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SAFETY DATA SHEET

1. Identification

GHS product identifier **Shear Wave Couplant**

Other means of identification

SWC-2 **Product code** Recommended use Couplant. **Recommended restrictions** None known.

Manufacturer information

Supplier Evident Scientific

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2. Hazard(s) identification

Not classified. Physical hazards **Health hazards** Not classified. **Environmental hazards** Not classified.

Label elements

None. Hazard symbol Signal word None.

Hazard statement The mixture does not meet the criteria for classification.

Precautionary statements

Observe good industrial hygiene practices. Prevention

Wash hands after handling. Response Do not store in direct sunlight. Storage

Disposal Dispose of waste and residues in accordance with local authority requirements.

Other hazards which do not result in classification

None known.

Supplemental information

None.

3. Composition/information on ingredients

The components are not hazardous or are below required disclosure limits.

4. First-aid measures

Inhalation Move to fresh air. Call a physician if symptoms develop or persist.

Wash off with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists. Skin contact

Eye contact Rinse with water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

Rinse mouth. Get medical attention if symptoms occur. Ingestion Most important Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.

symptoms/effects, acute and

delayed

Treat symptomatically.

medical attention and special

treatment needed **General information**

Indication of immediate

Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to

protect themselves.

5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable extinguishing media Use fire-extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding materials.

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media

None known.

Specific hazards arising from

the chemical

During fire, gases hazardous to health may be formed.

Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

Self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.

Fire fighting

equipment/instructions

Move containers from fire area if you can do so without risk.

Specific methods

Use standard firefighting procedures and consider the hazards of other involved materials.

General fire hazards No

No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted.

6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures Avoid prolonged exposure. Keep unnecessary personnel away. In case of spills, beware of

slippery floors and surfaces. For personal protection, see section 8.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up Environmental precautions

Sweep or scoop up and remove. Wipe up with absorbent material (e.g. cloth, fleece). After cleaning, flush away traces with water. For waste disposal, see section 13 of the SDS.

Avoid discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground.

7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling

Avoid prolonged exposure. Observe good industrial hygiene practices. It is a good industrial hygiene practice to minimise skin contact. For prolonged or repeated skin contact use suitable protective gloves.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store in original tightly closed container.

8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Occupational exposure limits

No exposure limits noted for ingredient(s).

No biological exposure limits noted for the ingredient(s).

Biological limit values

Appropriate engineering

controls

Good general ventilation (typically 10 air changes per hour) should be used. Ventilation rates should be matched to conditions. If applicable, use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to maintain airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If exposure limits have not been established, maintain airborne levels to an acceptable level.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection

If contact is likely, safety glasses with side shields are recommended. Eye wash fountain is

recommended.

Skin protection

Hand protection

For prolonged or repeated skin contact use suitable protective gloves. Suitable gloves can be

recommended by the glove supplier.

Other Wear suitable protective clothing.

Respiratory protection

In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment.

Thermal hazards

Wear appropriate thermal protective clothing, when necessary.

General hygiene considerations

Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing after handling the material and before eating, drinking, and/or smoking. Routinely wash work clothing and protective

equipment to remove contaminants.

9. Physical and chemical properties

Appearance

Physical stateLiquid.FormPaste.ColourDark brown.OdourNone.

Odour threshold Not available.

pH Neutral.

Melting point/freezing point Not available.

Initial boiling point and boiling

range

> 104.44 °C (> 220 °F)

Flash point Not available.

Evaporation rate Not available.

Flammability (solid, gas) Not applicable.

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Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits

Flammability limit - lower

(%)

Not applicable.

Flammability limit - upper

Not applicable.

Not available. Vapour pressure Not available. Vapour density > 1 (Water = 1) Relative density

Solubility(ies)

Completely soluble in water. Solubility (water)

Partition coefficient

(n-octanol/water)

Not applicable.

Not available. **Auto-ignition temperature** Not available. **Decomposition temperature** Not available. **Viscosity**

Other information

Explosive properties Not explosive.

Non flammable. (WHMIS/OSHA/NOM-018-STPS 2000) **Flammability**

Oxidising properties Not oxidising

10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity The product is stable and non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.

Material is stable under normal conditions. **Chemical stability**

Possibility of hazardous

reactions

No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.

Conditions to avoid None known. Incompatible materials None.

Hazardous decomposition

products

No hazardous decomposition products are known.

11. Toxicological information

Information on likely routes of exposure

Inhalation No adverse effects due to inhalation are expected. Skin contact No adverse effects due to skin contact are expected. Eye contact Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation. Ingestion No adverse effects due to ingestion are expected.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity Expected to be a low ingestion hazard.

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. Skin corrosion/irritation

Serious eye damage/eye

irritation

Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.

Respiratory or skin sensitisation

Respiratory sensitisation Not a respiratory sensitiser.

This product is not expected to cause skin sensitisation. Skin sensitisation

No data available to indicate product or any components present at greater than 0.1% are Germ cell mutagenicity

mutagenic or genotoxic.

Carcinogenicity This product is not considered to be a carcinogen by IARC, ACGIH, NTP, or OSHA.

Reproductive toxicity This product is not expected to cause reproductive or developmental effects.

Specific target organ toxicity -

single exposure

No data available.

Specific target organ toxicity -

repeated exposure

No data available.

Aspiration hazard Not an aspiration hazard.

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12. Ecological information

Ecotoxicity The product is not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does not exclude the

possibility that large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging effect on the environment.

Persistence and degradability

No data is available on the degradability of this product.

Bioaccumulative potential

The product is not expected to bioaccumulate.

Mobility in soil

No data available.

Other adverse effects

No other adverse environmental effects (e.g. ozone depletion, photochemical ozone creation potential, endocrine disruption, global warming potential) are expected from this component.

13. Disposal considerations

Disposal instructions Collect and reclaim or dispose in sealed containers at licensed waste disposal site.

Local disposal regulations Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.

Waste from residues / unused

products

Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

Contaminated packaging

Since emptied containers may retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is emptied. Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal.

14. Transport information

ADR

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

RID

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

IATA

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

IMDG

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

Transport in bulk according to

Not applicable.

Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and

the IBC Code

15. Regulatory information

Safety, health and environmental regulations specific for the product in question

Hazardous Substances Act, 1973 (Act No. 15 of 1973)

Not listed.

International regulations

Stockholm Convention

Not applicable.

Rotterdam Convention

Not applicable.

Montreal Protocol

Not applicable.

Kyoto protocol

Not applicable.

Basel Convention

Not applicable.

International Inventories

Country(s) or region	Inventory name	On inventory (yes/no)*
Australia	Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS)	No
Canada	Domestic Substances List (DSL)	No
Canada	Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)	No
China	Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China (IECSC)	No
Europe	European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS)	No
Europe	European List of Notified Chemical Substances (ELINCS)	No
Japan	Inventory of Existing and New Chemical Substances (ENCS)	No
Korea	Existing Chemicals List (ECL)	No
New Zealand	New Zealand Inventory	No

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Philippines Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

(PICCS)

United States & Puerto Rico Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory

Yes

*A "Yes" indicates this product complies with the inventory requirements administered by the governing country(s).

A "No" indicates that one or more components of the product are not listed or exempt from listing on the inventory administered by the governing country(s).

16. Other information

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