventilation. Maintain vapour levels below the recommended exposure standard.	
PPE	Wear splash-proof goggles and PVC or rubber gloves, rubber, face shield and coveralls. Where an inhalation risk exists, wear a type A (organic vapor) respirator.	

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance	THIN BROWN LIQUID	Solubility (Water)	SOLUBLE
Odour	SLIGHT ODOUR	Specific Gravity	1.04 – 1.06
Ph	13.0 – 14.0	Volatiles	NOT AVAILABLE
Vapour Pressure	NOT AVAILABLE	Flammability	NON FLAMMABLE
Vapour Density	NOT AVAILABLE	Flash Point	NOT RELEVANT
Boiling Point	100°C (Approximately)	Upper Explosion Limit	NOT RELEVANT
Melting Point	NOT AVAILABLE	Lower Explosion Limit	NOT RELEVANT
Evaporation Rate	NOT AVAILABLE		

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Chemical Stability	Stable under recommended conditions of storage.
Conditions to Avoid	Avoid heat, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources.
Material to Avoid	Incompatible with oxidizing agents (e.g. hypochlorite, peroxide), acids (eg. Hydrochloric acid), heat and ignition sources.
Decomposition	May evolve toxic gas if heated to decomposition.
Hazardous Reactions	Polymerization is not expected to occur.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Health Hazard	Use safe work practices to avoid eye or skin contact, spray mist generation or inhalation. Chronic over exposure to glycols may result in liver and kidney damage. However due to the low amount of glycols present, over exposure is not anticipated with normal use.
Eye	Irritant. Contact may result in irritation, lacrimation, pain, redness and conjunctivitis.
Inhalation	Irritant. Over exposure to mists or vapours (if sprayed) may result in mucous membrane irritation of the nose and throat with coughing.

Skin	Irritant. Prolonged or repeated contact may result in drying the skin, rash and dermatitis.
Ingestion	Corrosive. Ingestion may result in burns to the mouth and throat, nausea, vomiting, abdominal pain and diarrhea. Ingestion of large quantities may result in ulceration, unconsciousness, convulsion, and death.
Toxicity Data	<p>SODIUM HYDROXIDE (1310-73-2) LDLo (Ingestion):500mg/kg (rabbit)</p> <p>ETHYLENE GLYCOL MONOBUTYL ETHER (111-76-2) LC50 (Inhalation):700ppm (mouse) LD50 (ingestion):300mg/kg (rabbit) LD50 (skin):230mg/kg (guinea pig) TDLo (Inhalation):100ppm (human) TDLo (Ingestion):7813uL/kg (woman)</p> <p>SODIUM METASILICATE ANHYDROUS (6834-92-0) LD50 (Ingestion): 779 mg/kg (mouse) LDLo50 (Ingestion): 200 mg/kg (dog) LDLo50 (Intraperitoneal): 117 mg/kg (guinea pig) LDLo50 (Ingestion): 15g/kg (rat)</p>

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Environment WATER: If released to waterways, alkaline products may change the pH of the waterway. Fish will die if the pH reaches 10-11 (goldfish 10.9, bluegill 10.5) SOIL: May leach to groundwater with toxic effects on aquatic life as above. ATMOSPHERE: Not expected to reside in the atmosphere. Drops or particles released to atmosphere should be removed by gravity and/or be rained out.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Disposal For small amounts absorb with sand, vermiculite or similar and dispose of to an approved landfill site. Contact the manufacturer for additional information if larger amounts are involved. Prevent contamination of drains and waterways as aquatic life may be threatened and environmental damage may result. Neutralise with dilute acid (e.g. 3 mol/L hydrochloric acid).

Legislation Dispose of in accordance with relevant local legislation.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

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Shipping Name	None Allocated	DG Class	None Allocated	Subsidiary Risk(s)	None Allocated
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15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Poison Schedule	Classified as Schedule 5(S5) Poison using the criteria in the Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Drugs and Poisons (SUSDP).
AICS	All chemicals listed on the Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS).

16. OTHER INFORMATION

Additional Information**ABBREVIATIONS:**

ADB - Air-Dry Basis.
BEI - Biological Exposure Indice(s)
CAS# - Chemical Abstract Service number - used to uniquely identify chemical compounds.
CNS - Central Nervous System.
EINECS - European Inventory of Existing Commercial chemical Substances.
IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer.
M - moles per litre, a unit of concentration.
mg/m³ - Milligrams per cubic metre.
NOS - Not Otherwise Specified.
NTP - National Toxicology Program.
OSHA - Occupational Safety and Health Administration.
pH - relates to hydrogen ion concentration using a scale of 0 (high acidic) to 14 (highly alkaline).
ppm - Parts Per Million.
RTECS - Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances.
TWA/ES - Time Weighted Average or Exposure Standard.

HEALTH EFFECTS FROM EXPOSURE:

It should be noted that the effects from exposure to this product will depend on several factors including: frequency and duration of use; quantity used; effectiveness of control measures; protective equipment used and method of application. Given that it is impractical to prepare a Clean Plus Chemicals report which would encompass all possible scenarios, it is anticipated that users will assess the risks and apply control methods where appropriate.

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT GUIDELINES:

The recommendation for protective equipment contained within this Clean Plus Chemicals report is provided as a guide only. Factors such as method of application, working environment, quantity used, product concentration and the availability of engineering controls should be considered before final selection of personal protective equipment is made.

Report Status

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