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# 1. Product and company identification

#### **Product identifier**

Trade name: Electro-Contact-Cleaner Spray

#### Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

General use: Technical aerosol

## Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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# 2. Hazards identification

#### **Emergency overview**

Appearance: Physical state at 68 °F and 101.3 kPa: liquid

Form: Aerosol Color: colorless characteristic

Classification: Aerosol - Category 1; Skin Irritation - Category 2;

Specific Target Organ Toxicity (Single Exposure) - Category 3;

Aquatic toxicity - chronic - Category 2;

Hazard symbols:

Odor:







Signal word: Danger

Hazard statements: Extremely flammable aerosol.

Pressurised container: May burst if heated.

Causes skin irritation.

May cause drowsiness or dizziness.

Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.



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Precautionary statements: Keep out of reach of children.

Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.

Do not spray on an open flame or other ignition source.

Do not pierce or burn, even after use.

Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray. Wash hands and face thoroughly after handling. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

Avoid release to the environment.

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water/soap.

IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell. Specific treatment (see ' First aid ' on this label). If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

Take off contaminated clothing.

Collect spillage.

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

Store locked up.

Protect from sunlight. Do not expose to temperatures exceeding 50 °C/122 °F. Dispose of contents/container to hazardous or special waste collection point.

## Regulatory status

This material is considered hazardous by the U.S. OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200) and SIMDUT in Canada.

#### Hazards not otherwise classified

Potentially explosive mixtures may form if adequate ventilation is not provided. Inhaling can lead to irritations of the respiratory tract and mucous membrane. Higher doses may have a narcotic effect.

see section 11: Toxicological information

# 3. Composition / Information on ingredients

Chemical characterization: Preparation of active ingredients with propellant

Hazardous ingredients:

| CAS No.           | Designation  | Content   | Classification   |
|-------------------|--|-----------|--|
| CAS<br>64742-49-0 | Hydrocarbons,<br>C6-C7,<br>n-alkanes,<br>isoalkanes,<br>cyclics, <5%<br>n-hexane | 50 - 75 % | Flammable Liquid - Category 2. Skin Irritation - Category 2.  Specific Target Organ Toxicity (Single Exposure) - Category 3. Aspiration Toxicity - Category 1.  Aquatic toxicity - chronic - Category 2. |
| CAS 109-66-0      | n-Pentane  | 10 - 25 % | Flammable Liquid - Category 2.  Specific Target Organ Toxicity (Single Exposure) - Category 3. Aspiration Toxicity - Category 1.  Aquatic toxicity - chronic - Category 2.                               |
| CAS 64-17-5       | Ethanol  | 3 - 10 %  | Flammable Liquid - Category 2.   |
| CAS 74-98-6       | Propane  | 3 - 10 %  | Flammable Gas - Category 1. Liquefied Gas.   |
| CAS 106-97-8      | n-Butane,<br>pure  | 3 - 10 %  | Flammable Gas - Category 1. Compressed Gas.  |



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### 4. First aid measures

General information: First aider: Pay attention to self-protection!

Immediately remove any wetted clothing, shoes or stockings.

In case of inhalation: Move victim to fresh air, put at rest and loosen restrictive clothing.

Seek medical attention.

Following skin contact: Immediately clean with water and soap followed by thorough rinsing.

Seek medical attention.

After eye contact: Immediately flush eyes with plenty of flowing water for 10 to 15 minutes holding eyelids

apart. Consult an ophthalmologist.

After swallowing: Immediately get medical attention. Do not induce vomiting. Never give anything by

mouth to an unconscious person.

#### Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed

May cause drowsiness or dizziness. Irritates skin and mucous membranes. Irritating to respiratory system. Inhalation causes narcotic effects/intoxication. Further hazardous properties cannot be excluded.

### Information to physician

Treat symptomatically.

# 5. Fire fighting measures

Flash point/flash point range:

not applicable

Auto-ignition temperature: not self-igniting

Suitable extinguishing media

Alcohol resistant foam, dry chemical powder, carbon dioxide, water mist.

Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons:

full water jet

### Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Do not expose to high temperature. Danger of bursting and explosion. Cool exposed

containers with water spray.

May form dangerous gases and vapours in case of fire.

Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide.

Potentially explosive vapor/air mixtures may form.

Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters:

Wear self-contained positive pressure breathing apparatus and full firefighting

protective clothing.

Additional information: You have to dispose of contaminated extinguishing water according to the regulations

of the authorities.

## 6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions: Do not breathe gas/vapor/spray. Avoid contact with the substance.

Eliminate all ignition sources if safe to do so. Provide adequate ventilation.

Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected people away.

Do not open or incinerate, even when empty. Do not spray into flames or on

incandescent objects.

Environmental precautions:

Do not allow to enter into ground-water, surface water or drains.

In case of release, notify competent authorities. Danger of explosion!



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Methods for clean-up: Isolate leaked material using non-flammable absorption agent (e.g. sand, earth,

vermiculit, diatomaceous earth) and collect it for disposal in appropriate containers in

accordance with the local regulations (see section 13). Beware of reignition. Thoroughly clean surrounding area.

Additional information: Use explosion-proof equipment and non-sparking tools/utensils.

# 7. Handling and storage

#### Handling

Advices on safe handling: Provide adequate ventilation, and local exhaust as needed. Do not breathe

gas/vapor/spray.

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Wear protective equipment.

Guarantee sufficient ventilation during and after use, in order to prevent vapour accumulation. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

Precautions against fire and explosion:

Container under pressure. Do not open or incinerate, even when empty. Do not spray into flames or on incandescent objects. Keep away from sources of ignition. - No smoking

Take precautionary measures against static discharges.

Use only explosion-protected equipment/instruments. Do not weld.

In partially filled containers explosive mixtures may form. Vapors may form explosive

mixtures with air.

#### Storage

Requirements for storerooms and containers:

Keep container tightly closed and in a well-ventilated place.

Keep container dry. Keep only in the original container.

Protect from heat and direct sunlight.

Store containers in upright position. Explosion protection required. Store locked up.

Keep at temperature not exceeding 122 °F.

Hints on joint storage: Do not store together with combustible or self-igniting materials or any highly

flammable solids. Keep away from food, drink and animal feedingstuffs.

# 8. Exposure controls / personal protection

## **Exposure guidelines**

Occupational exposure limit values:

| CAS No.  | Designation    | Туре   | Limit value  |
|----------|----------------|--|--|
| 109-66-0 | n-Pentane      | NIOSH: Ceiling<br>USA: NIOSH: TWA                    | 1800 mg/m³; 610 ppm<br>350 mg/m³; 120 ppm                            |
| 64-17-5  | Ethanol        | USA: ACGIH: TWA<br>USA: NIOSH: TWA<br>USA: OSHA: TWA | 1880 mg/m³; 1000 ppm<br>1900 mg/m³; 1000 ppm<br>1900 mg/m³; 1000 ppm |
| 74-98-6  | Propane        | USA: NIOSH: TWA<br>USA: OSHA: TWA                    | 1800 mg/m³; 1000 ppm<br>1800 mg/m³; 1000 ppm                         |
| 106-97-8 | n-Butane, pure | USA: ACGIH: TWA<br>USA: NIOSH: TWA                   | 2370 mg/m³; 1000 ppm<br>1900 mg/m³; 800 ppm                          |

#### **Engineering controls**

Provide for good ventilation or exhaust system or work with completely self-contained equipment. Use only explosion-proof equipment.

See also information in chapter 7, section storage.



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#### Personal protection equipment (PPE)

Eye/face protection Tightly sealed goggles according to OSHA Standard - 29 CFR: 1910.133 or ANSI

Z87.1-2010.

Skin protection Flame retardant, antistatic and chemical resistant protective clothing.

Protective gloves according to OSHA Standard - 29 CFR: 1910.138 (Solvent resistant

protective gloves).

Glove material: Nitrile rubber - Layer thickness: 0.7 mm

Breakthrough time: >480 min.

Observe glove manufacturer's instructions concerning penetrability and breakthrough

time.

Respiratory protection: Respiratory protection must be worn whenever the TLV (WEL) levels have been

exceeded.

The filter class must be suitable for the maximum contaminant concentration (gas/vapor/aerosol/particulates) that may arise when handling the product. If the concentration is exceeded, closed-circuit breathing apparatus must be used!

General hygiene considerations:

Odor

Odor threshold:

Use only non-sparking tools. Keep away from sources of heat (e.g. hot surfaces),

sparks and open flames.

Do not breathe gas/vapor/spray. Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

When using do not eat, drink or smoke. Wash hands before breaks and after work.

# 9. Physical and chemical properties

#### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance: Physical state at 68 °F and 101.3 kPa: liquid

Form: Aerosol Color: colorless characteristic no data available no data available

pH value:

Melting point/freezing point:
Initial boiling point and boiling range:
Flash point/flash point range:
Evaporation rate:

no data available
not applicable
not applicable
no data available

Flammability: Extremely flammable aerosol.

Explosion limits: LEL (Lower Explosion Limit): 0.80 Vol-%

UEL (Upper Explosive Limit): 15.00 Vol-%

Vapor pressure:at 68 °F: 573 hPaVapor density:no data availableDensity:at 68 °F: 0.669 g/mLWater solubility:at 68 °F: 5 g/L

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water:

Auto-ignition temperature:

Thermal decomposition:

no data available

not self-igniting

no data available

Explosive properties: Product is not explosive. Potentially explosive vapor/air mixtures may form.

Ignition temperature: 392 °F



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# 10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity: Extremely flammable aerosol. Vapors may form explosive mixtures with air.

Chemical stability: Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Possibility of hazardous reactions

Container under pressure. Do not expose to high temperature. Danger of bursting and

explosion.

Conditions to avoid: Keep away from heat sources, sparks and open flames. Protect from direct exposure

to sunlight and temperatures exceeding 122 °F.

Incompatible materials: Do not store together with combustible or self-igniting materials or any highly

flammable solids.

Hazardous decomposition products:

May form dangerous gases and vapours in case of fire.

carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide

Thermal decomposition: no data available

# 11. Toxicological information

#### **Toxicological tests**

Toxicological effects:

The statements are derived from the properties of the single components. No

toxicological data is available for the product as such.

Acute toxicity (oral): Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Acute toxicity (dermal): Lack of data.

Acute toxicity (inhalative): Lack of data.

Skin corrosion/irritation: Skin Irritation - Category 2 = Causes skin irritation.

Eye damage/irritation: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Sensitisation to the respiratory tract: Lack of data.

Skin sensitisation: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Germ cell mutagenicity/Genotoxicity: Lack of data.

Carcinogenicity: Lack of data.

Reproductive toxicity: Lack of data.

Effects on or via lactation: Lack of data.

Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure): Specific Target Organ Toxicity (Single

Exposure) - Category 3 = May cause drowsiness or dizziness. Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure): Lack of data.

Aspiration hazard: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Other information: Information about Hydrocarbons, C6-C7, n-alkanes, isoalkanes, cyclics, <5% n-hexane:

LD50 Rat, oral: > 5800 mg/kg. LD50 Rabbit, dermal: > 2920 mg/kg. LD50 Rat, inhalative: > 25 mg/l/4h.

#### **Symptoms**

May cause drowsiness or dizziness. Irritates skin and mucous membranes. Irritating to respiratory system. Inhalation causes narcotic effects/intoxication. Further hazardous properties cannot be excluded.



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# 12. Ecological information

## **Ecotoxicity**

Aquatic toxicity: Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Information about Pentane:

Fish toxicity: LC50 Oncorhynchus mykiss 4,26 mg/L/96h

Information about Hydrocarbons, C6-C7, n-alkanes, isoalkanes, cyclics, <5% n-hexane:

Daphnia toxicity: EC50 Daphnia magna: 3 mg/L/48h

## Mobility in soil

no data available

## Persistence and degradability

Further details: no data available

### Additional ecological information

Volatile organic compounds (VOC):

100 % by weight = 669 g/L

General information: Avoid spills and leaks. Very small amounts contaminates drinking water.

Do not allow to enter into ground-water, surface water or drains.

# 13. Disposal considerations

#### **Product**

Recommendation: Dispose of waste according to applicable legislation.

## Contaminated packaging

Recommendation: Dispose of waste according to applicable legislation. Handle empty containers with

care. Incineration may cause explosion. Spray can must be completely empty for

proper waste disposal.

# 14. Transport information

## **USA: Department of Transportation (DOT)**

Identification numbers: UN1950

Proper shipping name: UN 1950, AEROSOLS

DOT hazard class or division:

Label codes:

Special provisions:

Packaging - Exceptions:

Packaging - Non-bulk:

Packaging - Bulk:

Quantity limitations - Passenger aircraft / rail:

75 kg

Quantity limitations - Cargo only: 150 kg
Vessel stowage - Location: A

Vessel stowage - Other: 25, 87, 126





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Sea transport (IMDG)

UN number: UN 1950

Proper shipping name: UN 1950, AEROSOLS IMDG: Class 2.1, Subrisk -

Packing Group: -

EmS: F-D, S-U

Special provisions: 63, 190, 277, 327, 344, 959

Limited quantities: 1000 mL EQ: E0

Contaminated packaging - Instructions: P207, LP02
Contaminated packaging - Provisions: PP87, L2

 IBC - Instructions:

 IBC - Provisions:

 Tank instructions - IMO:

 Tank instructions - UN:

 Tank instructions - Provisions:

Stowage and handling: SW1 SW22
Segregation: SG69

Properties and observations: Marine pollutant: Yes

Air transport (IATA)

UN/ID number: UN 1950

Proper shipping name: UN 1950, AEROSOLS, flammable

ICAO/IATA: Class 2.1 Hazard: Flamm. gas

EQ: E0

Passenger Ltd.Qty.: Pack.Instr. Y203 - Max. Net Qty/Pkg. 30 kg G
Passenger: Pack.Instr. 203 - Max. Net Qty/Pkg. 75 kg
Cargo: Pack.Instr. 203 - Max. Net Qty/Pkg. 150 kg

Special Provisioning: A145 A167 A802

ERG: 10L



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# 15. Regulatory information

## National regulations - U.S. Federal Regulations

Hydrocarbons, C6-C7, n-alkanes, isoalkanes, cyclics, <5% n-hexane: TSCA Inventory: listed TSCA HPVC: not listed

n-Pentane: TSCA Inventory: listed; EPA flags T

TSCA HPVC: not listed

Clean Air Act:

Accidental Release Prevention: Threshold 10000 lbs. / Basis

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**NIOSH Recommendations:** 

Occupational Health Guideline: 0486

Ethanol: TSCA: listed

TSCA Inventory: listed TSCA HPVC: not listed NIOSH Recommendations:

Occupational Health Guideline: 0262

Propane: TSCA Inventory: listed

TSCA HPVC: not listed

Clean Air Act:

Accidental Release Prevention: Threshold 10000 lbs. / Basis

for listing = f

NIOSH Recommendations:

Occupational Health Guideline: 0524

n-Butane, pure: TSCA Inventory: listed

TSCA HPVC: not listed

Clean Air Act:

Accidental Release Prevention: Threshold 10000 lbs. / Basis

for listing = f

NIOSH Recommendations:

Occupational Health Guideline: 0068\*

## National regulations - U.S. State Regulations

California Proposition 65: Not listed.

#### National regulations - Great Britain

Hazchem-Code: -

# 16. Other information

Text for labeling: Contains 50 - 75 % Hydrocarbons, C6-C7, n-alkanes, isoalkanes, cyclics, <5%

n-hexane, 10 - 25 % n-Pentane, 3 - 10 % Ethanol, 3 - 10 % Propane, 3 - 10 %

n-Butane, pure. Safety data sheet available on request.

Hazard rating systems: NFPA Hazard Rating:

2 2

Health: 2 (Moderate)
Fire: 4 (Severe)
Reactivity: 2 (Moderate)

HMIS Version III Rating:
Health: 2 (Moderate)
Flammability: 4 (Severe)
Physical Hazard: 2 (Moderate)

Personal Protection: X = Consult your supervisor

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Contact person: see section 1: Dept. responsible for information

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FLAMMABILITY 4
PHYSICAL HAZARD 2
X

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