



PPS INDUSTRIES LIMITED

## Material Safety Data Sheet

### • **1 Identification of substance:**

• **Product name:** SOFT SANITIZER

• **Stock number:** 537253

• **Manufacturer/Supplier:**

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• **Emergency contact detail:**

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National POSITION CENTER	New Zealand	0800 764-766
Chemcall 24/7 Emergency Response Service	New Zealand	0800 243-622

### • **2 Hazards identification**

Classified as hazardous according to the criteria in the Hazardous Substances (Minimum Degrees of Hazard) Regulations 2001.

Classified as a Dangerous Goods according to NZS 5433.

• **Hazard description:** Class 3.1, Ethanol solution, Packing Group II, UN 1170, Hazchem code 2YE.

• **HSNO Class:**

**Class 3 Flammable**

3.1B Flammable Liquids: high hazard.

**Class 6 Toxicity**

6.4A Irritating to the eye.

• **HSNO approved number: Flammable Group 2020**

HSR002495

GHS Classification:

Hazard Pictogram:



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Signal word: Danger

Hazard class:

Flammable liquid Category 2  
serious eye damage/eye irritation Category 2

Hazard statement(s):

H319 Causes serious eye irritation  
H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapour

Precautionary Statement(s) Prevention:

P210 keep away from heat, hot surface, sparks, open flames and other ignition  
Sources-no smoking  
P233 Keep container tightly closed.  
P240 Ground/bond container and receiving equipment  
P241 Use explosion- proof, electrical, ventilation, lighting equipment  
P242 Use only non-sparking tools.  
P243 Take precautionary measures against static discharge  
P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection  
P264 Wash the affected body parts thoroughly after handling  
P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

Precautionary Statement(S) Response:

P303+P361+P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all Contaminated Clothing. Rinse with water.  
P370+P378 In case of fire: Evacuate area.  
P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.  
P337+P313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

Precautionary Statement(S) Storage:

P403 Store in a well ventilated place  
P235 Keep cool

Precautionary Statement(S) Disposal:

P501 Dispose of contents/container to an appropriate treatment and



Disposal Facility in accordance with applicable laws and regulations.

• **3 Composition/Data on components:**

- Chemical characterization:

Description:	(CAS#)	Concentration	Hazardous
Ethanol	64-17-5	75%	Yes
Polyethylene Glycol	25322-68-3	10%	No
Water	7732-18-5	Balance	No

• **4 First aid measures**

**SWALLOWED**

- If swallowed do NOT induce vomiting.
- If vomiting occurs, lean patient forward or place on left side (head-down position, if possible) to maintain open airway and prevent aspiration.

**EYE**

If this product comes in contact with the eyes:

- Wash out immediately with fresh running water.
- Ensure complete irrigation of the eye by keeping eyelids apart and away from eye and moving the eyelids by occasionally lifting the upper and lower lids.

**SKIN**

If skin or hair contact occurs:

- Flush skin and hair with running water (and soap if available).
- Seek medical attention in event of irritation.

**INHALED**

If fumes or combustion products are inhaled remove from contaminated area.

- Lay patient down. Keep warm and rested.

**NOTES TO PHYSICIAN**

For acute or short term repeated exposures to ethanol:

- Acute ingestion in non-tolerant patients usually responds to supportive care with special attention to prevention of aspiration, replacement of fluid and correction of nutritional deficiencies (magnesium, thiamine pyridoxine, Vitamins C and K).
- Give 50% dextrose (50-100 ml) IV to obtunded patients following blood draw for glucose determination.

• **5 Firefighting measures**

**EXTINGUISHING MEDIA**

- Alcohol stable foam.
- Dry chemical powder.
- Alcohol stable foam.

**FIRE FIGHTING**

- Alert Fire Brigade and tell them location and nature of hazard.
- May be violently or explosively reactive.

When any large container (including road and rail tankers) is involved in a fire, consider evacuation by 500 meters in all directions.

**FIRE/EXPLOSION HAZARD**

- Liquid and vapor are highly flammable.
- Severe fire hazard when exposed to heat, flame and/or oxidizers.



Combustion products include: carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), other pyrolysis products typical of burning organic material.

**FIRE INCOMPATIBILITY**

- Avoid contamination with oxidizing agents i.e. nitrates, oxidizing acids, chlorine bleaches, pool chlorine etc. as ignition may result.

• **6 Accidental release measures**

**EMERGENCY PROCEDURES**

**MINOR SPILLS**

- Remove all ignition sources.
- Clean up all spills immediately.

**MAJOR SPILLS**

- Clear area of personnel and move upwind.
- Alert Fire Brigade and tell them location and nature of hazard.

Personal Protective Equipment advice is contained in Section 8.

• **7 Handling and storage**

**PROCEDURE FOR HANDLING**

- Containers, even those that have been emptied, may contain explosive vapors.
- DO NOT allow clothing wet with material to stay in contact with skin.
- Avoid all personal contact, including inhalation.
- Wear protective clothing when risk of exposure occurs.

**SUITABLE CONTAINER**

- Packing as supplied by manufacturer.
- Plastic containers may only be used if approved for flammable liquid.
- For materials with a viscosity of at least 23 deg. C.

**STORAGE INCOMPATIBILITY**

- Avoid strong bases.
  - Incompatible with aluminum. DO NOT heat above 49 deg. C. in aluminum equipment.
  - Avoid oxidizing agents, acids, acid chlorides, acid anhydrides, chloro formats.
- DO NOT store in aluminum containers.

**STORAGE REQUIREMENTS**

- Store in original containers in approved flame-proof area.
- No smoking, naked lights, heat or ignition sources.

• **8 Exposure controls and personal protection**

**EXPOSURE CONTROLS**

Source	Material	TWA ppm	TWA mg/m <sup>3</sup>
New Zealand Workplace Exposure Standards (WES)	alcohol, denatured (Ethyl alcohol)	1, 000	1, 880

**RESPIRATOR**

Type A Filter of sufficient capacity

**EYE**

- Safety glasses with side shields.
- Chemical goggles.



**HANDS/FEET**

Suitability and durability of glove type is dependent on usage. Factors such as:

- frequency and duration of contact,
- Chemical resistance of glove material, .
- Wear chemical protective gloves, e.g. PVC.
- Wear safety footwear or safety gumboots, e.g. Rubber.

**OTHER**

- Overalls.
- PVC Apron.
- Some plastic personal protective equipment (PPE) (e.g. gloves, aprons, overshoes) are not recommended as they may produce static electricity.

**ENGINEERING CONTROLS**

» For flammable liquids and flammable gases, local exhaust ventilation or a process enclosure ventilation system may be required. Ventilation equipment should be explosion-resistant. In conditions where worker exposure potential is high, wear air-supplied breathing apparatus.

• **9 Physical and chemical properties:**

**APPEARANCE**

Dark blue, highly flammable liquid with a characteristic odor and burning taste; mixes with water, methyl alcohol, ether, chloroform and acetone.

**PHYSICAL PROPERTIES**

Liquid.

Mixes with water.

Molecular Weight: Not applicable.

Boiling Range (°C): 78.3

Melting Range (°C): - 117.3

Specific Gravity (water=1): 0.82

Solubility in water (g/L): Miscible

pH (as supplied): Not available

PH (1% solution): Not available.

Vapor Pressure (kPa): 5.81 @ 20 C

Volatile Component (%vol): 100

Evaporation Rate: 2.53 BuAc=1

Relative Vapor Density (air=1): 1.59

Flash Point (°C): 16 (CC)

Lower Explosive Limit (%): 3.3

Upper Explosive Limit (%): 19.0

Auto ignition Temp (°C): 392

Decomposition Temp (°C): Not Available

State: Liquid Viscosity: Not Available

• **10 Stability and reactivity**

**CONDITIONS CONTRIBUTING TO INSTABILITY**

- Presence of incompatible materials.
- Product is considered stable.

*For incompatible materials - refer to Section 7 - Handling and Storage.*

• **11 Toxicological information**

**POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS**

**ACUTE HEALTH EFFECTS**

Vapors may cause dizziness or suffocation.





(ETHYL ALCOHOL SOLUTION)

• **15 Regulations**

**REGULATIONS**

Alcohol, denatured (CAS: 64-17-5) is found on the following regulatory lists;

GESAMP/EHS Composite List of Hazard Profiles - Hazard evaluation of substances transported by ships

IMO IBC Code Chapter 18: List of products to which the Code does not apply

IMO MARPOL 73/78 (Annex II) - List of Other Liquid Substances

IMO Provisional Categorization of Liquid Substances - List 1: Pure or technically pure products

IMO Provisional Categorization of Liquid Substances - List 2: Pollutant only mixtures containing at least 99% by weight of components already assessed by

IMO

International Air Transport Association (IATA) Dangerous Goods Regulations

International Council of Chemical Associations (ICCA) - High Production Volume List

New Zealand Hazardous Substances and New Organisms (HSNO) Act - Chemicals (single components)

New Zealand Hazardous Substances and New Organisms (HSNO) Act - Dangerous Goods

New Zealand Hazardous Substances and New Organisms (HSNO) Act - Hazardous Substances Register

New Zealand Hazardous Substances and New Organisms (HSNO) Act - Veterinary Medicines

New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals (NZIoC)

New Zealand Workplace Exposure Standards (WES)

OECD Representative List of High Production Volume (HPV) Chemicals

Specific advice on controls required for materials used in New Zealand can be found at

<http://www.ermanz.govt.nz/search/registers.html>

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Certified Handler : Not Applicable

Tracking : Not Applicable

• **16 Other information:**

Employers should use this information only as a supplement to other information gathered by them, and should make independent judgement of suitability of this information to ensure proper use and protect the health and safety of employees. This information is furnished without warranty, and any use of the product not in conformance with this Material Safety Data Sheet, or in combination with any other product or



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process, is the responsibility of the user.

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