
Mercury Chemical Corporation

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA

SECTION 1: PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION

Material Name (Trade Name): MercoLev MGL

Product Code # **FCLA-084a**

Manufacturer: **Mercury Chemical Corporation**

Chemical Name: **Acid Leveling Agent**

Chemical Family: **Blend**

Emergency Telephone Numbers: **(336) 226-9152**

MSDS Number: **001**

Effective Date: **8/16/04**

Revision #: **001**

SECTION 2: INGREDIENTS

<u>Material/CAS</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Health Hazard Data</u>
Tallow amine ethoxylate 61791-26-2	>20%	PEL: none established TEL: none established

EMERGENCY PHONE: **(336) 226-9152**

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SECTION 3: PHYSICAL DATA

Boiling Point: 212 deg. F
Solubility in Water: Soluble
Vapor Pressure: (mm Hg) N/A
Vapor Density: N/A
% Volatile by Weight: 60
pH: (_neat) : 8.0 – 9.0
Appearance/Odor: Dark brown liquid with mild odor.

SECTION 4: FIRE AND EXPLOSION DATA

Flash Point (F): >212 deg. F.
Flammable Limits (%): Not known
Extinguishing Media: Carbon dioxide, water spray, dry chemical and foam

Special Firefighting Procedures:

Self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing should be worn in fighting fires involving chemicals.

Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards:

None expected.

SECTION 5: HEALTH HAZARD INFORMATION/FIRST AID

Toxicology: Tallow amine ethoxylate (20 moles EO causes skin, eye and respiratory irritation. Harmful if swallowed.

Exposure Standards: Not available

Signs and Symptoms of Exposure:

Contact with the eyes and skin causes irritation and redness.

Prolonged exposures to vapors may be irritating to nose, throat and respiratory tract producing symptoms of dizziness, headache and nausea.

FIRST AID

Eye Contact:

Immediately flush eyes with copious quantities of water for a minimum of fifteen (15) minutes. Use fingers to separate eyelids to assure that the eyes are being irrigated. Process should begin within one minute of eye contact. Call a physician.

Skin Contact:

Wash exposed skin with copious quantities of soapy water. Remove all contaminated clothing and wash before re-use

Inhalation:

Remove to fresh air. If breathing impaired, assisted respiration (mouth to mouth) may be indicated as well as supplemental oxygen. Seek medical attention.

Ingestion:

If swallowed, call a physician immediately. Do not induce vomiting. Give 1-2 glasses of water to dilute. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

SECTION 6: REACTIVITY DATA

Stability: Generally stable

Conditions to Avoid: Keep away from heat and flames.

Incompatibility (Materials to Avoid): Oxidizing materials

Hazardous Decomposition or By-Products: Oxides of carbon and nitrogen

Hazardous Polymerization: Does not occur.

SECTION 7: SPILL, LEAK AND DISPOSAL PROCEDURES

Steps to be taken in case material is released or spilled:

Contain spill and ventilate area, Absorb on inert media and containerize for disposal and prevent spill from entering natural watercourses.

Waste Disposal Method:

Dispose in approved landfill. Comply with all federal, state and local regulations.

Precautions to be taken when handling and storing:

Keep away from oxidizers, heat or flames. Keep in a cool, dry ventilated storage and in closed containers. Do not store in aluminum containers. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing.

SECTION 8: SPECIAL PROTECTION INFORMATION

Respiratory Protection:

Keep container closed. Avoid prolonged breathing of vapors or mists. In poorly ventilated areas, masks of the cartridge type (NIOSH) approved for organic vapors are recommended. Generally, respiratory protection is unnecessary provided there is adequate ventilation.

Eye Protection:

Chemical safety goggles to be used when working with mists, dust or liquids.

Other Protective Clothing and Equipment:

**Eye wash stations readily accessible
Safety shower
Long sleeved clothing**

Work and Hygienic Practices:

Wash at the end of each workshift and before eating, smoking or using the toilet. Change work clothing daily before leaving the work place.

SECTION 9: SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS & HANDLING INFORMATION

Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling.

Keep away from heat, sparks and flame. Keep container closed.

SECTION 10: REGULATORY INFORMATION

Federal EPA

CERCLA: Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act of 1980 requires notification to the National Response Center for release of quantities of hazardous substances equal to or greater than the reportable quantities (RQ's) in 40 CFR 302.4.

Components present in this product at a level which could require reporting under this statute are:

<u>Material</u>	<u>CAS#</u>	<u>Concentration (%)</u>
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SARA Title III: Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 requires submission of annual reports of release of toxic chemicals that appear in 40 CFR 372 (for SARA 313). This information must be included in all MSDS's that are copied and distributed for this material.

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SARA Title III: Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 requires emergency planning based on Threshold Planning Quantities (TPQs) and release reporting based on reportable quantities (RQs) in 40 CFR 355.

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TSCA: Toxic Substances Control Act status: The ingredients of this product are on the TSCA inventory.

State Right-To-Know

CALIFORNIA Proposition 65 (reportable materials): NONE

Other Labeling Information: None

Reportable Quantity: N/A

Freight Class: 55

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