# Section 1: MATERIAL & SUPPLIER IDENTIFICATION

**Product:** KEROSENE

**Description:** NARROW CUT KEROSENE, HIGH FLASH KEROSENE

Code: Use:

SUPPLIER: AUSFIELD SALES

A.B.N 47 088 620 473

FACTORY 1/36 MICKLE ST, DANDENONG SOUTH

VICTORIA 3175 AUSTRALIA

**EMERGENCY RESPONSE CONTACT: 1800 023 005** 

# Section 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### **HEALTH HAZARD CLASSIFICATION**

This product is classified as hazardous under Safe Work Australia criteria

#### **HAZARD CATEGORY**

Xn: Harmful; N: Dangerous to the environment

**RISK PHASES** 

R38: Irritating to skin

R52/53: Harmful to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the

aquatic

#### **SAFETY PHRASES**

S24: Avoid contact with skin

S61: Avoid release to the environment. Refer to special instructions or safety data sheets

S62: If swallowed, do not induce vomiting; seek medical advice immediately and show

this container or label

**Dangerous Goods Classification N/R** 

**Poison Schedule** 5

Section 3: INFORMATION ON INGREDIANTS

CHEMICAL ENTITYCAS NO.PROPORTIONHigh Flash Kerosene64742-81-0100

**CONTAINS:** Naphthalene 91-20-3 <10

# Section 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

**SKIN CONTACT:** Wash affected areas with soap and water. If irritation occurs, seek immediate medical attention.

**EYE CONTACT:** Flush thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes. seek immediate medical attention.

**INGESTION:** DO NOT induce vomiting. Keep at rest. Seek immediate medical attention

**INHALATION:** Using proper respiratory protection, immediately remove the affected victim from exposure. Administer artificial respiration if breathing has stopped. Keep at rest. Seek immediate medical attention.

**FIRST AID FACILITIES:** Provide eye baths and safety showers.

**MEDICAL ATTENTION:** Treat according to symptoms. Avoid gastric lavage: risk of aspiration of product to the lungs with the potential to cause chemical pneumonitis.

# Section 5: FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

#### **EXTINGUISHING MEDIA**

Appropriate for Use: Foam, Dry Chemical

**Hazards from combustion products:** Carbon dioxide and carbon monoxide, smoke and water

**FIREFIGHTING:** Evacuate Area. Fire-fighters should wear positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) and full turnout gear.

Hazchem Code: N/R

## Section 6:

### **ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

**EMERGENCY PROCEDURES:** Evacuate surrounding areas. Keep unnecessary and unprotected personnel from entering. If possible contain the spill. Prevent entry into sewers, waterways, basements or confined areas. Place inert absorbent material on spillage e.g. sand, earth, vermiculite or diatomaceous earth and place in container for disposal according to local regulations. If the spillage enters the waterways contact the Environmental Protection Authority, or your local Waste Management Authority.

### Section 7:

### HANDLING AND STORAGE

**HANDLING:** This product is conbustible. Do not open near open flame, sources of heat or ignition. Use in well ventilated areas. Do not smoke and ensure appropriate clothing is worn.

**STORAGE:** Store undercover in cool, dry place with good ventilation to avoid water contamination and fading. Products should not be stored over 60°C. Do not pressurise, cut, heat or weld containers- residual vapours are flammable.

**INCOMPATIBLE MATERIALS:** Natural Rubber, Butyl Rubber, EPDM, Polystyrene

# Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

**National Exposure Standards:** The time weight average concentration (TWA) is: Not Specified (100 ppm), which means the highest allowable exposure concentration in an eight hour day for a five-day working week. The short term exposure limit (STEL) is; Not specified, which is the maximum allowable exposure concentration at any time.

Biological Limit Values: No Biological limit allocated.

**Engineering Controls:** Ventilation to keep airborne levels below the exposure limit.

**Respiratory protection:** If engineering controls do not maintain airborne contaminant concentrations at a level which is adequate to protect worker health, an approved respirator may be appropriate.

**Hand protection:** Wear protective gloves if prolonged or repeated contact is likely. Glove suitability and breakthrough time will differ depending on the specific use conditions. **Eye Protection:** Safety glasses with side shields and a face shield when using this product **Skin and body:** Wear appropriate clothing including chemical resistant apron where clothing is

likely to be contaminated and enclosed footwear or safety boots.

Section 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

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**Appearance:** Clear, colourless liquid

**Density @ 15c :** 0.80-0.82 g/ml **Boiling Point :** 195-250 C

Flash Point: 75 C Pour Point: - 36 c

Viscosity @ 20°C:

Autoignition Temp:

Vapour Pressure @ 20C:

Exposure Limits (LEL-UEL):

Not Available

Not Available

0.3 kPa

0.6-4.5%

Solubility in water (g/L): Insoluble % w/w

Section 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability: Product is Stable under normal conditions of use.

Conditions to Avoid: sources of heat, Fire, Direct Sunlight or other sources of ignition

**Incompatible Materials:** Strong oxidising agents

**Hazardous Decomposition Products:** Product does not decompose except on burning.

Hazardous Reactions: Oxidizing agents, mineral acids, halogenated organic compounds.

Section 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Inhalation** Inhalation of product vapours cause irritation of the nose, throat and respiratory system. Exposure to large concetrations over an extended period of time will result in muscle weakness, tingling in hands and feet, blurred vision, headaches, nausea, loss of appetite, hallucinations and possible loss of consciousness.

**Ingestion** Ingestion of this product may irritate the gastric tract causing nausea and vomiting. It can produce hallucinations and narcotic effect.

**Skin** May cause redness, itching, irritation, dryness and cracking.

**Eye** May cause eye irritation, tearing, stinging, blurred vision, and redness.

**Chronic Effects** There is evidence of potentially irreversible damage to the peripheral nervous system, particularly the hands and legs.

## Section 12:

## **ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Persistence/ degradability: Naphthalene: Log P;3.3

**Mobility**: If this product enters the soil, it will be highly mobile and may contaminate the ground water.

### Section 13:

### **DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

**Disposal Considerations:** Dispose of surplus and non-recyclable products via a licensed waste disposal contractor. Dispose of waste according to federal, EPA and state regulations.

## Section 14:

## TRANSPORT INFORMATION

**Transport Information:** 

Proper Shipping Name: 100% Liquid Hydrocarbon

DG Class: N/R Sub. Risk: None Pack Group: N/R Hazchem: N/R

## Section 15:

# **REGULATORY INFORMATION**

**Country Region:** Australia **Inventory:** Ausfield Lubricants

Status: Listed

### Section 16:

## OTHER INFORMATION

### <u>History</u>

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