

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

Command Center 25 FULL IMPACT No Rinse Stripper Concentrate

1. CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name/Use: Command Center 25 FULL IMPACT No Rinse Stripper Concentrate

MANUFACTURER

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2. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

INGREDIENT(S)	CAS NO.	% BY WEIGHT	
Benzyl alcohol	100-51-6	40 - 60	
Ethanolamine	141-43-5	10 - 25	
Dipropylene glycol butoxy ether	29911-28-2	10 - 25	

See Section 8 for Exposure Limits NA - Not Applicable

3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

Clear, Red Liquid. Strong, Amine Odor. Causes Eye and Skin Burns. May Cause Respiratory Tract Irritation. Harmful if Swallowed. May Be Harmful if Absorbed Through Skin.

PRIMARY ROUTE(s) OF EXPOSURE: X Eye X Skin Contact X Skin Absorption X Inhalation X Ingestion

EFFECTS OF ACUTE EXPOSURE

EYES:

Causes eye burns. Symptoms may include pain, tearing, redness, and eye injury.

SKIN:

Causes skin burns. Symptoms may include pain, redness, swelling, scarring, and skin damage. May be harmful if absorbed through skin.

INHALATION:

High concentrations of vapor or mist may cause nose, throat and respiratory tract irritation. Symptoms may include coughing, wheezing and shortness of breath. High concentrations of vapor or mist may also cause central nervous system effects including headache, dizziness and nausea.

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INGESTION:

Harmful if swallowed. May cause mouth, throat and stomach burns. Symptoms may include nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, and severe stomach pain. May also cause central nervous system effects including headache, dizziness and weakness.

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EFFECTS OF CHRONIC EXPOSURE:

Prolonged inhalation of high concentrations of concentrated alkaline materials above exposure limits (See Section 2, Composition/Information on Ingredients) can cause respiratory tract injury.

MEDICAL CONDITIONS AGGRAVATED:

May aggravate pre-existing eye, skin and respiratory conditions.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

EYES:

Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water while holding eyelids apart. After initial flushing, remove any contact lenses and continue flushing for at least 15 minutes. Do not put any medication in the victim's eyes unless instructed by a physician. Get immediate medical attention.

SKIN:

Immediately flush with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, then wash with soap and water. Immediately remove contaminated clothing. Get medical attention if irritation develops or persists. Thoroughly wash (or discard) clothing before reuse. Destroy contaminated shoes.

INHALATION:

Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give respiration; if breathing is difficult, give oxygen (by trained personnel only). Get immediate medical attention.

INGESTION:

Do not induce vomiting. Rinse mouth out with water. Drink large quantities of water. Get immediate medical attention. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

FLASH POINT AND METHOD: >200°F 93°C TCC

FLAMMABLE LIMITS:

Not applicable.

AUTOIGNITION TEMPERATURE: Not applicable.

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:

Use extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding fire.

HAZARDOUS COMBUSTION PRODUCTS:

Normal products of combustion (carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide) and nitrogen oxides.

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FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS:

None known.

FIRE FIGHTING INSTRUCTIONS:

This product is not flammable. As in any fire, MSHA/NIOSH approved self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) and full protective gear should be worn.

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6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

See Section 8, Exposure Controls/Personal Protection and Section 3, Hazard Identification. Floors may be slippery. Use care to avoid falling. Ventilate spill area. Contain and isolate spill. Keep non-essential personnel from entering spill area. Use mop and absorbent to collect material for proper disposal. Use non-metallic implements for cleaning and collection. Rinse area with water.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

HANDLING:

Follow label use directions. Do not mix with other chemicals unless instructed by label directions. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Avoid breathing vapor or mist. Wash thoroughly after handling. Immediately remove contaminated clothing. Wash clothing and equipment before reuse. Destroy contaminated shoes. Empty containers retain residue and may be hazardous (See Section 14, Transport Information.).

STORAGE:

Keep container closed when not in use. Store away from incompatible materials. (See Section 10, Stability and Reactivity).

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT (PPE)

EYE:

Where eye contact is possible, wear chemical splash goggles (ANSI Z87.1-approved).

SKIN:

Where skin contact is possible, chemical-resistant gloves should be worn. When additional skin contact is possible, other protective equipment and clothing (e.g., footwear) may be needed. All contaminated clothing should be removed immediately and cleaned (or discarded) before reuse.

RESPIRATORY:

No respiratory protection is required if general room ventilation is adequate and airborne concentrations are kept below exposure limits. When exposure limits are exceeded, use appropriate respiratory protection (NIOSH/MSHA) to prevent overexposure.

ENGINEERING CONTROLS:

General room ventilation is expected to be adequate. If user operations generate vapor or mist, ventilation should be used to keep airborne concentrations below exposure limits.

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EXPOSURE LIMITS:

INGREDIENT(S) OSHA PEL/STEL ACGIH TLV/STEL

Benzyl alcohol NE NE

Ethanolamine 3 ppm (8 mg/m3)/ 3 ppm (7.5 mg/m3)/

6 ppm (15 mg/m3) 6 ppm (15 mg/m3)

Dipropylene glycol butoxy ether NE NE

NE - Not Established

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

PHYSICAL STATE: Liquid ODOR: Strong, Amine APPEARANCE: Clear, Red

pH: 11.0 to 12.0

PERCENT VOLATILE BY WEIGHT: 88 VAPOR PRESSURE: Not Determined VAPOR DENSITY: Not Determined BOILING POINT: Not Determined

FREEZING/MELTING POINT: Not Determined

SOLUBILITY IN WATER: Complete EVAPORATION RATE: Not Determined

SPECIFIC GRAVITY: 1.01 VISCOSITY: Water Thin

OCTANOL/WATER PARTITION COEFFICIENT: Not Determined

ODOR THRESHOLD: Not Determined

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

STABILITY (CONDITIONS TO AVOID):

Stable.

POLYMERIZATION:

Will not occur.

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION:

None.

INCOMPATIBLE MATERIALS:

Oxidizers (e.g., bleach), strong acids (e.g., hydrochloric acid) and reactive metals (e.g., aluminum).

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

ACUTE DATA:

This product is corrosive to the eyes and skin. The following data are available for product ingredients:

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PRODUCT/INGREDIENT	ORAL LD ₅₀ (rat)	DERMAL LD ₅₀ (rabbit)	INHALATION LC ₅₀ (rat)
Benzyl alcohol	1230 mg/kg	2000 mg/kg	1000 ppm (8-hr)
Ethanolamine	1720 mg/kg	1000 mg/kg	Not Available
Dipropylene glycol butoxy ether	3700-4400 mg/kg	>2000 mg/kg	Not Available

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SENSITIZATION DATA:

No data available.

CHRONIC DATA:

Prolonged overexposure to high concentrations of ethanolamine by inhalation and ingestion has caused liver and kidney effects in laboratory animals. Prolonged overexposure to benzyl alcohol by ingestion and inhalation has caused central nervous system effects in humans and laboratory animals.

REPRODUCTIVE/TERATOGENIC DATA:

No data available.

CARCINOGENIC/MUTAGENIC DATA:

Not listed as carcinogenic by NTP, IARC, or ACGIH or regulated as a carcinogen by OSHA.

SYNERGISTIC MATERIALS:

No data available.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

No data available.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal of this material should be in accordance with local, state or provincial and federal regulations. The unused product, as manufactured, may be a RCRA hazardous waste in accordance with 40 CFR 261. The product's pH should be verified prior to disposal. According to RCRA, it is the responsibility of the waste generator to ensure proper disposal.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT/TDG HAZARDOUS MATERIAL DESCRIPTION: Corrosive Liquid, N.O.S.

DOT/TDG TECHNICAL NAME: Ethanolamine, benzyl alcohol

DOT/TDG HAZARD CLASS: 8 UN ID No./PI.N. No.: 1760 DOT/TDG PACKING GROUP: II

NAERG: 154

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Not meant to be all-inclusive—selected regulations represented.

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UNITED STATES

SARA TITLE III (SUPERFUND AMENDMENTS AND REAUTHORIZATION ACT)

311/312 HAZARD CATEGORIES: Under 40 CFR 370.2, this product meets the following hazard categories: Immediate, Delayed.

313 REPORTABLE INGREDIENTS: Ingredients in this product are not currently subject to notification.

CERCLA (COMPREHENSIVE RESPONSE, COMPENSATION, AND LIABILITY ACT)

CERCLA REGULATORY: None of the ingredients in this product are reportable under CERCLA.

TSCA (TOXIC SUBSTANCE CONTROL ACT)

TSCA STATUS: This product complies with all TSCA inventory requirements.

MASSACHUSETTS, NEW JERSEY, PENNSYLVANIA RIGHT-TO-KNOW:

INGREDIENT(S)	CAS NO.	STATE LISTING
Benzyl alcohol	100-51-6	MA, PA
Ethanolamine	141-43-5	MA, NJ, PA
Dipropylene glycol butoxy ether	29911-28-2	Not Listed
Tall oil fatty acid, amine salt	NA	Not Listed

NA - Not Applicable

CANADA

WHMIS (WORKPLACE HAZARDOUS MATERIALS INFORMATION SYSTEM):

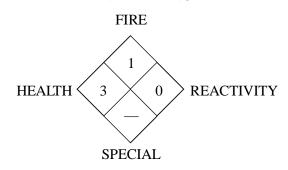
Class E- Corrosive material; Class D- Division 2B, chronic toxic effects. This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Canadian Controlled Products Regulations (CPR) and the MSDS contains all the information required by the CPR.

16. OTHER INFORMATION

HMIS RATING

HEALTH	*	3
FLAMMABILITY		1
REACTIVITY		0
PERSONAL PROTECTION		-

NFPA RATING



MSDS STATUS

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The information on this data sheet represents our current data and best opinion as to the proper use in handling of the product under normal foreseeable conditions. Any use of this product which is not in conformance with this data sheet or product label, or which involves using the product in combination with any other product or any other process is the responsibility of the user.

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