



COSHH ASSESSMENT & HAZARD SUMMARY SHEET

Substance / Trade Name:

Winter Screenwash



Supplier: Various

Toxic Ingredients	*LTEL	*STEL	**COMMENTS
Ethenediol	10mg/m3	104mg/m3	WEL
Methaniol	266mg/m3	333mg/m3	WEL

Description of Substance: Mixture of alcohols/glycols in water in a container.

Hazards: Toxic by inhalation. Ingestion may cause nausea and vomiting. Mildly irritating to skin and eyes.

PPE

Gloves (Impervious)	Goggles		

First Aid

Skin	Remove contaminated clothing. Wash thoroughly with soap and water. Seek medical attention if discomfort continues.
Eyes	Do not rub eye. Flood eye with plenty of water for ten minutes. If irritation persists seek medical assistance.
Inhalation	Remove to fresh air, seek medical help.
Ingestion	Drink copious amounts of water. Do not induce vomiting. Seek medical advice.

Storage Conditions: Keep away from heat, sparks and open flame. Keep containers tightly closed / upright and in original container.

***LTEL:** Long-term Exposure Limit – 8-hour weighted average (TWA) ref period

***STEL:** Short-term Exposure Limit – 15-min ref period

****WEL:** Workplace Exposure Limit

OES: Occupational Exposure Standard

TID: Total Inhalable Dust

RD: Respirable Dust



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Activity / Conditions of Use: Screenwash used in company vehicles for assistance in clearing road contaminants from windscreen. One litre containers are poured pre-mixed into windscreen washer reservoirs of vehicles. The mechanics should wear gloves when decanting the product. Good hygiene practices should be followed.

Quantities used: 1 Litre containers, variable quantities used for each application

Assessment of risk: Risk to health is insignificant if hygiene practices are followed along with wearing correct PPE such as gloves and goggles.

Recommended control measures: The prohibition of eating and drinking whilst working in the garage. Clothing/PPE changes if product is spilt Nitrile or PVC gloves are recommended. Safety goggles where there is a significant risk of splashing.

Spillage Management: Absorb spillage with suitable absorbent material such as sand or earth, and dispose of as solid waste in accordance with waste management regulations.

Disposal: Waste is classified as hazardous waste. Disposal to licensed waste disposal site in accordance with the local Waste Disposal Authority.

This Risk Assessment applies only to this substance when encountered or used in the activity and / or conditions described above. If there is a change in the activity or conditions in which the substance is encountered or used, a new assessment must be made.

Print name:

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