# **Safety Data Sheet**



#### 1. Identification

GHS Product identifier: HG4

Company Name: HY.GIENE Australia Pty. Ltd.

Address: 9/8 Garden Road, CLAYTON, VIC 3168

**Telephone:** (03) 9729 3946

Recommended use: General purpose cleaner/degreaser

Other Names: 606

Emergency contact: 1800 616 930

## 2. Hazard Identification

#### Statement of Hazardous Nature

Hazardous according to the criteria of Safe Work Australia.

NOT a Dangerous Good according to ADG Code.

Signal Word DANGER

Skin Irritation Category 2
Serious eye damage Category 1



Hazard Statements H302 Harmful if swallowed

H315 Causes skin irritation
H318 Causes serious eye irritation

**Precautionary statements** 

**Prevention** P262: Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.

P264: Wash contacted areas thoroughly after handling.

P280: Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, eye or face protection.

P312: Call the POISON INFORMATION CENTRE On 131 126 or doctor if you feel unwell.

**Response** P302+ P352: IF ON SKIN (or hair): Wash skin with plenty of clean water.

P362+364: Remove contaminated clothing and wash before re-use.

P305+P351+P338: IF IN EYES: Rinse with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to

do. Continue rinsing.

**Storage** P403 + P235 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.

**Disposal** P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

This product becomes non-hazardous when diluted 30 fold, or 3.3% in water.

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# 3. Composition/information on ingredients

**Chemical Characterization** Aqueous blend of surfactants and alkalis.

**Hazardous ingredients** 

**Hazard symbol** Risk phrase Name CAS no. <u>Proportion</u> Sodium hydroxide R36/38 1310-73-2 LOW

**Butyl Glycol Ether** 111-76-2 LOW

KEY: Proportion, (wt %) - V HIGH >60, HIGH 30 - 60, MED 10 -29, LOW 1-9, V LOW <1

Non hazardous proprietary ingredients to 100%

## 4. First-aid measures

Ingestion: Rinse mouth with water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Consult a physician.

Skin: Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

**Eve contact** Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consulta physician.

Inhalation If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.

**First Aid Facilities** Maintain eyewash fountain and safety shower in workarea. **Advice to Doctor** Treat symptomatically. Consult Poisons Information Centre

For advice, contact the National Poisons Information Centre (Phone Australia 13 11 26 and New Zealand 0800 Other Information

764 766) or a doctor.

## 5. Fire-fighting measures

**Hazards from Combustion** 

**Products** 

No data available.

Suitable extinguishing

media

Use extinguishing media most appropriate for the surrounding fire such as water, foam or dry agent (carbon dioxide, dry chemical powder). If safe to do so, move undamaged containers from the fire area If a significant

quantity (>200L) of this product is involved in a fire, call the fire brigade

Specific hazards arising

from the chemical

There is no risk of an explosion from this product under normal circumstances if it is involved in a fire. This

product is likely to decompose only after heating to dryness, followed by further strong heating.

**Precautions in connection** 

with fire

Wear SCBA and chemical splash suit. Fully encapsulating, gas-tight suits should be worn for maximum

protection.

## 6. Accidental release measures

**Personal Precautions** Use personal protective equipment. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation.

Evacuate personnel to safe areas. For personal protection see section 8.

**Personal Protection** Clean-up Methods-

Wear protective clothing specified for normal operations (see Section 8)

**Small Spillages** Minor spills do not require special clean up measures or emergency procedures. Wear recommended personal

protective equipment outlined in Section 8 when containing any spillage.

**Large Spillages** Seek expert advice on handling and disposal.

Environmental Precautions Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains or waterways.

## 7. Handling and storage

Precautions for Safe Handling Product is safe to handle under normal conditions of use.

Risk Phrases R36/38 Irritating to eyes and skin.

Conditions for safe storage Store in cool place. Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Containers which are

opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage.

Incompatible products None known Incompatible materials None known

## 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

#### Occupational exposure limit values

<u>Name</u>	<u>STEL</u>		<u>TWA</u>			
	<u>mg/m3</u>	<u>ppm</u>	<u>mg/m3</u>	<u>ppm</u>	<u>Footnote</u>	
Sodium hydroxide	2		2		Peak limitation	
Butvl Glycol Ether	242		97			

The Peak Limitation is a ceiling concentration which should not be exceeded over a measurement period which should be as short as possible but not exceeding 15 minutes. The exposure value at the TWA is the average airborne concentration of a particular substance when calculated over a normal 8 hour working day for a 5 day

working week.

Appropriate engineering

**Controls** 

In industrial situations maintain the concentrations values below the TWA.

Personal Protective Equipment

**Eye Protection** 

Final choice of personal protective equipment will depend on individual circumstances and/or according

to risk assessments undertaken.

**Respiratory Protection** Where ventilation is not adequate, respiratory protection may be required. Avoid breathing vapours

or mists. Respiratory protection should comply with AS 1716 - Respiratory Protective Devices and be selected in accordance with AS 1715 - Selection, Use and Maintenance of Respiratory Protective Devices. Filter capacity and respirator type depends on exposure levels. In event of emergency or planned entry into unknown concentrations a positive pressure, full-face piece SCBA should be used The use of a face shield, chemical goggles or safety glasses with side shield protection as appropriate.

Must comply with Australian Standards AS 1337 and be selected and used in accordance with AS 1336.

**Hand Protection** Avoid skin contact when removing gloves from hands, do not touch the gloves outer surface.

Hand protection should comply with AS 2161, Occupational protective gloves - Selection, use and

maintenance.

Recommendation: Nitrile rubber gloves.

**Footwear** Safety boots in industrial situations is advisory, foot protection should comply with AS 2210,

Occupational protective footwear - Guide to selection, care and use.

**Body Protection** Clean clothing or protective clothing should be worn, preferably with and apron. Clothing for protection

against chemicals should comply with AS 3765 Clothing for Protection Against Hazardous Chemicals.

**Hygiene Measures** Do not eat, drink or smoke in work areas. Wash hands thoroughly after handling this material. Maintain

good housekeeping.

## 9. Physical and chemical properties

**Appearance** Thin, red-coloured liquid.

OdourCharacteristicMelting Point~0 °CBoiling Point~100 °CFlash pointNot applicableVapour PressureNot determined

**Solubility** Miscible in water in all proportions

Specific Gravity $1.02 \text{ g/cm}^3 @ 20 \text{ °C}$ pH11.5 - 12.5 as supplied

Viscosity Not determined

Percent volatile > 85 %

Flammability Non flammable

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## 10. Stability and reactivity

**Chemical Stability** Stable under normal conditions of use.

Conditions to Avoid No special conditions. Refer to storage conditions in Section 7.

**Incompatible Materials** 

**Hazardous Decomposition** 

products Not available.

Possibility of

hazardous reactions Not determined. **Hazardous Polymerization** Will not occur.

# 11. Toxicological Information

No known significant effects or hazards. Acute toxicity: No known significant effects or hazards.

STOT, Specific Target Organ Toxicity (repeated exposure):

Health effects from the likely routes of exposure:

Irritant to the throat and nose. Inhalation

Corrosive to the skin. Skin Corrosive to the eyes. Eve

Ingestion May result in irritation to the gastrointestinal tract. Harmful ifswallowed.

## 12. Ecological information

No data available. Harmful to aquatic organisms due to product's pH. **Ecotoxicity** 

Persistence and

degradability No data available. Major components are biodegradable.

## 13. Disposal considerations

**Disposal Considerations** Avoid release of product to the environment. Product and containers are suitable for landfill. Containers should

be emptied as completely as practical before disposal. Check with Waste Disposal Authority before disposal.

# 14. Transport information

U.N. Number None allocated UN proper shipping name None allocated

None allocated NOT classified as a Dangerous Good. **Transport hazard class** 

**Hazchem Code** None allocated **Packing Group** None allocated

## 15. Regulatory information

**Regulatory Information** Ingredients listed in the Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS).

**Poisons Schedule** None allocated

## 16. Other Information

Date of preparation or last revision of SDS - 1/08/2023 Reason for issue: Address change

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