# **SAFETY DATA SHEET - Red Back Tap Lube**

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# Not Classified as Hazardous according to criteria of Worksafe Australia

**IDENTIFICATION:** 

Product Code RED405

Product Name Red Back Tap Lubricant

**Barcode Number** 9326415004053

Dangerous Goods Class None Allocated

Packing Group None Allocated

Hazchem Code None Allocated

Poisons Schedule Not Scheduled

Product Use Tap lubricant with superior resistance to washout by steam, water and

corrosion.

PHYSICAL DATA:

Appearance Opaque white semi-solid grease. Mineral oil odour.

Melting Point Not Available

Boiling Point IBP: Not Available FBP: Not Available

Vapour Pressure Not Available

Specific Gravity 0.91 @ 15 °C

Flash Point Base oil >228 °C

Flammable Limit LEL Not Available
Flammable Limit UEL Not Available

Solubility in Water Insoluble

**Other Properties** 

Volatile ComponentNot AvailableAuto ignition TemperatureNot AvailableEvaporation RateNot Available

Vapour Density >1

Ingredients Name CAS Proportion Refined Mineral Oil (Complex mixture of paraffinic, napthenic and

aromatic Mixture 60.00-100.00% hydrocarbons) Lithium soap Mixture 0-10.00% Zinc oxide 1314-13-2 0-10.00% Additives Mixture 0-

10.00%

## **HEALTH HAZARD INFORMATION**

## **Health Effects**

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**Acute - Swallowed** May cause mild gastric irritation if swallowed

Acute - Eye Product may cause slight to moderate irritation to the eyes

Acute - Skin Mildly irritating to skin

Inhalation of the vapours (generated at elevated temperatures) or Acute - Inhaled

mists can cause irritation to the nose and throat

Chronic Prolonged and repeated skin contact may cause dermatitis due to

defatting effect

First Aid

**Swallowed** If swallowed, do NOT induce vomiting, seek medical advice

Flood eyes with plenty of water for 20 minutes, holding eyelids open If Eye

irritation occurs seek medical advice

Skin Remove contaminated clothing and wash skin thoroughly with soap

and water

Inhaled Remove affected person from contaminated area and seek medical

advice If not breathing apply artificial respiration and seek urgent

**First Aid Facilities** Eye wash fountains and safety showers should be available for

emergency use

Treat symptomatically **Advice to Doctor** 

**Other Health Hazard Information** 

## PRECAUTIONS FOR USE

**Exposure Limits** 

Worksafe Exposure Standard :- time weighted average (TWA) 5 mg/m3 (oil mist) short term exposure limit (STEL) 10mg/m3 (oil mist)

**Engineering Controls** 

Special ventilation is not normally required due to the low volatility of the product at normal temperatures. However, in the operation of certain equipment or at elevated temperatures, mists or vapour may be generated and exhaust ventilation should be provided to maintain airborne concentration levels below the exposure standard or where no exposure standard is allocated, as low as is reasonably practicable.

Personal Protection - Protective Equipment.

Avoid contact with the skin and eyes, and avoid breathing vapours or mists. When exposure is likely, personal protective equipment in a combination appropriate to the degree and nature of exposure, should be selected from the following list:-

- (1) Eye protection
- (2) PVC gloves
- (3) PVC apron and sleeves, or full PVC covering
- (4) PVC or rubber boots

Where the concentration of vapour or mist is expected to approach exposure limit, the following additional recommended:-

- (A) Short elevated exposures, eg spillage goggles and correct respiratory protection should be worn. NB. If the vapour/mist concentrations exceed the exposure limit by more than 10 times, air supplied apparatus should be used.
- (B) For prolonged elevated exposures Full face air supplied or self contained breathing apparatus should be worn.

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**CONTAMINATION** If contamination occurs, change clothing and discard internally

contaminated gloves and footwear. Launder contaminated clothing

before reuse. Observe good personal hygiene.

Flammability - Fire Hazards Combustible substance. Will not burn unless preheated.

## SAFE HANDLING INFORMATION

Storage and Transport -

Storage Precautions Store in a well ventilated place away from ignition sources, oxidizing

agents foodstuffs and clothing. Keep containers closed when not in

use.

**Transport** Not classified as a Dangerous Good according to the Australian Code

for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail.

Proper Shipping Name Not Applicable

Spills and Disposal Remove all sources of ignition and prevent further leakage if safe to

do so. Scoop up excess material and place in suitable labelled sealed

containers for disposal.

Disposal Dispose of according to local and state authority regulations and

guidelines. Clean contaminated area with water and detergent. Do not allow product to enter drains, sewers or water courses - inform the

local authorities if this occurs.

Fire/Explosion Hazard Combustible. Keep storage tanks, pipelines, fire exposed surfaces etc

cool with water spray. Shut off any leak if safe to do so and remove

sources of re-ignition.

Hazardous Combustion Products Combustion products include oxides of carbon.

**Extinguishing Media**Use foam, CO2 or powder to extinguish fire.

Hazardous Reaction Stable. Reacts with oxidising agents.

Hazchem Code None Allocated

## OTHER INFORMATION

**Toxicology** 

Long term animal experiments have shown that any health risks are associated with the level of aromatic and polycyclic constituents in the product. These constituents are removed during the manufacturing process to a level at which no health risks are expected as a result of normal handling. As supplied this product does not exhibit flash point, vapour pressure, and vapour density or explosive limits. Figures

quoted are for the mineral oil and additive components.

References For detailed advice on Personal Protective equipment, refer to the

following Australian Standards: - HB 9 (Handbook 9) Manual of industrial personal protection. AS 1337 Eye protectors for industrial applications. AS 1715 Selection, use and maintenance of respiratory

protective devices. AS 1716 Respiratory protective devices.

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