



# **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

# 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE MATERIAL AND SUPPLIER

# 1.1 Product identifier

Product name HERO Synonyms CHALLENGE HERO

# 1.2 Uses and uses advised against

Uses BATHROOM CLEANER • CLEANING AGENT

# 1.3 Details of the supplier of the product

| Supplier name | CHALLENGE CHEMICALS AUST.                        |
|---------------|--|
| Address       | 6 Butcher St, Kwinana Beach, WA, 6167, AUSTRALIA |
| Telephone     | (08) 9419 5577                                   |
| Email         | sales@challengechemicals.com.au                  |
| Website       | http://www.challengechemicals.com.au             |

# 1.4 Emergency telephone numbers

Emergency

# 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

# 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

0414 586 164

NOT CLASSIFIED AS HAZARDOUS ACCORDING TO SAFE WORK AUSTRALIA CRITERIA

## 2.2 GHS Label elements

No signal word, pictograms, hazard or precautionary statements have been allocated.

## 2.3 Other hazards

No information provided.

# 3. COMPOSITION/ INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

# 3.1 Substances / Mixtures

| Ingredient       | CAS Number | EC Number | Content       |
|------------------|------------|-----------|---------------|
| ALKALINE SALT(S) | -          | -         | 1 to 10%      |
| ADDITIVE(S)      | -          | -         | Not Available |
| SURFACTANT(S)    | -          | -         | Not Available |
| WATER            | 7732-18-5  | 231-791-2 | Remainder     |

# 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

# 4.1 Description of first aid measures

| Еуе        | 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.<br>Continue flushing with water until advised to stop by a Poisons Information Centre or a doctor. |
| Ingestion  | For advice, contact a Poisons Information Centre on 13 11 26 (Australia Wide) or a doctor (at once). If swallowed, do not induce vomiting.  |

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First aid facilities None allocated.

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

See Section 11 for more detailed information on health effects and symptoms.

### 4.3 Immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treat symptomatically.

# 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

## 5.1 Extinguishing media

Use an extinguishing agent suitable for the surrounding fire.

#### 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

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

### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

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.

### 5.4 Hazchem code

None allocated.

# 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

### 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Wear Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) as detailed in section 8 of the SDS.

### 6.2 Environmental precautions

Prevent product from entering drains and waterways.

#### 6.3 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.

#### 6.4 Reference to other sections

See Sections 8 and 13 for exposure controls and disposal.

# 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

### 7.1 Precautions for safe 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.

### 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

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.

### 7.3 Specific end uses

No information provided.

# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

### 8.1 Control parameters

### Exposure standards

No exposure standards have been entered for this product.

### **Biological limits**

No biological limit values have been entered for this product.

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#### 8.2 Exposure controls

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

## 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

| Appearance                | FLUORESCENT ORANGE LIQUID |
|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| Odour                     | EUCALYPTUS ODOUR          |
| Flammability              | NON FLAMMABLE             |
| Flash point               | NOT RELEVANT              |
| Boiling point             | NOT AVAILABLE             |
| Melting point             | NOT AVAILABLE             |
| Evaporation rate          | NOT AVAILABLE             |
| рН                        | 11.5 to 12.5              |
| Vapour density            | NOT AVAILABLE             |
| Relative density          | 1.02                      |
| Solubility (water)        | SOLUBLE                   |
| Vapour pressure           | NOT AVAILABLE             |
| 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             |
| 9.2 Other information     |                           |
| % Volatiles               | 93 %                      |
|                           |                           |

# **10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

## 10.1 Reactivity

Carefully review all information provided in sections 10.2 to 10.6.

## 10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under recommended conditions of storage.

## 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Polymerization is not expected to occur.

### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Avoid heat, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources.

# 10.5 Incompatible materials

Incompatible with oxidising agents (e.g. hypochlorites), anionic detergents (e.g. soaps), heat and ignition sources.

## 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

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

# **11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

# 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

| Acute toxicity              | This product is expected to be of low toxicity. Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.   |  |
|-----------------------------|---|--|
| Skin                        | Not classified as a skin irritant. Contact may result in mild irritation, rash and dermatitis.  |  |
| Eye                         | Not classified as an eye irritant. Contact may result in mild irritation, lacrimation and redness.  |  |
| Sensitisation               | Not classified as causing skin or respiratory sensitisation. Occupational exposure to quaternary ammonium compounds has been reported to cause asthma, although rare. |  |
| Mutagenicity                | Not classified as a mutagen.  |  |
| Carcinogenicity             | Not classified as a carcinogen.   |  |
| Reproductive                | Not classified as a reproductive toxin.   |  |
| STOT - single<br>exposure   | Not classified as causing organ damage from single exposure. However, over exposure may result in mild irritation of the nose and throat, with coughing.              |  |
| STOT - repeated<br>exposure | Not classified as causing organ damage from repeated exposure.  |  |
| Aspiration                  | Not classified as causing aspiration.   |  |

# **12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

## 12.1 Toxicity

No information provided.

### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

No information provided.

## 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No information provided.

## 12.4 Mobility in soil

No information provided.

### 12.5 Other adverse effects

Benzalkonium chloride derivatives/quaternary ammonium compounds are commonly used as disinfectants, indicating toxicity to microorganisms.

# 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

## 13.1 Waste treatment methods

**Waste disposal** For small amounts, absorb with sand, vermiculite or similar and dispose of to an approved landfill site. For large quantities, contact the manufacturer/supplier for additional information. Prevent contamination of drains and waterways as aquatic life may be threatened and environmental damage may result.

Legislation Dispose of in accordance with relevant local legislation.

# **14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

# NOT CLASSIFIED AS A DANGEROUS GOOD BY THE CRITERIA OF THE ADG CODE, IMDG OR IATA

|                                | LAND TRANSPORT (ADG) | SEA TRANSPORT (IMDG / IMO) | AIR TRANSPORT (IATA / ICAO) |
|--------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 14.1 UN Number                 | None allocated.      | None allocated.            | None allocated.             |
| 14.2 Proper<br>Shipping Name   | None allocated.      | None allocated.            | None allocated.             |
| 14.3 Transport<br>hazard class | None allocated.      | None allocated.            | None allocated.             |
| 14.4 Packing Group             | None allocated.      | None allocated.            | None allocated.             |

14.5 Environmental hazards

No information provided.

# 14.6 Special precautions for user

Hazchem code None allocated.

# **15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

# 15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

- **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).
- Classifications Safework Australia criteria is based on the Globally Harmonised System (GHS) of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals.

## Inventory listings AUSTRALIA: AIIC (Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals) All components are listed on AIIC, or are exempt.

# **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

Additional information BENZALKONIUM CHLORIDE: Benzalkonium chloride can be a severe eye & 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 form of product, 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: form of product; 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 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<br>CAS #  | American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists<br>Chemical Abstract Service number - used to uniquely identify chemical compounds  |
|---------------|---|---|
|               | CNS   | Central Nervous System  |
|               | EC No.  | EC No - European Community Number   |
|               | EMS   | Emergency Schedules (Emergency Procedures for Ships Carrying Dangerous<br>Goods)  |
|               | GHS   | Globally Harmonized System  |
|               | GTEPG   | Group Text Emergency Procedure Guide  |
|               | IARC  | International Agency for Research on Cancer   |
|               | LC50  | Lethal Concentration, 50% / Median Lethal Concentration   |
|               | LD50  | Lethal Dose, 50% / Median Lethal Dose   |
|               | mg/m³   | Milligrams per Cubic Metre  |
|               | OEL   | Occupational Exposure Limit   |
|               | рН  | relates to hydrogen ion concentration using a scale of 0 (high acidic) to 14 (highly alkaline).   |
|               | ppm   | Parts Per Million   |
|               | 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   |
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