

# GRIME BUSTER™ SAFETY DATA SHEET

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According to the Commision Regulation (EU) No 453/2010 Annex II of REACH Regulation

# SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY

#### **1.1 Product Identifier**

Grime Buster

#### 1.2 Relevant identified uses of the mixture and of the company

Foaming condenser cleaner aerosol

#### 1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

DiversiTech UK Limited Glaisdale Drive East, Nottingham, NG8 4LY United Kingdom Phone: +44 115 900 5858

#### 1.4 Emergency telephone number

Emergency tel: +1 813 248 0585 24 Hours, 7 Emergency Days, Chem-Tel, Inc.

# **SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

#### 2.1 Classification of the mixture

Classification under CHIP:	[Xi]; R36/38.	
Directive 1999/45/EC:	This mixture meets the criteria for classification as dangerous in accordance with Directive 1999/45/EC.	

Physicochemical hazards: Aerosol containers can explode when heated, due to excessive pressure build-up.

Human health: Irritating to skin and eyes. Effects from inhalation of mists and vapours vary from mild to moderate irritation of the upper respiratory tract, depending on severity of exposure. Swallowing can cause gastro-intestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting, diarrhoea.

Environment: This product does not contain substances which are harmful to aquatic organisms or which may cause long term effects to the aquatic environment.

Please see Section 16 for full classification.

#### 2.2 Label elements



Extremely Flammable

#### **Risk phrases:**

R12: Extremely flammable.R36/37/38: Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin.R67: Vapours may cause drowsiness and dizziness.

#### **Safety Phrases**

S3: Keep in a cool place.

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

S38: In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment.

S60: This material and its container must be disposed of as hazardous waste.

#### 2.3 Other hazards

Workplace exposure limit:	This product does not have a workplace exposure limit.	
PBT:	No data available.	

# **SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

INGREDIENT	EC No	CAS No.	<b>CONTENT %</b>	CLASSIFICATION
2-Butoxyethanol	203-905-0	111-76-2	1-5	[Xn] R20/21/22; [Xi] R36/R38
Disodium metasilicate	229-912-9	1344-09-8	2.5	[C] R34; [Xi] R37
Petroleum gases, liquefied	270-704-2	68476-85-7	5-10	[F+] R12; [T] R45; R46

# **SECTION 4: FIRST-AID MEASURES**

#### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

**Skin contact** – Wash immediately with plenty of soap and water. Remove all contaminated clothes and footwear immediately unless stuck to skin. If irritation develops or persists, get medical attention.

**Eye contact** - Lift eyelids while flushing to ensure all areas of the eye and eyelid are flushed. Bathe the eye with running water for 15 minutes. If irritation persists, get medical attention.

Ingestion - Wash out mouth with water. Provide fresh air. Do not induce vomiting. Consult a doctor.

**Inhalation** - Remove casualty from exposure ensuring one's own safety whilst doing so. If unconscious, check for breathing and apply artificial respiration if necessary. Consult a doctor.

#### 4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Inhalation: Effects from inhalation of mists and vapours vary from mild to moderate irritation of the upper respiratory tract, depending on severity of exposure. Abusive or excessive inhalation of vapours may cause irritation to the upper respiratory tract, dizziness, nausea and other central nervous system effects.

Ingestion: Swallowing can cause gastro-intestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting, diarrhoea

Skin contact: May cause irritation.

Eye contact: May cause pain and moderate irritation of eyes.

#### 4.3 Indication of any immediate attention and special treatment needed

If in contact with skin/eye, wash/flush immediately. If inhaled, get medical attention immediately. If ingested, get medical attention immediately.

### **SECTION 5: FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

#### 5.1 Extinguishing media

Foam Carbon dioxide. Dry chemical powder.

#### 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

In the event of a fire wear full protective clothing and self-contained breathing apparatus with a full face-piece. Exposure to temperatures above 49 °C may cause bursting.

#### 5.3 Advice for fire-fighters

Aerosol containers can explode when heated, due to excessive pressure build-up. Wear self-contained breathing apparatus. Wear protective clothing to prevent contact with skin and eyes.

### **SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

#### 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Remove contaminated clothing immediately. Ensure adequate ventilation. In the case of inadequate ventilation, use respiratory protection. Avoid inhalation of vapours and aerosol spray. Keep spark, flames and heat sources away from spill.

#### 6.2 Environmental precautions

Do not discharge into drains or rivers. Contain spillages with sand, earth or any suitable absorbent material.

#### 6.3 Method for cleaning up

Contain and absorb liquid with clay, vermiculite or other inert substance. Sweep up absorbed material and package in a container suitable for disposal. Wash away residues with water.

#### 6.4 Reference to other sections

Please refer to Section 8 for details on protective wear.

### SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Ensure there is sufficient ventilation of the area. Wash hands after handling.

#### 7.2 Condition for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Protect from physical damage. Store in a cool, dry ventilated area below 49 degrees celsius. Must only be kept in original packaging.

#### 7.3 Specific end use(s)

No further details

### **SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

#### 8.1 Control parameters

2-BUTOXYETHANOL

UK - 8 hour TWA: 25 ppm

UK - 15 min. STEL: 50 ppm

#### 8.2 Exposure controls

Local exhaust ventilation is generally preferred because it can control the emissions of the contaminant at its source, preventing dispersion of it into the general work area.

**Eye/face protection:** Use chemical safety goggles and/or a full face shield where splashing is possible. Do not use unless a source of running water or other eyewash provisions are nearby.

#### Skin protection:

Hand protection: Wear solvent resistant gloves to minimise skin contact.

Other: Not required during normal use.

Respiratory protection: Not required during normal use.

Thermal hazards: Not relevant

# **SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

#### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance:	Colourless liquid in an aerosol container			
Odour:	Sweet Smelling			
Odour threshold:	n.a.			
pH:	n.a.			
Melting point/freezing point:	n.a.			
Initial boiling point and boiling range: 28 °C				
Flash point:	100 °C			
Evaporation rate:	(water = 1) > 1			
Flammability limits %	n.a.			
Vapour pressure:	same as water			
Vapour density	30 @ 21 °C			
Relative density:	n.a.			
Solubility:	Moderate solubility in water			
Partition Coefficient: n-octanol/water: n.a.				
Auto-ignition temperature:	n.a.			
Decomposition temperature:	n.a.			
Viscosity:	n.a.			
Explosive properties:	n.a.			
Oxidising properties:	n.a.			

#### 9.2 Other information

No further details

# SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

#### 10.1 Reactivity

Stable under normal conditions.

#### 10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

#### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

No relevant information.

#### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Heat. Direct sunlight. Hot surfaces. Sources of ignition. Flames. Sparks

#### **10.5 Incompatible materials**

Strong oxidising agents. Strong Alkalis Strong acids.

#### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Carbon Monoxide. Carbon Dioxide. Hydrogen sulfide. Phosgene gas.

# **SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute Toxicity: Swallowing can cause gastro-intestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhoea. Aspiration of material into the lungs can cause chemical pneumonitis. Effects from inhalation of mist vary from mild irritation to serious damage of the upper respiratory tract, depending on severity of exposure. Abusive or excessive inhalation of vapours may cause irritation to the upper respiratory tract, dizziness, nausea and other central nervous system effects.

Irritation: Frequent or prolonged skin contact may cause mild irritation. Eye contact may cause irritation and pain.

Corrosivity: Not expected to be corrosive

Sensitisation: Not expected to be a sensitiser

Repeated dose toxicity: No effect

Carcinogenicity: Not expected to be carcinogenic.

Mutagenicity: Not expected to be mutagenic

Toxicity for reproduction: Not expected to be toxic by reproduction

Route of exposure: Inhalation

**Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics:** Swallowing can cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhoea. Aspiration of material into the lungs can cause chemical pneumonitis. Abusive or excessive inhalation of vapours may cause irritation to the upper respiratory tract, dizziness, nausea and other central nervous system effects.

# **SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### 12.1 Toxicity

No data available.

12.2 Persistence and degradability

No data available.

#### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No bioaccumulation potential.

#### 12.4 Mobility in soil

No data available.

#### 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

No data available

#### 12.6 Other adverse effects

No further details

# **SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

#### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

**Disposal operations -** Whatever cannot be saved for recovery or recycling should be managed in an appropriate and approved waste facility.

**Disposal of packaging** – Empty containers of this material, depressurised through normal use, pose no disposal hazard and may be recycled.

# **SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

# 14.1 UN number UN 1950 14.2 UN proper shipping name Aerosols 14.3 Transport hazard class(es) Class 2: Class Labels 2.1 (Limited Quantity) 14.4 Packing group None assigned 14.5 Environmental hazards Not Environmentally Hazardous Substance 14.6 Special precautions for user Away from sources of heat 14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code Not applicable to packaged goods Mode-specific information: ROAD/RAIL (ADR/RID/CDG) Transport category 1 Tunnel restriction code D SEA (IMDG) Not Marine Pollutant EmS: F-D S-U

Aerosol capacity less than 1 litre can be carried under the Limited Quantities provisions of all carriage modes

ERG Code 10C

# **SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION**

#### 15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

#### According to CHIP

AIR (ICAO/IATA)

Hazard symbols: Extremely Flammable; Irritant



R12: Extremely flammable.

R36/37/38: Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin.

R67: Vapours may cause drowsiness and dizziness.

Keep container in a well-ventilated place Do not breathe spray Keep away from sources of ignition – No smoking In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice. In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment. In case of fire, use foam, carbon dioxide, dry powder or water fog. This material and its container must be disposed of as hazardous waste *(note: this safety phrase is not required if sold to the general public)* 

Pressurized container: protect from sunlight and do not expose to temperatures exceeding 50°C. Do not pierce or burn, even after use.

Do not spray on a naked flame or any incandescent material

**Note:** The regulatory information given above only indicates the principal regulations specifically applicable to the product described in the safety data sheet. The user's attention is drawn to the possible existence of additional provisions which complete these regulations. Refer to all applicable national, international and local regulations or provisions.

#### 15.2 Chemical safety assessment

A chemical safety assessment has not been conducted.

# **SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION**

#### Other information

This safety data sheet is prepared in accordance with Regulation (EU) No 453/2010.

\* indicates text in the SDS which has changed since the last revision.

#### **Risk phrases used in Section 3**

R12: Extremely flammable

R20/21/22: Harmful by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed.

R34: Causes burns.

R36/37/38: Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin.

R45: May cause cancer.

R46: May cause heritable genetic damage

#### Legal disclaimer

The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. This company shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product.