

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

IDENTITY (As used on label and list): **POLAR WINDSHIELD WASHER FLUID**

PRODUCT CODE: **WW21006P, WW210055**

NFPA Hazard Identification 0 – Least 1 – Slight 2– Moderate 3 – High 4 - Extreme

Health: 1

Fire: 2

Reactivity: 0

Section I - General Information

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Section II – Hazardous Ingredients

COMPONENT NAME	%	CAS	PEL MIST	PEL VAPOR
Methanol	<35	67-56-1	200 ppm	250 ppm

NON-HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS

Water	>65
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Section III - Hazards Identification

EYE CONTACT: May be slightly irritating. If taken internally may cause blindness.

SKIN CONTACT: May be absorbed in harmful amounts and cause blindness. Repeated skin contact may cause dermatitis.

INHALATION: Harmful if inhaled. Can cause aggravation to upper respiratory tract.

INGESTION: May be fatal or cause blindness if swallowed.

SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF OVEREXPOSURE: Inhalation may cause coughing, shortness of breath, dizziness, and possible collapse. Absorption may cause blurred vision, photophobia, and possible acidosis.

MEDICAL CONDITIONS GENERALLY AGGRAVATED BY EXPOSURE: Dermatitis, asthma

OTHER HEALTH INFORMATION: Methanol cannot be made nonpoisonous.

Section IV - First Aid Procedures

EYE CONTACT: Immediately flush eyes with water for at least 15 minutes. Seek medical attention.

SKIN CONTACT: Wash with soap and water. If irritation develops, seek medical attention.

INHALATION: Remove from exposure, monitor breathing. If breathing stops administer mouth to mouth resuscitation and seek medical attention.

INGESTION: Induce vomiting using syrup of ipecac or the back of a spoon. Call hospital, emergency room, or poison control for further instructions.

CARCINOGENICITY: This item is not a listed carcinogen

Section V - Fire and Explosion Hazard Data

Flash Point (deg F): 105 F TCC

Flammable or Explosive Limits (approximate % by volume in air) LEL: 3.2 UEL: 15.3

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA: Dry chemical, carbon dioxide, or foam.

SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES:

Fire may not be visible to the naked eye. Use NIOSH/OSHA approved self-contained breathing apparatus and other protective gear. Water spray may be used to cool tank or containers.

UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS: Releases flammable vapors below normal ambient temperatures. When mixed with air and exposed to ignition source, can burn if open or explode if confined.

Section VI - Accidental Release Measures

STEPS TO BE TAKEN IN CASE MATERIAL IS RELEASED OR SPILLED: Confine liquid. Do not let liquid reach water ways or sewers. Remove free liquid and remove residue with inert materials.

Section VII - Handling and Storage

PRECAUTIONS TO BE TAKEN IN HANDLING AND STORAGE: Store in tightly closed/properly vented containers away from heat, sparks, open flame, and strong oxidizing agents.

OTHER PRECAUTIONS: Empty drums could contain flammable vapors.

Section VIII - Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION: If proper mechanical ventilation can not be achieved use appropriate NIOSH approved respirator protection.

VENTILATION: Use mechanical ventilation of adequate volume to remove the vapors.

PROTECTIVE GLOVES: Neoprene or other solvent resistant material.

EYE PROTECTION: Goggles or full face shield. An eye wash station near by is also a good idea.

OTHER PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT: Rubber apron, safety boots, sleeves if skin contact is possible.

WORK PRACTICES/ENGINEERING CONTROLS: Keep containers closed when not in use. Store smaller containers in approved cabinets

PERSONAL HYGIENE: Wash hands before eating or drinking. Wash contaminated clothing before rewearing.

Section IX- Physical/Chemical Characteristics

Boiling Point (deg F): 168 F Specific Gravity (H₂O=1): .949 Vapor Pressure (mm Hg): 97
Melting Point (deg F): n/a Vapor Density (Air=1):1.105 Solubility in Water: Total
Evaporation Rate (n-butyl Acetate=1):4.6

APPEARANCE AND ODOR: Blue with methanol smell.

Section X - Reactivity Data

STABILITY: Stable

CONDITIONS TO AVOID: Ignition sources, extreme temperatures.

INCOMPATIBILITY (MATERIALS TO AVOID): Strong oxidizers.

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION: None

Section XI - Toxicological Information

See Section IV

Section XII - Ecological Information

This product is undergoing testing to determine ecological effects.

Section XIII - Disposal Considerations

WASTE DISPOSAL METHOD: Dispose of in accordance with all applicable Local, State, and Federal regulations.

Section XIV - Transport Information

This product is not regulated by the Department of Transportation for ground transport inside of the United States.

Section XV-Regulatory Information

This product contains methanol which is listed as a SARA Title 3 chemical. This chemical requires reporting under Section 313 of the Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act.

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the CFR and the MSDS contains all the information required by the CFR.

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