

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE PRODUCT AND THE COMPANY

Identification of substance / preparation

PRODUCT: **CONTEX BRAKE FLUID DOT 4**

Application

BRAKE FLUIDS

For specific application advice see appropriate Technical Data Sheet.

Company Identification

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2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Composition: MIXTURE

COMPONENTS	CAS#	PERCENTAGE
GLYCOL ETHERS	MIXTURE	70 - 80
PERFORMANCE ADDITIVES	PROPRIETARY	<2.5

There are no ingredients present which, within the current knowledge of the supplier and in the concentrations applicable, are classified as hazardous to health or the environment and hence require reporting in this

Occupational exposure limits, if available, are listed in Section 8.

3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification of the substance or mixture: Not classified

GHS LABEL ELEMENTS

• **Signal word**: No signal word.

- **Hazard statements**: No known significant effects or critical hazards.
- Precautionary statements in general: P103 (READ LABEL BEFORE USE), P102 (KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN
- Prevention: Not applicable.
- Response: Not applicable.
- Storage: Not applicable.
- **Disposal:** Not applicable.
- Other hazards which do not result in classification: Defatting to the skin.

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4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

Eyes

Wash eye thoroughly with copious quantities of water, ensuring eyelids are held open. Obtain medical advice if any pain or redness develops or persists.

Skin

Wash skin thoroughly with soap and water as soon as reasonably practicable. Remove heavily contaminated clothing and wash underlying skin.

Ingestion

If contamination of the mouth occurs, wash out thoroughly with water. Except as a deliberate act, the ingestion of large amounts of product is unlikely. If it should occur, do not induce vomiting; obtain medical advice.

Inhalation

If inhalation of mists, fumes or vapour causes irritation to the nose or throat, or coughing, remove to fresh air. If symptoms persist obtain medical advice.

Medical Advice

Treatment should in general be symptomatic and directed to relieving any effects.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Extinguishing media: CO2, sand, use foam, dry chemicals

Unsuitable extinguishing media: DO NOT USE WATER JET

Combustion Products

Toxic fumes may be evolved on burning or exposure to heat. See Stability and Reactivity, Section 10 of this Safety Data Sheet.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

PERSONAL PRECAUTIONS, PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT AND EMERGENCY PROCEDURES:

PERSONAL PROTECTION: For small spills, wear Natural rubber, Butyl rubber, Nitrile or PVC gloves, glasses/goggles, boots and full-length clothing. During routine operation a respirator is not required. However, if mists or vapours are generated, an approved organic vapour/particulate respirator is required. For large spills, or in confined spaces, a full chemically resistant body-suit is recommended and the atmosphere must be evaluated for oxygen deficiency. If in doubt about potential oxygen deficiency wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

CONTROL MEASURES: Ventilate area and extinguish and/or remove all sources of ignition. Stop the leak if safe to do so. CAUTION: The spilled product will be slippery. Avoid contact with the spilled material.



EMERGENCY PROCEDURES: In the event of a spill or accidental release, notify the relevant authorities in accordance with all applicable regulations.

ENVIRONMENTAL PRECAUTIONS:

SPILL ADVICE: Do not allow product to enter drains, surface water, sewers or watercourses - inform local authorities if this occurs.

METHODS AND MATERIALS FOR CONTAINMENT AND CLEANING UP:

CONTAINMENT: Contain the spill and absorb with a proprietary absorbent material, sand or earth. For large spills prepare a bund/barrier/dyke ahead of the spill to confine the spill and allow later recovery. If there is the possibility of spills to enter drains, surface water, sewers or watercourses ensure bunding, or that drains are covered, to minimize the potential for this to occur.

CLEANING PROCEDURES: Having contained the spill, as mentioned above, collect all material quickly and place used absorbent in suitable containers. Follow local regulations for the disposal of waste. For large spills that have been bunded, the material can be pumped into vessels and returned for reprocessing or destruction. Personnel must wear gloves, goggles or glasses, boots and full-length clothing during cleaning procedures. Wash contaminated area and objects with detergent and water after spill has been cleared. Rinse the cleaned area with water. Do not allow wash water or rinsing's to enter drains, surface water, sewers or water courses.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

PRECAUTIONS FOR SAFE HANDLING:

SAFE HANDLING: Avoid contact with the product by using appropriate protective equipment such as gloves, glasses or goggles and full-length clothing. Prevent small spills and leakage to avoid slip hazards. Properly dispose of any contaminated rags or cleaning materials in order to prevent fire hazards. Eating, drinking and smoking should be prohibited in the area where this material is handled, stored and processed. Workers should follow good personal hygiene practices, such as washing hands before eating, drinking and smoking. Remove contaminated clothing and protective equipment before entering eating areas. Keep containers tightly closed when not in use. Prevent product from entering waterways, drains or sewers.

CONDITIONS FOR SAFE STORAGE, INCLUDING ANY INCOMPATABILITIES:

SAFE STORAGE: Store in a dry, well ventilated area away from direct sunlight, ignition sources, oxidising agents, foodstuffs, animal feed and clothing. Keep containers closed when not in use. Containers that have been opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Store only in original containers. Keep out of reach of children.

INCOMPATIBILITIES: Mineral oils and strong oxidizing substances including strong acids, as well as isocyanates.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Exposure Limits

There is no appropriate occupational exposure limit for this material. Ensure good ventilation.

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Avoid, as far as reasonably practicable, inhalation of vapour, mists or fumes generated during use.

If vapours, mists or fumes are generated, their concentration in the workplace air should be controlled to the lowest reasonably practicable level.

Protective Clothing

Wear face visor or goggles in circumstances where eye contact can accidentally occur.

If skin contact is likely, wear impervious protective clothing and/or gloves.

Protective clothing should be regularly dry-cleaned. Change heavily contaminated clothing as soon as reasonably practicable; dry clean, launder and preferably starch before re-use. Wash any contaminated underlying skin with soap and water.

Respiratory Protection

Respiratory protection is unnecessary, provided the concentration of vapor, mists or fumes is adequately controlled.

The use of respiratory equipment must be strictly in accordance with the manufacturers' instructions and any statutory requirements governing its selection and use.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Particulars	Values
Appearance	Clear & Bright
Density @ 20°C	1.07
pH,	8.4
Water Content, %	0.15
Viscosity @ -40°C, cSt	663
Viscosity @ 100°C, cSt	1.5 min
Wet Equilibrium Reflux Boiling Point, ⁰ C	162
Equilibrium Reflux Boiling Point, ⁰ C	269

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided: Stable if used according to specification. Dangerous reactions: avoid contact with strong bases, strong acids, strong oxidizing substances, perchloric acid, chromyl chloride. Protect from moisture. Products of this type are stable and unlikely to react in a hazardous manner under normal conditions of use.

Materials to Avoid

Avoid contact with strong oxidizing agents.

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Hazardous Decomposition Products

Thermal decomposition products will vary with conditions.

Incomplete combustion will generate smoke, carbon dioxide and hazardous gases, including carbon monoxide, hydrogen sulphide and oxides of sulphur and phosphorus.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Eves

Unlikely to cause more than transient stinging or redness if accidental eye contact occurs.

Skin

Unlikely to cause harm to the skin on brief or occasional contact but prolonged or repeated exposure may lead to dermatitis.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Comments about ecotoxicity:

Ecotoxical effects: Biodegradable – more than 85% after 30 days. Degrades faster in the atmospheric environment.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Dispose in designated disposal containers, not into effluent or water sources.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Road (ADR) / Rail (RID) : Not regulated

Transport by barge (ADNR): Not regulated

Marine (IMO-IMDG): Not regulated

Air (ICAO / IATA): Not regulated

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Not classified as hazardous for supply.

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16. OTHER INFORMATION

Explanations of R-phrases in section 2: R22 -- Harmful if swallowed

R23/24/25 -- Toxic by inhalation, in contact with skin and if

swallowed

R33 -- Danger of cumulative effects R36/38 -- Irritating to eyes and skin

R38 -- Irritating to skin

R41 -- Risk of serious damage to eye

R51/53 -- Toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term

adverse effects in the aquatic environment

R50/53 -- Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-

term adverse effects in aquatic environment

R52/53 -- Harmful to aquatic organisms, may cause long-

term adverse effects in aquatic environment R62 -- Possible risk of impaired fertility

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END OF MSDS

