



## SAFETY DATA SHEET

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

#### 1.1. Product identifier

**Product name:** 938918 5 STAR HEAVY DUTY DEGREASER 5L

**Product code:** 938918

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

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

**Company name:** Spicers Limited  
Building 1000  
Cambridge Research Park  
Waterbeach  
Cambridge  
CB25 9PD  
**Tel:** 01223 822569  
**Email:** customercare@5staroffice.com

#### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

**Emergency tel:** 0161 343 3830

### Section 2: Hazards identification

#### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

**Classification under CLP:** Skin Corr. 1A: H314

**Most important adverse effects:** Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

#### 2.2. Label elements

**Label elements:**

**Hazard statements:** H314: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

**Signal words:** Danger

**Hazard pictograms:** GHS05: Corrosion



**Precautionary statements:** P280: Wear protective gloves/eye protection.

P305+351+338: IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P405: Store locked up.

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## 2.3. Other hazards

**PBT:** This product is not identified as a PBT/vPvB substance.

## Section 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.2. Mixtures

#### Hazardous ingredients:

##### DISODIUM METASILICATE

EINECS	CAS	PBT / WEL	CLP Classification	Percent
229-912-9	6834-92-0	-	Skin Corr. 1B: H314; STOT SE 3: H335	1-10%

##### 2-(2-BUTOXYETHOXY)ETHANOL

203-961-6	112-34-5	-	Eye Irrit. 2: H319	1-10%
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##### 2-BUTOXYETHANOL

203-905-0	111-76-2	-	Acute Tox. 4: H332; Acute Tox. 4: H312; Acute Tox. 4: H302; Eye Irrit. 2: H319; Skin Irrit. 2: H315	1-10%
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##### SODIUM XYLENE SULPHONATE

215-090-9	1300-72-7	-	Eye Irrit. 2: H319	1-10%
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##### PRIMARY ALCOHOL ETHOXYLATE

-	68439-46-3	-	Eye Irrit. 2: H319; Acute Tox. 4: H302	1-10%
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## Section 4: First aid measures

### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

**Skin contact:** Remove all contaminated clothes and footwear immediately unless stuck to skin. Wash immediately with plenty of soap and water.

**Eye contact:** Bathe the eye with running water for 15 minutes. Transfer to hospital for specialist examination.

**Ingestion:** Wash out mouth with water. Do not induce vomiting. If conscious, give half a litre of water to drink immediately. Consult a doctor.

**Inhalation:** Remove casualty from exposure ensuring one's own safety whilst doing so.

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

**Skin contact:** There may be irritation and redness at the site of contact.

**Eye contact:** There may be pain and redness. The eyes may water profusely. There may be severe pain. The vision may become blurred. May cause permanent damage.

**Ingestion:** There may be soreness and redness of the mouth and throat. Nausea and stomach pain may occur.

**Inhalation:** There may be irritation of the throat with a feeling of tightness in the chest.

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

## Section 5: Fire-fighting measures

### 5.1. Extinguishing media

**Extinguishing media:** Suitable extinguishing media for the surrounding fire should be used. Use water spray to cool containers.

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

**Exposure hazards:** In combustion emits toxic fumes.

### 5.3. Advice for fire-fighters

**Advice for fire-fighters:** Wear self-contained breathing apparatus. Wear protective clothing to prevent contact with skin and eyes.

## Section 6: Accidental release measures

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

**Personal precautions:** Mark out the contaminated area with signs and prevent access to unauthorised personnel. Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective clothing - see section 8 of SDS. Turn leaking containers leak-side up to prevent the escape of liquid.

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

**Environmental precautions:** Do not discharge into drains or rivers. Contain the spillage using bunding.

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

**Clean-up procedures:** Absorb into dry earth or sand. Transfer to a closable, labelled salvage container for disposal by an appropriate method.

### 6.4. Reference to other sections

## Section 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

**Handling requirements:** Avoid direct contact with the substance. Ensure there is sufficient ventilation of the area. Avoid the formation or spread of mists in the air.

### 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

**Storage conditions:** Store in a cool, well ventilated area. Keep container tightly closed.

**Suitable packaging:** Must only be kept in original packaging.

### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

## Section 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1. Control parameters

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## Hazardous ingredients:

### 2-(2-BUTOXYETHOXY)ETHANOL

#### Workplace exposure limits:

#### Respirable dust

State	8 hour TWA	15 min. STEL	8 hour TWA	15 min. STEL
UK	67.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	101.2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	-	-

### 2-BUTOXYETHANOL

UK	25 ppm	50 ppm	-	-
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#### DNEL/PNEC Values

DNEL / PNEC No data available.

#### 8.2. Exposure controls

**Engineering measures:** Ensure there is sufficient ventilation of the area.

**Respiratory protection:** Self-contained breathing apparatus must be available in case of emergency.

**Hand protection:** Protective gloves.

**Eye protection:** Tightly fitting safety goggles. Ensure eye bath is to hand.

**Skin protection:** Protective clothing.

## Section 9: Physical and chemical properties

### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

**State:** Liquid

**Colour:** Colourless

**Odour:** Characteristic odour

**Oxidising:** Non-oxidising (by EC criteria)

**Solubility in water:** Soluble

**Also soluble in:** Most organic solvents.

**Viscosity:** Non-viscous

**Flash point°C:** 70

**pH:** >12.5

### 9.2. Other information

**Other information:** No data available.

## Section 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1. Reactivity

### 10.2. Chemical stability

**Chemical stability:** Stable under normal conditions.

### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

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## 10.4. Conditions to avoid

**Conditions to avoid:** Heat.

## 10.5. Incompatible materials

**Materials to avoid:** Strong oxidising agents. Strong acids.

## 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

**Haz. decomp. products:** In combustion emits toxic fumes.

## Section 11: Toxicological information

### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

#### Hazardous ingredients:

##### DISODIUM METASILICATE

ORL	MUS	LD50	770	mg/kg
ORL	RAT	LD50	1153	mg/kg

##### 2-(2-BUTOXYETHOXY)ETHANOL

ORL	MUS	LD50	6050	mg/kg
ORL	RAT	LD50	4500	mg/kg

##### 2-BUTOXYETHANOL

IVN	RAT	LD50	307	mg/kg
ORL	MUS	LD50	1230	mg/kg
ORL	RAT	LD50	470	mg/kg

##### SODIUM XYLENE SULPHONATE

ORL	RAT	LD50	>7000	mg/kg
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##### PRIMARY ALCOHOL ETHOXYLATE

ORL	RAT	LD50	>200<2000	mg/kg
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#### Relevant hazards for substance:

Hazard	Route	Basis
Skin corrosion/irritation	DRM	Hazardous: calculated
Serious eye damage/irritation	OPT	Hazardous: calculated

### Symptoms / routes of exposure

**Skin contact:** There may be irritation and redness at the site of contact.

**Eye contact:** There may be pain and redness. The eyes may water profusely. There may be severe pain. The vision may become blurred. May cause permanent damage.

**Ingestion:** There may be soreness and redness of the mouth and throat. Nausea and stomach pain may occur.

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**Inhalation:** There may be irritation of the throat with a feeling of tightness in the chest.

## Section 12: Ecological information

### 12.1. Toxicity

**Hazardous ingredients:**

**PRIMARY ALCOHOL ETHOXYLATE**

FISH	96H LC50	1-10	mg/l
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### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

**Persistence and degradability:** The surfactants in this product comply with the biodegradability criteria as laid down in Regulation (EC) No. 648/2004 on detergents. Data to support this assertion are held at the disposal of the component authorities of the Member States and will be made available to them at their direct request or at the request of the detergent manufacturer.

### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

**Bioaccumulative potential:** No bioaccumulation potential.

### 12.4. Mobility in soil

**Mobility:** Readily absorbed into soil.

### 12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

**PBT identification:** This product is not identified as a PBT/vPvB substance.

### 12.6. Other adverse effects

**Other adverse effects:** Negligible ecotoxicity.

## Section 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

**NB:** The user's attention is drawn to the possible existence of regional or national regulations regarding disposal.

## Section 14: Transport information

### 14.1. UN number

**UN number:** UN1760

### 14.2. UN proper shipping name

**Shipping name:** CORROSIVE LIQUID, N.O.S.  
(DISODIUM METASILICATE)

### 14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

**Transport class:** 8

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## 14.4. Packing group

Packing group: III

## 14.5. Environmental hazards

Environmentally hazardous: No

Marine pollutant: No

## 14.6. Special precautions for user

## Section 15: Regulatory information

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

### 15.2. Chemical Safety Assessment

## Section 16: Other information

### Other information

**Other information:** This safety data sheet is prepared in accordance with Commission Regulation (EU) No 453/2010.

\* indicates text in the SDS which has changed since the last revision.

**Phrases used in s.2 and s.3:** H302: Harmful if swallowed.

H312: Harmful in contact with skin.

H314: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H315: Causes skin irritation.

H319: Causes serious eye irritation.

H332: Harmful if inhaled.

H335: May cause respiratory irritation.

**Legal disclaimer:** The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. This company shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product.