SAFETY DATA SHEET

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REF: SOB200D

1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

Product name: SPECIALISED CONTACT OIL

Product code: SOB200D

Supplier: ELECTROLUBE

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2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Identification of the preparation				
Chemical Name	CAS-No	EEC-No	Class	Weight %
DICHLOROMETHANE	75-09-2	200-838-9	Carc. Cat.3; R40	30
1,1,1,2-TETRAFLUOROETHANE (134a)	811-97-2	213-377-0	-	>40
1,1-DIFLUOROETHANE (152a)	75-37-6	200-866-1	R12	<15
NON HAZARDOUS CONSTITUENTS				<20

3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Most important hazards: Harmful. Class 3 carcinogenic.

Specific hazards High concentration of vapours may induce unconsciousness,

narcosis & fatality. Solvents may degrease the skin: May cause skin irritation and/or dermatitis. Possible risks of irreversible

effects.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

General advice: If victim is unconscious but breathing: Do not induce vomiting. Never give

anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

Inhalation: Move to fresh air. If victim has stopped breathing: Oxygen or artificial respiration

if needed. Even if there are no symptoms or symptoms not apparently due to the

substances send to a doctor and show him this card.

Skin contact: Wash off with plenty of water.

Eye contact: In the case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek

medical advice. Consult a physician.

Ingestion: Do not induce vomiting. Call a physician immediately.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media: Extinguish with waterspray, foam or dry powder.

Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons:

Do not use water jet.

Specific hazards: Burning produces irritant fumes: Hydrogen chloride gas.

Special protective equipment for firefighters:

Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary.

Specific methods: Cool containers / tanks with spray water.

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6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions: Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak.

Environmental precautions: Do not let product enter drains. Avoid subsoil penetration. Methods for cleaning up: Soak up with inert absorbent material. Shovel into suitable

container for disposal.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Do not breath vapours or spray mist. Use only in area provided with appropriate exhaust Handling:

ventilation. Vapours are heavier than air and may spread along floors.

Storage: Store in a cool and shaded area. Ensure adequate ventilation.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Chemical Name: National occupational exposure limits:

DICHLOROMETHANE Long term (8 hrs) = 100ppm / 350mgm⁻³

Short term (15 min) = 300ppm / 1050mgm⁻³

* data as for oil

1,1,1,2-TETRAFLUOROETHANE (134a) Long term $(8 \text{ hrs}) = 1000 \text{ppm} / 4200 \text{mgm}^{-3}$

1,1-DIFLUOROETHANE (152a) Long term (8 hrs) = 1000 ppm

NON HAZARDOUS CONSTITUENTS

Engineering measures

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Use only in well-ventilated areas.

Personal protection equipment:

- Respiratory protection: When workers are facing concentrations above the exposure limit

they must use appropriate certified respirators.

- Hand protection: solvent-resistant gloves (butylrubber) - Eye protection: safety glasses with side-shields - Skin and body protection: wear personal protective equipment

Hygiene measures:

Form:

Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Colour: colourless Odour: ether-like >200 °C **Boiling point/range:** Melting point/range: n/d °C °C **Decomposition temperature:** >200 °C Flash point: >210 °C Autoignition temperature: >370 Relative density: (20 °C) >= 1.00 Solubility:

liquid

Water solubility immiscible (g/I)220 mPa.s **Viscosity:** (40 °C)

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability: Stable.

Conditions to avoid: Keep away from heat and sources of ignition.

Materials to avoid: Aluminium powder, alkali metals, amines, potassium, sodium.

Hazardous decomposition products: Hydrogen chloride gas, phosgene, chlorine.

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11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute toxicity: Methylene chloride: LD50/oral/rat = 1500 - 2500mg/kg Local effects:

May cause eye or skin irritation with susceptible persons.

Inhalation of vapours in high concentration may cause irritation of

respiratory system.

Sensitization: Not applicable

An excessive exposure of laboratory animals results in toxic Long term toxicity:

effects on the kidney and the liver. Blood disorder may occur

after prolonged inhalation.

Chronic toxicity: Methylene chloride has been shown to increase the rate of

spontaneously occurring tumours in the B6C3F1 mouse and

benign tumours in laboratory rats.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Insoluble in water. Mobility:

Persistence and degradability: Not readily biodegradable. No data is available on the product

itself.

Bioaccumulation: Bioconcentration factor (BCF) (methylene chloride) = 2.3.

Ecotoxicity effects: Aquatic toxicity is unlikely due to low solubility.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste from residues / unused products: Dispose of as special waste in compliance with the Control of

Pollution (Special Waste) Regulations 1980.

Contaminated packaging: In accordance with local and national regulations. Do not

pierce or burn even when empty.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

UN-No: 1950

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5 ° A Class: 2 Item:

HI/UN No: 1950

Proper shipping name: Aerosol dispensers

IMO

Class: **IMDG Page:** MFAG: EmS:

Proper shipping name: not a dangerous substance as defined in the above regulations

ICAO

Class: 22 UN/ID No: 1950

Proper shipping name Aerosols, non flammable, n.o.s.,

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Classification according to European directive on classification of hazardous preparations 90/492/EEC

- Contains: Dichloromethane.

- Symbol(s):



Harmful.

R40 - Possible risks of irreversible effects. R-phrase(s):

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S-phrase(s): S2 - Keep out of reach of children. S23 - Do not breathe vapour S24/25 - Avoid

contact with skin and eyes. S36/37 - Wear suitable protective clothing and gloves.

16. OTHER INFORMATION

Recommended use:

Recommended restrictions:

Revision number: 1

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