# **SAFETY DATA SHEET**



### Spheerol LMM

## **Section 1. Identification**

Product name Spheerol LMM
Product code 451363-AU27
SDS no. 451363

Use of the substance/mixture Grease for industrial applications

For specific application advice see appropriate Technical Data Sheet or consult our

company representative.

Product type Grease

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**New Zealand National Poisons** 

Centre

0800 764 766 National Poison Centre

## Section 2. Hazards identification

### HSNO Classification 9.1 - AQUATIC ECOTOXICITY - Category C

This material is classified as hazardous according to criteria in the Hazardous Substances (Hazard Classification) Notice 2020.

This material is not classified as DANGEROUS GOODS according to criteria in New Zealand Standard 5433:2012 Transport of Dangerous Goods on Land.

**Routes of entry** Dermal contact. Eye contact. Inhalation.

GHS label elements

Signal word No signal word.

**Hazard statements** Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

**Precautionary statements** 

**Prevention** Avoid release to the environment.

Response Not applicable.
Storage Not applicable.

Disposal Dispose of contents and container in accordance with all local, regional, national

and international regulations.

Other hazards which do not

result in classification

Defatting to the skin.

Note: High Pressure Applications

Injections through the skin resulting from contact with the product at high pressure

constitute a major medical emergency.

See 'Notes to physician' under First-Aid Measures, Section 4 of this Safety Data

Sheet.

## Section 3. Composition/information on ingredients

Substance/mixture

Mixture

fighly refined base oil (IP 346 DMSO extract < 3%). Proprietary performance additives. Thickening agent.

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## Section 3. Composition/information on ingredients

Ingredient name	% (w/w)	CAS number
Base oil - unspecified	≥75 - ≤90	-
Molybdenum disulphide	≤3	1317-33-5
Zinc alkyl dithiophosphate	≤1	68649-42-3

There are no additional ingredients present which, within the current knowledge of the supplier and in the concentrations applicable, are classified as hazardous to health or the environment and hence require reporting in this section.

Occupational exposure limits, if available, are listed in Section 8.

## Section 4. First aid measures

### **Description of necessary first aid measures**

**Inhalation** If inhaled, remove to fresh air. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

**Ingestion** Do not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Never give

anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If unconscious, place in recovery position and get medical attention immediately. Get medical attention if adverse

health effects persist or are severe.

**Skin contact** Wash skin thoroughly with soap and water or use recognised skin cleanser.

Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Wash clothing before reuse. Clean shoes thoroughly before reuse. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

**Eye contact** In case of contact, immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15

minutes. Check for and remove any contact lenses. Eyelids should be held away

from the eyeball to ensure thorough rinsing. Get medical attention.

### Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed, if necessary

**Notes to physician**Treatment should in general be symptomatic and directed to relieving any effects.

Note: High Pressure Applications

Injections through the skin resulting from contact with the product at high pressure constitute a major medical emergency. Injuries may not appear serious at first but within a few hours tissue becomes swollen, discoloured and extremely painful with extensive subcutaneous necrosis.

Surgical exploration should be undertaken without delay. Thorough and extensive debridement of the wound and underlying tissue is necessary to minimise tissue loss and prevent or limit permanent damage. Note that high pressure may force the

product considerable distances along tissue planes.

Protection of first-aiders No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training. It

may be dangerous to the person providing aid to give mouth-to-mouth resuscitation.

## Section 5. Firefighting measures

**Extinguishing media** 

fighters

**Suitable** Use foam or all-purpose dry chemical to extinguish.

Not suitable Do not use water jet.

**Specific hazards arising**from the chemical
In a fire or if heated, a pressure increase will occur and the container may burst. This material is harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects. Fire water

contaminated with this material must be contained and prevented from being

discharged to any waterway, sewer or drain.

**Hazardous combustion** Combustion products may include the following:

products metal oxide/oxides

carbon oxides (CO, CO<sub>2</sub>) (carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide)

sulphur oxides (SO, SO<sub>2</sub>, etc.)

Hazchem code Not available

Special precautions for fire- No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training.

Promptly isolate the scene by removing all persons from the vicinity of the incident if

there is a fire.

**Special protective equipment for fire-fighters**Fire-fighters should wear appropriate protective equipment and self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) with a full face-piece operated in positive pressure

mode.

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## Section 6. Accidental release measures

### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

For non-emergency personnel

No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training. Evacuate surrounding areas. Keep unnecessary and unprotected personnel from entering. Do not touch or walk through spilt material. Floors may be slippery; use care to avoid falling. Avoid breathing vapour or mist. Provide adequate ventilation. Put on appropriate personal protective equipment (see Section 8). Contact emergency personnel.

For emergency responders

Entry into a confined space or poorly ventilated area contaminated with vapour, mist or fume is extremely hazardous without the correct respiratory protective equipment and a safe system of work. Wear self-contained breathing apparatus. Wear a suitable chemical protective suit. Chemical resistant boots. See also the information in "For non-emergency personnel".

**Environmental precautions** 

Avoid dispersal of spilt material and runoff and contact with soil, waterways, drains and sewers. Inform the relevant authorities if the product has caused environmental pollution (sewers, waterways, soil or air). Water polluting material. May be harmful to the environment if released in large quantities. Collect spillage.

### Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

**Small spill** 

Stop leak if without risk. Move containers from spill area. Absorb with an inert material and place in an appropriate waste disposal container. Dispose of via a licensed waste disposal contractor.

Large spill

Stop leak if without risk. Move containers from spill area. Approach the release from upwind. Prevent entry into sewers, water courses, basements or confined areas. Contain and collect spillage with non-combustible, absorbent material e.g. sand, earth, vermiculite or diatomaceous earth and place in container for disposal according to local regulations (see Section 13). Contaminated absorbent material may pose the same hazard as the spilt product. If emergency personnel are unavailable, contain spilt material. Suction or scoop the spill into appropriate disposal or recycling vessels, then cover spill area with oil absorbent. Dispose of via a licensed waste disposal contractor.

## Section 7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling

Put on appropriate personal protective equipment (see Section 8). Do not ingest. Avoid breathing vapour or mist. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Avoid release to the environment. Wash thoroughly after handling. Eating, drinking and smoking should be prohibited in areas where this material is handled, stored and processed. Remove contaminated clothing and protective equipment before entering eating areas. Workers should wash hands and face before eating, drinking and smoking. Keep in the original container or an approved alternative made from a compatible material, kept tightly closed when not in use. Empty containers retain product residue and can be hazardous. Do not reuse container. See also Section 8 for additional information on hygiene measures.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store in accordance with local regulations. Store in original container protected from direct sunlight in a dry, cool and well-ventilated area, away from incompatible materials (see Section 10) and food and drink. Keep container tightly closed and sealed until ready for use. Store and use only in equipment/containers designed for use with this product. Containers that have been opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Do not store in unlabelled containers. Use appropriate containment to avoid environmental contamination.

## Section 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

**Control parameters** 

Occupational exposure limits

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Ingredient name	Exposure limits
Base oil - unspecified	NZ HSWA 2015 - GRWM 2016 (New Zealand).  WES-STEL: 10 mg/m³ 15 minutes. Issued/ Revised: 9/2010 Form: Mist  WES-TWA: 5 mg/m³ 8 hours. Issued/ Revised: 6/2016 Form: Mist
Molybdenum disulphide	NZ HSWA 2015 - GRWM 2016 (New Zealand).  WES-TWA: 10 mg/m³, (measured as Mo) 8 hours. Issued/Revised: 1/1994

#### **Biological exposure indices**

No exposure indices known.

# Recommended monitoring procedures

If this product contains ingredients with exposure limits, personal, workplace atmosphere or biological monitoring may be required to determine the effectiveness of the ventilation or other control measures and/or the necessity to use respiratory protective equipment. Reference should be made to appropriate monitoring standards. Reference to national guidance documents for methods for the determination of hazardous substances will also be required.

# Appropriate engineering controls

Provide exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls to keep the relevant airborne concentrations below their respective occupational exposure limits. All activities involving chemicals should be assessed for their risks to health, to ensure exposures are adequately controlled. Personal protective equipment should only be considered after other forms of control measures (e.g. engineering controls) have been suitably evaluated. Personal protective equipment should conform to appropriate standards, be suitable for use, be kept in good condition and properly maintained.

Your supplier of personal protective equipment should be consulted for advice on selection and appropriate standards. For further information contact your national organisation for standards. The final choice of protective equipment will depend upon a risk assessment. It is important to ensure that all items of personal protective equipment are compatible.

# **Environmental exposure** controls

Emissions from ventilation or work process equipment should be checked to ensure they comply with the requirements of environmental protection legislation. In some cases, fume scrubbers, filters or engineering modifications to the process equipment will be necessary to reduce emissions to acceptable levels.

#### **Individual protection measures**

**Hygiene measures** 

Wash hands, forearms and face thoroughly after handling chemical products, before eating, smoking and using the lavatory and at the end of the working period. Appropriate techniques should be used to remove potentially contaminated clothing. Wash contaminated clothing before reusing. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.

# Eye protection Hand protection

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Safety glasses with side shields.

Wear protective gloves if prolonged or repeated contact is likely. Wear chemical resistant gloves. Recommended: Nitrile gloves. The correct choice of protective gloves depends upon the chemicals being handled, the conditions of work and use, and the condition of the gloves (even the best chemically resistant glove will break down after repeated chemical exposures). Most gloves provide only a short time of protection before they must be discarded and replaced. Because specific work environments and material handling practices vary, safety procedures should be developed for each intended application. Gloves should therefore be chosen in consultation with the supplier/manufacturer and with a full assessment of the working conditions.

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## Section 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

**Skin protection** Use of protective clothing is good industrial practice. Cotton or polyester/cotton

> overalls will only provide protection against light superficial contamination that will not soak through to the skin. Overalls should be laundered on a regular basis. When the risk of skin exposure is high (e.g. when cleaning up spillages or if there is a risk of splashing) then chemical resistant aprons and/or impervious chemical suits and boots will be required. Personal protective equipment for the body should be selected based on the task being performed and the risks involved and should be

approved by a specialist before handling this product.

**Respiratory protection** In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment. The correct

choice of respiratory protection depends upon the chemicals being handled, the conditions of work and use, and the condition of the respiratory equipment. Safety procedures should be developed for each intended application. Respiratory protection equipment should therefore be chosen in consultation with the supplier/ manufacturer and with a full assessment of the working conditions. Respiratory

protection should conform to AS/NZS 1715 and AS/NZS 1716.

## Section 9. Physical and chemical properties

The conditions of measurement of all properties are at standard temperature and pressure unless otherwise indicated.

**Appearance** 

**Physical state** Grease Colour Grey. [Dark] **Odour** Not available. Hq Not applicable. Melting point/freezing point Not available. Not available.

**Boiling point, initial boiling** point, and boiling range

**Drop Point** Not available.

Open cup: >200°C (>392°F) [Cleveland] Flash point

**Auto-ignition temperature** 

Vapour pressure

Not applicable.

Not available.

	Vapour Pressure at 20°C			Vapour pressure at 50°C		
Ingredient name	mm Hg	kPa	Method	mm Hg	kPa	Method

Relative vapour density

Not applicable.

**Density** 

<1000 kg/m³ (<1 g/cm³)

Solubility(ies)

Media	Result
water	Not soluble

**Particle characteristics** 

Not available. Median particle size

## Section 10. Stability and reactivity

**Chemical stability** The product is stable.

Possibility of hazardous

Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous reactions will not occur. reactions Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous polymerisation will not

Conditions to avoid Avoid all possible sources of ignition (spark or flame).

Reactive or incompatible with the following materials: oxidising materials. Incompatible materials

**Hazardous decomposition** Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products

products should not be produced.

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## Section 11. Toxicological information

Information on likely routes of exposure

InhalationIngestionNo known significant effects or critical hazards.No known significant effects or critical hazards.

**Skin contact** Defatting to the skin. May cause skin dryness and irritation.

Eye contact

No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

InhalationNo specific data.IngestionNo specific data.

**Skin contact** Adverse symptoms may include the following:

irritation dryness cracking

Eye contact No specific data.

Potential chronic health effects

**General** No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Inhalation Inhalation of oil mist or vapours at elevated temperatures may cause respiratory

irritation.

**Ingestion** Ingestion of large quantities may cause nausea and diarrhoea.

Skin contact Prolonged or repeated contact can defat the skin and lead to irritation, cracking and/

This material is harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

or dermatitis.

**Eye contact** Potential risk of transient stinging or redness if accidental eye contact occurs.

CarcinogenicityNo known significant effects or critical hazards.MutagenicityNo known significant effects or critical hazards.TeratogenicityNo known significant effects or critical hazards.Developmental effectsNo known significant effects or critical hazards.Fertility effectsNo known significant effects or critical hazards.

## Section 12. Ecological information

Ecotoxicity

Persistence and degradability

Expected to be biodegradable.

**Bioaccumulative potential** 

Not available.

Mobility in soil

**Mobility** Spillages are unlikely to penetrate the soil.

Soil/water partition coefficient (Koc)

Not available.

Other ecological information

This product is unlikely to disperse in water.

## Section 13. Disposal considerations

### **Disposal methods**

The generation of waste should be avoided or minimised wherever possible. Disposal of this product, solutions and any by-products should at all times comply with the requirements of environmental protection and waste disposal legislation and any regional local authority requirements. Dispose of surplus and non-recyclable products via a licensed waste disposal contractor. Waste should not be disposed of untreated to the sewer unless fully compliant with the requirements of all authorities with jurisdiction. Waste packaging should be recycled. Incineration or landfill should only be considered when recycling is not feasible. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way. Care should be taken when handling emptied containers that have not been cleaned or rinsed out. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. Avoid dispersal of spilt material and runoff and contact with soil, waterways, drains and sewers.

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## **Section 14. Transport information**

Regulatory information	UN number	Proper shipping name	Classes	PG*	Label	Additional information
New Zealand Class	Not regulated.	-	-	-		-
ADG Class	Not regulated.	-	-	-		-
IATA Class	Not regulated.	-	-	-		-
IMDG Class	Not regulated.	-	-	-		-

PG\*: Packing group

# Section 15. Regulatory information

### **New Zealand Regulatory Information**

**HSNO Approval Number** HSR002606

**HSNO Group Standard** Lubricants, Lubricant Additives, Coolants and Anti-freeze Agents (Subsidiary Hazard)

Group Standard 2020

**HSNO Classification** 9.1 - AQUATIC ECOTOXICITY - Category C

#### Regulation according to other foreign laws

**REACH Status** For the REACH status of this product please consult your company contact, as

identified in Section 1.

**United States inventory** 

(TSCA 8b)

All components are active or exempted.

**Australia inventory (AIIC)** All components are listed or exempted. **Canada inventory status** All components are listed or exempted. China inventory (IECSC) All components are listed or exempted. Japan inventory (CSCL) All components are listed or exempted. Korea inventory (KECI) All components are listed or exempted.

Philippines inventory

(PICCS)

All components are listed or exempted.

**Taiwan Chemical** Not determined.

**Substances Inventory (TCSI)** 

## Section 16. Other information

#### **History**

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Not available.

Key to abbreviations

Varies = may contain one or more of the following 64741-88-4, 64741-89-5, 64741-95-3, 64741-96-4, 64742-01-4, 64742-44-5, 64742-45-6, 64742-52-5, 64742-53-6, 64742-54-7, 64742-55-8, 64742-56-9, 64742-57-0, 64742-58-1, 64742-62-7, 64742-63-8, 64742-65-0, 64742-70-7, 72623-85-9, 72623-86-0,

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### Section 16. Other information

All reasonably practicable steps have been taken to ensure this data sheet and the health, safety and environmental information contained in it is accurate as of the date specified below. No warranty or representation, express or implied is made as to the accuracy or completeness of the data and information in this data sheet.

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