

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product name : ENGEN ANTIFREEZE AND SUMMER COOLANT

Product use : Radiator coolant and antifreeze

Supplier : Engen Petroleum Limited (Tel: 021-403 4911, a/h: 021-403 4099)

Health Emergency Telephone : 021-689 5227 (Red Cross Poison Service)

Transport Emergency Telephone : 011-975 1278/83 (Hazchemwise)

Customer Service Center : 0860 036 436 (Sales and Technical Information)
MSDS Internet website : www.engen.co.za/content/products/default2.htm

2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical name	CAS-No.	Weight%	Symbol Codes	R-Phrase Numbers
Ethylene Glycol	107-21-1	>= 90.00	Xn	R22
Sodium 2-ethylhexanoate	19766-89-3	>= 2.00	Xn	R63

See Section 15 for European Label Information.

See Section 8 for Exposure Limits (if applicable).

3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Emergency response data : Blue Liquid. DOT ERG No.: 171

Potential health effects

Inhalation : Inhalation of high levels of vapours or mists for prolonged periods of time

may also result in toxic effects.

Skin : Practically non-irritating.

Eye : Irritant.

Ingestion : Ingestion of ethylene glycol may result in nausea, vomiting, abdominal

cramps, convulsions, oedema of the lung, cardiopulmonary effects (metabolic acidosis), pneumonia and kidney failure which could result in

death. The single lethal dose for humans is about 100 ml.

Potential environmental

effects

Toxic to fish, aquatic organisms and wildlife. Do not discharge into lakes,

streams, ponds and ground water supply.

See Section 11 for further health effects/toxicological data.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Inhalation : Remove from further exposure. If respiratory irritation, dizziness,

nausea, or unconsciousness occurs, seek immediate medical assistance. If breathing has stopped, assist ventilation with mechanical device or use

mouth-to-mouth resuscitation with a mouthpiece.

Skin contact : Remove contaminated clothing. Dry wipe exposed skin and cleanse with

hand cleaner, soap and water. Launder contaminated clothing before

reuse. (See Section 16 - Injection Injury)

Eye contact : Flush thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical

assistance.

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Ingestion : Seek immediate medical attention. If medical attention is delayed,

contact a Regional Poison Centre or emergency medical professional regarding the induction of vomiting or use of activated charcoal.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Extinguishing media : Carbon dioxide, foam, dry chemical and water fog.

Special fire fighting : Water or foam may cause frothing. Use water to keep f

procedure

Water or foam may cause frothing. Use water to keep fire exposed containers cool. Water spray may be used to flush spills away from exposure. Prevent runoff from fire control or dilution from entering

streams, municipal sewers, or drinking water supply.

Special protective

equipment for firefighters

Positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA).

Unusual fire and explosive

hazards

None.

Products of decomposition : Fumes, smoke and carbon monoxide.

Flash Point : > 100 °C (ASTM D-92)

Upper Explosion Limit (UEL) : 15.3 %(V) Lower Explosion Limit (LEL) : 3.2 %(V)

NFPA Hazard Id : Health: 0; Flammability: 1; Reactivity: 0

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Procedure if material is

released or spilled

Report spills/releases as required to appropriate authorities.

Methods for cleaning up : Absorb on fire-retardant treated sawdust, diatomaceous earth, etc.

Shovel up with spark-resistant utensils for later disposal at an approved

facility, in accordance with current laws and regulations.

Personal precautions : See Section 8.

Environmental precautions : Prevent spill from entering municipal sewers, water sources or low lying

areas. Advise the relevant authorities if contaminations have occurred.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Safe handling advice : Avoid prolonged repeated skin contact. Avoid inhalation of vapours or

mists. Avoid ingestion.

Storage information : Do not store in unlabelled containers. Do not store near strong oxidizing

agents and combustible materials.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Occupational Exposure Limits (OELs)

Components	CAS-No.	Source	TWA	Valu	ie	Notations
Ethylene Glycol	107-21-1	ACGIH TLV	STEL LTEL	100 mg/m3 51 mg/m3	40 ppm 20 ppm	Ceiling
		OSHA PEL	STEL LTEL	127 mg/m3 63 mg/m3	50 ppm 25 ppm	Ceiling

LTEL: Long Term Exposure Limits - Time Weight Average (TWA) over 8 hours.

STEL: Short Term Exposure Limits - Time Weight Average (TWA) over 15 Minutes

Note: Limits Shown for guidance only. Follow applicable regulations.

Personal Protection Equipment (PPE)

Engineering controls : Use in well ventilated area.

Respiratory protection : Approved respiratory equipment should be used if ventilation is

inadequate and breathing of mists or vapours is likely.

Eye protection : If splash with liquid is possible, chemical type goggles should be worn.

Skin and body protection : Impervious gloves must be worn. Good personal hygiene practices

should always be followed.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance : Liquid. Colour : Blue

Odour : Characteristic
Solubility : Miscible
Melting point/range : -30 °C
Boiling point/range : > 165 °C

Flash Point : > 100 °C (ASTM D-92)

Upper Explosion Limit (UEL) : 15.3 %(V) Lower Explosion Limit (LEL) : 3.2 %(V)

Density : 1.120 g/cm3 @ 20 °C (ASTM D-4052)

Autoignition temperature : > 200 °C
Pour point : -18 °C

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability : Stable.

Conditions to avoid : Extreme heat.

Materials to avoid : Strong oxidizers.

Hazardous decomposition

products

Fumes, smoke and carbon monoxide.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute oral toxicity : (Rats): Toxic (LD50: Less than 250 mg/kg). Based on testing of similar

products and/or components.

Acute inhalation toxicity : (Rats): Harmful (LC50: greater than 2 but 5mg/l or less). Based on

testing products and/or components.

Acute dermal toxicity : (Rabbits): Practically non-toxic (LD50: greater than 2000 mg/kg).

Based on single dose testing at 2 000mg/kg.

Skin irritation : (Rabbits): Practically non-irritating.

Eye irritation : (Rabbits): Irritant. (Draize score: greater than 15 but less than 35).

Based on testing of similar products and/or the components.

Repeated dose toxicity : Small quantities of ethylene glycol ingested, inhaled or absorbed through

the skin repeatedly over a prolonged period of time may result in

systemic toxic effects. Rats fed 1-2 percent ethylene glycol for two years

suffered severe kidney damage, liver damage and bladder stones. Inhalation studies for two years at 100 ppm with 7 species of animals did not result in any adverse effects other than respiratory irritation. No carcinogenic effects were observed in animals when they were either injected with the solvent or fed at one percent in the diet for two years. Carcinogenic effects are not known to occur in humans exposed to

ethylene glycol.

Toxicity to reproduction : Ethylene glycol, when administered orally to pregnant rats at 2250

mg/kg/day caused some malformations of the offspring. The NOEL was 1250 mg/kg/day. No developmental or teratological effects were observed in rabbits administered 2000 mg/kg/day orally. Aerosols of 2500 mg/m3 during organogenesis resulted in teratogenic effects in mice but not rats. Nose-only exposure of mice to aerosols of 1000 mg/m3

resulted in developmental effects but minimal teratogenic effects. The NOEL based on maternal toxicity was 500 mg/m3. When applied to the skin of rats during organogenesis no teratogenic effects were observed. Although these effects are not known to occur in humans, precautionary measures should be taken to avoid exposure during pregnancy,

particularly in the early stages.

Mutagenicity : Ames test: Negative. Mouse Lymphoma (L5178Y/TK+/-) Assay:

Positive.

Other toxicological

information

Orally, ethylene glycol is more toxic to humans than animal test data indicates. Probable lethal dose for an adult is 100 ml. Smaller doses can

cause serious kidney injury.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Elimination information (persistence and degradability)

Biodegradability : Readily Biodegradable.

Physico-chemical

removability

Soluble in water.

Bioaccumulation : Does not bio-accumulate significantly.

Ecotoxicity effects

Toxicity to fish : (Leuciscus idus) LC/EC50: >100 mg/l at 96 hours.

Toxicity to aquatic

organisms

(Daphnia magna) LC/EC50: >100 mg/l at 48 hours.

Further information on ecology

Remarks : AOX: This product contains no organically bound halogen.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste disposal : Dispose of waste at an appropriate disposal facility in accordance with

current applicable laws and regulations.

Contaminated packaging : Empty containers retain residue (liquid and/or vapour) and can be

dangerous. DO NOT PRESSURIZE, CUT, WELD, BRAZE, SOLDER, DRILL, GRIND OR EXPOSE SUCH CONTAINERS TO HEAT, FLAME, SPARKS, STATIC ELECTRICITY, OR OTHER SOURCES OF IGNITION; THEY MAY EXPLODE AND CAUSE INJURY OR DEATH. Do not attempt to refill or clean container since residue is difficult to remove. Empty drums should be completely drained, properly bunged and promptly returned to a drum reconditioner. All containers should be disposed of in an environmentally

safe manner and in accordance with governmental regulations.

Other regulations : Disposal of unused product may be subject to RCRA regulations (40 CFR

261). Disposal of the used product may also be regulated due to ignitability, corrosivity, reactivity, or toxicity as determined by the

Toxicity Characteristic Leaching Procedure (TCLP).

Flash Point : > 100 °C (ASTM D-92)

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Note : This product is not regulated by the following: CFR and IATA.

ADR

UN number : 3082
Class : 9
Packing group : III
Labelling number : 9

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Product Reportable Quantity : 2,200 kg

IMDG

UN number : 3082
Class : 9
Packing group : III
Labelling number : 9

Product Reportable Quantity

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

US OSHA Hazard : Product assessed in accordance with OSHA 29 CFR 1910.1200 and

Communication Standard determined to be hazardous.

Governmental Inventory : All components comply with TSCA, EINECS/ELINCS, AICS, METI, DSL,

Status KECI, ENCS, PICCS and IECSC.

EU Labelling : Product is dangerous as defined by the European Union Dangerous

Substances/Preparations Directives.

Symbols : Xn

Harmful

R-Phrase(s): R22, R63

Harmful if swallowed., Possible risk of harm to the unborn child.

S-phrase(s) : S2

Keep out of the reach of children.

SARA

U.S. Superfund : This product contains no "EXTREMELY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES".

Amendments and Reauthorization Act SARA

Title III

SARA (311/312) Reportable : Chronic Acute

Hazard Categories

SARA (313) Toxic Release : Ethylene Glycol (107-21-1) - Conc > 90%

Chemicals:

The following product ingredients are cited on the lists below

Chemical name	CAS-No.	Concentration [%]	List Citations
Ethylene Glycol	107-21-1	>= 90.00	1, 10, 18, 19,
			20, 21, 23, 24, 25, 26
Sodium 2-ethylhexanoate	19766-89-3	>= 2.00	Not listed

Regulatory List Searched

1 = ACGIH ALL	6 = IARC 1	11 = TSCA 4	17 = CA P65	22 = MI 293
2 = ACGIH A1	7 = IARC 2A	12 = TSCA 5a2	18 = CA RTK	23 = MN RTK
3 = ACGIH A2	8 = IARC 2B	13 = TSCA 5e	19 = FL RTK	24 = NJ RTK
4 = NTP CARC	9 = OSHA CARC	14 = TSCA 6	20 = IL RTK	25 = PA RTK
5 = NTP SUS	10 = OSHA Z	15 = TSCA 12b	21 = LA RTK	26 = RI RTK

Code Key: CARC = Carcinogen; SUS = Suspected Carcinogen

16. OTHER INFORMATION

Note: Engen products do not contain PCBs.

Health studies have shown that many hydrocarbons pose potential human health risks which may vary from person to person. Information provided on this MSDS reflects intended use. This product should not be used for any other applications. In any case, the following advice should be considered:

INJECTION INJURY WARNING: If product is injected into or under the skin, or into any part of the body, regardless of the appearance of the wound or its size, the individual should be evaluated immediately by a

doctor as a surgical emergency. Even though initial symptoms from high pressure injection may be minimal or absent, early surgical treatment within the first few hours may significantly reduce the ultimate extent of injury.

Empty container may contain product residue, including flammable or explosive vapours. Do not cut, puncture, or weld on or near container. All label warnings and precautions must be observed until container has been thoroughly cleaned or destroyed.

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