# W.E. GREER LTD.

#### MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

#### 1. Product and Company Identification

Product Name

CAS #

Mixture

Product Use

Manufacturer

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#### 2. Hazards Identification

Emergency Overview WARNING

COMBUSTIBLE LIQUID AND VAPOUR.

MAY CAUSE SKIN IRRITATION. MAY CAUSE EYE IRRITATION.

MAY CAUSE RESPIRATORY TRACT IRRITATION.

Potential short term health effects

Routes of exposure Eye, Skin contact, Skin absorption, Inhalation, Ingestion.

**Eyes** May cause irritation.

**Skin** May cause irritation. May be absorbed through the skin.

**NIOSH - Pocket Guide - Skin Notations** 

Ethylene glycol monobutyl ether 111-76-2 Potential for dermal absorption Inhalation May cause respiratory tract irritation.

Ingestion May cause stomach distress, nausea or vomiting.

Target organs Blood. Eyes. Kidney. Liver. Respiratory system. Skin.

Chronic effects Prolonged or repeated exposure can cause drying, defatting and dermatitis.

Signs and symptoms Symptoms may include redness, oedema, drying, defatting and cracking of the skin.

Symptoms of overexposure may be headache, dizziness, tiredness, nausea and

vomiting.

Potential environmental effects See section 12.

# 3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

Ingredient(s)	CAS#	Percent
Tetrasodium ethylenediamine tetraacetate	64-02-8	0.5 - 1.5
C6-C12 alkyl alcohol ethoxylate phosphoric acid	68921-24-4	0.5 - 1.5
Alcohols, C12-16, ethoxylated	68551-12-2	0.5 - 1.5
Tetrapotassium pyrophosphate	7320-34-5	1 - 5
Sodium carbonate	497-19-8	1 - 5
Isopropanol	67-63-0	3 - 7
Ethylene glycol monobutyl ether	111-76-2	3 - 7

#### 4. First Aid Measures

First aid procedures

**Eye contact** Flush with cool water. Remove contact lenses, if applicable, and continue flushing.

Obtain medical attention if irritation persists.

**Skin contact** Flush with cool water. Wash with soap and water. Obtain medical attention if irritation

persists.

Inhalation If symptoms develop move victim to fresh air. If symptoms persist, obtain medical

attention.

**Ingestion** Do not induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth if victim is unconscious, or is

convulsing. Obtain medical attention.

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Notes to physician General advice Symptoms may be delayed.

Keep away from sources of ignition. No smoking. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible). Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to protect themselves. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Avoid contact with eyes and skin. Keep out of reach of children.

# 5. Fire-fighting Measures

Flammable properties

Combustible by WHMIS criteria.

Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media Dry chemical. Alcohol foam. Carbon dioxide.

Unsuitable extinguishing media

Not available

Protection of firefighters

Specific hazards arising from

the chemical

Not available

Protective equipment for

firefighers

Firefighters should wear full protective clothing including self contained breathing

apparatus.

**Hazardous combustion products** 

May include and are not limited to: Oxides of carbon. Oxides of phosphorus.

**Explosion data** 

Sensitivity to mechanical impact Not available
Sensitivity to static discharge Not available

#### 6. Accidental Release Measures

Personal precautions Keep unnecessary personnel away. Do not touch or walk through spilled material. Do not

touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective

clothing. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak.

**Environmental precautions Methods for containment** 

Do not discharge into lakes, streams, ponds or public waters.

Stop leak if you can do so without risk. Prevent entry into waterways, sewers, basements

or confined areas.

**Methods for cleaning up**Remove sources of ignition. Before attempting clean up, refer to hazard data given

above. Small spills may be absorbed with non-reactive absorbent and placed in suitable, covered, labelled containers. Prevent large spills from entering sewers or waterways. Contact emergency services and supplier for advice. Never return spills in original

containers for re-use.

# 7. Handling and Storage

**Handling** Use good industrial hygiene practices in handling this material.

When using do not eat or drink. Avoid contact with skin and clothing.

Avoid contact with eyes.

Avoid breathing vapours or mists of this product.

Keep container tightly closed. Use only with adequate ventilation. Wash thoroughly after handling.

Storage Keep out of reach of children.

Do not store at temperatures above 120°F (49°C).

Store in a closed container away from incompatible materials.

Keep away from heat and flame.

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## 8. Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

Exposure limit values		
Ingredient(s)	Exposure limit values	
Alcohols, C12-16, ethoxylated	ACGIH-TLV	
	Not established	
C6-C12 alkyl alcohol ethoxylate phosphoric acid	ACGIH-TLV	
	Not established	
Ethylene glycol monobutyl ether	ACGIH-TLV	
	TWA: 20 ppm	
Isopropanol	ACGIH-TLV	
	TWA: 200 ppm	
	STEL: 400 ppm	
Sodium carbonate	ACGIH-TLV	
	Not established	
Tetrapotassium pyrophosphate	ACGIH-TLV	
	Not established	
Tetrasodium ethylenediamine tetraacetate	ACGIH-TLV	
	Not established	

General ventilation normally adequate. **Engineering controls** 

Personal protective equipment

**Eye/Face protection** Wear safety glasses with side shields.

Rubber gloves. Confirm with a reputable supplier first. **Hand protection** 

Skin and body protection As required by employer code.

Respiratory protection Avoid breathing mists or vapours. Where exposure guideline levels may be exceeded,

use an approved NIOSH respirator.

**General hygiene considerations** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

When using do not eat or drink.

Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

# 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Liquid **Appearance** Clear Colour Liquid **Form** 

Characteristic Odour **Odour threshold** Not available Physical state Liquid

рΗ 10.35 - 10.54 (100%)

Freezing point Not available **Boiling point** 92 °C (197.60 °F) Not available Pour point **Evaporation Rate** Not available Flash point 60 °C (140.00 °F) Auto-ignition temperature Not available Not available Flammability limits in air, lower, %

by volume

Flammability Limits in Air, Upper, %

by Volume

Not available

Not available Vapour pressure Not available Vapour density 1.03 - 1.05 Specific gravity

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### 10. Stability and Reactivity

**Reactivity** This product may react with strong oxidizing agents.

Possibility of hazardous reactions Hazardous polymerisation does not occur.

Chemical stability Stable under recommended storage conditions.

**Conditions to avoid** Avoid high temperatures. Do not mix with other chemicals.

**Incompatible materials** Strong oxidizing agents.

Hazardous decomposition products May include and are not limited to: Oxides of carbon. Oxides of phosphorus.

# 11. Toxicological Information

Component analysis - LC50	
Ingredient(s)	LC50
Alcohols, C12-16, ethoxylated	Not available
C6-C12 alkyl alcohol ethoxylate phosphoric acid	Not available
Ethylene glycol monobutyl ether	2.21 mg/l/4h rat
Isopropanol	16970 mg/l/4h rat
Sodium carbonate	400 mg/m3 guinea pig
Tetrapotassium pyrophosphate	Not available
Tetrasodium ethylenediamine tetraacetate	Not available
Component analysis - Oral LD50	
Ingredient(s)	LD50
Alcohols, C12-16, ethoxylated	1380 mg/kg rat
C6-C12 alkyl alcohol ethoxylate phosphoric acid	3950 mg/kg rat
Ethylene glycol monobutyl ether	470 mg/kg rat; 320 mg/kg rabbit
Isopropanol	4396 mg/kg rat
Sodium carbonate	4090 mg/kg rat
Tetrapotassium pyrophosphate	4000 mg/kg rat

2000 mg/kg rat

#### Effects of acute exposure

**Eye** May cause irritation.

**Skin** May cause irritation. May be absorbed through the skin.

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**Ingestion** May cause stomach distress, nausea or vomiting.

SensitisationNon-hazardous by WHMIS criteria.Chronic effectsNon-hazardous by WHMIS criteria.

Carcinogenicity See below.

ACGIH - Threshold Limit Values - Carcinogens

Ethylene glycol monobutyl ether 111-76-2 A3 - Confirmed animal carcinogen with unknown relevance to humans.

Isopropanol 67-63-0 A4 - Not Classifiable as a Human Carcinogen

IARC - Group 3 (Not Classifiable)

Ethylene glycol monobutyl ether 111-76-2 Monograph 88 [2006]

Isopropanol 67-63-0 Monograph 71 [1999]; Supplement 7 [1987]; Monograph 15 [1977]

MutagenicityNon-hazardous by WHMIS criteria.Reproductive effectsNon-hazardous by WHMIS criteria.TeratogenicityNon-hazardous by WHMIS criteria.

## 12. Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity Components of this product have been identified as having potential environmental

concerns.

**Ecotoxicity - Freshwater Algae - Acute Toxicity Data** 

Isopropanol 67-63-0 96 Hr EC50 Desmodesmus subspicatus: >1000 mg/L; 72 Hr EC50 Desmodesmus

subspicatus: >1000 mg/L

Sodium carbonate 497-19-8 120 Hr EC50 Nitzschia: 242 mg/L

497-19-8

Tetrasodium ethylenediamine 64-02-8 72 Hr EC50 Desmodesmus subspicatus: 1.01 mg/L

tetraacetate

Sodium carbonate

tetraacetate

**Ecotoxicity - Freshwater Fish - Acute Toxicity Data** 

Ethylene glycol monobutyl ether 111-76-2 96 Hr LC50 Lepomis macrochirus: 1490 mg/L [static]; 96 Hr LC50 Lepomis

macrochirus: 2950 mg/L

Isopropanol 67-63-0 96 Hr LC50 Pimephales promelas: 9640 mg/L [flow-through]; 96 Hr LC50 Pimephales

promelas: 11130 mg/L [static]; 96 Hr LC50 Lepomis macrochirus: >1400000 µg/L 96 Hr LC50 Lepomis macrochirus: 300 mg/L [static]; 96 Hr LC50 Pimephales

promelas: 310 - 1220 mg/L [static]

Tetrapotassium pyrophosphate 7320-34-5 96 Hr LC50 Oncorhynchus mykiss: >100 mg/L

Tetrasodium ethylenediamine 64-02-8 96 Hr LC50 Lepomis macrochirus: 41 mg/L [static]; 96 Hr LC50 Pimephales

promelas: 59.8 mg/L [static]

**Ecotoxicity - Water Flea - Acute Toxicity Data** 

Ethylene glycol monobutyl ether 111-76-2 24 Hr EC50 Daphnia magna: 1698 - 1940 mg/L; 48 Hr EC50 Daphnia magna: >1000

mg/L

Isopropanol 67-63-0 48 Hr EC50 Daphnia magna: 13299 mg/L Sodium carbonate 497-19-8 48 Hr EC50 Daphnia magna: 265 mg/L Tetrapotassium pyrophosphate 7320-34-5 48 Hr EC50 water flea: >100 mg/L Tetrasodium ethylenediamine 64-02-8 24 Hr EC50 Daphnia magna: 610 mg/L

tetraacetate

Persistence and degradability Not available Not available Bioaccumulation/accumulation Not available Mobility in environmental media **Environmental effects** Not available Not available Aquatic toxicity Partition coefficient Not available Chemical fate information Not available Other adverse effects Not available

## 13. Disposal Considerations

**Disposal instructions** Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.

Waste from residues / unused

products

Not available

Contaminated packaging Not available

# 14. Transport Information

#### Transportation of Dangerous Goods (TDG - Canada)

Basic shipping requirements:

Proper shipping name FLAMMABLE LIQUID, N.O.S. (ISOPROPANOL)

Hazard class 3

UN number UN1993 Packing group III

Additional information:

Special provisions 16

Packaging exceptions < 450L - Not regulated



## 15. Regulatory Information

#### Canadian federal regulations

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

#### Canada - CEPA - Schedule I - List of Toxic Substances

Ethylene glycol monobutyl ether 111-76-2 Present

Canada - WHMIS - Ingredient Disclosure List

Ethylene glycol monobutyl ether 111-76-2 1 % Isopropanol 67-63-0 1 % Sodium carbonate 497-19-8 1 %

WHMIS classification Class B - Division 3 - Combustible Liquid, Class D - Division 2B

WHMIS status Controlled

WHMIS labeling





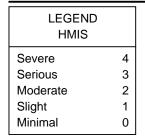
#### **Inventory Status**

Country(s) or region Inventory Name On Inventory (Yes/No)\*

CanadaDomestic Substances List (DSL)NoCanadaNon-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)Yes

A "Yes" indicates that all components of this product comply with the inventory requirements administered by the governing country(s)

#### 16. Other Information





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