

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

Product Name: GTC HEAVY DUTY GROUT & TILE CLEANER

Product No. 067.00

SAVIN PRODUCTS COMPANY, INC.

1. CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name: GTC HEAVY DUTY GROUT & TILE CLEANER

Emergency phone: Chemtrec: 800-424-9300

Product Information: 781-961-2744

Company: SAVIN PRODUCTS COMPANY, INC.
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2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

<u>Component</u>	<u>CAS No.</u>	<u>Exposure Limits</u>	<u>Typical % by Weight</u>
1. Ethoxylated Alcohol	68154-07-2	N/A	1 - 5
2. Monoethanolamine	141-43-5	OSHA PEL: TWA 3 ppm (6 mg/m ³) TLV: 3 ppm; 7.5 mg/m ³ ; (ACGIH 1993).	1 - 5
3. Tetrasodium salt of of Ethylenediamine tetraacetic acid	64-02-8	N/A	1 - 5
4. Isopropyl Alcohol	67-63-0	OSHA PEL: TWA 400 ppm (980 mg/m ³) TLV: 400 ppm (as TWA); (ACGIH 1998).	1 - 5
5. 2-Butoxyethanol	111-76-2	OSHA PEL: TWA 50 ppm (240 mg/m ³) skin TLV: 25 ppm; 121 mg/m ³ (as TWA) (skin) (ACGIH 1992-1993)	1 - 5

3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

WARNING: Causes eye irritation. May cause skin irritation with prolonged contact. Harmful if swallowed. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling.

EFFECTS of OVEREXPOSURE:

CARCINOGENICITY:

NTP: No

IARC: No

OSHA: No

EYES: May cause severe eye irritation. May cause burns when concentrated.

SKIN: Repeated or prolonged contact may cause skin irritation.

INHALATION: Mist may cause irritation to mucous membranes and respiratory tract.

INGESTION: May result in gastric disturbances, nausea and vomiting.

CHRONIC EFFECTS and MEDICAL CONDITIONS: The effects of long-term, low-level exposures to this product have not been determined. Safe handling of this material on a long-term basis should emphasize the avoidance of all effects from repetitive acute exposure. This product may aggravate existing eye, skin and respiratory conditions.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

EYES: Flush with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes, lifting upper and lower lids occasionally. Get immediate medical attention.

SKIN: Immediately flush with water. Remove contaminated clothing. Launder contaminated clothing before reuse.

INHALATION: Remove to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, oxygen may be given, preferably with a physician's advice. Get medical attention.

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INGESTION: If swallowed, give several glasses of water. Do not induce vomiting. If vomiting does occur, give fluids again and keep head below hips to help prevent aspiration. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get immediate medical attention.

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

FLAMMABLE PROPERTIES:

Flash Point: >200 F Test: Tag Closed Cup (Method D-56)
Explosive Limits: LEL: N/A UEL: N/A

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA: Will not burn. Use procedures which are appropriate to surrounding fire.

SPECIAL PROCEDURES AND UNUSUAL HAZARDS: Combustion may produce noxious and irritating gases which will require fresh air source in fire fighting.

FIREFIGHTING INSTRUCTIONS: Firefighters should wear NIOSH approved, positive pressure, self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing when appropriate.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

SMALL SPILLS: Soak up small spills with inert solids. Use suitable disposal container.

LARGE SPILLS: Limit access to area. Dike and contain spill with inert material (sand, earth, etc.) and transfer the liquid and solid separately to containers for recovery or disposal. Keep spill out of sewers and open bodies of water. CAUTION: Floor may become slippery.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handle according to good manufacturing and warehousing practices. Keep from freezing. Keep containers tightly closed when not in use. Use good personal hygiene practices. Wash hand before eating, drinking, smoking or using toilet facilities. Promptly remove soiled clothing and wash thoroughly before reuse. Store only in tightly closed containers away from heat, sparks, open flame or strong oxidizing agents.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

EYE PROTECTION: Avoid splashing. Wear chemical-resistant safety goggles if necessary. Contact lenses must not be worn.

PROTECTIVE GLOVES: Depending on conditions of use, protective gloves, apron, boots, head and face protection should be worn. This equipment should be cleaned thoroughly after each use.

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION: No occupational exposure standards have been developed for this material. Where exposure through inhalation may occur from use, NIOSH/MSHA approved respiratory protection equipment is recommended.

VENTILATION: Either local exhaust or general room ventilation is usually adequate.

OTHER PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT: Emergency eye wash fountains and safety showers should be available in the immediate vicinity of any potential exposure.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

APPEARANCE: Clear, blue, thin, foamy liquid.

BOILING POINT: approx. <220 F

FREEZE/MELT POINT: approx. 0C

VAPOR PRESSURE (mm): ca water

VAPOR DENSITY (air=1): 0.8 X Air

VOLATILE CONTENT: 90%

SOLUBILITY IN WATER: Complete.

DENSITY: 8.8 lb./gal. @ 20C

pH(as is): 13.0

ODOR: Mild.

ODOR THRESHOLD (ppm): Not determined.

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

CHEMICAL STABILITY (CONDITIONS TO AVOID): Stable.

INCOMPATIBILITY: Strong acids, strong oxidizers and excessive heat.

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS: Carbon monoxide, Carbon Dioxide, Ammonia, Nitrous oxides and other toxic gases.

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION: None

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11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

No LD50 or LC50 found for oral, dermal or inhalation routes of administration.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

ECOTOXICOLOGICAL/CHEMICAL FATE INFORMATION: Not available.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

RCRA: This product, if disposed as shipped, is considered a hazardous waste as specified in 40 CFR 261. Any solution of this product with a pH of >12.5 is considered a Hazardous Waste.

Dispose in accordance with all applicable federal, state and local regulations.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

SHIPPING NAME: Compound, Cleaning, Liquid

HAZARD CLASS: Not regulated as HAZMAT.

ID #: N/A

PACKING GROUP: N/A

LABEL: N/A

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

This material does not contain nor was it manufactured using ozone-depleting chemicals.

U.S. FEDERAL REGULATIONS:

TSCA STATUS: All ingredients on Toxic Substance Control Act Inventory.

CERCLA REPORTABLE QUANTITY: N/A

SARA TITLE III:

Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances:

None.

Section 311/312 Hazardous Categories:

Immediate (Acute)

Section 313 Toxic Chemicals:

Glycol Ether Category N230 ; 2 Butoxyethanol (CAS#111-76-2)

16. OTHER INFORMATION

All label precautions must be observed when handling, storing and transporting empty containers due to product residues. Do not reuse this container unless it is professionally cleaned and reconditioned.

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