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RIM EASE

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

SECTION 1. CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

PRODUCT NAME: RIM EASE
 CATALOG NUMBER(S): 720 series
 PRODUCT USE: TIRE LUBRICANT

FOR CUSTOMER SERVICE INFORMATION, CONTACT:
 (740) 967-9015 or (800) 433-8324

EMERGENCY TELEPHONE NUMBER (24 hrs.): CHEMTREC (800) 424-9300
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SECTION 2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS

INGREDIENT (COMMON NAME)	CAS NO.	% (by wgt.)	OSHA PEL	ACGIH TLV	NIOSH REL	AIHA WEEL
Propylene Glycol	57-55-6	< 2	*	*	*	50 ppm

EXPOSURE LIMITS ARE TIME WEIGHTED AVERAGES (TWA). SHORT-TERM EXPOSURE LIMITS (STEL) AND CEILING (C) ARE INCLUDED IF ESTABLISHED.

Notes	
*	Not Established

SECTION 3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Emergency Overview:
Appearance & Odor: Light blue, slightly viscous liquid. Mild surfactant odor.
Health Hazards: May cause eye and mild skin irritation.
Physical Hazards: Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide may form as a result of heating or burning.
R-Phrases: R/36/38 Irritating to eyes and skin
S-Phrases: S25 Avoid contact with eyes

EYE CONTACT	Exposure to product may cause eye irritation. Symptoms include stinging, tearing, redness and swelling.
INHALATION	Not a normal route of entry.
INGESTION	Single dose oral toxicity is low. Symptoms may include: gastrointestinal irritation (nausea, vomiting, diarrhea).
SKIN CONTACT	Exposure may cause mild skin irritation. Prolonged or repeated exposure may dry skin. Symptoms include: redness, burning, drying, cracking and skin burns.
TARGET ORGANS EFFECTED	CNS, liver, kidneys, skin, eyes

CARCINOGENICITY - LISTED BY:

ACGIH	No	IARC	No	NTP	No	OSHA	No
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SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

EYE CONTACT	If symptoms develop, move individual away from exposure and into fresh air. Flush eyes with water for at least 20 minutes while holding eyelids apart. If symptoms persist, seek medical attention.
INHALATION	Not a normal route of entry.
INGESTION	If swallowed, drink two large glasses of water to induce vomiting. Seek medical attention.
SKIN CONTACT	Wash exposed area with soap and water. If symptoms persist, seek medical attention.

SECTION 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

FLASH POINT AND METHOD	Non Flammable
LEL	Not Established
UEL	Not Established
EXTINGUISHING MEDIA	Water, foam, carbon dioxide or dry chemical
SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES	Wear self-contained breathing apparatus with a full facepiece operated in the positive pressure demand mode when fighting fires.
UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS	Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide may form as a result of heating or burning.

SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

SMALL SPILL	Absorb material with paper, vermiculite, floor absorbent, or other absorbing material. Transfer into approved container for disposal.
LARGE SPILL	Dike area of spill to prevent spreading. Absorb with appropriate materials. Transfer into approved containers for disposal. Toxic to fish. Do not dump into natural waterways.

SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Keep from freezing. Store in safe areas at room temperature. Do not incinerate containers.

SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

EYE PROTECTION	Chemical splash goggles in compliance with OSHA regulations are advised, however OSHA regulations also permit other types of safety glasses. Consult your safety equipment representative.
RESPIRATORY PROTECTION	None should be required during normal use.
SKIN PROTECTION	Wear resistant gloves, such as: polyvinyl alcohol, nitrile.
ENGINEERING CONTROLS	Provide sufficient mechanical (general or local exhaust) ventilation to maintain exposure below OEL(s). Explosion-proof ventilation system is acceptable.
OTHER HYGIENIC AND WORK PRACTICES	Use good personal hygiene work practices. Wash hands before eating, drinking, smoking or using toilet facilities. Promptly remove soiled clothing and wash before reuse.

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SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

INITIAL BOILING POINT	212 ° F (100° C) @ 760.00 mm Hg
VAPOR PRESSURE	Not Applicable
VAPOR DENSITY (air = 1)	>1
SPECIFIC GRAVITY (water = 1)	>1 (8.34 lbs/gal)
% VOLATILES	1.9%
VOC CONTENT	0.17 lbs./gal (20.6 g/L)
EVAPORATION RATE	Slower than ether
pH	8.9
APPEARANCE	Light blue, slightly viscous liquid
ODOR	Mild surfactant odor

SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

STABILITY	Stable
HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION	Cannot occur
INCOMPATIBILITY (materials or conditions to avoid)	Strong oxidizers, strong acids
HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS	Carbon dioxide, carbon monoxide, various hydrocarbons

SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

No data is specifically available for this product and therefore this toxicological information is based on testing completed with ingredients.

Toxicological Data: Propylene Glycol: Oral Rat: 20g/kg; Skin Rabbit LD50: 20.8g/kg.
Irritation: Eye rabbit/Draize, 500 mg/24H mild.
Investigated as a mutagen and reproductive effector.

SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

This formulation has not been tested for environmental effects. This section will be updated as ecological reviews are completed.

SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal of material should be done in accordance with all Federal (40 CFR Part 261), State and Local environmental control regulations.

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SECTION 14. TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

DOT PROPER SHIPPING NAME (49 CFR 172.101)	Not DOT regulated
HAZARD CLASS (DOT, IATA)	Not Applicable
HAZARD CLASS (IMO)	Not Applicable
ID NUMBER	Not Applicable
PACKING GROUP	Not Applicable
ADDITIONAL DESCRIPTION	Not Applicable
LABELS REQUIRED	Not Applicable
EMERGENCY RESPONSE GUIDEBOOK NO.	Not Applicable
EmS NUMBER	Not Applicable
REPORTABLE QUANTITY (DOT)	Not Applicable

SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

TOXIC SUBSTANCES CONTROL ACT: The chemical substances in this product are listed on the TSCA Section 8 Chemical Substance Inventory List (40 CFR Part 710).

STATE REGULATIONS

The following chemicals are listed by individual states; other specific health and safety data in other sections of this MSDS may also be applicable for state requirements. For more details on regulatory requirements for specific states, contact the appropriate state agency.

NONE

INTERNATIONAL REGULATIONS

INTERNATIONAL STATUS (components):

PROPYLENE GLYCOL: Listed on the following international inventories: AICS (Australia), DSL (Canada), ECL (South Korea), EINECS (Europe), PICCS (Philippines).

SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

NFPA AND HMIS RATINGS

HEALTH	1	FLAMMABILITY	0	REACTIVITY	0
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Revisions since last change (discussion): This MSDS has been revised to meet the requirements of the following standards: EEC Directive 2001/58/EC (91/155/EEC), ANSI Z400.1-1993 and Canadian WHMIS and CPR. There are no changes to the health, safety, precautionary data, or regulatory data. We do, however, encourage you to take the opportunity to reread the sheet and review the information. This MSDS complies with the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200).

Prepared by: Tech International's Health and Safety Department

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