



**SPECIALIST**




# Safety Data Sheet



## 1 - Chemical Product and Company Identification

<b>Manufacturer:</b> WD-40 Company <b>Address:</b> 9715 Businesspark Ave San Diego, CA , USA <b>Post code:</b> 92131 <b>Telephone:</b> +1-800-448-9340 +1-858-251-5600  <b>24 Hour Emergency Phone Number:</b> 1-888-324-7596 (PROSAR) <b>Chemical Spills:</b> 1-800-424-9300 (Chemtrec) 1-703-527-3887 (International Calls)	<b>Chemical Name:</b> Organic Mixture  <b>Trade Name:</b> WD-40 Specialist Degreaser  <b>Product Use:</b> Cleaner, Degreaser  <b>SDS Date Of Preparation:</b> June 24, 2020
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## 2 – Hazards Identification

<b>GHS Classification:</b> Flammable Aerosol Category 1 Eye Irritant Category 2    <b>DANGER!</b> H222 Extremely flammable aerosol. H229 Pressurized container: may burst if heated. H319 Causes serious eye irritation. <b>Prevention</b> 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. P264 Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. P280 Wear eye protection. <b>Response</b> 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 attention. <b>Storage</b> P410+P412 Protect from sunlight. Do not expose to temperatures exceeding 50°C/122°F.
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## 3 - Composition/Information on Ingredients

Ingredient	CAS #	Weight Percent	GHS Classification
2-(2-butoxyethoxy) ethanol	112-34-5	5-15%	Eye Irritant Category 2
Liquefied Petroleum Gas (propane, n-butane)	68476-86-8	<10%	Flammable Gas Category 1 Gas Under Pressure, Compressed Gas

## 4 – First Aid Measures

<b>Ingestion (Swallowed):</b> 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.
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**Eye Contact:** Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, lifting upper and lower eyelids occasionally. 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 moderate eye irritation. Prolonged skin contact may cause drying of the skin.

**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. Do not use water jet or flooding amounts of 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 containers.

**Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards:** Extremely flammable aerosol. Contents under pressure. Keep away from ignition sources and open flames. Exposure of containers to extreme heat and flames can cause them to rupture often with violent force. 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. **Intentional misuse by deliberately concentrating vapors and inhaling can be harmful or fatal.** 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 1 Aerosol. Store away from oxidizers.

## 8 – Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Chemical	Occupational Exposure Limits
2-(2-butoxyethoxy) ethanol	10 ppm TWA ACGIH TLV (inhalable fraction and vapor)
Propane	1000 ppm TWA OSHA PEL
n-Butane	1000 ppm STEL ACGIH TLV

### 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. Wash hands with soap and water after use.

**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 appropriate protective clothing and chemical-resistant gloves to avoid prolonged skin contact. Wash thoroughly after handling.

**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:	Colorless liquid	Flammable Limits:	None
Odor:	Mild ether odor	Vapor Pressure:	Same as water
Odor Threshold:	Not established	Vapor Density:	Same as water
pH:	Not Applicable	Relative Density:	Not established
Melting/Freezing Point:	Not established	Solubilities:	Soluble in water
Boiling Point/Range:	~212°F (100°C)	Partition Coefficient; n-octanol/water:	Not Determined
Flash Point:	Not established	Autoignition Temperature:	Not established
Evaporation Rate:	Not established	Decomposition Temperature:	Not established
Flammability (solid, gas):	Flammable Aerosol	Viscosity:	Not established
VOC:	Not established	Pour Point:	Not established

**10 – Stability and Reactivity**

**Reactivity:** Not reactive under normal conditions.

**Chemical Stability:** Stable

**Possibility of Hazardous Reactions:** Will not occur.

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

**Incompatible Materials:** Strong oxidizing agents, strong acids and bases.

**Hazardous Decomposition Products:** Carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, and sodium oxides.

**11 – Toxicological Information**

**Symptoms of Overexposure:**

**Inhalation:** Mist or vapor can irritate the throat and lungs. High concentrations may cause nasal and respiratory irritation. 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 possible dermatitis.

**Eye Contact:** Contact may be moderately 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 large amounts may cause intestinal upset.

**Chronic Effects:** None known.

**Medical Conditions Aggravated by Exposure:** Preexisting eye, skin and respiratory conditions may be aggravated by exposure.

**Suspected Cancer Agent:**

Yes No X

**Numerical Measures of Toxicity:**

The oral toxicity of this product is estimated to be greater than 5,000 mg/kg and the dermal toxicity greater than 2,000 mg/kg based on an assessment of the ingredients. This product is not classified as toxic by established criteria.

## 12 – Ecological Information

**Ecotoxicity:** No data is currently available.  
**Persistence and Degradability:** No data is currently available.  
**Bioaccumulative Potential:** No data is currently 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. 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:** Refer to Section 2 for the OSHA Hazard Classification.

**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:** Not Available

### International Information:

**China Regulations on the Control over Safety of Dangerous Chemicals:** Not Available

**Korea:** This product contains a component that is not listed on the Korean chemical inventory.

**Philippines:** Not Available

**Japan:** This product contains a component that is not listed on the Japan chemical inventory.

**Taiwan:** Not Available

## 16 – Other Information

### HMIS Hazard Rating:

**Health – 2 (moderate hazard), Fire Hazard – 2 (moderate hazard), Physical Hazard – 0 (minimal hazard)**

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