



SPECIALIST



Safety Data Sheet



1 - Chemical Product and Company Identification

Manufacturer: WD-40 Company Address: 9715 Businesspark Avenue San Diego, California, USA 92131 Telephone: 1-800-448-9340 1-858-251-5600 Emergency: 1-888-324-7596 Information: 1-888-324-7596 Chemical Spills: 1-800-424-9300 (Chemtrec) 1-703-527-3887 (International Calls)	Trade Name: WD-40 Specialist White Lithium Grease Chemical Name: Organic Mixture Product Use: Cleaner, Lubricant SDS Date Of Preparation: June 24, 2020
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2 – Hazards Identification

GHS Classification:

Flammable Aerosol Category 1



DANGER!

H222 Extremely Flammable Aerosol.

H229 Pressurized container: may burst if heated.

Prevention

P210 Keep away from heat, sparks, open flames, and hot surfaces. No smoking.

P211 Do not spray on an open flame or other ignition source.

P251 Do not pierce or burn, even after use.

Storage

P410+P412 Protect from sunlight. Do not expose to temperatures exceeding 50°C/122°F.

3 - Composition/Information on Ingredients

Ingredient	CAS #	Weight Percent	GHS Classification
Propellant (propane, n-butane)	74-98-6 106-97-8	40-60%	Flammable Gas Category 1 Gas Under Pressure, Compressed Gas
Petroleum Solvents	64742-47-8 64742-88-7	25-40%	Aspiration Toxicity Category 1
Hydrotreated Heavy Naphthenic Distillate	64742-52-5	<10%	Not Hazardous
Solvent-refined Heavy Paraffinic Petroleum Distillates	64741-88-4	<10%	Not Hazardous
Titanium Dioxide	13463-67-7	<5%	Carcinogen Category 2*

* Carcinogen classification applies to respirable forms only. Not applicable to this product.

4 – First Aid Measures

Ingestion (Swallowed): Do not induce vomiting. Call a physician, poison control center, or the WD-40 Safety Hotline at 1-888-324-7596. Rinse mouth with water and give one eight-ounce glass of water to drink if the patient is conscious and responsive. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

Eye Contact: Flush thoroughly with water. Get medical attention if irritation persists.

Skin Contact: Wash with soap and water. If irritation develops and persists, get medical attention.

Inhalation (Breathing): If irritation is experienced, move to fresh air. Get medical attention if irritation or other symptoms develop and persist.

Most Important Symptoms (acute and delayed): May cause eye, skin and respiratory tract irritation.

Indication of Immediate Medical Attention or Special Treatment: Immediate medical attention is not required.

5 – Fire Fighting Measures

Extinguishing Media: Use water fog, dry chemical, carbon dioxide or foam. Cool fire exposed containers with water.

Special Fire Fighting Procedures: Firefighters should always wear positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing. Cool fire-exposed containers with water. Use shielding to protect against bursting cans.

Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards: Extremely flammable aerosol. Contents under pressure. Keep away from ignition source and open fire. Exposure of containers to extreme heat and flames can cause them to rupture often with violent force. This material can release flammable vapors when heated above ambient temperatures. Vapors can cause a flash fire. Vapors are heavier than air and may travel along surfaces to remote ignition sources and flash back. A vapor and air mixture can create an explosion hazard in confined spaces.

6 – Accidental Release Measures

Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures: Eliminate all sources of ignition and ventilate area. Wear appropriate protective clothing (see Section 8).

Environmental Precautions: Report spills to authorities as required.

Methods and Materials for Containment/Cleanup: Leaking cans should be placed in a plastic bag or open pail until the pressure has dissipated. Contain and collect liquid with an inert absorbent and place in a container for disposal. Clean spill area thoroughly. Report spills to authorities as required.

7 – Handling and Storage

Precautions for Safe Handling: Avoid contact with eyes. Avoid prolonged contact with skin. Avoid breathing vapors or aerosols. Use only with adequate ventilation. Keep away from heat, sparks, pilot lights, hot surfaces and open flames. Unplug electrical tools, motors and appliances before spraying or bringing the can near any source of electricity. Electricity can burn a hole in the can and cause contents to burst into flames. To avoid serious burn injury, do not let the can touch battery terminals, electrical connections on motors or appliances or any other source of electricity. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Keep containers closed when not in use. Keep out of the reach of children. Do not puncture, crush or incinerate containers, even when empty.

Conditions for Safe Storage, including any incompatibilities: Store in a cool, well-ventilated area, away from incompatible materials. Do not store in direct sunlight or above 120°F. U.F.C (NFPA 30B) Level 3 Aerosol.

8 – Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Chemical	Occupational Exposure Limits
Propane	1000 ppm TWA OSHA PEL
n-Butane	1000 ppm STEL ACGIH TLV
Petroleum Solvents	1200 mg/m3 TWA Supplier Recommended (total hydrocarbon)
Hydrotreated Heavy Naphthenic Distillate	5 mg/m3 TWA (inhalable) ACGIH TLV (as mineral oil) 5 mg/m3 TWA OSHA PEL (as oil mist, mineral)
Solvent-refined Heavy Paraffinic Petroleum Distillates	5 mg/m3 TWA (inhalable) ACGIH TLV (as mineral oil) 5 mg/m3 TWA OSHA PEL (as oil mist, mineral)
Titanium Dioxide	10 mg/m3 TWA ACGIH TLV 15 mg/m3 TWA OSHA PEL (total dust)

The Following Controls are Recommended for Normal Consumer Use of this Product

Engineering Controls: Use in a well-ventilated area.

Personal Protection:

Eye Protection: Avoid eye contact. Always spray away from face.

Skin Protection: Avoid prolonged skin contact. Chemical resistant gloves recommended for operations where prolonged skin contact is likely.

Respiratory Protection: None needed for normal use with adequate ventilation.

For Bulk Processing or Workplace Use the Following Controls are Recommended

Engineering Controls: Use adequate general and local exhaust ventilation to maintain exposure levels below that occupational exposure limits.

Personal Protection:

Eye Protection: Safety goggles recommended where eye contact is possible.

Skin Protection: Wear chemical resistant gloves.

Respiratory Protection: None required if ventilation is adequate. If the occupational exposure limits are exceeded, wear a NIOSH approved respirator. Respirator selection and use should be based on contaminant type, form and concentration. Follow OSHA 1910.134, ANSI Z88.2 and good Industrial Hygiene practice.

Work/Hygiene Practices: Wash with soap and water after handling.

9 – Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance:	Off-white liquid	Flammable Limits:	LEL: 0.6% UEL: 4.9% (Petroleum Solvent)
Odor:	Petroleum odor	Vapor Pressure:	35-60 psi @ 21.1°C (70°F)
Odor Threshold:	Not established	Vapor Density:	Not established
pH:	Not established	Relative Density:	0.74
Melting/Freezing Point:	Not established	Solubilities:	Insoluble in water
Boiling Point/Range:	227-253°C (441-487°F) (Petroleum Solvent)	Partition Coefficient; n-octanol/water:	Not established
Flash Point:	-28.89°C (-20°F) (TOC)	Autoignition Temperature:	Not established
Evaporation Rate:	Not established	Decomposition Temperature:	Not established
Flammability (solid, gas):	Flammable Aerosol	Viscosity:	>20.5 mm ² /sec @ 40°C (104°F)
VOC:	48.3%	Pour Point:	Not established

10 – Stability and Reactivity

Reactivity: Non-reactive

Chemical Stability: Stable under normal storage and handling conditions.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions: Hazardous polymerization will not occur.

Conditions to Avoid: Avoid heat, sparks, flames and other sources of ignition. Do not puncture or incinerate containers.

Incompatible Materials: Strong acids, alkalis, and oxidizers.

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide, oxides of nitrogen and sulfur, smoke, fumes, and/or unburned hydrocarbons.

11 – Toxicological Information**Symptoms of Overexposure:**

Inhalation: Mist or vapor can irritate the throat and lungs. High concentrations may cause nasal and respiratory irritation and central nervous system effects such as headache, dizziness and nausea. Intentional abuse may be harmful or fatal.

Skin Contact: May cause skin irritation with short-term exposure with redness, itching and burning of the skin. Prolonged and/or repeated contact may produce defatting and dermatitis.

Eye Contact: Contact may be irritating to eyes. May cause redness, stinging, swelling and tearing.

Ingestion: This product has low oral toxicity. If swallowed, this material may cause irritation of the mouth, throat and esophagus. Swallowing may cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, dizziness, drowsiness and other central nervous system effects.

Chronic Effects: Prolonged or repeated skin contact may defeat the skin resulting in irritation and dermatitis.

Carcinogen Status: This product contains small amount of titanium dioxide, which is listed by IARC as a suspected carcinogen (Group 2B). Titanium dioxide only presents a risk of cancer by inhalation of very fine dust. In this product, the titanium dioxide is incorporated into the grease and is not present as a respirable dust. There is no exposure to respirable titanium dioxide dust in the normal use of this product. None of the other components are listed as a carcinogen or suspect carcinogen by IARC, NTP, ACGIH or OSHA.

Reproductive Toxicity: None of the components of this product is considered a reproductive hazard.

Numerical Measures of Toxicity:

The oral toxicity of this product is estimated to be greater than 5,000 mg/kg based on an assessment of the ingredients. This product is not classified as toxic by established criteria. Based on the viscosity, this product is not an aspiration hazard.

12 – Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity: No specific aquatic toxicity data is currently available.

Persistence and Degradability: No data available.

Bioaccumulative Potential: No data available.

Mobility in Soil: No data available

Other Adverse Effects: None known

13 - Disposal Considerations

Aerosol containers should not be punctured, compacted in home trash compactors or incinerated. Empty containers may be disposed of through normal waste management options. Dispose of all waste product, absorbents, and other materials in accordance with applicable Federal, state and local regulations.

14 – Transportation Information

DOT Surface Shipping Description: UN1950, Aerosols, 2.1 Ltd. Qty

(Note: Shipping Papers are not required for Limited Quantities unless transported by air or vessel – each package must be marked with the Limited Quantity Mark)

IMDG Shipping Description: UN1950, Aerosols, 2.1, LTD QTY

ICAO Shipping Description: UN1950, Aerosols, flammable, 2.1

NOTE: WD-40 Company does not test aerosol cans to assure that they meet the pressure and other requirements for transport by air. We do not recommend that our aerosol products be transported by air.

15 – Regulatory Information

U.S. Federal Regulations:

CERCLA 103 Reportable Quantity: This product is not subject to CERCLA reporting requirements, however, oil spills are reportable to the National Response Center under the Clean Water Act and many states have more stringent release reporting requirements. Report spills required under federal, state and local regulations.

SARA TITLE III:

Hazard Category For Section 311/312: See OSHA Hazard Classification in Section 2.

Section 313 Toxic Chemicals: This product contains the following chemicals subject to SARA Title III Section 313 Reporting requirements: None

Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances (TPQ): None

EPA Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Status: All of the components of this product are listed on the TSCA inventory

International Information:

China Regulations on the Control over Safety of Dangerous Chemicals: All ingredients in this product are listed on the IECSC (Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China 2010).

Korea: All of the components of this product are listed on the Korean chemical inventory.

Philippines: All of the components of this product are listed on the PICCS inventory.

Japan: All of the components of this product are listed on the Japanese chemical inventory or exempt from notification.

Taiwan: This product contains an ingredient that is not listed on the Taiwan Inventory. Contact WD-40 for more information.

16 – Other Information:

HMIS Hazard Rating:

Health – 1 (slight hazard), Fire Hazard – 4 (severe hazard), Physical Hazard – 0 (minimal hazard)

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