

SAFETY DATA SHEET

PRODUCT NAME PRX BY ANSUL

1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE MATERIAL AND SUPPLIER

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Synonym(s) PRX • ANSUL PRX

Use(s) FIRE EXTINGUISHING AGENT • FIRE FIGHTING

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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

CLASSIFIED AS NON HAZARDOUS ACCORDING TO HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES (CLASSIFICATION) REGULATIONS 2001

3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON NGREDIENTS

Ingredient	CAS No.	Content
NON HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS	Not Available	20-25%
C.I. FOOD RED 17	25956-17-6	<0.01%
WATER	7732-18-5	Remainder

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Eye If in eyes, hold eyelids apart and flush the eye continuously with running water. Continue flushing until advised to

stop by the Poison Information Centre or a doctor, or for at least 15 minutes.

Inhalation If inhaled, remove from contaminated area. To protect rescuer, use an Air-line respirator where an inhalation risk

exists. Apply artificial respiration if not breathing.

Skin If skin or hair contact occurs, remove contaminated clothing and flush skin and hair with running water. Continue

flushing with water until advised to stop by the Poisons Information Centre or a doctor.

Ingestion For advice, contact a Poisons Information Centre or a doctor (at once). If swallowed, do not induce vomiting.

Medical Advice Treat symptomatically.

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Flammability Non flammable. May evolve toxic gases (hydrocarbons, carbon oxides) when heated to decomposition.

Fire andNon flammable. Treat as per requirements for Surrounding Fires: Evacuate area and contact emergency services. **Explosion**Remain upwind and notify those downwind of hazard. Wear full protective equipment including Self Contained

Breathing Apparatus (SCBA) when combating fire. Use waterfog to cool intact containers and nearby storage

areas.

Extinguishing Non flammable. **Hazchem Code** None allocated.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Spillage

If spilt (bulk), wear splash-proof goggles, PVC/rubber gloves, coveralls and rubber boots. Absorb spill with sand or similar, collect and place in sealable containers for disposal. Prevent spill entering drains or waterways. Caution: Slippery when spilt.

7. STORAGE AND HANDLING

Storage Store in an area designated for fire extinguishers. Signs should indicate fire extinguisher location. Extinguishers

should be kept cool and dry and should not come into contact with any chemicals. Inspect regularly to ensure extinguishers are in good working order. Also store removed from reactive metals, electrically energised equipment

and any material reactive with water.

Before use carefully read the product label. Use of safe work practices are recommended to avoid eye or skin Handling

contact and inhalation. Observe good personal hygiene, including washing hands before eating. Prohibit eating,

drinking and smoking in contaminated areas.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Exposure Stds No exposure standard(s) allocated.

Do not inhale vapours/fumes/smoke. When handling this product, maintain adequate natural ventilation where Engineering

Controls practicable. In a fire situation, ventilation may be difficult to control. Contact emergency personnel.

PPF Wear splash-proof goggles and rubber or PVC gloves. In fire situations wear a Self Contained Breathing Apparatus

> (SCBA) and appropriate fire fighting equipment. When using large quantities or where heavy contamination is likely, wear coveralls. Where an inhalation risk exists, wear a Type A-Class P1 (Organic gases/vapours and

> > **Autoignition Temperature**

NOT AVAILABLE

Particulate) Respirator.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance Solubility (water) CLEAR RED/PINK LIQUID **SOLUBLE** Odour **ODOURLESS Specific Gravity** 1.012 8.3 to 9.3 % Volatiles pН 95 %

Vapour Pressure 0.9 mm Hg @ 25°C **Flammability** NON FLAMMABLE **Vapour Density NOT AVAILABLE Flash Point NOT RELEVANT Boiling Point** > 100°C **Upper Explosion Limit** NOT RELEVANT **Melting Point** NOT AVAILABLE **Lower Explosion Limit** NOT RELEVANT

Density

1.18 (Water = 1)

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability Stable under recommended conditions of storage.

< 1 (Butyl Acetate = 1)

Conditions to

Avoid

Evaporation Rate

No known conditions to avoid.

Material to Avoid Compatible with most commonly used materials.

Decomposition May evolve toxic gases (hydrocarbons, carbon oxides) when heated to decomposition.

Polymerization Polymerization will not occur.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Health Hazard Summary

Eye

Low toxicity - low irritant. This product may only present a hazard with direct eye contact, prolonged and repeated skin contact or with vapour or fume inhalation at high levels. In a fire situation use appropriate safe work practices

to avoid vapour or fume inhalation. Where necessary, trained fire or emergency personnel should be contacted.

Low to moderate irritant. Contact may result in irritation, lacrimation, pain and redness.

Low irritant. Over exposure at high levels may result in mucous membrane irritation of the nose and throat with Inhalation

coughing. Under extreme temperatures in a fire situation toxic by-products associated with this extinguishing agent

and surrounding materials may also be generated.

Skin Low irritant. Prolonged or repeated contact may result in mild irritation, rash and dermatitis.

Low toxicity. Ingestion may result in gastrointestinal irritation, nausea and vomiting. However, due to product form Ingestion

ingestion is considered unlikely.

Toxicity Data C.I. FOOD RED 17 (25956-17-6)

> LD50 (Ingestion): > 5 a/kg dog LD50 (Skin): > 10 g/kg rabbit

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Environment Limited ecotoxicity data was available for this product at the time this report was prepared. Ensure appropriate

measures are taken to prevent this product from entering the environment.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Disposal Export the substance from New Zealand as waste; or Treat the substance so that it is no longer a hazardous

substance; or Discharge the substance into the environment so that, after reasonable mixing, the concentration of

the substance in an environmental medium does not exceed any relevant tolerable exposure limit and/or

environmental exposure limit set for the substance or any of its components.

Legislation Dispose of in accordance with relevant local legislation.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

NOT CLASSIFIED AS A DANGEROUS GOOD ACCORDING TO LAND TRANSPORT RULE: DANGEROUS GOODS 2005 **NZS 5433:2007, UN, IMDG OR IATA**

Shipping Name None Allocated

None Allocated Subsidiary Risk(s) UN No. None Allocated DG Class None Allocated **Pkg Group** None Allocated None AllocatedHazchem Code **EPG** None Allocated

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15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Approval Code HSR002573

Group Name Fire Fighting Chemicals Group Standard 2006

HSNO Controls Refer to the ERMA website for more information: www.ermanz.govt.nz

16. OTHER INFORMATION

Additional **ABBREVIATIONS:**

Information ADB - Air-Drv Basis.

BEI - Biological Exposure Indice(s)

CAS# - Chemical Abstract Service number - used to uniquely identify chemical compounds.

CNS - Central Nervous System.

EINECS - European Inventory of Existing Commercial chemical Substances.

IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer.

M - moles per litre, a unit of concentration.

mg/m3 - Milligrams per cubic metre.

NOS - Not Otherwise Specified.

NTP - National Toxicology Program.

OSHA - Occupational Safety and Health Administration.

pH - relates to hydrogen ion concentration using a scale of 0 (high acidic) to 14 (highly alkaline).

ppm - Parts Per Million.

RTECS - Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances. TWA/ES - Time Weighted Average or Exposure Standard.

HEALTH EFFECTS FROM EXPOSURE:

It should be noted that the effects from exposure to this product will depend on several factors including: frequency

and duration of use; quantity used; effectiveness of control measures; protective equipment used and method of application. Given that it is impractical to prepare a SDS report which would encompass all possible scenarios, it is anticipated that users will assess the risks and apply control methods where appropriate.

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT GUIDELINES:

The recommendation for protective equipment contained within this SDS report is provided as a guide only. Factors such as method of application, working environment, quantity used, product concentration and the availability of engineering controls should be considered before final selection of personal protective equipment is made.

Report Status

This document has been compiled by RMT on behalf of the manufacturer of the product and serves as the manufacturer's Safety Data Sheet ('SDS').

It is based on information concerning the product which has been provided to RMT by the manufacturer or obtained from third party sources and is believed to represent the current state of knowledge as to the appropriate safety and handling precautions for the product at the time of issue. Further clarification regarding any aspect of the product should be obtained directly from the manufacturer.

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