# **Section 1: Product & Company Identification**

Product Name: Di-Electric Grease (aerosol)

Product Number (s): 03082, 73082

**Product Use:** lubricating and insulating electrical components

**Manufacturer / Supplier Contact Information:** 

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### Section 2: Hazards Identification

### **Emergency Overview**

52-444-824-1666

**DANGER:** Extremely Flammable. Harmful or Fatal if Swallowed. Contents Under Pressure.

Appearance & Odor: Translucent to opaque gel paste, solvent odor

#### **Potential Health Effects:**

**ACUTE EFFECTS:** 

EYE: May cause mild irritation including stinging and redness, but does not injure eye.

SKIN: Contact may cause redness, itching, burning and skin damage. Prolonged or repeated contact can

worsen irritation by causing drying and cracking of the skin, leading to dermatitis (inflammation).

INHALATION: High vapor concentrations are irritating to the respiratory tract and may cause headaches, dizziness,

anesthesia, drowsiness, unconsciousness and other central nervous system effects, including death.

May cause peripheral nervous system disorder and/or damage.

INGESTION: Low order of toxicity by ingestion. Main hazard is aspiration into the lungs during swallowing or

vomiting. Small amounts aspirated into the respiratory system may cause bronchopneumonia or

pulmonary adema, possibly progressing to death.

CHRONIC EFFECTS: Overexposure to n-hexane may cause progressive and potentially irreversible damage to the

peripheral nervous system, particularly in the arms and legs.

TARGET ORGANS: central nervous system, peripheral nervous system, respiratory system

Medical Conditions Aggravated by Exposure: skin and respiratory conditions

See Section 11 for toxicology and carcinogenicity information on product ingredients.

## **Section 3: Composition/Information on Ingredients**

COMPONENT	CAS NUMBER	% by Wt.	
Hexane isomers	64742-49-0	25 - 35	
Heptane isomers	142-82-5	25 - 35	
n-Hexane	110-54-3	2.2	
Silicone fluid	63148-62-9 / 68611-44-9 / 70131-67-8	5 - 15	
Liquefied petroleum gas	68476-86-8	25 - 35	

### **Section 4: First Aid Measures**

Eye Contact: Immediately flush with plenty of water for 15 minutes. Call a physician if irritation persists.

Skin Contact: Remove contaminated clothing and wash affected area with soap and water. Call a physician if

irritation persists. Wash contaminated clothing prior to re-use.

Inhalation: Remove person to fresh air. Keep person calm. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If

breathing is difficult give oxygen. Call a physician.

Ingestion: Do NOT induce vomiting. Contact a physician immediately.

Note to Physicians: Treat symptomatically. Gastric lavage using a cuffed endotracheal tube may be performed at your

discretion.

## **Section 5: Fire-Fighting Measures**

Flammable Properties: This product is extremely flammable in accordance with aerosol flammability definitions.

(See 16 CFR 1500.3(c)(6)).

Flash Point: < 20°F / -7°C (TCC) Upper Explosive Limit: ND Autoignition Temperature: 489°F / 254°C Lower Explosive Limit: ND

Fire and Explosion Data:

Suitable Extinguishing Media: Class B fire extinguishers, dry chemical, foam or CO<sub>2</sub>

Products of Combustion: Fumes, smoke, oxides of carbon, and hydrocarbons

Explosion Hazards: Aerosol containers, when exposed to heat from fire, may build pressure and explode. Vapors

may accumulate in a confined space and create a flammable atmosphere.

Protection of Fire-Fighters: Firefighters should wear self-contained, NIOSH-approved breathing apparatus for

protection against suffocation and possible toxic decomposition products. Proper eye and skin protection should be provided. Use water spray to keep fire-exposed containers cool and to knock down vapors which may result from product decomposition. Do not spray water directly on fire; product will float and could be reignited on surface of water.

### Section 6: Accidental Release Measures

Personal Precautions: Use personal protection recommended in Section 8.

Environmental Precautions: Take precautions to prevent contamination of ground and surface waters. Do not flush into

sewers or storm drains.

Methods for Containment & Clean-up: Dike area to contain spill. Remove all sources of ignition. Ventilate the area with

fresh air. If in confined space or limited air circulation area, clean-up workers should wear appropriate respiratory protection. Recover or absorb spilled material using an absorbent designed for chemical spills. Place used absorbents

into proper waste containers.

### **Section 7: Handling and Storage**

Handling Procedures: Use proper grounding and bonding procedures for transferring materials. Do not use product

near any source of ignition. Avoid contact with eyes and skin. Avoid breathing vapors. Use caution around energized equipment. The metal container will conduct electricity if it contacts a live source. This may result in injury to the user from electrical shock and/or flash fire. For

product use instructions, please see the product label.

Storage Procedures: Store in a cool dry area out of direct sunlight. Aerosol cans must be maintained below 120°F /

49°C to prevent cans from rupturing.

Aerosol Storage Level: III

# **Section 8: Exposure Controls/Personal Protection**

### **Exposure Guidelines:**

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COMPONENT	TWA	STEL	TWA	STEL	TWA	SOURCE	UNIT
Hexane isomers	500(v)	1000(v)	500	1000	NE		ppm
Heptane isomers	500	NE	400	500	NE		ppm
n-Hexane	500	NE	50(s)	NE	NE		ppm
Silicone fluid	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE		
Liquefied petroleum gas	1000	NE	1000	NE	NE		ppm
N.E. – Not Established (c) – ceiling (s) – skin (v) – vacated							

### **Controls and Protection:**

Engineering Controls: Area should have ventilation to provide fresh air. Local exhaust ventilation is generally

preferred because it can control the emissions of the contaminant at the source, preventing dispersion into the general work area. Use mechanical means if necessary to maintain vapor levels below the exposure guidelines. If working in a confined space, follow applicable OSHA

regulations.

Respiratory Protection: None required for normal work where adequate ventilation is provided. If engineering controls

are not feasible or if exposure exceeds the applicable exposure limits, use a NIOSH-approved cartridge respirator with organic vapor cartridge. Air monitoring is needed to determine actual employee exposure levels. Use a self-contained breathing apparatus in confined spaces and

for emergencies.

Eye/face Protection: For normal conditions, wear safety glasses. Where there is reasonable probability of liquid

contact, wear splash-proof goggles.

Skin Protection: Use protective gloves such as nitrile, PVA or Viton. Also, use full protective clothing if there is

prolonged or repeated contact of liquid with skin.

# **Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties**

Physical State: gel / paste Color: translucent to opaque

Odor: solvent

Odor Threshold: ND Specific Gravity: 0.646

Initial Boiling Point: 140°F / 60°C

Freezing Point: ND Vapor Pressure: ND

Vapor Density: > 1 (air = 1)

Evaporation Rate: fast

Solubility: negligible in water

Coefficient of water/oil distribution: ND

pH: NA

Volatile Organic Compounds: wt %: 90.15 g/L: 582 <u>lbs./gal:</u> 4.85

## **Section 10: Stability and Reactivity**

Stability: Stable

Conditions to Avoid: Sources of ignition, temperature extremes

Incompatible Materials: Strong oxidizers, strong acids

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Oxides of carbon

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions: No

# **Section 11: Toxicological Information**

Long-term toxicological studies have not been conducted for this product. The following information is available for components of this product.

### **Acute Toxicity:**

<u>Component</u>	Oral LD50 (rat)	Dermal LD50 (rabbit)	Inhalation LC50 (rat)
Hexane isomers	No data	No data	No data
Heptane isomers	No data	No data	103 g/m <sup>3</sup> /4H
n-Hexane	28,710 mg/kg	3000 mg/kg	48,000 ppm/4H
Silicone fluid	No data	No data	No data
Liquefied petroleum gas	No data	No data	No data

### **Chronic Toxicity:**

	OSHA	IARC	NTP		
<u>Component</u>	Carcinogen	Carcinogen	Carcinogen	<u>Irritant</u>	<u>Sensitizer</u>
Hexane isomers	No	No	No	E & S (mild)	Unknown
Heptane isomers	No	No	No	E (mild) /	Unknown
				S (moderate) /	
				R (mild)	
n-Hexane	No	No	No	E, S & R (moderate)	Unknown
Silicone fluid	No	No	No	No	Unknown
Liquefied petroleum gas	No	No	No	No	No

E – Eye	S – Skin	R - Respiratory
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Reproductive Toxicity:
Teratogenicity:
Mutagenicity:
Synergistic Effects:
No information available
No information available
No information available

## **Section 12: Ecological Information**

Ecological studies have not been conducted for this product. The following information is available for components of this product.

Ecotoxicity: n-hexane - 48 Hr EC50 water flea: 3.87 mg/L

96 Hr LC50 Lepomis macrochirus: 4.12 mg/L

n-heptane - 24 Hr EC50 Daphnia magna: >10 mg/L

Persistence / Degradability: No information available Bioaccumulation / Accumulation: No information available No information available

# **Section 13: Disposal Considerations**

<u>Waste Classification</u>: The dispensed liquid product is a RCRA hazardous waste for the characteristic of ignitability with

a waste code of D001. (See 40 CFR Part 261.20 – 261.33)

Empty aerosol containers may be recycled. Any liquid product should be managed as a

hazardous waste.

All disposal activities must comply with federal, state, provincial and local regulations. Local regulations may be more stringent than state, provincial or national requirements.

## **Section 14: Transport Information**

US DOT (ground): Consumer Commodity, ORM-D

ICAO/IATA (air): Consumer Commodity, ID8000, 9

IMO/IMDG (water): Aerosols, UN1950, 2.1, Limited Quantity

Special Provisions: None

## **Section 15: Regulatory Information**

### **U.S. Federal Regulations:**

#### Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA):

All ingredients are either listed on the TSCA inventory or are exempt.

### Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA):

Reportable Quantities (RQ's) exist for the following ingredients: n-hexane (5000 lbs)

Spills or releases resulting in the loss of any ingredient at or above its RQ require immediate notification to the National Response Center (800-424-8802) and to your Local Emergency Planning Committee.

### Superfund Amendments Reauthorization Act (SARA) Title III:

Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances (EHS): None

Section 311/312 Hazard Categories: Fire Hazard Yes

Reactive Hazard No Release of Pressure Yes Acute Health Hazard Yes Chronic Health Hazard Yes

Section 313 Toxic Chemicals: This product contains the following substances subject to the reporting requirements

of Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of

1986 and 40 CFR Part 372:

n-hexane (2.2%)

#### Clean Air Act:

Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs): n-hexane

### Occupational Safety and Health Administration:

This product is regulated by the Hazard Communications Standard.

### **U.S. State Regulations:**

### California Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act (Prop 65):

This product may contain the following chemicals known to the state of

California to cause cancer, birth defects or other reproductive harm:

Consumer Products VOC Regulations: This product is not regulated

#### State Right to Know:

New Jersey: 75-83-2, 109-66-0, 78-78-4, 94-37-7, 110-54-3, 79-29-8, 68476-86-8, 142-82-5, 110-82-7

Pennsylvania: 107-83-5, 75-83-2, 110-54-3, 79-29-8, 68476-86-8, 142-82-5, 110-82-7 Massachusetts: 107-83-5, 75-83-2, 110-54-3, 79-29-8, 68476-86-8, 142-82-5, 110-82-7

Rhode Island: 110-54-3, 68476-86-8, 142-82-5, 110-82-7

### **Canadian Regulations:**

#### Controlled Products Regulations:

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

WHMIS Hazard Class: A, B5, D2B

<u>Canadian DSL Inventory</u>: All ingredients are either listed on the DSL Inventory or are exempt.

#### **European Union Regulations:**

RoHS Compliance: This product is compliant with Directive 2002/95/EC of the European Parliament and of the

Council of 27 January 2003. This product does not contain any of the restricted substances as

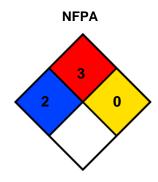
listed in Article 4(1) of the RoHS Directive.

#### Additional Regulatory Information: None

### **Section 16: Other Information**

HMIS® (II)		
Health:	2	
Flammability:	3	
Reactivity:	0	
PPE:	В	

Ratings range from 0 (no hazard) to 4 (severe hazard)



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ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

CAS: Chemical Abstract Service
CFR: Code of Federal Regulations
DOT: Department of Transportation
DSL: Domestic Substance List
g/L: grams per Liter

HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System
IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer
IATA: International Air Transport Association
ICAO: International Civil Aviation Organization

IMDG: International Maritime Dangerous Goods

IMO: International Maritime Organization

lbs./gal: pounds per gallon LC: Lethal Concentration

LD: Lethal Dose

NA: Not Applicable ND: Not Determined

NIOSH: National Institute of Occupational Safety & Health

NFPA: National Fire Protection Association NTP: National Toxicology Program

OSHA: Occupational Safety and Health Administration

PMCC: Pensky-Martens Closed Cup PPE: Personal Protection Equipment

ppm: Parts per Million

RoHS: Restriction of Hazardous Substances

STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit

TCC: Tag Closed Cup TWA: Time Weighted Average

WHMIS: Workplace Hazardous Materials Information

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