

SAFETY DATA SHEET

ELITE WAX

1 IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

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2 COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Name	EC No.	CAS-No.	Content	Classification
WHITE SPIRIT	265-185-4	64742-82-1	30-60%	Xn;R65. N;R51/53. R10,R66.

The Full Text for all R-Phrases are Displayed in Section 16

3 HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Flammable. Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or cracking. Toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

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4 FIRST-AID MEASURES

GENERAL INFORMATION

NOTE! Effects may be delayed. Keep affected person under observation. NOTE! Keep affected person away from heat, sparks and flames!

INHALATION

Move the exposed person to fresh air at once. Keep the affected person warm and at rest. Get prompt medical attention. Perform artificial respiration if breathing has stopped. When breathing is difficult, properly trained personnel may assist affected person by administering oxygen.

INGESTION

Remove victim immediately from source of exposure. Rinse mouth thoroughly. NOTE! Keep affected person away from heat, sparks and flames! DO NOT induce vomiting. Get medical attention immediately.

SKIN CONTACT

Remove affected person from source of contamination. Wash the skin immediately with soap and water. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.

EYE CONTACT

Make sure to remove any contact lenses from the eyes before rinsing. Promptly wash eyes with plenty of water while lifting the eye lids. Continue to rinse for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.

5 FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA

Use: Dry chemicals, sand, dolomite etc. Alcohol resistant foam. Water spray, fog or mist. Carbon dioxide (CO2).

SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES

Ventilate closed spaces before entering them. Move container from fire area if it can be done without risk. Use water to keep fire exposed containers cool and disperse vapours. Do not scatter spilled material with more water than needed to fight the fire. Be aware of danger for fire to re-start. Keep run-off water out of sewers and water sources. Dike for water control.

UNUSUAL FIRE & EXPLOSION HAZARDS

Vapours are heavier than air and may spread near ground to sources of ignition.

6 ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

SPILL CLEAN UP METHODS

Extinguish all ignition sources. Avoid sparks, flames, heat and smoking. Ventilate. Stop leak if possible without risk. Ventilate well. Wear necessary protective equipment. Absorb in vermiculite, dry sand or earth and place into containers.

7 HANDLING AND STORAGE

USAGE PRECAUTIONS

Keep away from heat, sparks and open flame. Avoid spilling, skin and eye contact. Ventilate well, avoid breathing vapours. Use approved respirator if air contamination is above accepted level. Risk of vapour concentration on the floor and in low-lying areas. Static electricity and formation of sparks must be prevented.

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**STORAGE PRECAUTIONS**

Flammable/combustible - Keep away from oxidisers, heat and flames. Keep containers tightly closed.

**STORAGE CLASS**

Flammable liquid storage.

**8 EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

Name	Std	LT - ppm	LT - mg/m3	ST - ppm	ST - mg/m3
WHITE SPIRIT			600 mg/m3		

**INGREDIENT COMMENTS**

WEL = Workplace Exposure Limits

**PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT**



**PROCESS CONDITIONS**

Provide eyewash station.

**ENGINEERING MEASURES**

No specific ventilation requirements noted, but forced ventilation may still be required if air contamination exceeds acceptable level.

**RESPIRATORY EQUIPMENT**

No specific recommendation made, but respiratory protection must be used if the general level exceeds the Recommended Workplace Exposure Limit.

**HAND PROTECTION**

Use protective gloves.

**EYE PROTECTION**

Use eye protection.

**OTHER PROTECTION**

Wear appropriate clothing to prevent any possibility of liquid contact and repeated or prolonged vapour contact.

**HYGIENE MEASURES**

Wash at the end of each work shift and before eating, smoking and using the toilet. Wash promptly if skin becomes contaminated. Promptly remove any clothing that becomes wet or contaminated. When using do not eat, drink or smoke. **DO NOT SMOKE IN WORK AREA!**

**9 PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

APPEARANCE	Liquid		
COLOUR	White		
ODOUR	Characteristic		
RELATIVE DENSITY	<1.0	FLASH POINT (°C)	38 Not noted.

**10 STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

**STABILITY**

Stable under normal temperature conditions.

**CONDITIONS TO AVOID**

Avoid heat, flames and other sources of ignition. Avoid contact with strong oxidisers.

**HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS**

Fire creates: Toxic gases/vapours/fumes of: Carbon monoxide (CO). Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>).

**11 TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**INHALATION**

Vapours may cause headache, fatigue, dizziness and nausea. Vapour may affect central nervous system and cause headache, discomfort, vomiting or intoxication. High concentrations of vapours may irritate respiratory system and lead to headache, fatigue, nausea and vomiting.

**INGESTION**

May cause stomach pain or vomiting. Gastrointestinal symptoms, including upset stomach.

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**SKIN CONTACT**

Prolonged or repeated exposure may cause severe irritation. Acts as a defatting agent on skin. May cause cracking of skin, and eczema.

**EYE CONTACT**

Irritating to eyes. Irritation, burning, lachrymation, blurred vision after liquid splash.

**HEALTH WARNINGS**

Repeated exposure may cause chronic eye irritation. Swallowing concentrated chemical may cause severe internal injury.

**ROUTE OF ENTRY**

Inhalation. Ingestion. Skin and/or eye contact.

**MEDICAL SYMPTOMS**

Irritation of eyes and mucous membranes. Dilated pupils. Rhinitis (inflammation of the nasal mucous membranes).

**12 ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**ECOTOXICITY**

Dangerous for the environment if discharged into watercourses.

**13 DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

**DISPOSAL METHODS**

Collect on absorbent material, place in cardboard kegs and incinerate. Incinerate in suitable combustion chamber. Do not allow runoff to sewer, waterway or ground. Dispose of waste and residues in accordance with local authority requirements.

**14 TRANSPORT INFORMATION**



UK ROAD CLASS	3		
PROPER SHIPPING NAME	FLAMMABLE LIQUID, N.O.S. (WHITE SPIRIT)		
UN NO. ROAD	1993	UK ROAD PACK GR.	III
ADR CLASS NO.	3	ADR CLASS	Class 3: Flammable liquids.
ADR PACK GROUP	III	HAZARD NO. (ADR)	30 Flammable liquid (flash-point between 23°C and 61°C, inclusive) or flammable liquid or solid in the molten state with a flash-point above 61°C, heated to a temperature equal to or above its flash-point, or self heating liquid.
	30	ADR LABEL NO.	3
HAZCHEM CODE	3Y	CEFIC TEC(R) NO.	30G35
RID CLASS NO.	3	RID PACK GROUP	III
UN NO. SEA	1993	IMDG CLASS	3
IMDG PACK GR.	III	EMS	3-07
MFAG	See Guide	MARINE POLLUTANT	No.
UN NO. AIR	1993	AIR CLASS	3
AIR PACK GR.	III		

**15 REGULATORY INFORMATION**

**LABELLING**



Dangerous for the environment

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RISK PHRASES

- R10 Flammable.
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SAFETY PHRASES

- S2 Keep out of the reach of children
- S37 Wear suitable gloves.
- S46 If swallowed, seek medical advice immediately and show this container or label.
- S51 Use only in well-ventilated areas.
- S60 This material and its container must be disposed of as hazardous waste.
- S61 Avoid release to the environment. Refer to special instructions/safety data sheets.

UK REGULATORY REFERENCES

The Chemicals (Hazard Information and Packaging for Supply) Regulations 2002.

The Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations 2002.

STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

Chemicals (Hazard Information and Packaging) Regulations.

APPROVED CODE OF PRACTICE

Safety Data Sheets for Substances and Preparations.

Classification and Labelling of Substances and Preparations Dangerous for Supply.

GUIDANCE NOTES

Workplace Exposure Limits EH40.

CHIP for everyone HSG(108).

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**16 OTHER INFORMATION**

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RISK PHRASES IN FULL

- R10 Flammable.
- R51/53 Toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.
- R65 Harmful: may cause lung damage if swallowed.
- R66 Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or cracking.

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