

# **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

Product Name REFRESH-CITRUS

# 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE MATERIAL AND SUPPLIER

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Synonym(s) REFRESH CITRUS

Use(s) CLEANING AGENT • DISINFECTANT

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# 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

# NOT CLASSIFIED AS HAZARDOUS ACCORDING TO SAFE WORK AUSTRALIA CRITERIA

**RISK PHRASES** 

None allocated

SAFETY PHRASES

None allocated

### NOT CLASSIFIED AS A DANGEROUS GOOD BY THE CRITERIA OF THE ADG CODE

UN numberNone AllocatedDG classNone AllocatedPacking groupNone AllocatedSubsidiary risk(s)None Allocated

Hazchem code None Allocated

# 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Ingredient	Identification	Classification	Content
NON HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS	Not Available	Not Available	10 to 30%
BENZALKONIUM CHLORIDE	CAS: 8001-54-5 EC: 616-786-9	Not Available	<5%
WATER	CAS: 7732-18-5 EC: 231-791-2	Not Available	Remainder

# 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Eye If in eyes, hold eyelids apart and flush continuously with running water. Continue flushing until

advised to stop by a Poisons Information Centre, a doctor, or for at least 15 minutes.

**Inhalation** If inhaled, remove from contaminated area. Apply artificial respiration if not breathing.

Skin If skin or hair contact occurs, remove contaminated clothing and flush skin and hair with running

water. Continue flushing with water until advised to stop by a Poisons Information Centre or a doctor.

**Ingestion** For advice, contact a Poison Information Centre on 13 11 26 (Australia Wide) or a doctor (at once). If

swallowed, do not induce vomiting.

Advice to doctor Treat symptomatically.



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# 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Flammability Non flammable. May evolve toxic gases (carbon/ nitrogen oxides, ammonia, chlorides,

hydrocarbons) when heated to decomposition.

Fire and explosion Evacuate area and contact emergency services. Toxic gases may be evolved in a fire situation.

Remain upwind and notify those downwind of hazard. Wear full protective equipment including Self Contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA) when combating fire. Use waterfog to cool intact containers

and nearby storage areas.

**Extinguishing** Use an extinguishing agent suitable for the surrounding fire.

Hazchem code None Allocated

# 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions Wear Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) as detailed in Section 8 of this SDS.

**Environmental precautions** Prevent product from entering drains and waterways.

Methods of cleaning up Contain spillage, then cover/absorb spill with non-combustible absorbent material (vermiculite, sand,

or similar), collect and place in suitable containers for disposal.

**References** See Sections 8 and 13 for exposure controls and disposal.

# 7. STORAGE AND HANDLING

Storage Store in a cool, dry, well ventilated area, removed from incompatible substances, heat or ignition

sources and foodstuffs. Ensure containers are adequately labelled, protected from physical damage

and sealed when not in use. Check regularly for leaks or spills.

Handling Before use carefully read the product label. Use of safe work practices are recommended to avoid

eye or skin contact and inhalation. Observe good personal hygiene, including washing hands before

eating. Prohibit eating, drinking and smoking in contaminated areas.

# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

**Exposure standards** No exposure standard(s) allocated.

Biological limits No biological limit allocated.

**Engineering controls** Avoid inhalation. Use in well ventilated areas.

**PPE** 

**Eye / Face**Wear splash-proof goggles. **Hands**Wear PVC or rubber gloves.

**Body** When using large quantities or where heavy contamination is likely, wear coveralls.

**Respiratory** Not required under normal conditions of use.





# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

AppearanceYELLOW LIQUIDOdourCITRUS ODOURFlammabilityNON FLAMMABLEFlash pointNOT RELEVANT

Boiling point > 100°C

Melting pointNOT AVAILABLEEvaporation rateAS FOR WATERpH7.0 to 8.0Vapour densityNOT AVAILABLE



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Specific gravity 1.0
Solubility (water) SOLUBLE

Vapour pressure 18 mm Hg @ 20°C **Upper explosion limit** NOT RELEVANT Lower explosion limit NOT RELEVANT Partition coefficient NOT AVAILABLE Autoignition temperature NOT AVAILABLE **Decomposition temperature** NOT AVAILABLE Viscosity NOT AVAILABLE **Explosive properties** NOT AVAILABLE Oxidising properties NOT AVAILABLE **Odour threshold** NOT AVAILABLE % Volatiles > 60 % (Water)

# 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Chemical stability Stable under recommended conditions of storage.

Conditions to avoid Avoid heat, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources.

Material to avoid Incompatible with oxidising agents (eg. hypochlorites), anionic detergents (eg. soaps), heat and

ignition sources.

**Hazardous Decomposition** 

**Products** 

May evolve toxic gases (carbon/ nitrogen oxides, ammonia, chlorides, hydrocarbons) when heated to

decomposition.

**Hazardous Reactions** Polymerization is not expected to occur.

### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Health Hazard**Low toxicity - low irritant. Use safe work practices to avoid eye or skin contact and inhalation. Upon **Summary**dilution, the potential for adverse health effects may be reduced. Individuals with pre-existing

dilution, the potential for adverse health effects may be reduced. Individuals with pre-existing respiratory impairment (eg asthmatics) or skin sensitivities may be more susceptible to adverse

health effects.

Eye Low to moderate irritant. Contact may result in irritation, lacrimation, pain and redness.

**Inhalation** Low to moderate irritant. Over exposure to vapours may result in irritation of the nose and throat,

coughing, nausea and headache. Occupational exposure to quaternary ammonium compounds has

been reported to cause asthma, although rare.

**Skin** Low irritant. Prolonged or repeated contact may result in mild irritation, rash and dermatitis.

Ingestion Low toxicity. Ingestion of large quantities may result in nausea, vomiting and gastrointestinal

irritation.

Toxicity data BENZALKONIUM CHLORIDE (8001-54-5)

LD50 (ingestion) 240 mg/kg (rat)
LD50 (intraperitoneal) 14.5 mg/kg (rat)
LD50 (intravenous) 13.9 mg/kg (rat)
LD50 (subcutaneous) 64 mg/kg (mouse)

TDLo (ingestion) 266 mg/kg (woman; oesophogas changes, diarrhoea)

### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Toxicity** No information provided.

**Persistence and degradability** No information provided.

**Bioaccumulative potential** No information provided.

**Mobility in soil** No information provided.

Other adverse effects Benzalkonium chloride derivatives/quaternary ammonium compounds are commonly used as

disinfectants, indicating toxicity to microorganisms.

### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste disposal

For small amounts, absorb with sand, vermiculite or similar and dispose of to an approved landfill

site. For larger amounts, contact the manufacturer for additional information. Prevent contamination

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of drains or waterways as aquatic life may be threatened and environmental damage may result. Legislation

Dispose of in accordance with relevant local legislation.

# 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

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	LAND TRANSPORT (ADG)	SEA TRANSPORT (IMDG / IMO)	AIR TRANSPORT (IATA / ICAO)
UN number	None Allocated	None Allocated	None Allocated
Proper shipping name	None Allocated	None Allocated	None Allocated
DG class/ Division	None Allocated	None Allocated None Allocated	
Subsidiary risk(s)	None Allocated	None Allocated	None Allocated
Packing group	None Allocated	None Allocated None Allocated	
Hazchem code	None Allocated		

# 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Poison schedule

A poison schedule number has not been allocated to this product using the criteria in the Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP).

**Inventory Listing(s)** 

**AUSTRALIA: AICS (Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances)** 

All components are listed on AICS, or are exempt.

# 16. OTHER INFORMATION

#### Additional information

BENZALKONIUM CHLORIDE: Benzalkonium chloride can be a severe eve & skin irritant & corrosive. Contact with concentrated solutions can cause deep injury and ulceration (Wahlberg, 1985). A 0.1% concentration will cause mild discomfort to the eye. Ingestion may cause a burning pain in the mouth, throat and abdomen, salivation, low blood pressure, CNS depression, excitement, confusion and weakness, laboured breathing & cyanosis (blue skin due to lack of oxygen in blood) or circulatory shock. When used in low concentrations there is little local or systemic toxicity.

RESPIRATORS: In general the use of respirators should be limited and engineering controls employed to avoid exposure. If respiratory equipment must be worn ensure correct respirator selection and training is undertaken. Remember that some respirators may be extremely uncomfortable when used for long periods. The use of air powered or air supplied respirators should be considered where prolonged or repeated use is necessary.

### PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT GUIDELINES:

The recommendation for protective equipment contained within this report is provided as a guide only. Factors such as method of application, working environment, quantity used, product concentration and the availability of engineering controls should be considered before final selection of personal protective equipment is made.

# HEALTH EFFECTS FROM EXPOSURE:

It should be noted that the effects from exposure to this product will depend on several factors including: frequency and duration of use; quantity used; effectiveness of control measures; protective equipment used and method of application. Given that it is impractical to prepare a ChemAlert report which would encompass all possible scenarios, it is anticipated that users will assess the risks and apply control methods where appropriate.



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Abbreviations ACGIH American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

CAS # Chemical Abstract Service number - used to uniquely identify chemical compounds

CNS Central Nervous System

EC No. EC No - European Community Number

GHS Globally Harmonized System

IARC International Agency for Research on Cancer LD50 Lethal Dose, 50% / Median Lethal Dose

mg/m³ Milligrams per Cubic Metre
OEL Occupational Exposure Limit
PEL Permissible Exposure Limit

pH relates to hydrogen ion concentration using a scale of 0 (high acidic) to 14 (highly

alkaline).

ppm Parts Per Million

REACH Regulation on Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals

STEL Short-Term Exposure Limit

STOT-RE Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure)
STOT-SE Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)

SUSMP Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons

SWA Safe Work Australia
TLV Threshold Limit Value
TWA Time Weighted Average

#### **Revision history**

Revision	Description
1.0	Initial SDS Creation

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