

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

## SECTION 1 PRODUCT and COMPANY INFORMATION

TRADE NAME: **Econo<sup>®</sup> Floor Wax Stripper™**

PRODUCT TYPE: (Alkaline) Floor Wax Stripper  
PRODUCT CODE: DE86

MANUFACTURER: Finger Lakes Chemical  
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## SECTION 2 HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

EMERGENCY OVERVIEW:

DANGER: CORROSIVE, IRRITANT



Keep out of reach of children. May be corrosive to eyes. May be corrosive to skin.

POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS:

Eyes: Corrosive. May cause eye burns. May cause irreversible eye damage.

Skin: Corrosive. May cause skin burns.

Inhalation: Corrosive and/or irritating to mucous membranes.

Ingestion: Harmful if swallowed. May cause vomiting.

## SECTION 3 COMPOSITION INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

INGREDIENTS	CAS #	PEL	TLV	STEL	%
Water	7732-18-5	NE	NE	NE	75%
Surfactant Blend	Proprietary	NE	NE	NE	15%
Monoethanolamine	141-43-5	3 ppm	NE	6 ppm	5%
Sodium Xylene Sulfonate	1300-72-7	NE	NE	NE	2.2%
Dodecylbenzene Sulfonic Acid	27176-87-0	NE	NE	NE	<1%
Sodium Citrate	6134-04-3	NE	NE	NE	<1%
Sodium Metasilicate Pentahydrate	6834-92-0	NE	NE	NE	<1%

## SECTION 4 FIRST AID MEASURES

First Aid Procedures:

Eye contact: Hold eyelids apart and immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. After initial flushing, remove any contact lenses and continue flushing for at least 15 minutes. Call a physician if irritation persists.

Skin contact: For skin contact flush with large amounts of water. Call a physician if irritation persists.

Inhalation: Immediately remove from further exposure. Give supplemental oxygen, if breathing is difficult. If breathing has stopped, assist ventilation with a mechanical device or use mouth-to-mouth resuscitation.

Ingestion: IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician. If swallowed, do NOT induce vomiting. Give a glass of water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

Note to physician: If the product is ingested, treat the affected person symptomatically.

## SECTION 5 FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

FLASH POINT: >201°F (>94°C) LOWER EXPLOSIVE LIMIT: ND UPPER EXPLOSIVE LIMIT: ND

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA: Water fog. Foam. Dry chemical powder. Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). Appropriate for surrounding fire.

UNUSUAL FIRE & EXPLOSION HAZARDS: None

SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES: As in any fire, wear pressure-demand self-contained breathing apparatus, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

## SECTION 6 ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions: Isolate area. Keep unnecessary personnel away. Stay upwind. Keep out of low areas. Ventilate spaces before entering.

Environmental precautions: Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

Methods for containment: Prevent entry into waterways, sewers, basements or confined areas.

Methods for cleaning up: Eliminate ignition sources including sources of electrical, static or frictional sparks. Wear appropriate protective equipment and clothing during clean-up.

Small Spills: Use a non-combustible material like vermiculite, sand or earth to soak up the product and place into a container for disposal.

Large Spills: Dike far ahead of liquid spill for later disposal. Do not discharge effluent containing this product into lakes, streams, ponds, estuaries, oceans or other waters unless in accordance with the requirements of a National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit and the permitting authority has been notified in writing prior to discharge. Do not discharge effluent containing this product to sewer systems without previously notifying the local sewage treatment plant authority. For guidance, contact your State Water Board or Regional Office of the EPA.

## SECTION 7 HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling: Avoid breathing mist. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Wear suitable protective clothing. Wash hands after handling.  
Storage: Keep from freezing. Keep containers tightly closed.

## SECTION 8 EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Occupational exposure limits: None Established.

Engineering controls: Use local exhaust ventilation.

Personal protective equipment:

Gloves: Wear impervious gloves.

Eye/Face Protection: Wear Safety Glasses or Goggles.

Skin Protection: Wear clothing suited to the task being performed.

Respiratory Protection: Not normally required if good ventilation is maintained.

## SECTION 9 PHYSICAL and CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

BOILING POINT:	>212°F (>100°C)	SPECIFIC GRAVITY (H <sub>2</sub> O=1):	1.1
VAPOR PRESSURE:	ND	PERCENT VOLATILE BY VOL %:	70-80%
VAPOR DENSITY (air=1)	ND	EVAPORATION RATE (Butyl Acetate=1):	ND
SOLUBILITY IN WATER:	Completely Soluble	APPEARANCE & ODOR:	Clear/Hazy Yellow Liquid, Fresh Scent
pH:	12		

## SECTION 10 STABILITY and REACTIVITY DATA

STABILITY: Stable under normal conditions.

INCOMPATIBILITY (material to avoid): Strong acids or oxidizing agents,

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS: Carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, Oxides of Sulfur and/or Nitrogen, and low molecular weight hydrocarbons may be produced.

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION: Will not occur

## SECTION 11 TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Components Test Results:

Monoethanolamine (141-43-5): Acute Oral LD50 (Rat): 1720 mg/kg  
Dermal LD50 (Rabbit): 1015 mg/kg

Dodecylbenzene Sulfonic Acid (27176-87-0): Acute Oral LD50 (Rat): 530 mg/kg

Sodium Metasilicate Pentahydrate (6834-92-0): Acute Oral LD50 (Rat): 1153 mg/kg

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

## SECTION 12 ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Components Information:

Monoethanolamine (141-43-5): LC50 (Fathead Minnow): 227 mg/L- 96H  
EC50 (Water Flea): 65 mg/L – 48H  
EC50 (Green Algae) – 15 mg/L – 72H

## SECTION 13 DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal instructions: Dispose according to all applicable Federal, State, and Local regulations.

## SECTION 14 TRANSPORT INFORMATION

This product is considered Non-Hazardous in all modes of transportation. Therefore, this product does not require classification by DOT, IATA, ICAO or IMDG.

## SECTION 15 REGULATORY INFORMATION

US federal regulations: All components are listed in the United States TSCA Regulations.

CERCLA (Superfund) reportable quantity: None

SARA (Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986):

313 Components: This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

Section 302 extremely hazardous substance: No

Section 311 hazardous chemical: No

Canada: This Product has been classified according to the hazard criteria of the CPR and the SDS contains all of the information required by the CPR.

## SECTION 16 OTHER INFORMATION

Further information: (HMIS<sup>®</sup> is a registered trade and service mark of the NPCA.)

HMIS<sup>®</sup> ratings    Health: 2  
                          Flammability: 0  
                          Physical hazard: 0  
                          Personal protection: A  
                          Hazard: 0-Least, 1-Slight, 2-Moderate, 3-High, 4-Extreme.  
                          Protection: A-Goggles, B-Goggles & gloves, C-Goggles, gloves, & protective wear.

NFPA ratings     Health: 2  
                          Flammability: 0  
                          Instability: 0

Other: NA-Not Applicable, ND-Not Determined, NE-Not Established.

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