

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

Simms Jones Disinfectant Cleaner

SECTION 1.

Identification of the Substance and Supplier

PRODUCTS APPLICABLE	Simms Jones Disinfectant Cleaner: 5L, 20L, 200L, 1000L
PRODUCT USE	Household/Industrial/Institutional: Cleaning product
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SECTION 2.

Hazards Identification

HAZARDS

Serious eye damage/eye irritation Category 2A, Skin corrosion/irritation Category 2, Aquatic toxicity (Acute) Category 1

HAZARD STATEMENTS

Warning. Causes serious eye irritation. Causes skin irritation. Very toxic to aquatic life.

PREVENTION STATEMENTS

Read label before use. Wear protective gloves and eye/face protection.
Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Avoid release to the environment.

RESPONSE STATEMENTS

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do.
Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical attention.

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. Take off contaminated clothing and wash before re-use.
If skin irritation occurs: Get medical attention.

DISPOSAL STATEMENT

Triple rinse empty container before offering for recycling or disposal.

SECTION 3.

Composition and Information on Ingredients

INGREDIENT	PROPORTION	CAS NUMBER
Alcohols, C12-14, ethoxylated	<5%	68439-50-9
Benzalkonium Chloride	<5%	68424-85-1

SECTION 4.

First Aid Measures

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical attention.

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. Take off contaminated clothing and wash before re-use. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical attention.

SECTION 5.

Fire-Fighting Measures

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA Foam, CO₂, dry chemical, or water fog
COMBUSTION PRODUCTS None known
FIRE-FIGHTING PROCEDURES Normal fire-fighting procedures may be used

SECTION 6.

Accidental Release Measures

EMERGENCY PROCEDURES No special procedures required
ENVIRONMENTAL PRECAUTIONS Avoid release to the environment
SPILL CONTROL Collect leaking liquid in sealable containers, absorb liquid in inert absorbent, and wash contaminated area with plenty of water

SECTION 7.

Handling and Storage

HANDLING PRECAUTIONS Wear protective gloves and eye/face protection. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Product residue may remain on/in empty containers. Use all precautions for handling the product in handling the empty container and residue.

STORAGE Store in a cool, dry place. Keep out of reach of children.

SECTION 8.**Exposure Controls/Personal Protection**

EXPOSURE LIMITS	No value assigned for this specific material by Worksafe
ENGINEERING CONTROLS	Ensure ventilation is adequate. Keep containers closed.
RESPIRATORY PROTECTION	None required
PROTECTIVE GLOVES	Nitrile rubber
EYE PROTECTION	Splash-proof goggles

SECTION 9.**Physical and Chemical Properties**

APPEARANCE	Clear liquid
ODOUR	Distinctive odour
ODOUR THRESHOLD	Not Available
pH	5.5-8.5
MELTING POINT/FREEZING POINT	<0°C
INITIAL BOILING POINT	>100°C
FLASH POINT	Not Flammable
FLAMMABILITY	Not Flammable
FLAMMABILITY OR EXPLOSIVE LIMITS	Not Flammable
VAPOUR PRESSURE	Not Determined
VAPOUR DENSITY	Not Determined
RELATIVE DENSITY	1.0
SOLUBILITY	Completely miscible with water
PARTITION CO-EFFICIENT: n-OCTANOL/WATER	Not Determined
AUTO-IGNITION TEMPERATURE	Not Applicable
DECOMPOSITION TEMPERATURE	Not Determined
KINEMATIC VISCOSITY	8.9x10 ⁻⁷ m ² /s

SECTION 10.**Stability and Reactivity**

REACTIVITY	Not reactive with other chemicals or cleaners
STORAGE CONDITIONS	No special conditions required
INCOMPATIBLE SUBSTANCES	None known
HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS	Toxic organic vapours, amines, oxides of carbon and nitrogen, and hydrogen chloride

SECTION 11.

Toxicological Information

ACUTE TOXICITY	No acute effects
SKIN CORROSION/IRRITATION	Causes skin irritation
SERIOUS EYE DAMAGE/IRRITATION	Causes serious eye irritation
RESPIRATORY OR SKIN SENSITISATION	No sensitisation
GERM CELL MUTAGENICITY	No data available
CARCINOGENICITY	Not carcinogenic
REPRODUCTIVE TOXICITY	No reproductive toxicity
SPECIFIC TARGET ORGAN TOXICITY	
-SINGLE EXPOSURE	No specific organ toxicity
-REPEATED EXPOSURE	No specific organ toxicity
ASPIRATION HAZARD	No aspiration hazard

TOXICITY

BENZALKONIUM CHLORIDE

ACUTE ORAL TOXICITY

STUDY: Rat, LD₅₀
VALUE: 344 mg/kg

ACUTE DERMAL TOXICITY

STUDY: Rat, LD₅₀
VALUE: 3340 mg/kg

EYE DAMAGE

STUDY: Rabbit, DOT method, 24 h
RESULT: Corrosive

SKIN DAMAGE

Causes skin burns

SENSITISATION

STUDY: Guinea pig, Buehler test, OECD Test Guideline 406
RESULT: Not sensitising

GENOTOXICITY IN VITRO

STUDY: Salmonella typhimurium, Ames test, OECD 471
RESULT: Negative

STUDY: Human lymphocytes, Chromosome aberration test, OECD 473
RESULT: Negative

DODECYL (C12) ALCOHOL ETHOXYLATE

STUDY: Human skin, 6mg, 3 days
RESULT: Moderate irritation
SOURCE: Toxicology Review. EPA TSCA Chemical Inventory, 1989.

SECTION 12.

Ecological Information

BIODEGRABILITY	Not Biodegradable
BIOACCUMULATIVE POTENTIAL	Not Bioaccumulative
MOBILITY IN SOIL	Not Determined

BIODEGRADABILITY

BENZALKONIUM CHLORIDE

STUDY: OECD Confirmatory Test

VALUE: >90%

STUDY: CO₂ evolution

VALUE: 95.5%

STUDY: OECD 301 B

RESULT: Readily biodegradable

ECOTOXICITY

BENZALKONIUM CHLORIDE

STUDY: Rainbow trout (*Oncorhynchus mykiss*), 96 h, LC₅₀

VALUE: 0.93 mg/L

STUDY: Fathead minnow (*Pimephales promelas*), 96 h, LC₅₀

VALUE: 0.28 mg/L

STUDY: Water flea (*Daphnia magna*), 48 h, EC₅₀

VALUE: 0.016 mg/L

STUDY: Green algae (*Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata*), 72 h, ErC₅₀

VALUE: 0.049 mg/L

STUDY: Activated sludge, respiration inhibition, 3 h, EC₅₀

VALUE: 7.75 mg/L

ALCOHOLS, C12-C14, ETHOXYLATED

CLASSIFICATION: 9.1A

REMARK: Classification based on company data supporting this classification

R PHRASE: R50 Very toxic to aquatic organisms

SECTION 13.

Disposal Considerations

DISPOSAL	Triple rinse empty container before offering for recycling or disposal
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SECTION 14.

Transportation Information

UN NUMBER	Not Hazardous for transport
SHIPPING NAME	Disinfectant Cleaner
DANGEROUS GOODS CLASS	Not Hazardous for transport
UN PACKING GROUP	Not Hazardous for transport
ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS	Very toxic to aquatic organisms
SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS	No special precautions required

SECTION 15.

Regulatory Information

HSNO APPROVAL NUMBER	HSR002530
GROUP STANDARD	Cleaning Products (Subsidiary Hazard) Group 2017
SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS	Not Applicable

SECTION 16.

Other Information

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ABBREVIATIONS

DOT

United States Department of Transportation

EC₅₀ (Half maximal effective concentration)

The concentration of a drug, antibody, or toxicant which induces a response halfway between the baseline and maximum after a specified exposure time.

EPA TSCA

United States Environmental Protection Agency Toxic Substances Control Act

ErC₅₀ (Half maximal effective rate concentration)

The concentration of a drug, antibody, or toxicant which results in a 50% reduction in growth rate after a specified exposure time.

LC₅₀ (Lethal Concentration 50%)

The concentration of a drug, antibody, or toxicant that kills half of a population.

OECD

Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

UN

United Nations

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