

Product Handling Information Sheet

Product Name

Distilled Witch Hazel

Supplier

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Composition/Ingredients Information

A natural product distilled from the bark and twigs of Hamamelis Virginiana, to which 13 to 15% by volume of ethanol (ethyl alcohol) is added. Clear colourless liquid with characteristic odour. Miscible with water.

Transport

Not classified as hazardous for transport.

Nature of Hazard

Combustible, flash point 42 deg C (closed cup).
When tested at 55 deg C the product does not support combustion.
Therefore not classified as flammable.
Can react with oxidizing materials. Heating will cause pressure rise in containers with risk of bursting.

Protective devices

Goggles and gloves recommended if splashing is likely.
Eyewash bottle with clear water.

Road accident

Stop engine. No naked flames. No smoking.
Mark road and warn other road users.
Keep public away from area while cleaning up.

Spillage

Flush to sewer with large volume of water.

Fire

Keep containers cool by spraying with water if exposed to fire. Extinguish with water spray, dry chemical or foam.

First Aid

For eyes: wash out with plenty of water for several minutes.
For skin: wash off with water. Remove soaked clothing.
Ingestion: seek medical advice.
Inhalation: remove to fresh air and obtain medical attention.

Storage/Use advice

Keep in a cool store, suitable for combustibles in original containers or in polyethylene, glasslined, or stainless steel containers. Avoid contact with mild steel. Avoid heat or only heat under controlled conditions: ethanol vapour is highly flammable (flash point 12 deg C) with lower flammable limit of 3.3% by

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volume in air, and a recommended Occupational Exposure Limit, 8 hour time weighted average value of 1,000 ppm.

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