

DREXEL SIR-FACTANT™

SECTION 1: MATERIAL IDENTIFICATION

Product Name: Drexel SIR-Factant™ Non-ionic Biodegradable Surfactant
Product Usage: Surfactant, wetting agent, spreader

Manufacturer: Drexel Chemical Company
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Emergency Telephone Numbers: CHEMTREC 800-424-9300
DREXEL CHEMICAL COMPANY 901-774-4370

SECTION 2: HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

(As defined by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29)

Label Elements:
Signal Word:

WARNING



Classifications:
Hazard Class:

Toxicity Study:

Acute Toxicity, Oral
Skin corrosion/ irritation
Serious eye damage / irritation

Category:

Category 4
Category 2
Category 2B

Hazard Statements:

H Code:

Statement:

H302 Harmful if swallowed
H315 Causes skin irritation
H320 Causes eye irritation

Precautionary Statements:

Prevention:

Obtain special instructions before use.
Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.
Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling.
Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.
Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.
In case of inadequate ventilation, wear respiratory protection.
Avoid release into the environment.

Response:

If in Eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do so. Continue rinsing. Get immediate medical advice/attention.

If Swallowed: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell. Treat symptomatically.

If Inhaled: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Call POISON CENTER or doctor if you feel unwell.

If on Skin or Clothing: Wash with plenty of water. If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

If exposed or concerned: None available, get medical attention.

Storage: Keep cool. Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. Store locked up. Always use oldest stock first.

Disposal: Dispose of contents/container in accordance with your local or area regulatory authorities.

Specific hazards: None available.

SECTION 3: COMPOSITION INFORMATION

<u>Chemical Name:</u>	<u>Synonym:</u>	<u>CAS No.:</u>	<u>EC No.:</u>	<u>RTECS:</u>	<u>% By Wt.:</u>
Active Ingredient: Alcohols ethoxylate; polyethylene glycol nonylphenyl ether	Proprietary	Proprietary	N/A	N/A	80.0%
Inert Ingredients:	Proprietary	Proprietary	N/A	N/A	20.0%

SECTION 4: FIRST-AID MEASURES

Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor or going for treatment. You may also call CHEMTREC at 800-424-9300 for emergency medical treatment information.

Eye Contact: Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15 to 20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.

If Swallowed: Call a poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice. Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow. Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by a poison control center or doctor. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

Skin/Clothing Contact: Take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15 to 20 minutes. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.

If Inhaled: Move person to fresh air. If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth, if possible. Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice.

Indication of Medical Attention and Special Treatment Needed: None / Treat symptomatically
 If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.

SECTION 5: FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Fire Fighting Media: CO₂, Foam solution, Water spray

Fire Fighting Procedures: Keep people away. Isolate fire and deny unnecessary entry. Evacuate the area and fight the fire from upwind at a safe distance to avoid hazardous vapors or decomposition products. Cool closed containers exposed to fire with water spray, if possible. Dike and collect fire-extinguishing water to prevent environmental damage and excessive waste runoff.


Special Protective Equipment for Firefighters: Wear positive-pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) and protective firefighting clothing (includes firefighting helmet, coat, trousers, boots, and gloves). Use full face shield and operate in positive pressure mode. Avoid contact with this material during firefighting operations. If contact is likely, change to full chemical resistant firefighting clothing with self-contained breathing apparatus. If this is not available, wear full chemical resistant clothing with self-contained breathing apparatus and fight fire from a remote location. For protective equipment in post-fire or non-fire clean-up situations, refer to the relevant sections.

Specific Fire Hazards: Can be dangerous when exposed to extreme heat and flame.
 Do not breathe mist/vapor/spray.

Flammability classification (OSHA 29 CFR 1910.1200): N/ Av
 Flash point: 175- 180°F
 Lower flammable limit (% by volume): N/Av
 Upper flammable limit (% by volume): N/Av

Hazardous Combustion Products: Carbon monoxide and asphyxiants

National Fire Protection Association:

NFPA: 	Health	Fire	Reactivity
	2	1	0

Ratings: 4-Extreme 3-High 2-Moderate 1-Slight 0-Insignificant

SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal Precautions:

Isolate area. Keep unnecessary and unprotected personnel from entering the area. Refer to SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE, for additional precautionary measures. Ventilate area of leak or spill. Use appropriate safety equipment. For additional information, refer to SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION.

Environmental Precautions:

Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system. Prevent from entering soil, ditches, sewers, waterways and/or groundwater. Refer to SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION.

Steps to be taken if Material is Released or Spilled:

Control the spill at its source.

Small spills: Stop the flow of material, if this is without risk. Apply suitable absorbent and sweep up. Collect in suitable and properly labeled containers. Prevent entry into waterways, sewers, basements or confined areas.

Large spills: Stop the flow of material, if this is without risk. Apply suitable absorbent and sweep up. Collect in suitable and properly labeled containers. Contact Drexel Chemical Company for clean-up assistance. Refer to SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS, for additional information. Prevent entry into waterways, sewers, basements or confined areas.

SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

Handling: **General Handling:** Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling. Do not swallow. Avoid breathing dust. Avoid breathing vapors. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Use with adequate ventilation. Wear chemical protective equipment when handling. Wear long-sleeved shirt, long pants and shoes with socks when handling. Keep away from heat, sparks and flame. Refer to SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Storage: Store in a cool, dry, ventilated and secure area designated specifically for pesticides and away from heat sources. Keep in original containers and keep containers closed when not in use. Do not store in excessive heat. Do not store near children, food, foodstuffs, drugs or potable water supplies. Always use oldest stock first.

SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Occupational Exposure Limits:

Components:	OSHA PEL	ACGIH TLV
Alcohols ethoxylate; polyethylene glycol nonylphenyl ether	N/A	5 mg/m ³

THIS SECTION IS FOR MANUFACTURING, COMMERCIAL BLENDING AND PACKAGING WORKERS. APPLICATORS AND HANDLERS SHOULD REFER TO THE PRODUCT LABEL FOR PROPER PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT AND CLOTHING.

Engineering Controls:

Ventilation: Investigate engineering techniques to reduce exposures. When handling this product proper ventilation is required to maintain exposure below the TLV. Ventilate all transport vehicles prior to unloading. Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash facility / station and safety shower. Use engineering controls to maintain airborne level below exposure limit requirements or guidelines. If there are no applicable exposure limit requirements or guidelines, use only with adequate ventilation. Local exhaust ventilation may be necessary for some operations.

Personal Protection:

Eye/Face Protection: Eye contact should be avoided through the use of chemical safety glasses, goggles, or a face shield selected in regard to exposure potential. Wear chemical splash goggles to prevent vapors or mists from entering the eyes. Where there is potential for eye contact have eye flushing equipment available. Safety glasses with side-shields.

Ingestion: Avoid ingestion of even very small amounts; do not consume or store food or tobacco in the work area; wash hands and face thoroughly with soap and water before smoking or eating. Avoid getting wash water in eyes.

Hand Protection: Use gloves chemically resistant to this material. Examples of preferred glove barrier materials include: Neoprene, Nitrile/butadiene rubber ("nitrile" or "NBR") or Viton, Polyvinyl chloride ("PVC" or "vinyl"). The selection of gloves for a particular application and duration of use in the workplace should also be taken into account all relevant workplace factors such as, but not limited to: other chemicals which may be handled, physical requirements (cut/ puncture protection, dexterity, thermal protection), potential body reactions to gloves materials, as well as the instructions / specs provided by the supplier of gloves.

Skin Protection: Use protective clothing chemically resistant to this material. Selection of specific items such as face shield, boots, apron, or full body suit will depend on the task. Safety shower should be located in immediate work area. Remove contaminated clothing immediately, wash skin area with soap and water, and launder clothing before reuse or dispose of properly. Items which cannot be decontaminated, such as shoes, belts and watchbands, should be removed and disposed of properly.

Respiratory Protection: Respiratory protection should be worn when there is a potential to exceed the exposure limit requirements or guidelines. If there are no applicable exposure limit requirements or guidelines, use an approved respirator. Selection of air-purifying or positive-pressure supplied-air will depend on the specific operation and the potential airborne concentration of the material. When handling in enclosed areas, when large quantities of dusts are generated or prolonged exposure is possible in excess of the TLV, use a respirator with either an organic vapor-removing cartridge with a prefilter approved for pesticides (MSHA/NIOSH approval number prefix TC-23C) or a canister approved for pesticides (MSHA/NIOSH approval number prefix TC-14G).

SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Property	Reported Value
Physical State	Liquid
Appearance / Color	Amber to Black
Odor	Slight alcohol
Odor threshold	Not available
pH (@5% dilution)	4.0 – 7.0
Melting point	<32°F
Freezing point	Not available
Boiling point	212°F
Flash point	175° F - 180°F
Evaporation rate	Not available
Flammability	Not available
Upper flammability/explosive limits	Not available
Lower flammability/explosive limits	Not available
Vapor pressure	Not available
Vapor density	Not available
Relative density	8.50 lbs. / gal.
Solubility in water	Complete
Solubility in organic solvents	Not available
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water)	Not available
Auto-ignition temperature	Not available
Decomposition temperature	Not available
Viscosity	200 – 300cP
Explosive properties	Not available
Oxidizing properties	Not available
Dissociation Constant	Not available

SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity:	Thermally stable at typical use temperatures and in closed containers.
Chemical Stability:	Stable under recommended storage conditions.
Hazardous Polymerization:	Will not occur.
Conditions to Avoid:	Avoid extreme temperatures and open flames.
Incompatible Materials:	Avoid contact with strong oxidizers.
Hazardous Decomposition Products:	Carbon monoxide and asphyxiants.

SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

ACUTE TOXICITY

Potential routes of exposure/potential health effects:	Skin contact. Eye contact. Ingestion.	
Acute Oral:	LD₅₀ (Rat):	>1,300 mg/kg
Acute Dermal:	LD₅₀ (Rat):	2 g/kg
Acute Inhalation:	LC₅₀ (Rat):	No data available
Eye Irritation:	(Rabbit):	Causes eye irritation
Skin Irritation:	(Rabbit):	Causes skin irritation
Skin Sensitization:	(Guinea Pig):	No data available

Chronic Toxicity:	No data available
Carcinogenicity:	No data available
Mutagenicity:	Non-mutagenic for bacteria and/or yeast
Teratogenicity:	No data available
Reproductive Toxicity:	No data available
Developmental Toxicity:	No data available
Specific target organ toxicity- single exposure:	No data available / Not classified
Specific target organ toxicity- repeated exposure:	No data available / Not classified
Other Hazards Effects:	No data available

SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

ENVIRONMENTAL FATE

Alcohol ethoxylate (68002-971)

Alkylphenol ethoxylate (9016-45-9)

ECO-ACUTE TOXICITY

Aquatic Toxicity:	Fish, LC₅₀ 96 hour	>1 mg/L
	Daphnia magna, LC₅₀ 48 hour	>1 mg/L
Arthropod Toxicity:	Bees, Acute LD₅₀	No data available / not established
Bird Toxicity:	Mallard Duck, LD₅₀	No data available / not established
	Bobwhite Quail, LD₅₀	No data available / not established
Algal Toxicity:	Algae, LC₅₀ 96 hour	>1 mg/L
Soil Organism Toxicity:	Earthworm acute toxicity	No data available / not established
Persistence and degradability:	No data available / not established	
Bioaccumulation:	No data available / not established	
Mobility in soil:	No data available / not established	
Other adverse effects:	Do not contaminate water supplies, lakes, streams, ponds or drains with this product.	

SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

If wastes and/or containers cannot be disposed of according to the product label directions, disposal of this material must be in accordance with your local or area regulatory authorities. This information presented below only applies to the material as supplied. The identification based on characteristic(s) or listing may not apply if the material has been used or otherwise contaminated. It is the responsibility of the waste generator to determine the toxicity and physical properties of the material generated to determine the proper waste identification and disposal methods in compliance with applicable regulations. If the material as supplied becomes a waste, follow all applicable regional, national and local laws.

SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT: Not Regulated
IMDG: Not Regulated
IATA / ICAO: Not Regulated

UN Identification No.: Not applicable
Proper Shipping Name: Not applicable
Hazard Class: Not applicable
Packing Group: Not applicable
Reportable Quantity: Not applicable
Environmental Hazard: Not applicable
Freight Description: Agricultural spray adjuvant, liquid, n.o.s.
ERG Guide No.: 171
Transport Information Note: None

This information is not intended to convey all specific regulatory or operational requirements/information relating to this product. Additional transportation system information can be obtained through an authorized sales or customer service representative. It is the responsibility of the transporting organization to follow all applicable laws, regulations and rules relating to the transportation of the material.

SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

OSHA Hazard Communication Standard: This product contains no hazardous components as defined under the criteria of the Federal OSHA Hazardous Communication Standard 29 CFR 1910.1200

Pesticide Registration: This product is subject to certain FIFRA labeling requirements under federal pesticide law. These requirements differ from the classification criteria and hazard information required for safety data sheets (SDS), and for workplace labels of non-pesticide chemicals.

Label Signal Word: WARNING
Label Information: KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN
Label Information: Hazards To Humans And Domestic Animals
 WARNING: Causes eye and skin irritation. Harmful if swallowed or if in contact with skin. Do not get on skin, in eyes or on clothing. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Avoid breathing spray mist. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet. Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. Avoid release to the environment.

EPCRA SARA Title III Classification:

Section 302:	Extremely Hazardous Substance	This material is not known to contain any Extremely Hazardous Substances.
Sections 311 and 312:	Notification:	
	Immediate (Acute) Health Hazard:	Yes
	Delayed (Chronic) Health Hazard:	No
	Fire Hazard:	No
	Reactive Hazard:	No
	Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard:	No

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

CERCLA/SARA 304 Reportable Quantity (RQ): Not listed / Not available

RCRA Hazardous Waste Classification (40 CFR 261): Not listed / Not available

US EPA Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA):

All components of this product are on the TSCA Inventory or are exempt from TSCA Inventory requirements under 40 CFR 720.30.

California Proposition 65 (Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986):

Alcohols, C10-C16, ethoxylated; Polyethylene glycol nonylphenyl ether;	Listed as causing:	Not listed
	Listing date:	Not listed
	Listing basis:	Not listed

This product does not contain any chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects or any other reproductive harm.

International Inventories:

TSCA	Complies
EINECS/ ELINCS	Complies
ENCS	Complies
IECSC	Complies
KECL	Complies
PICCS	Complies
AICS	Complies

SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

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