

SAFETY DATA SHEET according to regulation (EC) No.1907/2006

SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and company

1.1. Product Identifier

Product code: A3MDJ

Name: Grease Release

1.2. Product Uses

Emulsifiable solvent for degreasing, dewaxing and removing oil residues from engines, metal components, machinery, motor vehicles and concrete floors.

1.3. Supplier

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1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency telephone number: 01708 726995

SECTION 2: Hazards identification (Undiluted product)

2.1. Classification of the mixture

According to 1272/2008

Health Hazards: Asp. Tox. 1, Eye Irrit. 2

Physical Hazards: Not Classified

Environmental Hazards: Not Classified

2.2. Label elements

According to 1272/2008

Danger



H319 Causes serious eye irritation

H304 May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways

P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face 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.

P301 + P330 + P331 IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

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

P405 Store locked up.

2.3. Other hazards

SECTION 3: Composition/ information on ingredients

Material	CAS number	Level	Hazards (see section 16)	
Hydrocarbon solvent	64742-47-8	70-100%	Asp. Tox. 1	H304
Nonionic surfactant	106232-83-1	0-1%	Aquatic Acute 1, Eye Dam. 1	H318 H400

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

Eye contact: Immediately flush eyes with water, holding eyelids apart, for at least 10 minutes. Seek medical assistance if irritation persists.

Skin contact: Remove contaminated clothing, wash skin with soap and water. Seek medical attention if irritation persists.

Inhalation: In case of overexposure, remove to fresh air, keep warm and at rest, seek medical assistance immediately.

Ingestion: Do not induce vomiting. Seek medical assistance immediately.

First aider PPE: As required to prevent contact. See section 8.2.

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Eye hazard: Will cause irritation.

Skin hazard: Prolonged or repeated contact may cause irritation/dryness.

Respiratory hazard: Moderate toxicity. Main danger is of lung damage by aspiration.

Other hazards:

4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No special treatment or attention required additional to section 4.2.

SECTION 5: Fire fighting measures

Flammability hazard: Not classified as flammable but will support combustion.

5.1. Extinguishing media

Use foam, dry powder or carbon dioxide.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the mixture

No specific hazards arising from the mixture. May produce toxic fumes under extreme heating in fire.

5.3. Advice for firefighters

No special measures arising from the mixture.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Take precautions to avoid contact. Use Personal Protective Equipment as detailed in section 8

Spillage may make floors slippery. Keep the area clear. Observe regulations.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Prevent spills from entering water courses.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Absorb using sand or other inert material and transfer to suitable containers for disposal.

6.4. Reference to other sections

Observe the advice given in sections 8 and 13

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

Shelf life: 24 months in original sealed containers.

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Do not mix with other products. Observe good industrial hygiene.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store in a cool, dry place protected from frost and away from acids, strong oxidising agents and sources of ignition. Store upright in original containers.

7.3. Product Uses

Grease Release is applied as supplied to the soiled surface and brushed well in. It is then rinsed off with clean water. Please refer to product safety data sheet before use. Use only as directed.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

Workplace exposure limits

Hydrocarbon solvent 600mg/m³ WEL 8 hour TWA (Recommended)

8.2. Exposure controls

These measures are suggested on the basis of general use methods and may not be appropriate to all potential uses of the product. The user is responsible for carrying out a full risk assessment of their specific processes and systems of work.

Eye protection: Wear eye protection appropriate to the process according to BS EN 166.
Hand protection: Wear nitrile or neoprene gloves. Exact choice of glove depends on specific risk assessments.
Body protection: As necessary to prevent contact.
Respiratory protection: Use in a well ventilated area. Avoid breathing vapour or spray. Wear a respirator if necessary.
Other protection:

Personal protective equipment:



Exact PPE requirements should be determined from a specific risk assessment of the processes being carried out.

Environmental protection: Prevent mixture from entering water courses.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance: Red liquid

Odour: Characteristic, mild

pH (typical): 7.0 1% in water (typical).

Initial boiling point: 200°C.

Flash point: >70° C

Auto-ignition temp: >200°C.

Viscosity: Free flowing.

Explosive properties: None.

Oxidising properties: None.

Vapour pressure: < 5mbar at 38°C

Solubility: Emulsifies in water.

Relative density at 20°C (typical): 0.800

9.2. Other information

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

- 10.1. Reactivity** Incompatible with strong oxidising agents and acids.
- 10.2. Chemical stability** Stable under recommended storage conditions.
- 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions** No hazardous reactions are expected to occur.
- 10.4. Conditions to avoid** Extremes of temperature. Exposure to flames.
- 10.5. Incompatible materials** Incompatible with strong oxidising agents and acids.
- 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products** May produce toxic fumes in fire.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

- Acute toxicity: Does not contain any ingredients classified as acutely toxic.
- Skin corrosion/ irritation: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- Serious eye damage/ irritation: Mixture is classified as Eye Irrit. 2. See section 2.
- Respiratory or skin sensitisation: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- 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: Does not contain any ingredients classified as toxic for reproduction.
- STOT single exposure: Does not contain any ingredients classified as STOT SE.
- STOT repeated exposure: Does not contain any ingredients classified as STOT RE.
- Aspiration toxicity: Mixture is classified as Asp Tox. 1. See section 2.

Routes of exposure/ symptoms

- Eye contact: Will cause irritation.
- Skin contact: Prolonged or repeated contact may cause irritation/dryness.
- Inhalation: Excessive exposure may cause irritation of the respiratory tract, headache, dizziness and nausea.
- Ingestion: Moderate toxicity. Main danger is of lung damage by aspiration.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

- 12.1. Toxicity** May affect aquatic organisms due to hydrocarbon content if released into water courses untreated.
- 12.2. Persistence and degradability** All organic ingredients are biodegradable when well diluted. Surfactants used comply with biodegradation criteria, see section 15.1.
- 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential** Not expected to bioaccumulate
- 12.4. Mobility in soil** This product has high water solubility
- 12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment** Contains no ingredients classified as PBT or vPvB.
- 12.6. Other adverse effects** No other adverse effects are anticipated.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

- Dispose of used cloths carefully - fire hazard.
- Dispose of surplus product and packaging via a licenced chemical waste contractor.

SECTION 14: Transport information

- 14.1. UN number** Not classified **14.2. UN proper shipping name** N/a
- 14.3. Transport hazard class(es)** N/a **14.4. Packing group** Na
- 14.5. Environmental hazards** Not classified as environmentally hazardous for transport
- 14.6. Special precautions for user** No specific precautions.
- 14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 7 3/78 and the IBC Code** Not available for bulk transport.

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/ legislation specific for the substance or mixture

Contents according to (EC) regulation No.648/2004 on detergents:

Aliphatic hydrocarbons	>30%
Nonionic surfactants	<5%

The surfactant(s) contained in this preparation comply with the biodegradability criteria laid down in Regulation (EC) No 648/2004 on detergents.

Data to support this assertion are held at the disposal of the competent authorities of the member states and will be made available to them at their direct request.

15.2. Chemical safety assessment A chemical safety assessment has not been carried out.

SECTION 16: Other information

Hazard statements relating to ingredients (see section 3)

H304 May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways

H318 Causes serious eye damage

H400 Very toxic to aquatic life

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This product should be stored, handled and used in accordance with good industrial practice and in conformity with legal regulations. The information in this data sheet is based on the present state of our knowledge and is intended to describe products from the point of view of safety requirements and thus should not be construed as guaranteeing specific properties. It is for users to satisfy themselves of the suitability of this product for their own applications.

