

## SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1. Product identifier

Product name STAR CARBON REMOVER

Product number STARCARE

# 1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Identified uses Star Carbon Remover is formulated for the removal of oil and petroleum products which have

been exposed to high temperatures forming a carbonaceous deposit. It also strips paint

finishes.

Star Carbon Remover is a two-phase liquid. The lower phase contains a powerful blend of chlorinated tar acid solvents and wetting agents whilst the upper phase contains corrosion inhibitors. Components are immersed in the solvent phase, which Softens and loosens deposits and paints films, and then withdrawn through the corrosion inhibited upper phase. Corrosion of treated parts is subsequently minimised. The water seal also reduces solvent

losses and minimises vapour levels in the working environment.

# 1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Supplier STAR International

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# 1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency telephone +44 (0) 1244 504 500 (Office hours only)

# SECTION 2: Hazards identification

# 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification (EC 1272/2008)

Physical hazards Flam. Liq. 2 - H225

Health hazards Acute Tox. 4 - H302 Acute Tox. 4 - H332 Skin Corr. 1B - H314 Carc. 2 - H351 STOT SE 2 -

H371

Environmental hazards Not Classified

2.2. Label elements

## STAR CARBON REMOVER

## Hazard pictograms









## Signal word

#### Danger

#### Hazard statements

H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapour. H302+H332 Harmful if swallowed or if inhaled. H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H351 Suspected of causing cancer. H371 May cause damage to organs.

# **Precautionary statements**

P210 Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No

smoking.

P241 Use explosion-proof electrical equipment.

P261 Avoid breathing vapour/ spray.

P264 Wash contaminated skin thoroughly after handling. P271 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.
P301+P312 IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTRE/doctor if you feel unwell.
P303+P361+P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing.

Rinse skin with water or shower.

P304+P340 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove

contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P370+P378 In case of fire: Use foam, carbon dioxide, dry powder or water fog to extinguish.

P403+P235 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.

P501 Dispose of contents/ container in accordance with national regulations.

## **Contains**

## DICHLOROMETHANE, METHANOL, ACETIC ACID

# Supplementary precautionary

statements

P201 Obtain special instructions before use.

P202 Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.

P233 Keep container tightly closed.

P240 Ground and bond container and receiving equipment.

P242 Use non-sparking tools.

P243 Take action to prevent static discharges.

P260 Do not breathe vapour/ spray.

P270 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

P301+P330+P331 IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. P308+P311 IF exposed or concerned: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor. P308+P313 IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention.

P310 Immediately call a POISON CENTER/ doctor.

P321 Specific treatment (see medical advice on this label).

P363 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

P405 Store locked up.

## 2.3. Other hazards

Not available.

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

## 3.2. Mixtures

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DICHLOROMETHANE 60-100%

CAS number: 75-09-2 EC number: 200-838-9 REACH registration number: 01-

2119480404-41-XXXX

Classification Classification (67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC)

Carc. 2 - H351 Carc. Cat. 3;R40

methanol 5-10%

CAS number: 67-56-1 EC number: 200-659-6 REACH registration number: 01-

2119433307-44-XXXX

Classification

Flam. Liq. 2 - H225 Acute Tox. 3 - H301 Acute Tox. 3 - H311 Acute Tox. 3 - H331 STOT SE 1 - H370

ACETIC ACID 1-5%

CAS number: 64-19-7 EC number: 200-580-7 REACH registration number: 01-

2119475328-30-XXX

Classification

Flam. Liq. 3 - H226 Skin Corr. 1A - H314 Eye Dam. 1 - H318

The Full Text for all R-Phrases and Hazard Statements are Displayed in Section 16.

# SECTION 4: First aid measures

# 4.1. Description of first aid measures

**Inhalation** Move affected person to fresh air at once. If breathing stops, provide artificial respiration.

Keep affected person warm and at rest. Get medical attention immediately.

**Ingestion** Get medical attention immediately. Do not induce vomiting. Rinse mouth thoroughly with

water. Give plenty of water to drink. Move affected person to fresh air and keep warm and at

rest in a position comfortable for breathing.

**Skin contact** Remove contaminated clothing immediately and wash skin with soap and water. Get medical

attention.

Eye contact Remove any contact lenses and open eyelids wide apart. Continue to rinse for at least 15

minutes and get medical attention.

# 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

General information Suspected of causing cancer. May cause damage to organs (Eyes, Heart & cardiovascular

system, Kidneys, Lungs, Central nervous system, Liver).

InhalationHarmful if inhaled.IngestionHarmful if swallowed.

**Skin contact** Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

# 4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

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**Notes for the doctor**No information available.

### SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

# 5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media Extinguish with the following media: Water spray, foam, dry powder or carbon dioxide. Dry

chemicals, sand, dolomite etc.

### 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Specific hazards Protection against nuisance dust must be used when the airborne concentration exceeds 10

mg/m3. Highly flammable liquid and vapour. May explode when heated or when exposed to flames or sparks. Vapours are heavier than air and may spread near ground and travel a

considerable distance to a source of ignition and flash back.

### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

Protective actions during

firefighting

Move containers from fire area if it can be done without risk. Cool containers exposed to flames with water until well after the fire is out.

Special protective equipment

for firefighters

Wear positive-pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) and appropriate protective

clothing.

#### SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

## 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

**Personal precautions** Follow precautions for safe handling described in this safety data sheet.

## 6.2. Environmental precautions

**Environmental precautions** Avoid discharge into drains or watercourses or onto the ground. Spillages or uncontrolled

discharges into watercourses must be reported immediately to the Environmental Agency or

other appropriate regulatory body.

## 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up Eliminate all sources of ignition. No smoking, sparks, flames or other sources of ignition near

spillage. Provide adequate ventilation. Stop leak if possible without risk. Absorb in vermiculite, dry sand or earth and place into containers. Flush contaminated area with plenty of water.

# 6.4. Reference to other sections

Reference to other sections Wear protective clothing as described in Section 8 of this safety data sheet.

# SECTION 7: Handling and storage

# 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Usage precautions Keep away from heat, sparks and open flame. Avoid inhalation of vapours/spray and contact

with skin and eyes. Provide adequate ventilation. Static electricity and formation of sparks must be prevented. Avoid spilling. Do not use in confined spaces without adequate ventilation

and/or respirator.

# 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage precautions Highly flammable liquid and vapour. Keep away from heat, sparks and open flame. Keep only

in the original container. Store in a cool and well-ventilated place. Unsuitable containers:

copper, zinc, aluminium, copper alloy, zinc alloy, aluminium alloy.

**Storage class** Flammable liquid storage.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

Specific end use(s) The identified uses for this product are detailed in Section 1.2.

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## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/Personal protection

## 8.1. Control parameters

## Occupational exposure limits

## **DICHLOROMETHANE**

Long-term exposure limit (8-hour TWA): WEL 100 ppm 350 mg/m³ Short-term exposure limit (15-minute): WEL 300 ppm 1060 mg/m³ SL

#### methanol

Long-term exposure limit (8-hour TWA): WEL 200 ppm 266 mg/m³ Short-term exposure limit (15-minute): WEL 250 ppm 333 mg/m³ Sk

WEL = Workplace Exposure Limit Sk = Can be absorbed through skin. Sk = Can be absorbed through the skin.

#### methanol (CAS: 67-56-1)

**DNEL** Industry - Inhalation; Long term systemic effects: 260 mg/m³

Industry - Inhalation; Short term systemic effects: 260 mg/m³ Industry - Inhalation; Long term local effects: 260 mg/m³ Industry - Inhalation; Short term local effects: 260 mg/m³

Industry - Dermal; Long term systemic effects: 40 mg/kg/day Industry - Dermal; Short term systemic effects: 40 mg/kg/day Consumer - Oral; Short term systemic effects: 8 mg/kg/day Consumer - Dermal; Short term systemic effects: 8 mg/kg/day

Consumer - Inhalation; Short term systemic effects: 50 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

General population - Inhalation; Long term systemic effects: 50 mg/m³ General population - Inhalation; Short term systemic effects: 50 mg/m³ General population - Inhalation; Long term local effects: 50 mg/m³ General population - Dermal; Long term systemic effects: 8 mg/kg/day General population - Oral; Short term systemic effects: 8 mg/kg/day General population - Oral; Short term systemic effects: 8 mg/kg/day General population - Oral; Short term systemic effects: 8 mg/kg/day

PNEC Industry - Fresh water; 154 mg/l

Industry - marine water; 15.4 mg/l

Industry - Intermittent release; 1540 mg/l

Industry - STP; 100 mg/l Industry - Soil; 23.5 mg/kg - Sediment; 570.4 mg/kg/day

### 8.2. Exposure controls

## Protective equipment











Appropriate engineering controls

Provide adequate general and local exhaust ventilation. All handling should only take place in well-ventilated areas.

Eye/face protection

The following protection should be worn: Chemical splash goggles. Personal protective equipment for eye and face protection should comply with European Standard EN166.

Hand protection

Wear protective gloves made of the following material: Polyethylene. Butyl rubber. To protect hands from chemicals, gloves should comply with European Standard EN374.

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Other skin and body Wear appropriate clothing to prevent any possibility of liquid contact and repeated or

**protection** prolonged vapour contact. Wear rubber apron. Wear rubber footwear.

Hygiene measures Provide eyewash station. When using do not eat, drink or smoke. Wash at the end of each

work shift and before eating, smoking and using the toilet. Wash promptly with soap and water

if skin becomes contaminated.

Respiratory protection If ventilation is inadequate, suitable respiratory protection must be worn. Wear a respiratory

fitted with the following cartridge: Gas filter, type AX.

# SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

## 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance Liquid.

Colour Brownish.

Odour Pungent.

pH (diluted solution): 1 @ 1 %

Flash point 18°C Closed cup.

Relative density ~1.19 @ 20°C

9.2. Other information

Other information Not available.

# SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

## 10.1. Reactivity

Reactivity No information available.

10.2. Chemical stability

**Stability** Stable at normal ambient temperatures.

# 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Possibility of hazardous

Not available.

reactions

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Conditions to avoid Avoid heat, flames and other sources of ignition. Avoid excessive heat for prolonged periods

of time.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Materials to avoid Alkalis - inorganic. Strong oxidising agents.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition Thermal decomposition or combustion products may include the following substances:

**products** Carbon monoxide (CO). Carbon dioxide (CO2).

# SECTION 11: Toxicological information

## 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Other health effects Suspected of causing cancer. May cause damage to organs .

Acute toxicity - oral

**ATE oral (mg/kg)** 1,092.9

Acute toxicity - dermal

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**ATE dermal (mg/kg)** 3,278.69

Acute toxicity - inhalation

ATE inhalation (gases ppm) 7,650.27

Skin corrosion/irritation

**Skin corrosion/irritation** Corrosive to skin.

Serious eye damage/irritation

Serious eye damage/irritation May cause temporary eye irritation.

Respiratory sensitisation

**Respiratory sensitisation** No information available.

Skin sensitisation

**Skin sensitisation** No information available.

Germ cell mutagenicity

**Genotoxicity - in vitro**No information available.

Carcinogenicity

Carcinogenicity Suspected of causing cancer.

Reproductive toxicity

Reproductive toxicity - fertility No information available.

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

STOT - single exposure No information available.

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

STOT - repeated exposure No information available.

Aspiration hazard

**Aspiration hazard** No information available.

General information May cause damage to organs (Kidneys, Central nervous system, Liver, Heart &

cardiovascular system, Respiratory system, lungs, Eyes). Suspected of causing cancer.

**Inhalation** Harmful if inhaled.

**Ingestion** Harmful if swallowed.

**Skin contact** Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

**Eye contact** Vapour or spray in the eyes may cause irritation and smarting. May cause eye irritation.

Target organs Eyes Central nervous system Heart and cardiovascular system Kidneys Respiratory system,

lungs Liver

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Other health effects Causes damage to organs .

Acute toxicity - oral

ATE oral (mg/kg) 100.0

Acute toxicity - dermal

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ATE dermal (mg/kg) 300.0

Acute toxicity - inhalation

ATE inhalation (gases

ppm)

700.0

Germ cell mutagenicity

Genotoxicity - in vitro This substance has no evidence of mutagenic properties.

Genotoxicity - in vivo This substance has no evidence of mutagenic properties.

Carcinogenicity

Carcinogenicity No evidence of carcinogenicity in animal studies.

Reproductive toxicity

Reproductive toxicity -

fertility

This substance has no evidence of toxicity to reproduction. - NOAEL 1.33 mg/l,

Rat

Inhalation Toxic if inhaled.

Ingestion Toxic if swallowed.

Skin contact Toxic in contact with skin.

Eye contact May cause severe eye irritation.

Acute and chronic health

hazards

Contains components which may penetrate the skin. May cause liver and/or renal

damage. Narcotic effect.

**Target organs** Kidneys Liver Heart & cardiovascular system

Medical considerations Liver and/or kidney damage.

# SECTION 12: Ecological information

# Ecological information on ingredients.

# methanol

**Ecotoxicity** Low acute toxicity to aquatic organisms.

12.1. Toxicity

**Toxicity** The product is not expected to be hazardous to the environment. The product may affect the

acidity (pH) of water which may have hazardous effects on aquatic organisms.

# Ecological information on ingredients.

## methanol

Acute aquatic toxicity

Acute toxicity - fish LC<sub>50</sub>, 96 hours: 15400 mg/l, Lepomis macrochirus (Bluegill)

> NOEC, 200 hours: 15800 mg/l, Oryzias latipes (Red killifish) LC<sub>50</sub>, 96 hour: >100 mg/l, Pimephales promelas (Fat-head Minnow)

Acute toxicity - aquatic

EC₅o, 48 hours: >1000 mg/l, Daphnia magna

invertebrates EC<sub>50</sub>, 96 hour: 22200-23400 mg/l, Freshwater invertebrates

EC<sub>50</sub>, 48 hour: 2500 mg/l, Marinewater invertebrates

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Acute toxicity - aquatic

plants

EC₅o, 96 hours: 22000 mg/l, Selenastrum capricornutum

Acute toxicity -  $EC_{50}$ , 15 hours: 20000 mg/l, bacteria microorganisms  $IC_{50}$ , 3 hour: >1000 mg/l, Activated sludge

IC<sub>50</sub>, 24 hours: 1000 mg/l, bacteria

Chronic aquatic toxicity

Chronic toxicity - fish early NOEC, 200 hours: 7900 mg/l, Fish

life stage

12.2. Persistence and degradability

Persistence and degradability No data available.

Ecological information on ingredients.

methanol

Persistence and degradability

No data available.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulative potential No data available on bioaccumulation.

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Ecological information on ingredients.

methanol

Bioaccumulative potential The product is not bioaccumulating. log Kow: -0.77,

12.4. Mobility in soil

**Mobility** The product has poor water-solubility.

Ecological information on ingredients.

methanol

**Mobility** The product is soluble in water.

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Results of PBT and vPvB

This product does not contain any substances classified as PBT or vPvB.

assessment

Ecological information on ingredients.

methanol

**Results of PBT and vPvB** This substance is not classified as PBT or vPvB according to current EU criteria. assessment

12.6. Other adverse effects

Other adverse effects Not available.

Ecological information on ingredients.

methanol

Other adverse effects Not available.

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# **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

## 13.1. Waste treatment methods

General information When handling waste, the safety precautions applying to handling of the product should be

Disposal methods Dispose of waste to licensed waste disposal site in accordance with the requirements of the

local Waste Disposal Authority.

# **SECTION 14: Transport information**

# 14.1. UN number

UN No. (ADR/RID) 2924 2924 UN No. (IMDG) UN No. (ICAO) 2924 UN No. (ADN) 2924

# 14.2. UN proper shipping name

Proper shipping name

(ADR/RID)

FLAMMABLE LIQUID, CORROSIVE, N.O.S. (CONTAINS METHANOL, ACETIC ACID )

Proper shipping name (IMDG) FLAMMABLE LIQUID, CORROSIVE, N.O.S. (CONTAINS METHANOL, ACETIC ACID )

Proper shipping name (ICAO) FLAMMABLE LIQUID, CORROSIVE, N.O.S. (CONTAINS METHANOL, ACETIC ACID )

Proper shipping name (ADN) FLAMMABLE LIQUID, CORROSIVE, N.O.S. (CONTAINS METHANOL, ACETIC ACID )

# 14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

ADR/RID class 3

ADR/RID subsidiary risk 8

ADR/RID classification code FC

ADR/RID label 3

3 **IMDG class** 

IMDG subsidiary risk 8

ICAO class/division 3

ICAO subsidiary risk 8

**ADN class** 3

ADN subsidiary risk 8

# Transport labels





# 14.4. Packing group

ADR/RID packing group Ш IMDG packing group Ш ICAO packing group Ш ADN packing group Ш

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## 14.5. Environmental hazards

Environmentally hazardous substance/marine pollutant

No.

14.6. Special precautions for user

**EmS** F-E. S-C

ADR transport category 2

**Emergency Action Code** •3WE

**Hazard Identification Number** 

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(ADR/RID)

Tunnel restriction code (D/E)

# 14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL and the IBC Code

Transport in bulk according to Not applicable.

Annex II of MARPOL 73/78

and the IBC Code

# SECTION 15: Regulatory information

# 15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

**EU** legislation Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16

December 2008 on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures (as

amended).

Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 December 2006 concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of

Chemicals (REACH) (as amended).

Commission Regulation (EU) No 2015/830 of 28 May 2015.

# 15.2. Chemical safety assessment

Not available.

# SECTION 16: Other information

General information Only trained personnel should use this material.

Key literature references and

sources for data

Health and Safety Executive (HSE). MARPOL 73/78 Annex II - Regulations for the Control of

Pollution by Noxious Liquid Substances in Bulk. Source: European Chemicals Agency,

http://echa.europa.eu/

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Hazard statements in full H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapour.

H226 Flammable liquid and vapour.

H301 Toxic if swallowed. H302 Harmful if swallowed. H311 Toxic in contact with skin.

H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H318 Causes serious eye damage.

H331 Toxic if inhaled. H332 Harmful if inhaled.

H351 Suspected of causing cancer. H370 Causes damage to organs . H371 May cause damage to organs .

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