

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

## 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE MATERIAL AND SUPPLIER

**Product Name:** COLD DIP LS846

**Synonyms:** UN 2810, TOXIC LIQUID, ORGANIC, N.O.S.

**Use:** Used for decarbonising cylinder heads.

**Supplier:** Advance Chemicals

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## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

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**SIGNAL WORD:** WARNING



**Hazard Statement(s):**

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H331 – Toxic if inhaled

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## Precautionary Statement(s):

### Prevention:

- P101 – If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand
- P102 – Keep out of reach of children.
- P103 - Read label before use
- P104 - Read Safety Data Sheet before use
- P201 – Obtain special instructions before use
- P202 – Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.
- P280 – Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
- P261 – Avoid breathing fumes/gas/mist/vapours/spray
- P271 – Use only outdoor or in a well ventilated area
- P264 – Wash hands thoroughly after handling
- P262 – Do not get in eyes, on skin or on clothing
- P270 – Do not eat, drink or smoke while using this product.

### Response:

- P305 + P313 – IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention
- P304 + P340 – IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.
- P303 + P361 + P353 – IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/ Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.
- P363 – Wash contaminated clothing before use
- P301 + P330 + P331 – IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting
- P314 – Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell
- P305 + P351 + P338 – IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

### Storage:

- P403 + P233 – Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed
- P405 – Store locked up

### Disposal:

- P501: Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local waste management authority.

**Poisons Schedule (Australia):** 6

### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

| Chemical Entity      | C.A.S. No. | Proportion       | Risk phrases                       |
|----------------------|------------|------------------|------------------------------------|
| Methylene Chloride   | 75-09-2    | Greater than 60% | H351                               |
| Phenols              | 108-95-2   | 10 – <30 %       | H341, H331, H311, H301, H373, H314 |
| Emulsifying Agents   | -          | Less than 10%    |                                    |
| Corrosion Inhibitors | -          | Less than 10%    |                                    |
| Stabilizers          | -          | Less than 10%    |                                    |

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

**Inhalation:** Remove victim from exposure. Avoid becoming a casualty. Allow patient to assume a comfortable position and keep warm. Keep at rest until fully recovered. If breathing is laboured, and patient cyanotic, ensure airways are clear and give oxygen through a face mask. Seek immediate medical attention.

**Skin Contact:** Remove contaminated clothing and shoes immediately – For minor skin contact, avoid spreading material on unaffected skin! Immediately call a Poison Centre or doctor/physician for advice. Swab skin repeatedly with Phenol decontaminating solution (glycerine, PEG (polyethylene glycol) or PEG/methylated spirit mixture); Apply liberally to affected area, leave for 15 - 30 seconds, then wash with water (continue cycle for at least 15 minutes). Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

**Eye Contact:** IF IN EYES: Immediately flush eyes with running water for several minutes, holding eyelids open and occasionally lifting the upper and lower lids. Immediately call a Poison Centre or doctor/physician for advice. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do. Continue flushing until advised to stop by a Poisons Information Centre or a doctor, or for at least 15 minutes. Transport to hospital or doctor without delay!

\*Removal of contact lenses after an eye injury should only be undertaken by skilled personnel.

**Ingestion:** Immediately rinse mouth with water and spit out. If swallowed, do NOT induce vomiting. Give a glass of water. Get to a doctor or hospital quickly.

**Medical advice:** For advice, contact Poisons Information Centre, phone 131126, or call a doctor.

**Notes to Doctor:** Treat symptomatically. Do not administer catecholamines because of the cardiac effect of this product.

## 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

**Specific Hazards:** Temperatures above 120°C. Thermal decomposition produces toxic and corrosive products such as hydrogen chloride gas and phosgene. Produces carbon monoxide and hydrogen gases.

**Fire fighting advice:** Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing to prevent exposure to vapours, fumes or products of combustion. Keep run-off water out of sewers and water sources as far as possible.

**Fire Extinguishing Media:** Water spray, foam, carbon dioxide or dry chemical. Do not use water jets.

**Hazchem Code:** 2X

**Flammability:** Non Flammable Liquid.

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Evacuate all unnecessary personnel. Wear sufficient respiratory protection and protective clothing to minimise respiratory, skin and eye exposure. Stop the leak if safe to do so, and contain the spill. Prevent spillage from entering drains or waterways. Place inert absorbent, non-combustible material onto spillage. Collect spilled material into labelled containers for recycling or disposal. Clean up spillage area, and prevent runoff from entering drains and waterways. If the spilled material enters the waterways, contact the Environmental Protection Authority or your local waste management Authority.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

**Handling advice:** Buildup of mists or vapours in the atmosphere must be prevented. Avoid breathing spray, mists, or vapours. Do not use near welding or other ignition sources and avoid sparks. Do not smoke. It is essential that all who come into contact with this material maintain high standards of personal hygiene; ie, washing hands prior to eating, drinking, smoking, or using toilet facilities.

**Storage advice:** Store in a dry, well-ventilated area away from heat, sources of ignition, foodstuffs, clothing, direct sunlight, and moisture. Keep containers closed when not in use and securely sealed and protected against physical damage. Inspect regularly for deficiencies such as damage or leaks.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/ PERSONAL PROTECTION

### Occupational Exposure Limits:

Methylene Chloride – 8 hour Time Weighted Average is 50 ppm. Short Term Exposure Limit is 300 ppm.

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Phenol – 1 ppm 8 hour Time Weighted Average.

**Engineering Controls:** Good ventilation adequate to maintain airborne contamination below the exposure limits is required. The use of a local exhaust ventilation system to draw vapours/mists away from the work area is strongly recommended. If engineering controls are not sufficient to maintain concentrations of particulates below exposure standards, respiratory protection must be worn.

**Personal Protection Equipment:** If engineering controls are not effective in controlling airborne exposure then:

- Use of an air respirator complying with AS/NZS 1715 and AS/NZS 1716 is recommended. Filter capacity and respirator types depend on exposure and individual circumstances.
- Safety glasses with side shields or goggles must be worn. Eye protection shall conform to AS/NZS 1337.
- Wear supported PVA or BCR gloves gloves conforming to AS/NZS 2161.
- Chemical resistant clothing must be worn and if large quantities are involved a plastic apron and rubber boots is recommended.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

**Appearance:** Dark yellow single phase liquid with a chlorinated hydrocarbon odour.

**Boiling Point:** 40°C

**Melting Point:** Not known.

**Flash Point:** Not available.

**Vapour Pressure:** 355 mm Hg at 20°C

**Vapour Density (Air = 1):** 2.9

**Flammability Limits:** Not available.

**Specific Gravity:** 1.24

**pH (1% solution):** Not applicable.

**Solubility in water:** Insoluble.

**Corrosive:** Corrosive to skin and membranes, not corrosive to metal.

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**Stability:** Stable under normal conditions of storage and handling.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Oral – Phenol LD50 (Rats): 414 mg/kg. Moderately toxic.

Dermal – Phenol LD50 (Rabbit): 1120 mg/kg. Moderately toxic.

### Acute Health Effects:

**Ingested:** Harmful if swallowed. Corrosive to mouth and throat. Phenol is readily absorbed through the skin and mucous membranes. The major toxic effects of phenol are exerted on the central nervous system.

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**Eye:** Severe irritant to the eyes. Vapour may irritate and cause lachrymation of the eyes.

**Skin:** Causes burns. Has a degreasing action on skin. Repeated or prolonged contact may result in dermatitis. When dealing with large quantities, repeated or prolonged skin exposure without protection must be prevented to lessen the possibility of skin and systemic disorders.

**Inhaled:** Vapour irritates mucous membranes and respiratory tract. It produces symptoms such as headache, nausea, dizziness, central nervous system depression, and loss of consciousness. Effects can be multiplied by alcohol and effort.

**Chronic:** Evidence from animal tests indicates that repeated or prolonged exposure to high concentrations may result in liver, kidney, and heart disorders. Methylene chloride and phenol are classified as suspected human carcinogens and mutagens.

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Toxic to aquatic organisms; may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment. Do not allow product to enter drains, waterways or sewers.

LC50 (fish, 96h) = 193 - 510 mg/L  
EC50, 30 min > 1000 mg/L

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Dispose of waste according to Environmental Protection Authority, federal, state and local regulations.

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

**UN Number:** 2810

**Proper Shipping Name:** UN2810, TOXIC LIQUID, ORGANIC, N.O.S.

**Dangerous Goods Class:** 6.1

**Subsidiary risk:** 8

**Packing Group:** II

**Hazchem Code:** 2X

**Road and Rail Transport:** This product is classified as Dangerous Goods according to the criteria of Australian Code for Transport of Dangerous Goods (ADG Code).



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## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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