

## SAFETY DATA SHEET



Date Prepared : 07/08/2015

SDS No : 5112

## MAXIM

## 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

**PRODUCT NAME:** MAXIM  
**GENERAL USE:** Heavy Duty Water Based Cleaner/Degreaser  
**PRODUCT CODE:** 5112

**MANUFACTURER**

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## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

**GHS CLASSIFICATIONS****Health:**

Eye Damage/Irritation (Reversible), Category 2  
 Skin Corrosion/Irritation (reversible), Category 2  
 Respiratory Tract Irritation, Category 2A

**GHS LABEL**

Causes severe irritation and possibly burns to eyes. Causes moderate to severe irritation and possibly burns to skin. Mists and spray can irritate eyes, nose, throat, and respiratory system. May be harmful if swallowed.



Irritant

**SIGNAL WORD:** WARNING**HAZARD STATEMENTS**

H319: Causes serious eye irritation.  
 H315: Causes skin irritation.  
 H335: May cause respiratory irritation.  
 H303 + H333: May be harmful if swallowed or if inhaled.

**PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS****Prevention:**

P102: Keep out of reach of children.  
 P103: Read label before use.  
 P262: Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.  
 P261: Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.  
 P280: Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.  
 75990X3S: Keep only in original container. Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

**POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS**

**EYES:** Severely irritating and may cause temporary blurring of vision and temporary damage

**SKIN:** Prolonged or repeated exposure may cause dryness, defatting, redness, rash, irritation, sensitization and/or dermatitis.

**INGESTION:** Causes irritation to mouth, throat, esophagus, and gastrointestinal system .May cause gastrointestinal discomfort, including nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, etc

**INHALATION:** Mists, sprays, or vapor can be irritating to eyes and respiratory tract. Vapors and mists can cause irritation, dizziness,

drowsiness, headache, and other central nervous system depression

### 3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	Wt. %	CAS
Synthetic Sodium Silicate	< 2	Proprietary
Glycol ether	5 - 6	Proprietary
Other ingredients are not hazardous or are present at levels that do not present a significant hazard.	> 90	mixture

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

**EYES:** Gently hold eyelids open and immediately flush eyes with water for at least 15 minutes or until pain eases. Remove contact lenses if possible. Seek medical attention, especially if there are visible burns or damage to or around eyes.

**SKIN:** Remove contaminated clothing and footwear. Flush off with copious amounts of running water. Seek medical attention for burns or if irritation persists or worsens.

**INGESTION:** Get immediate emergency medical attention (Call 911). Rinse mouth with water. Do not induce vomiting unless instructed to do so by poison center or physician. Give water, milk, or dilute citrus juice unless unconscious or convulsing. Keep patient warm, quiet, and comfortable and treat for shock.

**INHALATION:** If affected by vapors, spray or mist, move to fresh air. Seek medical attention if symptoms persist or worsen. Give oxygen if breathing is difficult and seek prompt medical attention.

#### SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF OVEREXPOSURE

**EYES:** Severe irritation or pain, tearing, redness, blurring and/or temporary loss of vision. May cause burns to and around eyes.

**SKIN:** Prolonged exposure can cause moderate to severe irritation and possibly burns.

**INGESTION:** Causes irritation to mouth, throat, esophagus, and GI tract. Can cause gastrointestinal discomfort, including nausea, vomiting, and diarrhea. May produce anesthetic effects such as dizziness, nausea, etc.

**INHALATION:** Vapors, spray or mists can irritate eyes, nose, throat, and respiratory tract. Vapors can cause dizziness, drowsiness, nausea, headache, drunkenness, vomiting, unconsciousness, and other anesthetic effects.

**NOTES TO PHYSICIAN:** Treat symptomatically. If burns are present, treat for thermal burns.

### 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

**FLAMMABLE CLASS:** Not Applicable - Water based product with no flashpoint.

**EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:** Not applicable - water based product. After water has evaporated, use water (fog or spray) or chemical foam on burning solids.

**HAZARDOUS COMBUSTION PRODUCTS:** After water has evaporated, burning solids will produce oxides of carbon, nitrogen, and sulfur, organosulfur, organonitrogen, and hydrocarbon residues and acrid fumes

**EXPLOSION HAZARDS:** Containers can burst if exposed to flames or high temperatures.

**FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES:** Wear self-contained breathing apparatus when fighting chemical fires. Use water fog or spray to cool containers.

### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**SMALL SPILL:** Contain and absorb spilled material. Dispose of contaminated absorbant properly. Wash spill area with water.

**LARGE SPILL:** Wear appropriate PPE. Remove uninvolved personnel from area. Stop flow. Contain spill and keep from entering sewer or surface waterways. Collect spill into suitable, properly labeled containers for use or disposal. Rinse spill area with water.

### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

**HANDLING:** Avoid contact with eyes and prolonged contact with skin. Read and understand product label and SDS before handling any chemical. Always wear recommended personal protective equipment. Follow label cautions and instructions.

**STORAGE:** Store in original containers in well ventilated area. Keep containers closed when not in use.

### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

**EXPOSURE GUIDELINES**

OSHA HAZARDOUS COMPONENTS (29 CFR1910.1200)							
			EXPOSURE LIMITS				
			OSHA PEL		ACGIH TLV		
Chemical Name			ppm	mg/m <sup>3</sup>	ppm	mg/m <sup>3</sup>	
Glycol ether			TWA	50	240	20	97

**ENGINEERING CONTROLS:** Maintain sufficient ventilation in storage and use areas to prevent the accumulation of product vapors, spray, or mists. Provide local exhaust for enclosed areas.

**PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT**

**EYES AND FACE:** Avoid eye contact. Wear safety glasses or goggles

**SKIN:** Avoid prolonged or repeated contact. Wear rubber, latex, or other chemical resistant gloves.

**RESPIRATORY:** Use with adequate ventilation. Wear a NIOSH approved air purifying respirator where vapors, mists or spray are excessive or exceed exposure limits.

**WORK HYGIENIC PRACTICES:** Wash thoroughly before eating, drinking, smoking, or using the facilities after handling any chemical product.

**OTHER USE PRECAUTIONS:** Working eyewash stations and safety showers should be located in or near all areas where chemicals are stored or used.

**9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

**ODOR:** mild, ether-like

**APPEARANCE:** clear, pale amber liquid

**pH:** 10.5 to 11.5

**Notes:** as made

**PERCENT VOLATILE:** 85 - 90% (w/w)

**FLASH POINT AND METHOD:** No flashpoint

**VAPOR PRESSURE:** Same as water (approximately)

**VAPOR DENSITY:** Same as water (approximately)

**BOILING POINT:** greater than 212 deg F

**FREEZING POINT:** less than 32 deg F (0 deg C)

**SOLUBILITY IN WATER:** Complete in all proportions.

**EVAPORATION RATE:** Same as water (approximately)

**SPECIFIC GRAVITY:** 0.98 to 1.00

**(VOC):** ~ 6.000 percent (w/w)

**10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

**REACTIVITY:** No

**HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION:** No

**POSSIBILITY OF HAZARDOUS REACTIONS:** May react with soft metals such as zinc or magnesium (releases hydrogen, a flammable gas). Reacts with concentrated alkalis (generating heat and steam).

**HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS:** Oxides of carbon, nitrogen, and sulfur, organosulfur, organonitrogen, and hydrocarbon residues

**INCOMPATIBLE MATERIALS:** Concentrated acids, oxidizing agents, concentrated ammonia

**11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION****ACUTE**

**NOTES:** No toxicity data available for product

**EYE EFFECTS:** Severe irritation, including tearing, redness, burning or stinging, temporary blurring of vision.

**SKIN EFFECTS:** Prolonged or repeated exposure can cause moderate to severe irritation. dermatitis, rash, sensitization. Prolonged one time exposure may cause burns.

**CARCINOGENICITY**

Chemical Name	General Toxicity
Glycol ether	Confirmed animal carcinogen with unknown relevance to humans - Group A3

**Notes:** Contains no known or suspected carcinogens.

**12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**ENVIRONMENTAL DATA:** No data

**GENERAL COMMENTS:** All surfactants are readily biodegradable.

**13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

**DISPOSAL METHOD:** Not regulated as hazardous waste. Unused material may be reclaimed. Dispose in accordance with applicable local, state, and Federal regulations. Spent solution may be discharged to sanitary sewer

**FOR LARGE SPILLS:** See Section 6

**EMPTY CONTAINER:** Rinse container thoroughly with water and recycle.

**RCRA HAZARD CLASS:** Not regulated

**14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

**DOT (DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION)**

**PROPER SHIPPING NAME:** NOT REGULATED

**VESSEL (IMO/IMDG)**

**SHIPPING NAME:** NOT REGULATED

**15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

**UNITED STATES**

**SARA TITLE III (SUPERFUND AMENDMENTS AND REAUTHORIZATION ACT)**

**311/312 HAZARD CATEGORIES:** Acute health hazard (eye and skin irritation)

**FIRE:** No **PRESSURE GENERATING:** No **REACTIVITY:** No **ACUTE:** Yes **CHRONIC:** No

**TSCA (TOXIC SUBSTANCE CONTROL ACT)**

Chemical Name	CAS
Glycol ether	Proprietary

**TSCA STATUS:** All ingredients are included on the TSCA Inventory or are exempt

**CALIFORNIA PROPOSITION 65:** Contains no substances known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or reproductive harm.

**16. OTHER INFORMATION**

**REASON FOR ISSUE:** Convert to GHS format

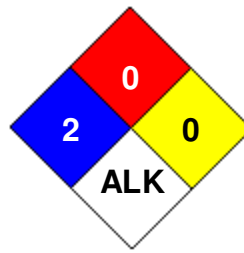
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## HMIS RATING

HEALTH	<input type="checkbox"/>	2
FLAMMABILITY	<input type="checkbox"/>	0
PHYSICAL HAZARD	<input type="checkbox"/>	0
PERSONAL PROTECTION	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

## NFPA CODES



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