

**1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION**

Product name : Genlex EP 42  
Product use : Industrial grease

Supplier : Engen Petroleum Limited (Tel: +27 (0) 21 403 4911, a/h: +27 (0) 21 403 4099)

Poisons Information Helpline : 0861 555 777 (South Africa)  
Spill Response : 086 100 0366 (South Africa)  
Customer Service Centre : 0860 036 436 (Sales and Technical Information)  
Engen Website : <http://www.engen.co.za/>

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**2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

**Emergency response data** : Light yellow Semi-solid. Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or cracking. DOT ERG No. - Not applicable.

**GHS Classification:****Health**

Skin corrosion/irritation : Not classified.

**Environmental**

Acute toxicity : Not classified.  
Chronic toxicity : Not classified.

**Physical**

Flammability : Not classified.

**Signal Word** : None

**GHS Labels/Pictograms:****Hazard Statements**

Repeated and/or prolonged exposure may cause irritation to the skin, eyes or respiratory tract.

**Precautionary Statements****Prevention**

Wash exposed skin after handling this product.

**Response**

IN CASE OF FIRE: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol-resistant foam to extinguish. IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. IF SWALLOWED: Get medical attention if you feel unwell. IF ON SKIN: If irritation occurs, get medical attention.

**Storage**

Store in closed, labelled, lined or leak-proof container.

**Disposal**

Do not discharge into lakes, streams, ponds and ground water supply.

See Section 11 for further health effects/toxicological data.

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### **3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

<b>Chemical name</b>	<b>CAS-No.</b>	<b>Weight%</b>
Zinc dialkyl diphosphate	68649-42-3	< 1,00

The product contains no substances which at their given concentration, are considered to be hazardous to health.

See Section 8 for Exposure Limits (if applicable).

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### **4. FIRST AID MEASURES**

Inhalation	:	Under certain conditions smoke may be generated. Remove victim from further exposure.
Skin contact	:	Wash contact areas with soap and water.
Eye contact	:	Flush thoroughly with water. If irritation occurs call a doctor.
Ingestion	:	Not expected to be a problem. However, if discomfort occurs seek medical attention. Do not induce vomiting.

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### **5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

Extinguishing media	:	Carbon dioxide, foam, dry chemical and water fog.
Special fire fighting 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	:	For fires in enclosed areas, fire fighters must use Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus.
Products of decomposition	:	Fumes, smoke, carbon monoxide, sulphur oxides, aldehydes and other decomposition products, in the case of incomplete combustion.
Flash Point	:	> 150 °C (ASTM D-92)
NFPA Hazard Id	:	Health: 0; Flammability: 1; Reactivity: 0

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### **6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

Procedure if material is released or spilled	:	Report spills/releases as required to appropriate authorities.
Methods for cleaning up	:	LAND SPILL: Shut off source taking normal safety precautions. Take measures to minimize the effects on ground water. Recover by shovelling up, or contain spilled material with sand or other suitable absorbent and remove mechanically into containers. If necessary, dispose of absorbed residues as directed in Section 13. WATER SPILL: Notify port and relevant authorities. Confine with booms if skimming equipment is available to recover the spill for later recycling or disposal.
Personal precautions	:	See Section 8.

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Environmental precautions : Prevent spill from entering municipal sewers, water sources or low lying areas. Advise the relevant authorities if contaminations have occurred.

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### **7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

Safe handling advice : High pressure injection under the skin may occur due to the rupture of pressurised lines. (See Section 16 - Injection Injury)

Storage information : Keep containers closed when not in use. Do not store in open or unlabelled containers. Do not store near heat sources, sparks, flames, strong oxidizing agents and combustible materials.

Storage and handling procedures : Prevent small spills and leakages to avoid slip hazard.

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### **8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION**

#### **Occupational Exposure Limits (OELs)**

<b>Components</b>	<b>CAS-No.</b>	<b>Source</b>	<b>TWA</b>	<b>Value</b>		<b>Notations</b>
Base oil package		ACGIH TLV	LTEL	5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>		Oil mists

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 Protective Equipment (PPE)**

Engineering controls : Use in well ventilated area.

Respiratory protection : No special requirements under ordinary conditions of use and with adequate ventilation.

Eye protection : If eye contact is likely, normal industrial eye protection practices should be employed.

Skin and body protection : If prolonged or repeated skin contact is likely wear oil impervious gloves and clothing. Good personal hygiene practices should always be followed.

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### **9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

Appearance : Semi-solid.  
Colour : Light yellow  
Base component : Lithium grease  
Odour : Characteristic  
Solubility : Immiscible  
Flash Point : > 150 °C (ASTM D-92)  
Density : < 1 g/cm<sup>3</sup> @ 25 °C (ASTM D-4052)

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### **10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Stability : Stable.

Conditions to avoid : Extreme heat and high energy sources of ignition, such as sparks and static electricity.

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Materials to avoid	:	Strong oxidizers.
Hazardous decomposition products	:	Fumes, smoke, carbon monoxide, sulphur oxides, aldehydes and other decomposition products, in the case of incomplete combustion.

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### **11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### **Acute toxicity Components**

##### **Zinc dialkyl diphosphate**

Acute oral toxicity	:	No available data.
Acute inhalation toxicity	:	No available data.
Acute dermal toxicity	:	No available data.

#### **Skin corrosion/irritation Components**

##### **Zinc dialkyl diphosphate**

Result	:	Causes skin irritation.
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#### **Eye irritation Components**

##### **Zinc dialkyl diphosphate**

Result	:	Causes eye irritation.
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#### **Sensitization Components**

##### **Zinc dialkyl diphosphate**

Remarks	:	This product is not a skin sensitizer.
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#### **Germ cell mutagenicity Components**

##### **Zinc dialkyl diphosphate**

Remarks	:	No known significant effects or critical hazards.
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#### **Carcinogenicity Components**

##### **Zinc dialkyl diphosphate**

Remarks	:	Not classifiable as a human carcinogen.
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#### **Reproductive toxicity (Teratogenicity) Components**

##### **Zinc dialkyl diphosphate**

Remarks	:	No known significant effects or critical hazards.
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#### **STOT - single exposure Components**

##### **Zinc dialkyl diphosphate**

Remarks	:	No known significant effects or critical hazards.
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#### **Specific target organ toxicity (STOT) - repeated exposure Components**

##### **Zinc dialkyl diphosphate**

Remarks	:	No known significant effects or critical hazards.
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#### **Aspiration hazard Components**

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### **Zinc dialkyl diphosphate**

Remarks : No available data.

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## **12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

### **Ecotoxicity effectsComponents**

#### **Zinc dialkyl diphosphate**

Acute toxicity : No available data.

Chronic toxicity : No available data.

### **Persistence and degradabilityComponents**

#### **Zinc dialkyl diphosphate**

Biodegradability : This product is not readily biodegradable.

### **BioaccumulationComponents**

#### **Zinc dialkyl diphosphate**

Bioaccumulation : Not established.

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## **13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

Waste disposal : Product is suitable for burning in an enclosed, controlled burner for fuel value or disposal by supervised incineration. Such burning may be limited pursuant to the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act. In addition, the product is suitable for processing by an approved recycling facility or can be disposed of at any government approved waste disposal facility. Use of these methods is subject to user compliance with applicable laws and regulations and considerations of product characteristics at time of disposal.

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 : The unused product, in our opinion, is not specifically listed by the EPA as a hazardous waste (40 CFR, Part 261D), nor is it formulated to contain materials which are listed hazardous wastes. It does not exhibit the hazardous characteristics of ignitability, corrosivity, or reactivity and is not formulated with contaminants as determined by the Toxicity Characteristic Leaching Procedure (TCLP). However, used product may be regulated.

Flash Point : > 150 °C (ASTM D-92)

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## **14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

Note : This product is not regulated by the following: U.S. DOT (CFR), ADR, IATA and IMDG.

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## **15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

South African Legislation and Standards : South African OHS Act, 85 of 1993: Hazardous Chemical Substances, Regulation 9A

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National Environmental Management: Waste Act 2008

South African Guidelines

SANS 10234:2008 - Globally Harmonized System of classification & labelling of chemicals

SANS 11014:2010 - Safety data sheet for chemical products - Content & order of sections

US OSHA Hazard Communication Standard : When used for its intended purposes, this product is not classified as hazardous in accordance with OSHA 29 CFR 1910.1200.

EU Labelling : Product is not dangerous as defined by the European Union Dangerous Substances/Preparations Directives. EU labelling not required.

### **SARA**

U.S. Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act SARA Title III : This product contains no "EXTREMELY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES".

SARA (311/312) Reportable Hazard Categories : None

### **The following product ingredients are cited on the lists below**

Chemical name	CAS-No.	Concentration [%]	List Citations
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### **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

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## **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

Note: Engen products do not contain PCBs.

**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.

Note: No significant changes have been made to this Safety Data Sheet since the previous date.

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