Material Safety Data Sheet

Issuing date 10-Nov-2011 **Revision Date** 10-Nov-2011 **Version** 1

1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product name **Swisher Base Board Wax Stripper**

Product code 41817
Recommended Use Aerosol Floor Stripper

Distributor
Swisher Hygiene Inc.
4725 Piedmont Row Drive,
Suite 400,
Charlotte, NC 28210

Chemical Emergency Phone Number 800-424-9300 (Chemtrec)

Company Emergency Phone Number 800-444-4138

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Emergency Overview

Aerosol. CONTENTS UNDER PRESSURE
Harmful in contact with eyes
Prolonged exposure may cause chronic effects

Appearance Compressed liquefied gas. **Physical state** liquid. **Odor** Solvent

Potential Health Effects

Acute toxicity

Eyes Contact may irritate or burn eyes. Eye contact may result in corneal injury.

Skin Frequent or prolonged contact may defat and dry the skin, leading to discomfort and dermatitis.

Inhalation Intentional misuse by concentrating and inhaling the product can be harmful or fatal. Prolonged inhalation may be harmful.

Ingestion Exposure by ingestion of an aerosol is unlikely. May cause delayed lung damage. Components of the product may be absorbed into the body by ingestion.

Chronic Effects Unconsciousness. Conjunctiva. Cyanosis (blue tissue condition, nails, lips, and/or skin). May be harmful if absorbed through skin. May cause central nervous system disorder (e.g., narcosis involving a loss of coordination, weakness, fatigue, mental confusion and blurred vision) and/or damage. Frequent or prolonged contact may defat and dry the skin, leading to discomfort and dermatitis. May cause delayed lung injury.

Aggravated Medical Conditions Discomfort in the chest. Corneal damage. Narcosis. Cyanosis (blue tissue condition, nails, lips, and/or skin). Coughing. Conjunctivitis. Defatting of the skin. Skin irritation.

Environmental hazard See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

This product is considered hazardous by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200).

Chemical Name	CAS-No	Weight %
N-Butane	106-97-8	5-8
2-Butoxyethanol	111-76-2	20-30
Propane	74-98-6	1-3

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Eye contact Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get medical attention immediately.

Skin contact Wash off with warm water and soap. Get medical attention immediately.

Inhalation Move to fresh air. Do not use mouth-to-mouth method if victim inhaled the substance. If inhalation of gas/fume/vapor/dust/mist from the material is excessive (air concentration is greater than the TLV or health effects are noticed), immediately remove the affected person(s) to fresh air. Call a physician if symptoms develop or persist.

Ingestion If ingestion of a large amount does occur, call a poison control center immediately.

Notes to physician Symptoms may be delayed

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Flammable Properties FLAMMABLE

Flash point Flash point -156 °F -104.4 °C

Suitable Extinguishing Media Alcohol foam. Dry chemical. Carbon dioxide.

Explosion Data
Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact none
Sensitivity to Static Discharge none

Specific hazards arising from the chemical Vapor or gas may spread to distant ignition sources and flash back. Runoff to sewer may cause fire or explosion hazard.

Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters In case of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes. Containers should be cooled with water to prevent vapor pressure build up.

NFPA	**Health Hazard** 0	**Flammability** 0	**Stability** 0	**Physical and chemical hazards** -
HMIS	**Health Hazard** 1	**Flammability** 2	**Physical Hazard** 0	**Personal protection** -

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions Ensure adequate ventilation

Environmental precautions Try to prevent the material from entering drains or water courses

Methods for Containment Stop leak if you can do so without risk. Move the cylinder to a safe and open area if the leak is irreparable. Stop the flow of material, if this is without risk.

Methods for cleaning up

Should not be released into the environment. Use a non-combustible material like vermiculite, sand or earth to soak up the product and place into a container for later disposal.
Small Spills: Wipe up with absorbent material (e.g. cloth, fleece). Clean surface thoroughly to remove residual contamination.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Advice on safe handling

Pressurized container: Do not pierce or burn, even after use. Do not smoke while using or until sprayed surface is thoroughly dry. Use only in area provided with appropriate exhaust ventilation. Do not use if spray button is missing or defective. Do not re-use empty containers. Do not get this material in contact with eyes. Avoid contact with skin. Avoid prolonged exposure.

Technical measures/Storage conditions

Contents under pressure. Do not puncture, incinerate or crush. The pressure in sealed containers can increase under the influence of heat. Keep away from heat and flame. Do not expose to heat or store at temperatures above 120°F/49°C as can may burst. Avoid exposure to long periods of sunlight. Keep out of the reach of children. Keep away from food, drink and animal feedingstuffs. Level 1 Aerosol (NFPA 30B)

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Exposure Guidelines

Review Section 3 & 4 for Exposure Guidelines.

Chemical Name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
N-Butane 106-97-8	TWA: 1000 ppm		TWA: 800 ppm TWA: 1900 mg/m³
2-Butoxyethanol 111-76-2	TWA: 20 ppm	TWA: 50 ppm TWA: 240 mg/m³ S*	IDLH: 700 ppm TWA: 5 ppm TWA: 24 mg/m³
Propane 74-98-6	TWA: 1000 ppm	TWA: 1000 ppm TWA: 1800 mg/m³	IDLH: 2100 ppm TWA: 1000 ppm TWA: 1800 mg/m³

Engineering Measures

Showers
Eyewash stations
Ventilation systems

Personal Protective Equipment Institutional Environment

Eye/Face Protection Safety glasses are suggested when using this product in heavy use and institutional environments.

Consumer Environments Care should be taken to avoid Eye contact.

Skin and body protection Rubber gloves

Respiratory protection Unnecessary in open institutional enviroment.

Hygiene measures Practice good personal hygiene. Wash after handling.

Personal Protective Equipment Industrial Environment

Eye/Face Protection Splash-proof chemical goggles or face shield.

Skin and body protection Impervious rubber, alkali-proof protecetive gloves Impervious rubber boots & apron.

Respiratory protection If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, NIOSH/MSHA approved respiratory protection should be worn. Positive-pressure supplied air respirators may be required for high airborne contaminant concentrations. Respiratory protection must be provided in accordance with current local regulations.

Hygiene measures Practice good personal hygiene. Wash after handling. Shower at end of work period
Practice good personal hygiene. Wash after handling

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state liquid

Appearance	Compressed liquefied gas.	**Odor**	Solvent
Color	No information available	**Odor Threshold**	No information available

Property	**Values**	**Remarks Methods**
pH		No information available
Melting/freezing point		No information available
Freezing Point		No information available
Boiling point/boiling range	123.9 °C 255.2 °F	No information available
Flash Point	-104.4 °C -156 °F	No information available
Evaporation rate		No information available
Flammability (solid, gas)		No information available
Flammability Limits in Air		No information available
upper flammability limit		
lower flammability limit		
Explosion Limits		
upper		
lower		
Vapor pressure	50-60	No information available
Vapor density	0.9268	No information available
Specific Gravity	0.9269	No information available
Water solubility	Partially	No information available
Solubility in other solvents		No information available
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water		No information available
Autoignition temperature		No information available
Decomposition temperature		No information available
Viscosity, kinematic		No information available
Viscosity, dynamic		
Explosive properties	No information available	
Oxidizing Properties	No information available	

9.2 Other information

Softening point	No information available
Molecular Weight	No information available
VOC Content(%)	No information available
Density VALUE	No information available
Bulk Density VALUE	No information available

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability Risk of ignition.

Incompatible products None known based on information supplied

Conditions to Avoid Heat, flames and sparks

Hazardous Decomposition Products None known based on information supplied

Hazardous Polymerization Hazardous polymerization does not occur

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute toxicity

Product Information Product does not present an acute toxicity hazard based on known or supplied information.

Chemical Name	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
N-Butane			658 mg/L (Rat) 4 h
2-Butoxyethanol	470 mg/kg (Rat)	220 mg/kg (Rabbit) 2270 mg/kg (Rat)	2.21 mg/L (Rat) 4 h 450 ppm (Rat) 4 h
Propane			658 mg/L (Rat) 4 h

Chronic toxicity

Chronic toxicity Unconsciousness. Conjunctiva. Cyanosis (blue tissue condition, nails, lips, and/or skin). May be harmful if absorbed through skin. May cause central nervous system disorder (e.g., narcosis involving a loss of coordination, weakness, fatigue, mental confusion and blurred vision) and/or damage. Frequent or prolonged contact may defat and dry the skin, leading to discomfort and dermatitis. May cause delayed lung injury.

Chemical Name	ACGIH	IARC	NTP	OSHA
2-Butoxyethanol	A3	Group 3		

Target Organ Effects None known.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

Contains a substance which causes risk of hazardous effects to the environment.

Chemical Name	Toxicity to algae	Toxicity to fish	Toxicity to microorganisms	Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates
2-Butoxyethanol		1490: 96 h Lepomis macrochirus mg/L LC50 static 2950: 96 h Lepomis macrochirus mg/L LC50		1698 - 1940: 24 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50 >1000: 48 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50

Chemical Name	log Pow
N-Butane	2.89
2-Butoxyethanol	0.81
Propane	2.3

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Disposal Methods Contents under pressure. Dispose of this material and its container to hazardous or special waste collection point. Do not incinerate sealed containers. Do not allow this material to drain into sewers/water supplies. If discarded, this product is considered a RCRA ignitable waste, D001. Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.

Contaminated packaging Do not re-use empty containers

US EPA Waste Number D001: Waste Flammable material with a flash point <140 F
D002: Waste Corrosive material [pH <=2 or =>12.5, or corrosive to steel]

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Note Consumer Commodity, ORM-D, 2.1

Dot Regulated

Proper shipping name Consumer Commodity, ORM-D, 2.1

TDG	Not regulated
MEX	Not regulated
ICAO	Not regulated
ICAO/IATA	Not regulated
IMDG / IMO	Not regulated
RID	Not regulated
ADR/RID	Not regulated
ADN	Not regulated

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

International Inventories

TSCA	TSCA
DSL	Complies
NDSL	Complies
EINECS	Complies
ELINCS	-
ENCS	Complies
IECSC	Complies
KECL	Complies
PICCS	Complies
AICS	Complies

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory
DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List
EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances/EU List of Notified Chemical Substances
ENCS - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances
IECSC - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances
KECL - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances
PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances
AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

U.S. Federal Regulations

SARA 313
U.S. - CERCLA/SARA - Section 313 - Emission Reporting

2-Butoxyethanol
111-76-2 1.0 % de minimis concentration (applies to R-(OCH2CH2)n-OR', where n = 1,2, or 3, R=alkyl C7 or less, or R = phenyl or alkyl substituted phenyl, R' = H or alkyl C7 or less, or OR' consisting of carboxylic acid ester, sulfate, phosphate, nitrate, or sulfonate, Chemical Category N230)

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

Acute Health Hazard	no
Chronic Health Hazard	no
Fire Hazard	Yes
Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard	Yes
Reactive Hazard	no

Clean Water Act

This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42).

CERCLA

This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355). There may be specific reporting requirements at the local, regional, or state level pertaining to releases of this material.

U.S. State Regulations

California Proposition 65

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

United States & Puerto Rico Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory

U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) List
2-Butoxyethanol 111-76-2 Present
Diethylene Glycol Monobutyl Ether 112-34-5 Environmental hazard
n-Butane 106-97-8 Present
Propane 74-98-6 Present

International Regulations

Chemical Name	Carcinogen Status	Exposure Limits
N-Butane		Mexico: TWA 800 ppm Mexico: TWA 1900 mg/m^3
2-Butoxyethanol		Mexico: TWA 26 ppm Mexico: TWA 120 mg/m^3 Mexico: STEL 75 ppm Mexico: STEL 360 mg/m^3

Canada

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations (CPR) and the MSDS contains all the information required by the CPR.

Chemical Name	NPRI
2-Butoxyethanol	X

16. OTHER INFORMATION

Prepared By Swisher Hygiene Inc.
4725 Piedmont Row Drive
Suite 400
Charlotte, NC 28210
Issuing date 10-Nov-2011
Revision Date 10-Nov-2011
Revision Note No information available

Disclaimer

The information provided on this MSDS is correct to the best of our knowledge, information and belief at the date of its publication. The information given is designed only as a guide for safe handling, use, processing, storage, transportation, disposal and release and is not to be considered as a warranty or quality specification. The information relates only to the specific material designated and may not be valid for such material used in combination with any other material or in any process, unless specified in the text

End of Material Safety Data Sheet