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MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

STEAMETTE Liquid Extraction Cleaner

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1. CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name/Use: STEAMETTE Liquid Extraction Cleaner

MANUFACTURER

The Ramsey Company 120 Bartlett Street Marlborough, MA 01752-3065 Ramsey Telephone Number:

800-421-2768

Emergency Telephone (24 hours): 800-228-5635 Ext 118

2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

INGREDIENT(S)	CAS NO.	% BY WEIGHT	OSHA PEL/STEL	ACGIH TLV/STEL
Water	7732-18-5	60 - 100	NA	NA
Nonyl phenol ethoxylate	9016-45-9	7 - 13	NE	NE
Tetrapotassium diphosphate	7320-34-5	1 – 5	NE	NE
Anionic surfactant	· NA	1 – 5	NE	NE
Fragrance	NA	0.1 - 1	NE	NE
Dye	NA	<0.1	NE	NE

NE - Not Established NA - Not Applicable

HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

Clear, Blue Liquid. Fresh Odor. May Cause Eye Irritation.

POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS (See Section 11 for Toxicological Information)

PRIMARY ROUTE(s) OF EXPOSURE: X Eye

X Skin Contact Skin Absorption

X Inhalation X Ingestion

SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF OVEREXPOSURE

EYES:

May cause eye irritation. Symptoms may include redness and pain.

May cause mild skin irritation. Symptoms may include redness.

May cause mouth, throat and stomach irritation. Symptoms may include nausea, vomiting and diarrhea.

INHALATION:

High concentrations of vapor or mist may cause nose, throat and respiratory tract irritation. Symptoms may include coughing.

EFFECTS OF CHRONIC EXPOSURE:

Prolonged or repeated contact may cause skin irritation.

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MEDICAL CONDITIONS AGGRAVATED:

May aggravate pre-existing eye and skin conditions.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

EYES:

Flush eyes with plenty of water while holding eyelids apart. After initial flushing, remove any contact lenses and continue flushing for at least 15 minutes. Do not put any medication in the victim's eyes unless instructed by a physician. Get medical attention.

SKIN

Flush with water, then wash with soap and water. Remove saturated clothing. Get medical attention if irritation develops.

INGESTION:

Do not induce vomiting. Drink large quantities of water. Get immediate medical attention. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

INHALATION:

Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give respiration; if breathing is difficult, give oxygen (by trained personnel only). Get medical attention if symptoms persist.

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

FLASH POINT AND METHOD: Not applicable.

FLAMMABLE LIMITS:

Not applicable.

AUTOIGNITION TEMPERATURE: Not applicable.

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:

Use extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding fire.

HAZARDOUS COMBUSTION PRODUCTS:

Normal products of combustion (carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide).

FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS:

None known.

FIRE FIGHTING INSTRUCTIONS:

This product is not flammable. As in any fire, MSHA/NIOSH approved self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) and full protective gear should be worn.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

See Section 8, Exposure Controls/Personal Protection and Section 3, Hazard Identification. Floors may be slippery. Use care to avoid falling. Contain and isolate spill. Keep non-essential personnel from entering spill area. Use inop, absorbent, or wet vacuum to collect material for proper disposal. Rinse area with water.

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7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

HANDLING:

Follow label use directions. Do not mix with other chemicals unless instructed by label directions. Avoid contact with eyes. Wash thoroughly after handling. Remove saturated clothing. Wash clothing and equipment before reuse.

STORAGE:

Keep container closed when not in use. Store away from incompatible materials. (See Section 10, Stability and Reactivity).

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

ENGINEERING CONTROLS:

General room ventilation is expected to be adequate.

PERSONAL PROTECTION

EYE:

Where eye contact is possible, wear safety glasses with side shields or chemical splash goggles (ANSI Z87.1 approved).

SKIN:

Where prolonged or repeated contact is possible, chemical-resistant clothing (e.g., gloves) is recommended.

RESPIRATORY:

No respiratory protection is required if ventilation is adequate.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

PHYSICAL STATE: Liquid

ODOR: Fresh

APPEARANCE: Clear, Blue

pH: 10.1 to 10.7

PERCENT VOLATILE BY WEIGHT: 87 VAPOR PRESSURE: Not Determined VAPOR DENSITY: Not Determined BOILING POINT: Not Determined

FREEZING/MELTING POINT: Not Determined

SOLUBILITY IN WATER: Complete EVAPORATION RATE: Not Determined

SPECIFIC GRAVITY: 1.05 VISCOSITY: Water Thin

OCTANOLWATER PARTITION COEFFICIENT: Not Determined

ODOR THRESHOLD: Not Determined

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10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

STABILITY (CONDITIONS TO AVOID): Stable.

POLYMERIZATION:

Will not occur.

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION:

None.

INCOMPATIBLE MATERIALS:

Strong acids (e.g., hydrochloric) and oxidizers (e.g., bleach).

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

ACUTE DATA:

Based on testing of a similar product, this product may cause eye irritation. The following data are available for product ingredients.

PRODUCT/INGREDIENT	ORAL LD ₅₀ (rat)	DERMAL LD ₅₀ (rabbit)	INHALATION LC ₅₀ (rat)
Nonyl phenol ethoxylate Tetrapotassium diphosphate	2000–5000 mg/kg 2980 mg/kg	1000–3000 mg/kg 7940 mg/kg	Not Available Not Available
Anionic surfactant	8690 mg/kg	3000 mg/kg	Not Available

SENSITIZATION DATA:

No data available.

CHRONIC DATA:

No data available.

REPRODUCTIVE/TERATOGENIC DATA:

No data available.

CARCINOGENIC/MUTAGENIC DATA:

Not listed as carcinogenic by NTP, IARC, or ACGIH or regulated as a carcinogen by OSHA.

SYNERGISTIC MATERIALS:

No data available.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

No data available.

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