



Mag cleaner

Safety Data Sheet

according to SANS 10234:2019 and SANS 11014:2010
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SECTION 1: Identification

1.1. Product identifier

Product form : Mixture
Trade name : Mag cleaner
Type of product : Mag wheel cleaner
Product code : SH1553
Product group : Trade product

1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Use of the substance/mixture :

1.3. Supplier's details

Manufacturer

Shield Chemicals (Pty) Ltd
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1501 Benoni – Gauteng
South Africa
T (011) 421 7111
Contact: Jayson Clark

1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : (011) 421 7111

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to the United Nations GHS

Skin corrosion/irritation, Category 1B H314
Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Category 1 H318
Hazardous to the aquatic environment – Chronic Hazard, Category 3 H412
Full text of H-statements: see section 16

2.2. Label elements

Labelling according to the United Nations GHS

Hazard pictograms (GHS ZA) :



Signal word (GHS-ZA) : Danger
Hazardous ingredients : Sodium metasilicate
Hazard statements (GHS ZA) : H314 - Causes severe skin burns and eye damage
H412 - Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects
Precautionary statements (GHS ZA) : P260 - Do not breathe dusts or mists.
P264 - Wash hands, forearms and face thoroughly after handling.
P273 - Avoid release to the environment.
P280 - Wear protective gloves, eye protection.
P301+P330+P331 - IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.
IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
P305+P354+P338 - IF IN EYES: Immediately rinse with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P316 - Get emergency medical help immediately.
P317 - Get medical help.

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P321 - Specific treatment (see supplemental first aid instruction on this label).
P363 - Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.
P405 - Store locked up.
P501 - Dispose of contents and container to a hazardous or special waste collection point.

2.3. Other hazards

Adverse physicochemical, human health and environmental effects : Causes severe skin burns and eye damage, Causes serious eye damage, Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1. Substances

Not applicable

3.2. Mixtures

Name	Product identifier	%	Classification according to the United Nations GHS
Sodium metasilicate	CAS-No.: 6834-92-0	5	Acute Tox. Not classified (Dermal) Skin Corr. 1B, H314 STOT SE 3, H335 STOT RE Not classified Aquatic Acute Not classified
nonylphenol, ethoxylated	CAS-No.: 9016-45-9	2.167	Acute Tox. 5 (Oral), H303 Skin Irrit. 2, H315 Eye Irrit. 2, H319 Aquatic Acute 3, H402 Aquatic Chronic 1, H410

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures general : Call a physician immediately.
First-aid measures after inhalation : Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
First-aid measures after skin contact : Rinse skin with water/shower. Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Call a physician immediately.
First-aid measures after eye contact : Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Call a physician immediately.
First-aid measures after ingestion : Rinse mouth. Do not induce vomiting. Call a physician immediately.

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms/effects : May cause an allergic skin reaction.
Symptoms/effects after inhalation : May cause drowsiness or dizziness.
Symptoms/effects after skin contact : May cause an allergic skin reaction. Burns.
Symptoms/effects after eye contact : May cause eye irritation. Serious damage to eyes.
Symptoms/effects after ingestion : Toxic if swallowed. May be harmful if swallowed. Burns.

4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media : Water spray. Dry powder. Foam. Carbon dioxide.

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5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Hazardous decomposition products in case of fire : Toxic fumes may be released.

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Protection during firefighting : Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. Self-contained breathing apparatus. Complete protective clothing.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

No additional information available

6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Emergency procedures : Ventilate spillage area. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.

6.1.2. For emergency responders

Protective equipment : Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. For further information refer to section 8: "Exposure controls/personal protection".

6.2. Environmental precautions

Avoid release to the environment.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up : Take up liquid spill into absorbent material.
Other information : Dispose of materials or solid residues at an authorized site.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling : Ensure good ventilation of the work station. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray. Wear personal protective equipment.
Hygiene measures : Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Always wash hands after handling the product.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage conditions : Store locked up. Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

No additional information available

8.2. Appropriate engineering controls

Appropriate engineering controls : Ensure good ventilation of the work station.
Environmental exposure controls : Avoid release to the environment.

8.3. Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment (PPE)

Hand protection : Protective gloves
Eye protection : Safety glasses
Skin and body protection : Wear suitable protective clothing
Respiratory protection : In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment

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Personal protective equipment symbol(s):



8.4. Exposure limit values for the other components

No additional information available

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	: Liquid
Appearance	: Liquid.
Colour	: Colourless.
Odour	: characteristic.
Odour threshold	: No data available
pH	: No data available
pH solution	: No data available
Relative evaporation rate (butylacetate=1)	: No data available
Relative evaporation rate (ether=1)	: No data available
Melting point	: Not applicable
Freezing point	: No data available
Boiling point	: No data available
Flash point	: No data available
Auto-ignition temperature	: No data available
Decomposition temperature	: No data available
Flammability	: Non flammable.
Vapour pressure	: No data available
Vapour pressure at 50°C	: No data available
Relative vapour density at 20°C	: No data available
Relative density	: No data available
Relative density of saturated gas/air mixture	: No data available
Density	: No data available
Relative gas density	: No data available
Solubility	: No data available
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	: No data available
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Kow)	: No data available
Viscosity, kinematic	: No data available
Viscosity, dynamic	: No data available
Explosive properties	: No data available
Oxidising properties	: No data available
Explosive limits	: No data available
Lower explosion limit	: No data available
Upper explosion limit	: No data available

9.2. Other information

No additional information available

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

The product is non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.

10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

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10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No dangerous reactions known under normal conditions of use.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

None under recommended storage and handling conditions (see section 7).

10.5. Incompatible materials

No additional information available

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity (oral) : Not classified
Acute toxicity (dermal) : Not classified
Acute toxicity (inhalation) : Not classified

Sodium metasilicate (6834-92-0)

LD50 dermal rat	> 5000 mg/kg bodyweight Animal: rat, Guideline: EPA OPPTS 870.1200 (Acute Dermal Toxicity)
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LC50 Inhalation - Rat	> 2.06 mg/l air Animal: rat, Guideline: EPA OPPTS 870.1300 (Acute inhalation toxicity)
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nonylphenol, ethoxylated (9016-45-9)

LD50 oral	4290 mg/kg bodyweight (Equivalent or similar to EU Method B.1, Mouse, Read-across, Oral)
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Skin corrosion/irritation : Causes severe skin burns.
Serious eye damage/irritation : Causes serious eye damage.
Respiratory or skin sensitisation : Not classified
Germ cell mutagenicity : Not classified
Carcinogenicity : Not classified
Reproductive toxicity : Not classified
STOT-single exposure : Not classified

Sodium metasilicate (6834-92-0)

STOT-single exposure	Not available
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STOT-repeated exposure : Not classified

Sodium metasilicate (6834-92-0)

NOAEL (oral, rat, 90 days)	227 – 237 mg/kg bodyweight Animal: rat, Guideline: OECD Guideline 408 (Repeated Dose 90-Day Oral Toxicity in Rodents)
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Aspiration hazard : Not classified

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Animal studies and expert judgment for classification	False
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nonylphenol, ethoxylated (9016-45-9)

Animal studies and expert judgment for classification	False
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SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

Ecology - general : Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

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Hazardous to the aquatic environment, short-term (acute) : Not classified

Hazardous to the aquatic environment, long-term (chronic) : Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Sodium metasilicate (6834-92-0)	
EC50 - Crustacea [1]	1700 mg/l Test organisms (species): Daphnia magna
EC50 72h - Algae [1]	207 mg/l Test organisms (species): Desmodesmus subspicatus (previous name: Scenedesmus subspicatus)

nonylphenol, ethoxylated (9016-45-9)	
ErC50 algae	50 mg/l (Equivalent or similar to EU Method C.3, 48 h, Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata, Static system, Experimental value, Nominal concentration)
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	3.7 (Experimental value, Equivalent or similar to OECD 117, 25 °C)

12.2. Persistence and degradability

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Persistence and degradability	No additional information available

nonylphenol, ethoxylated (9016-45-9)	
Persistence and degradability	Readily biodegradable in water.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

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Bioaccumulative potential	No additional information available

nonylphenol, ethoxylated (9016-45-9)	
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	3.7 (Experimental value, Equivalent or similar to OECD 117, 25 °C)
Bioaccumulative potential	Low potential for bioaccumulation (Log Kow < 4).

12.4. Mobility in soil

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Mobility in soil	No additional information available

nonylphenol, ethoxylated (9016-45-9)	
Surface tension	32.3 mN/m (20 °C, 1 g/l, OECD 115: Surface Tension of Aqueous Solutions)
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	3.7 (Experimental value, Equivalent or similar to OECD 117, 25 °C)
Ecology - soil	No (test)data on mobility of the substance available.

12.5. Other adverse effects

Ozone : Not classified
Other adverse effects : No additional information available

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Disposal methods

Waste treatment methods : Dispose of contents/container in accordance with licensed collector's sorting instructions.

SECTION 14: Transport information

In accordance with SANS / IMDG / IATA

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SANS	IMDG	IATA
14.1. UN number		
Not regulated for transport		
14.2. Proper Shipping Name		
Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
14.3. Transport hazard class(es)		
Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
14.4. Packing group		
Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
14.5. Environmental hazards		
Dangerous for the environment : No	Dangerous for the environment : No Marine pollutant : No	Dangerous for the environment : No
No supplementary information available		

14.6. Special precautions for user

SANS

No data available

IMDG

No data available

IATA

No data available

14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1. Safety, health, and environmental national regulations specific for the product

No additional information available

SECTION 16: Other information

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Full text of H-statements	
H227	Combustible liquid
H301	Toxic if swallowed
H303	May be harmful if swallowed
H311	Toxic in contact with skin
H313	May be harmful in contact with skin
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage
H315	Causes skin irritation
H318	Causes serious eye damage

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Full text of H-statements	
H319	Causes serious eye irritation
H335	May cause respiratory irritation
H400	Very toxic to aquatic life
H401	Toxic to aquatic life
H402	Harmful to aquatic life
H410	Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects
H412	Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects

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