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# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET Brake Fluid Dot 4

#### 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name: Brake Fluid Dot 4
Manufacturer/Supplier OILFLOW cc

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## 2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON THE COMPONENTS

#### **Hazardous Components in Product**

Polyethylene Glycols, Polyglycol Ethers, and Glycol Ether Esters 100% With added corrosion and oxidation inhibitors.

### 3. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

Warning Statements Harmful or fatal if swallowed.

Keep out of reach of children. May cause irritation

Eyes May cause eye irritation

Oral Expected to have moderate acute toxicity by ingestion.

Liver and/or kidney damage have been reported to

occur following Significant overexposures.

Inhalation Irritation of the nose, throat and lungs, headache, nausea,

drowsiness, dizziness or unconsciousness may result from exposure to vapours or mists present in poorly ventilated or confined areas or generated from spraying or heating the

material.

Skin Expected to cause no more than minor skin irritation.

Prolonged or frequently repeated contact may cause more severe irritation or may cause the skin to become cracked or dry from the

defatting action of this material.

Long Term Toxic Effects Contains a solvent that may cause adverse systemic effects when

ingested, inhaled, or absorbed through the skin.



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#### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

First Aid - Skin

First Aid - Inhalation

First Aid – Eyes Flush eyes immediately with fresh water for several minutes while

holding the eyelids open. If irritation persists, see a doctor.

Remove and launder contaminated clothing, including shoes.

Wash skin thoroughly with soap and water. See a doctor if any

signs or symptoms described in this MSDS occur.

First Aid – Ingestion If swallowed and person is conscious, give water or milk to drink

and seek prompt medical advice. DO NOT make person vomit unless directed to do so by medical personnel. If medical advice cannot be obtained, take the person with product container and label to the nearest medical emergency treatment centre or hospital. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If there are signs or symptoms as described in this MSDS due to

if there are signs or symptoms as described in this MSDS due to breathing this material, move the person to fresh air. If breathing

has stopped, apply artificial respiration. Call a doctor.

Advice to Doctor Non-Applicable.

#### 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Ignition Temp (degrees C) >300

Flammable Limits (% By volume)

Flash Point (degrees C)

Fire Extinguishing Agents

Not Determined

>134 (PMCC)

According to the

According to the US National Fire Protection Association Guide use water spray, dry chemical, foam, or carbon dioxide. Water or foam may cause frothing. Use water to cool fire-exposed containers. IF a leak or spill has not ignited, use water spray to disperse the vapours and to provide protection for persons

attempting to stop the leak.

Explosion Hazards For fires involving this material, do not enter any enclosed or

Confined space without self-contained breathing apparatus to protect against the hazardous effects of combustion products or

oxygen deficiency.

#### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal Precautions Environmental Precautions Spillages Material can create slippery conditions underfoot.

Try to prevent the material from entering drains or watercourses.

Contain and absorb using diatomaceous earth or other inert material. Transfer into suitable containers for disposal.





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### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling No special precautions are required.

Storage Storage temperature should be controlled to between 1 and 40°C.

Where outside storage of drums is unavoidable, they should be

stored horizontally to avoid ingress of water.

### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Eyes Avoid eye contact. The wearing of chemical safety goggles or face

shield is recommended.

Skin Avoid contact with skin or clothing. Skin contact can be minimized

by wearing impervious protective clothing including gloves.

Protective clothing made from neoprene, nitrile, or n-butyl rubber

is suitable in these applications.

Inhalation None Required. However, an approved respirator is

recommended if operating conditions generate vapour, mists or fumes, and if exposure cannot adequately be controlled by local exhaust ventilation. Wear approved respiratory protection such

as a toxic dust, mist a fume respirator.

Ventilation No special ventilation is usually necessary. However, if operating

conditions create high airborne concentrations of this material, engineering controls may be needed. Local exhaust ventilation and/or enclosure of the process is preferred in these cases.

Exposure Limits None established for product.

### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance & Odour Colourless to amber liquid

Boiling Point  ${}^{\circ}$ C >260 Vapor Pr (mmHg@ 25 ${}^{\circ}$ C) Low Density (kg/L at 20 ${}^{\circ}$ C) 1,05

Vapor Density Not Determined

pH of Undiluted Product 7-11 Solubility (water) Soluble

Percent volatile by Volume

Evaporation

Viscosity @100°C

Not Determined

Not Determined

2mm²/s





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### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Hazardous Polymerizations Do not Occur

Products of Combustion Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide may be formed on burning

in limited air supply.

Conditions to Avoid Strong oxidizers such as chlorates, nitrates, peroxides, etc.

#### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

General This product contains polyakylene glycols, polyalkylene glycol

ethers, and ether esters. Reported effects include kidney damage from high doses or from prolonged or repeated exposure. While normal use of this material should not result in any adverse effects, we strongly recommend that the precautions outlined in this MSDS be followed to reduce skin contact and keep potential

inhalation of mists to a minimum.

### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Environmental Effects This product is expected to have a moderate (>30%) rate of

biodegradation, and a low potential to bio accumulate.

### 13. DISPOSAL

Waste Disposal Check governmental regulations and local authorities for

approved

Disposal of this material.

Remarks Releases of this product should be prevented from contaminating

soil, and from entering drainage, sewer systems, and all bodies of

water.

#### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Un Class Not Applicable
DGC Not Applicable
Proper Shipping Name Not Applicable





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Hazchem Code Not Applicable
Additional Information None Determined

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Respirator Respirators must follow AS/NZS 1715/1716 standard for approved

respirators.

In the absence of local approved authorities, follow US NIOSH/MSHA, UK

BSI, or joint Australia – New Zealand A/NZS 1715/1716

## **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

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To the best of our knowledge, the information contained herein is accurate. Although certain hazards may be described we cannot predict that these are the only hazards, or combination of hazards, that may exist in a workplace. This MSDS, therefore, forms a component only of a risk assessment carried out by, or on behalf of, the user.

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