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Safety Data Sheet

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1 IDENTIFICATION

Product identifier

Trade name: 1630 Safe-T-Spat Anti-Spatter & Nozzle Shield

Product size: Variable

Other means of identification: 0162000D/E

SDS Number: 071

Recommended use and restriction on use

Recommended use: Welding

Restrictions on use: No further relevant information available.

Manufacturer/Importer/Supplier/Distributor information

Importer:

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Arc Welding Safety Information: www.lincolnelectric.com/safety

24-Hour Emergency Response Telephone Numbers:

000 - Australia

111 - New Zealand

3E Company Access Code: 333895

2 HAZARD(S) IDENTIFICATION

GHS classification of the substance/mixture.

Classified according to the Globally Harmonised System of Classification and labelling of Chemicals (GHS) including Work, Health and Safety regulations, Australia.

Classification of the substance or mixture

GHS04 Gas cylinder

Press. Gas H280 Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated.



GHS07

Eye Irrit. 2A H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

Additional information:

0 percent of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity.

There are no other hazards not otherwise classified that have been identified.

Label elements**GHS label elements**

The product is classified and labelled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).

Hazard pictograms Not Regulated

GHS04



GHS07

Signal word Warning**Hazard-determining components of labeling:** Ammonia, Aqueous solution.**Hazard statements**

H280 Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated

H319 Causes serious eye irritation

Precautionary statements

P264 Wash thoroughly after handling

P280 Wear protective gloves and eye protection

P305+P351+P338 If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P337+P313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

P410+P403 Protect from sunlight. Store in a well-ventilated place.

3 Composition/information on ingredients**Chemical characterization: Mixtures****Description:** Mixture: consisting of the following components.

Dangerous components:		
CAS	Name	Proportion
1336-21-6	Ammonia, aqueous solution	<1%

Additional information:

For the listed ingredient(s), the identity and exact percentage(s) are being withheld as a trade secret.

Composition comments:

The term "Dangerous Components" should be interpreted as a term defined in Hazard Communication standards and does not necessarily imply the existence of a hazard. The product may contain additional nonhazardous ingredients or may form additional compounds under the condition of use. Refer to Sections 2 and 8 for more information.

4 First-aid measures**Description of first aid measures**

General information: Take affected persons out into the fresh air.

After inhalation:

Move to fresh air if breathing is difficult. If breathing has stopped, perform artificial respiration and obtain medical assistance at once.

After skin contact:

Remove contaminated clothing and wash the skin thoroughly with soap and water. For reddened or blistered skin, or thermal burns, obtain medical assistance at once.

After eye contact:

Dust or fume from this product should be flushed from the eyes with copious amounts of clean, tepid water until transported to an emergency medical facility. Do not allow victim to rub or keep eyes tightly closed. Obtain medical assistance at once. Remove contact lenses.

After swallowing:

Unlikely route of exposure.
Rinse out mouth and then drink plenty of water.
Do not induce vomiting; immediately call for medical help.

Information for doctor:**Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**

Slight irritant effect on skin and mucous membranes.

Coughing

Irritant to eyes.

Nausea

Danger

No relevant information available.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed: if necessary oxygen respiration treatment.

5 Fire-fighting measures**Extinguishing media****Suitable extinguishing agents:**

Water fog / haze

Foam

Fire-extinguishing powder

Carbon dioxide

For safety reasons unsuitable extinguishing agents: Water stream

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Formation of toxic gases is possible during heating or in case of fire.

Advice for firefighters

Special fire fighting procedures:

Use standard firefighting procedures and consider the hazards of other involved materials.

Protective equipment:

Wear self-contained respiratory protective device.

Wear fully protective suit.

Additional information

Cool endangered receptacles with water fog.

If aerosols are bursting, stay clear until safe. Aerosol containers can be projectiles when bursting.

Read and understand the Work Safe Australia Code of Practice on Welding Processes and “Standard for Fire Prevention During Welding, Cutting and Other Hot Work” before using this product. Section 274 of the Work Health and Safety Act (the WHS Act.)

6 Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Use respiratory protective device against the effects of fumes/dust/aerosol.

Ensure adequate ventilation.

Use personal protective equipment as required.

Environmental precautions:

Avoid release to the environment.

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:

Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust). Pick up mechanically.

Send for recovery or disposal in suitable receptacles.

Dispose of the collected material according to regulations.

Reference to other sections

See Section 7 for information on safe handling.

See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.

See Section 13 for disposal information.

7 Handling and storage

Handling:

Precautions for safe handling

Use only in well ventilated areas.

Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

Read and understand the manufacturer's instruction and the precautionary label on the product. Refer to Lincoln Safety Publications at www.lincolnelectric.com/safety. See the Australian Standard - AS 1674.1 – 1997 – Reconfirmed 2016. Safety in Welding and Allied Processes Australia.

Information about protection against explosions and fires:

Pressurized container: May burst if heated.
Do not spray on a naked flame or any incandescent material.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**Storage:****Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:**

Observe official regulations on storing packagings with pressurized containers.
Avoid storage near extreme heat, ignition sources or open flame.

Information about storage in one common storage facility: Store away from foodstuffs

Further information about storage conditions: Store in a cool place. Heat will increase pressure and may lead to the receptacle bursting.

Specific end use(s) No further relevant information available.

8 Exposure controls/personal protection

Additional information about design of technical systems: No further data; see item 7.

Control parameters**Exposure Guidelines:**

Refer to the Safe Environments risk management document – Welding Fume - <http://www.safeenvironments.com.au/welding-fume/> The exposure standard refers to the publication by Work Safe Australia “Workplace Exposure Standard for Airborne Contaminants” with the Date of Effect being 22 December 2011. Work Safe Australia note that “exposure standards do not represent a fine dividing line between a healthy and unhealthy work environment. Natural biological variation and the range of individual susceptibilities mean that a small number of people might experience adverse health effects below the exposure standard.

The American Governmental Congress of Industrial Hygienists (ACGIH) however recommends a Threshold Limit Value (TLV) Time Weighted Average (TWA) of 5 mg/m³ for welding fume, on the assumption that there are no highly toxic constituents.; However, in Australia, there is no specific exposure standard for welding fume This is due to the fume being a combination of the metals and filler material being molten together along with cleaning and fluxing agents present. Each metal or material within the process of welding will generally have its own exposure standard.

1336-21-6	Ammonia, aqueous solution	35 ppm
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Refer to Worksafe Australia for standards:

http://www.safeworkaustralia.gov.au/sites/SWA/about/Publications/Documents/639/Workplace_Exposure_Standards_for_Airborne_Contaminants.pdf

Exposure controls**Personal protective equipment:****General protective and hygienic measures:**

The usual precautionary measures for handling chemicals should be followed.
Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.
Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.
Do not inhale gases / fumes / aerosols.
Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.
Use only in well ventilated areas.

Engineering controls: No further relevant information available.

Breathing equipment:

Keep your head out of fumes. Use enough ventilation and local exhaust to keep fumes and gases from your breathing zone and the general area. An approved respirator should be used unless exposure assessments are below applicable exposure limits. Particulate mask should filter at least 99% of airborne particles.

Protection of hands:

Thermally-protective gloves.

Suitable gloves can be recommended by the glove supplier.

The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.

Eye protection:

Safety Glasses

Body protection: Protective work clothing

Limitation and supervision of exposure into the environment No relevant information available.

Risk management measures No special requirements.

9 Physical and chemical properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

General Information

Appearance:

Form:	Aerosol
Colour:	Clear or Yellow
Odour:	Slight
Odour Threshold:	Not Determined
pH-value:	9.3 – 9.9

Change in condition

Melting point/Melting range:	Not Applicable as aerosol
Boiling point/Boiling range:	>93 °C (>199 °F)

Flash point:	Not Applicable as aerosol
Flammability (solid, gaseous):	Not Determined
Auto-ignition temperature:	Not Determined
Decomposition temperature:	Not Determined
Auto igniting:	Product is not self-igniting
Danger of explosion:	Not Determined

Explosion Limits:

Lower:	Not Determined
Upper:	Not Determined

Vapour Pressure:	Not Applicable
Density:	0.99 -1.01 g/ml
Relative Density:	Not Determined
Vapour Density:	Not Determined
Evaporation Rate:	Not Applicable

Solubility in/Miscibility with water:	Not miscible or difficult to mix
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):	Not Determined
Viscosity:	
Dynamic:	Not applicable
Kinematic:	Not applicable
Other Information:	No further relevant information available

10 Stability and reactivity

Reactivity: No relevant information available

Chemical stability:

Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:

No decomposition if used and stored according to specifications.

Possibility of hazardous reactions

Reacts with strong acids

Reacts with strong oxidizing agents.

Conditions to avoid: Excessive heat

Incompatible materials: No further relevant information available.

Hazardous decomposition products:

Carbon monoxide

Ammonia

11 Toxicological information

Information on toxicological effects:

Acute toxicity:

LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification: None

Primary irritant effect:

On the skin: Slight irritant effect on skin and mucous membranes

On the eye: Irritant effect.

Sensitization: No sensitizing effects known.

Additional toxicological information:

The product shows the following dangers according to internally approved calculation methods for preparations:

Irritant

Carcinogenic categories

IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)

None of the ingredients is listed.

NTP (National Toxicology Program)

None of the ingredients is listed.

OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety & Health Administration)

None of the ingredients is listed.

CMR effects (carcinogenicity, mutagenicity and toxicity for reproduction)**Germ cell mutagenicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.**Carcinogenicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.**Reproductive toxicity** May cause harm to breast-fed children.**STOT-single exposure** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.**STOT-repeated exposure** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.**Aspiration hazard** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.**12 Ecological information****Persistence and degradability**

No further relevant information available.

Behavior in environmental systems:**Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.**Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.**Additional ecological information:****General notes:**

Avoid transfer into the environment

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment:**PBT:** Not applicable.**vPvB:** Not applicable.**Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.**13 Disposal considerations****Waste treatment methods****Recommendation:**

The user of this material has the responsibility to dispose of unused material, residues and containers in compliance with all relevant local, state and federal laws and regulations regarding treatment, storage and disposal for hazardous and nonhazardous wastes.

Uncleaned packagings:**Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.**14 Transport Information**

UN-Number DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA	UN1950
UN proper shipping name DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA	Limited Quantity for packages less than 30kg and inner packagings less than 1 L Aerosols 1950 AEROSOLS AEROSOLS AEROSOLS, non flammable

Transport hazard class(es) DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA	 Class Label 2.2  Class Label 2.5A Gases  Class Label 2.2
Packing group DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA	Aerosols are not assigned a packing group
Environmental hazards: Marine pollutant:	Not applicable
Special precautions for user	Warning: Gases EMS Number: F-D, S-U
Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code	Not applicable.
UN "Model Regulation":	UN 1950 AEROSOLS, 2.2

15 Regulatory information

Product Name: 1630 Safe-T-Spat Anti-Spatter & Nozzle Shield

Refer to the Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances – AICS at <https://www.nicnas.gov.au/chemicals-on-AICS#main>

Poison schedule: Classified as a Schedule 6 (S6) Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP). <https://www.legislation.gov.au/Details/F2016L01638>

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

The classifications and phrases listed below are based on the Approved Criteria for Classifying Hazardous Substances [NOHSC: 1008(2004)].

16 Other information

References

Preparation of Safety Data Sheets for Hazardous Chemicals Code of Practice

Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons

Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road & Rail.

Modell Work Health and Safety Regulations, Schedule 10: Prohibited carcinogens, restricted carcinogens and restricted hazardous chemicals.

Workplace exposure standards for airborne contaminants, Safe work, Australia

American Conference of Industrial Hygienists (ACGIH)

Globally Harmonised System of classification and labelling of chemicals.

WELDING (1): Due to the diversity of welding techniques, processes, materials used, nature of the surface being welded and the presence of contaminants, the fumes & gases associated with welding will vary in composition and quantity. When assessing a welding process, the toxic fumes generated may not only be

associated with the parent metal, filler wire or electrode. The welding/cutting arc may generate nitrogen oxides, carbon monoxide & other gases, whilst UV radiation emitted from some arcs generates ozone. Ozone may irritate mucous membranes and cause pulmonary oedema & haemorrhage. Shielding gases (e.g. carbon dioxide and inert gases i.e. argon and helium) in high concentrations, in confined spaces, may reduce oxygen in the atmosphere to dangerous levels, resulting in possible asphyxiation.

WELDING (2): In addition to complying with individual exposure standards for specific contaminants, where current manual welding processes are used, the fume concentration inside the welder's helmet should not exceed 5 mg/m³ (unless otherwise classified) when collected in accordance with Australian Standard AS 3853.1: Fume from welding and allied processes - Guide to methods for the sampling and analysis of particulate matter and AS 3853.2: Fume from welding and allied processes - Guide to methods for the sampling and analysis of gases. Airway irritation and metal fume fever are the most common acute effects from welding fumes. Reported to cause reduced sperm quality in welders.

WELDING (3): Other gases and fumes associated with welding processes include: Inert shielding gases (e.g. argon, carbon dioxide, helium) which may reduce the atmospheric oxygen content in poorly ventilated areas. UV-radiation and Infra-Red radiation may decompose chlorinated degreasing agents to form highly toxic and irritating phosgene gas. This may occur if a metal has been degreased but inadequately dried or when vapours from a nearby degreasing bath enter the welding zone.

WELDING (4): Welding fumes may contain a wide variety of chemical contaminants, including oxides and salts of metals and other compounds which may be generated from electrodes, filler wire, flux materials and from the welded material (e.g. painted surfaces). Welding stainless-steel and its alloys generates nickel and chromium (VI) compounds. Welding fumes are retained in the lungs. Sparingly soluble compounds may be released slowly from the lungs. Welding fume is classified as possibly carcinogenic to humans (IARC Group 2B).

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT GUIDELINES:

The recommendation for protective equipment contained within this report is provided as a guide only. Factors such as 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.

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