



# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## Section 1: Product & Company Identification

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**Product Name:** Heavy Duty Degreaser II (Bulk)

**Product Number (s):** 03122

**Product Use:** General purpose degreaser

### Manufacturer / Supplier Contact Information:

In United States:

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1-215-674-4300 (General)

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In Canada:

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Mississauga, Ontario L5S 1R2

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1-905-670-2291

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CRC Industries Mexico

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[www.crc-mexico.com](http://www.crc-mexico.com)

52-444-824-1666

24-Hr Emergency – CHEMTREC: (800) 424-9300 or (703) 527-3887

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## Section 2: Hazards Identification

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### Emergency Overview

**DANGER:** Harmful or Fatal if Swallowed.

Appearance & Odor: Clear, water-white liquid, slight hydrocarbon odor

### Potential Health Effects:

**ACUTE EFFECTS:**

**EYE:** May cause mild irritation, redness, and tearing. Not expected to be an eye irritant.

**SKIN:** May cause mild irritation with extended contact. Not expected to be a skin irritant. Skin absorption may be possible with prolonged contact.

**INHALATION:** Expected to have a low degree of toxicity by inhalation. Effects of overexposure may include irritation of the nose and throat, transient excitation followed by signs of nervous system depression (headache, drowsiness, dizziness, loss of coordination, disorientation and fatigue).

**INGESTION:** Low degree of toxicity by ingestion. May cause irritation of the digestive tract, nausea and vomiting. Main hazard is aspiration of material into the lungs during swallowing or vomiting. This can lead to chemical pneumonitis (inflammation of the lungs) and possible death.

**CHRONIC EFFECTS:** Inadequate evidence available to evaluate cancer hazard. Reports have associated repeated and prolonged overexposure to solvents with permanent brain and nervous system damage.

**TARGET ORGANS:** No data available

Medical Conditions Aggravated by Exposure: skin disorders, respiratory (asthma-like) disorders

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

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### Section 3: Composition/Information on Ingredients

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COMPONENT	CAS NUMBER	% by Wt.
Hydrotreated light distillate	64742-47-8	55 - 65
Dipropylene glycol n-propyl ether	29911-27-1	25 - 35
Dipropylene glycol methyl ether acetate	88917-22-0	5 - 15

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### Section 4: First Aid Measures

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- 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 or give anything by mouth due to aspiration hazard. If victim is drowsy or unconscious and vomiting, place on the left side with the head down. Contact a physician immediately.

*Note to Physicians:* Aspiration hazard. Treat symptomatically.

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### Section 5: Fire-Fighting Measures

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**Flammable Properties:** As defined by OSHA, this product is a Class IIIA Combustible Liquid.

Flash Point: 180°F / 82°C (PMCC)	Upper Explosive Limit: 5.0
Autoignition Temperature: ND	Lower Explosive Limit: 0.7

**Fire and Explosion Data:**

- Suitable Extinguishing Media: Dry chemical, carbon dioxide, foam or water fog spray is recommended; direct stream of water is not recommended
- Products of Combustion: Oxides of carbon
- Explosion Hazards: Containers, when exposed to heat from fire, may build pressure and rupture.
- 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. Vapors are heavier than air and can accumulate in low areas. If container is not properly cooled, it can rupture in the heat of a fire.

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### Section 6: Accidental Release Measures

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- 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: Remove possible sources of ignition. Dike area to contain spill. 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:** Do not use near possible sources of ignition. Provide ventilation during use. Avoid inhaling vapors. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Use caution in confined spaces. Wash hands after use and before consuming food. For product use instructions, please see the product label.

**Storage Procedures:** Store in a cool dry area out of direct sunlight. Make sure storage area is properly ventilated. Containers should be tightly closed while in storage.

**Aerosol Storage Level:** NA

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

### **Exposure Guidelines:**

COMPONENT	OSHA		ACGIH		OTHER		UNIT
	TWA	STEL	TWA	STEL	TWA	SOURCE	
Hydrotreated light distillate	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE		
Dipropylene glycol n-propyl ether	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE		
Dipropylene glycol methyl ether acetate	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE		
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 or neoprene. Also, use full protective clothing if there is prolonged or repeated contact of liquid with skin.

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

**Physical State:** liquid  
**Color:** clear, water-white  
**Odor:** slight hydrocarbon  
**Odor Threshold:** ND  
**Specific Gravity:** 0.839  
**Initial Boiling Point:** > 350°F / 177°C

Freezing Point: ND  
 Vapor Pressure: < 0.1 mmHg @ 68°F / 20°C  
 Vapor Density: > 1 (air = 1)  
 Evaporation Rate: slow  
 Solubility: slight soluble in water  
 Coefficient of water/oil distribution: ND  
 pH: NA  
 Volatile Organic Compounds: wt %: 0 g/L: 0 lbs./gal: 0

## Section 10: Stability and Reactivity

Stability: Stable  
 Conditions to Avoid: Potential sources of ignition; temperature extremes  
 Incompatible Materials: Strong oxidizing agents  
 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:

Component	Oral LD50 (rat)	Dermal LD50 (rabbit)	Inhalation LC50 (rat)
Hydrotreated light distillate	> 5 g/kg	> 2 g/kg	> 5 mg/L/4H
Dipropylene glycol n-propyl ether	1620 µL/kg	5660 µL/kg	No data
Dipropylene glycol methyl ether acetate	> 5000 mg/kg	> 2000 mg/kg	No data

### Chronic Toxicity:

Component	OSHA Carcinogen	IARC Carcinogen	NTP Carcinogen	Irritant	Sensitizer
Hydrotreated light distillate	No	No	No	No	Unknown
Dipropylene glycol n-propyl ether	No	No	No	E (moderate) / S (mild)	Unknown
Dipropylene glycol methyl ether acetate	No	No	No	E (mild)	No

E – Eye	S – Skin	R - Respiratory
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Reproductive Toxicity: No information available  
 Teratogenicity: No information available  
 Mutagenicity: No information available  
 Synergistic Effects: 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: hydrotreated light distillate - 96 Hr LC50 Pimephales promelas: 45 mg/L [flow-through]

Persistence / Degradability: No data available  
Bioaccumulation / Accumulation: No data available  
Mobility in Environment: No data available

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### **Section 13: Disposal Considerations**

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**Waste Classification:** This product is not a RCRA hazardous waste. (See 40 CFR Part 261.20 – 261.33) If this material is mixed with other materials, the resulting waste should be evaluated for waste classification.  
Empty containers may be recycled.

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

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### **Section 14: Transport Information**

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US DOT (ground): Not Regulated  
ICAO/IATA (air): Not Regulated  
IMO/IMDG (water): Not Regulated  
Special Provisions: None

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### **Section 15: Regulatory Information**

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**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: None

**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	No
Acute Health Hazard	Yes
Chronic Health Hazard	No

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:  
None

Clean Air Act:

Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs): None

Occupational Safety and Health Administration:

This product is regulated by the Hazard Communications Standard.

**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: B3, D2B

Canadian DSL Inventory: All ingredients are either listed on the DSL Inventory or are exempt.

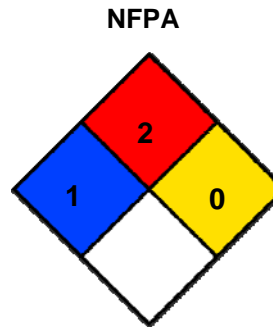
**European Union Regulations:**

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:	1
Flammability:	2
Reactivity:	0
PPE:	B



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 System