# **CHEMSTAR**

#### SAFETY DATA SHEET

# **GREASE CUTTER POSITIVE**

# **SECTION 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION**

Product name : GREASE CUTTER POSITIVE

Other means of identification : Not applicable

Recommended use : Degreaser

Restrictions on use : Reserved for industrial and professional use.

Product dilution information : 0.195 % - 3.91 %

Company : Chemstar Corp.

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Greensboro, North Carolina USA 27409-9790

Emergency health

information

: 1-833-972-1097

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# **SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

# GHS classification in accordance with the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

**Product AS SOLD** 

Skin corrosion : Category 1A Serious eye damage : Category 1

**Product AT USE DILUTION** 

Eye irritation : Category 2B

# **GHS** label elements

**Product AS SOLD** 

Hazard pictograms



Signal Word : Danger

Hazard Statements : Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Precautionary Statements : **Prevention:** 

Wash skin thoroughly after handling. Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, eye protection and face protection.

Response:

IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower. IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/ doctor. IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/ doctor. Wash contaminated

clothing before reuse.

Storage: Store locked up.

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Disposal:

Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

**Product AT USE DILUTION** 

Signal Word : Warning

Hazard Statements : Causes eye irritation.

Precautionary Statements : Prevention:

Wash skin thoroughly after handling.

Response:

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye

irritation persists: Get medical advice/ attention.

**Product AS SOLD** 

Other hazards : None known.

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

**Product AS SOLD** 

Pure substance/mixture : Mixture

Chemical name	CAS-No.	Concentration (%)
amines, coco alkyldimethyl, n-oxides	61788-90-7	10 - 30
2-(2-butoxyethoxy)ethanol	112-34-5	5 - 10
Tetrasodium EDTA	64-02-8	3 - 7
Sodium hydroxide	1310-73-2	3 - 7
Secondary Alkanesulphonates	68439-57-6	1 - 5

# **Product AT USE DILUTION**

No hazardous ingredients

# **SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES**

**Product AS SOLD** 

In case of eye contact : Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at

least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do.

Continue rinsing. Get medical attention immediately.

In case of skin contact : Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes.

Wash clothing before reuse. Thoroughly clean shoes before reuse.

Get medical attention immediately.

If swallowed : Rinse mouth with water. Do NOT induce vomiting. Never give

anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical attention

immediately.

If inhaled : Remove to fresh air. Treat symptomatically. Get medical attention if

symptoms occur.

Protection of first-aiders : If potential for exposure exists refer to Section 8 for specific personal

protective equipment.

Notes to physician : Treat symptomatically.

Most important symptoms : See Section 11 for more detailed information on health effects and

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and effects, both acute and

delayed

symptoms.

**Product AT USE DILUTION** 

In case of eye contact

: Rinse with plenty of water.

In case of skin contact

: Rinse with plenty of water.

If swallowed

: Rinse mouth. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

If inhaled

: Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

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

**Product AS SOLD** 

Suitable extinguishing media

: Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local

circumstances and the surrounding environment.

Unsuitable extinguishing

media

: None known.

Specific hazards during fire

fighting

: Not flammable or combustible.

Hazardous combustion

products

: Decomposition products may include the following materials:

Carbon oxides

Nitrogen oxides (NOx)

Sulfur oxides

for fire-fighters

Special protective equipment : Use personal protective equipment.

Specific extinguishing

methods

: Fire residues and contaminated fire extinguishing water must be disposed of in accordance with local regulations. In the event of fire

and/or explosion do not breathe fumes.

# **SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

# **Product AS SOLD**

Personal precautions. protective equipment and emergency procedures

: Ensure adequate ventilation. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Avoid inhalation, ingestion and contact with skin and eyes. When workers are facing concentrations above the exposure limit they must use appropriate certified respirators. Ensure clean-up is conducted by trained personnel only. Refer to protective measures

listed in sections 7 and 8.

: Do not allow contact with soil, surface or ground water. Environmental precautions

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up : Stop leak if safe to do so. Contain spillage, and then collect with noncombustible absorbent material, (e.g. sand, earth, diatomaceous earth, vermiculite) and place in container for disposal according to local / national regulations (see section 13). Flush away traces with water. For large spills, dike spilled material or otherwise contain

material to ensure runoff does not reach a waterway.

**Product AT USE DILUTION** 

Personal precautions, protective equipment and : Refer to protective measures listed in sections 7 and 8.

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emergency procedures

**Environmental precautions** : Do not allow contact with soil, surface or ground water.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up : Stop leak if safe to do so. Contain spillage, and then collect with noncombustible absorbent material, (e.g. sand, earth, diatomaceous earth, vermiculite) and place in container for disposal according to local / national regulations (see section 13). Flush away traces with water. For large spills, dike spilled material or otherwise contain

material to ensure runoff does not reach a waterway.

# **SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

**Product AS SOLD** 

Advice on safe handling : Do not ingest. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Do not

> breathe dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapors/ spray. Use only with adequate ventilation. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. In case of mechanical malfunction, or if in contact with unknown dilution of

product, wear full Personal Protective Equipment (PPE).

Conditions for safe storage : Keep out of reach of children. Store in suitable labeled containers.

Storage temperature : 5 °C to 45 °C

**Product AT USE DILUTION** 

Advice on safe handling : Wash hands thoroughly after handling. In case of mechanical

malfunction, or if in contact with unknown dilution of product, wear full

Personal Protective Equipment (PPE).

: Keep out of reach of children. Store in suitable labeled containers. Conditions for safe storage

# SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

# **Product AS SOLD** Ingredients with workplace control parameters

Components	CAS-No.	Form of exposure	Permissible concentration	Basis
2-(2-butoxyethoxy)ethanol	112-34-5	TWA (Inhalable fraction and vapor)	10 ppm	ACGIH
sodium hydroxide	1310-73-2	Ceiling	2 mg/m3	ACGIH
		Ceiling	2 mg/m3	NIOSH REL
		TWA	2 mg/m3	OSHA Z1

Engineering measures : Effective exhaust ventilation system. Maintain air concentrations

below occupational exposure standards.

Personal protective equipment

Eye protection : Wear eye protection and/or face protection.

Hand protection : Wear the following personal protective equipment:

Standard glove type.

Gloves should be discarded and replaced if there is any indication of

degradation or chemical breakthrough.

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Skin protection : Personal protective equipment comprising: suitable protective gloves,

safety goggles and protective clothing

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

must use appropriate certified respirators.

Hygiene measures : Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety

practice. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before re-use. Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling. Provide suitable facilities for quick drenching or flushing of the eyes

and body in case of contact or splash hazard.

**Product AT USE DILUTION** 

Engineering measures : Good general ventilation should be sufficient to control worker

exposure to airborne contaminants.

Personal protective equipment

Eye protection : No special protective equipment required.

Hand protection : No special protective equipment required.

Skin protection : No special protective equipment required.

Respiratory protection : No personal respiratory protective equipment normally required.

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

Product AS SOLD Product AT USE DILUTION

liquid

colorless

Physical State : liquid

Color : clear, light yellow

Odor : characteristic characteristic

pH : 11.5 - 12.7, (1 %) 11.4 - 12.62

: No data available

Flash point : Not applicable, Does not sustain combustion.

Odor Threshold : No data available

Melting point/freezing point : No data available

Boiling point, initial boiling

point and boiling range

Upper explosion limit

: > 100 °C

Evaporation rate : No data available

Flammability : Not applicable

Lower explosion limit : No data available

Vapor pressure : No data available

Relative vapor density : No data available Relative density : 1.037 - 1.057

Density : No data available

Water solubility : soluble

Solubility in other solvents : No data available Partition coefficient: n- : No data available

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octanol/water (logarithmic

value)

Autoignition temperature : No data available : No data available Decomposition temperature : No data available Viscosity, kinematic Explosive properties : No data available

Oxidizing properties : The substance or mixture is not classified as oxidizing.

Molecular weight : No data available VOC : No data available Particle characteristics : No data available

# **SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

**Product AS SOLD** 

: No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use. Reactivity

Chemical stability : Stable under normal conditions.

Possibility of hazardous

reactions

: No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.

Conditions to avoid : None known.

Incompatible materials : Aluminum

Hazardous decomposition

products

: In the event of fire, see Section 5

# **SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

exposure

Information on likely routes of : Inhalation, Eye contact, Skin contact

#### **Potential Health Effects**

**Product AS SOLD** 

Eyes : Causes serious eye damage.

Skin : Causes severe skin burns.

Ingestion : Causes digestive tract burns.

Inhalation : May cause nose, throat, and lung irritation.

Chronic Exposure : Health injuries are not known or expected under normal use.

**Product AT USE DILUTION** 

Eyes : Causes eye irritation.

Skin : Health injuries are not known or expected under normal use.

Health injuries are not known or expected under normal use. Ingestion

Inhalation Health injuries are not known or expected under normal use.

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Chronic Exposure : Health injuries are not known or expected under normal use.

# **Experience with human exposure**

**Product AS SOLD** 

: Redness, Pain, Corrosion Eye contact

Skin contact : Redness, Pain, Corrosion

Ingestion : Corrosion, Abdominal pain

Inhalation : Respiratory irritation, Cough

**Product AT USE DILUTION** 

Eye contact : Redness, Irritation

Skin contact No symptoms known or expected.

Ingestion No symptoms known or expected.

Inhalation No symptoms known or expected.

#### **Toxicity**

**Product AS SOLD** 

**Product** 

Acute oral toxicity : Acute toxicity estimate : 3,574 mg/kg Acute inhalation toxicity

: 4 h Acute toxicity estimate : > 200 mg/l

Test atmosphere: vapor

Acute dermal toxicity : Acute toxicity estimate : > 5,000 mg/kg

Skin corrosion/irritation : No data available Serious eye damage/eye : No data available

irritation

Respiratory or skin

sensitization

: No data available

: No data available Carcinogenicity Reproductive effects : No data available Germ cell mutagenicity : No data available Teratogenicity : No data available STOT-single exposure : No data available STOT-repeated exposure : No data available Aspiration toxicity : No data available

# **SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**Ecotoxicity** 

**Product AS SOLD** 

: Toxic to aquatic life. Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects. **Environmental Effects** 

**Product AT USE DILUTION** 

**Environmental Effects** : Harmful to aquatic life.

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**Product AS SOLD** 

**Product** 

Toxicity to fish : No data available Toxicity to daphnia and other : No data available

aquatic invertebrates

Toxicity to algae : No data available

Components

Toxicity to fish : 2-(2-butoxyethoxy)ethanol

96 h LC50 Fish: 1,300 mg/l

Tetrasodium EDTA 96 h LC50 Fish: 121 mg/l

Secondary Alkanesulphonates

96 h LC50 Danio rerio (zebra fish): 4.2 mg/l

Components

Toxicity to daphnia and other : Tetrasodium EDTA

aquatic invertebrates

48 h EC50 Daphnia magna (Water flea): 140 mg/l

Sodium hydroxide

48 h EC50 Daphnia magna (Water flea): 40 mg/l

Secondary Alkanesulphonates

48 h EC50 Ceriodaphnia dubia (water flea): 4.53 mg/l

Components

Toxicity to algae : Tetrasodium EDTA

72 h EC50 Aquatic Plant: > 100 mg/l

Secondary Alkanesulphonates

72 h EC50 Skeletonema costatum (marine diatom): 5.2 mg/l

# Persistence and degradability

# **Product AT USE DILUTION**

No data available

# **Bioaccumulative potential**

No data available

# Mobility in soil

No data available

# Other adverse effects

No data available

#### **SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

# **Product AS SOLD**

Disposal methods : Do not contaminate ponds, waterways or ditches with chemical or

used container. Where possible recycling is preferred to disposal or incineration. If recycling is not practicable, dispose of in compliance with local regulations. Dispose of wastes in an approved waste

disposal facility.

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Disposal considerations : Dispose of as unused product. Empty containers should be taken to

an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal. Do not reuse empty containers. Dispose of in accordance with local, state, and

federal regulations.

**Product AT USE DILUTION** 

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used container. Where possible recycling is preferred to disposal or incineration. If recycling is not practicable, dispose of in compliance with local regulations. Dispose of wastes in an approved waste

disposal facility.

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an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal. Do not reuse empty containers. Dispose of in accordance with local, state, and

federal regulations.

#### **SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

#### **Product AS SOLD**

The shipper/consignor/sender is responsible to ensure that the packaging, labeling, and markings are in compliance with the selected mode of transport.

Land transport (DOT)

UN number : 1824

Description of the goods : Sodium hydroxide solution

Class : 8
Packing group : II
Environmentally hazardous : no

Sea transport (IMDG/IMO)

UN number : 1824

Proper shipping name : SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION

Class : 8
Packing group : II
Marine pollutant : no

# **SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

#### **Product AS SOLD**

#### TSCA - 5(a) Significant New Use Rule List of Chemicals

The following substance(s) is/are subject to a Significant New Use Rule:

5-Chloro-2-methyl-4-isothazolin-3-one

2-Methyl-4-isothazolin-3-one

# **EPCRA - Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know**

# **CERCLA Reportable Quantity**

Components	CAS-No.	Component RQ (lbs)	Calculated product RQ
			(lbs)
Sodium hydroxide	1310-73-2	1000	23493

# SARA 304 Extremely Hazardous Substances Reportable Quantity

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This material does not contain any components with a section 304 EHS RQ.

SARA 311/312 Hazards : Skin corrosion or irritation

Serious eye damage or eye irritation

SARA 302 : This material does not contain any components with a section 302

EHS TPQ.

SARA 313 : The following components are subject to reporting levels established

by SARA Title III, Section 313:

2-(2-butoxyethoxy)ethanol 112-34-5 5 - 10 %

#### California Prop. 65

This product does not contain any chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth, or any other reproductive defects.

#### California Cleaning Product Right to Know Act of 2017 (SB 258)

This regulation applies to this product.

Hazardous ingredients	CAS-No.	Function	List(s)
water	7732-18-5	Diluent	Not Applicable
amines, coco alkyldimethyl, noxides	61788-90-7	Cleaning Agent	Not Applicable
2-(2-butoxyethoxy)ethanol	112-34-5	Solvent	Not Applicable
Tetrasodium EDTA	64-02-8	Cleaning Agent	Not Applicable
Sodium hydroxide	1310-73-2	Cleaning Agent	20
Secondary Alkanesulphonates	68439-57-6	Cleaning Agent	Not Applicable

<sup>\*</sup>refer to ecolab.com/sds for electronic links to designated lists

#### The ingredients of this product are reported in the following inventories:

#### **United States TSCA Inventory:**

All substances listed as active on the TSCA inventory

# Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL):

All components of this product are on the Canadian DSL

#### Australia. Australian Industrial Chemicals Introduction Scheme (AICIS):

On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

# New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals (NZIoC) :

not determined

#### Japan. ENCS - Existing and New Chemical Substances Inventory:

On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

#### Korea. Korean Existing Chemicals Inventory (KECI):

On the Korea Existing Chemicals Inventory.

# Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances (PICCS):

On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

# China. Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China (IECSC):

On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

#### Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory (TCSI):

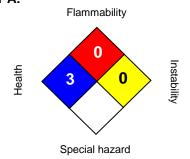
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# SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

# Product AS SOLD NFPA:



#### HMIS® IV:

HEALTH	/3
FLAMMABILITY	0
PHYSICAL HAZARD	0

HMIS® ratings are based on a 0-4 rating scale, with 0 representing minimal hazards or risks, and 4 representing significant hazards or risks. The "\*" represents a chronic hazard, while the "/" represents the absence of a chronic hazard.

# Product AT USE DILUTION NFPA: Flammability Instability Special hazard

#### HMIS® IV:

HEALTH	/1
FLAMMABILITY	0
PHYSICAL HAZARD	0

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