



## SAFETY DATA SHEET

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### 1. IDENTIFICATION

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| <b>Product Identifier</b>                                     | <b>RAIL CURVE GREASE</b>  |
| <b>Product Code</b>   | 1316  |
| <b>Other Means of Identification</b>                          | Lithium soap and vegetable oil based grease   |
| <b>Recommended Use of the Chemical and Restriction on Use</b> | Semi fluid grease for industrial applications   |
| <b>Details of Manufacturer or Importer</b>                    | Lidomont Pty. Ltd., trading as Prolube Lubricants<br>15 Pinnacle Street, Brendale, Queensland, 4500 |
| <b>Phone</b>  | 07 3881 1733 (+61 7 38811733 – International)   |
| <b>Emergency Telephone</b>                                    | 000 (Australia Only)  |
| <b>Poisons Information Centre Phone</b>                       | 13 11 26  |

### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

|                              |  |
|------------------------------|--|
| <b>Physical Hazard(s)</b>    | Not classified as Hazardous according to Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (GHS) and Safe Work Australia criteria.                   |
| <b>Health Hazard(s)</b>      | Not classified (All of the oils in this product have been demonstrated to contain less than 3% extractables by the IP 346 Test, hence are not classified as a carcinogen.) |
| <b>Environment Hazard(s)</b> | Not Classified   |
| <b>GHS Label Elements</b>    | None Applicable  |
| <b>Signal Word</b>           | No Signal Word   |

#### Hazard Statement(s)

Void

#### Precautionary Statement(s): *General*

**P101** If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand

**P102** Keep out of reach of children

**P103** Read label before use

#### Precautionary Statement(s): *Prevention, Response, Storage and Disposal*

Not applicable

### 3. COMPOSITION AND INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

| <b>Component</b>      | <b>CAS Number</b> | <b>Concentration</b> |
|-----------------------|-------------------|----------------------|
| Refined Vegetable Oil | 68956-68-3        | 70-90%               |
| Lithium Stearate Soap | 7620-77-1         | 5-30%                |
| Graphite              | 7782-42-5         | <15%                 |
| Proprietary Additives |                   | to 100%              |



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### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

#### ***Inhalation***

Remove from further exposure. For those providing assistance, avoid exposure to yourself or others. Use adequate respiratory protection. If respiratory irritation, dizziness, nausea, or unconsciousness occurs, seek immediate medical assistance. If breathing has stopped, assist ventilation with a mechanical device or use mouth-to-mouth resuscitation.

#### ***Skin contact***

Wash contact areas with soap and water. Remove contaminated clothing. Launder contaminated clothing before reuse. If product is injected into or under the skin, or into any part of the body, regardless of the appearance of the wound or its size, the individual should be evaluated immediately by a physician as a surgical emergency. Even though initial symptoms from high pressure injection may be minimal or absent, early surgical treatment within the first few hours may significantly reduce the ultimate extent of injury.

#### ***Eye contact***

Flush thoroughly with water. If irritation occurs, get medical assistance.

#### ***Ingestion***

First aid is normally not required. Seek medical attention if discomfort occurs.

### 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

#### ***Suitable extinguishing equipment***

In case of fire use dry chemical, foam or carbon dioxide fire extinguisher. DO NOT use water.

#### ***Specific hazards arising from the chemical***

Combustion products may contain carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide and smoke. Closed containers may explode when exposed to extreme heat. Containers close to fire should be removed if safe to do so. Use water spray to cool fire exposed containers.

#### ***Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters***

Wear Safe Work Australia approved self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing.

### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

#### ***Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures***

No action should be taken which might involve personal risk or without suitable training. Use Safe Work Australia approved respiratory protection, chemical resistant gloves, protective clothing and safety boots. Evacuate all non-essential personnel from affected area. Do not breathe vapours. Ensure adequate ventilation. Extinguish all sources of ignition. Avoid sparks and open flames. No smoking. Will be slippery underfoot.

#### ***Environmental precautions***

In the event of a major spill, prevent spillage from entering drains or water courses, basements or confined spaces. Dyke far ahead of liquid spill for later recovery and disposal.



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### **Methods and materials for Containment and cleaning up**

Stop leak if safe to do so and absorb spill with sand, earth, vermiculite or some other absorbent material. The product should not spread quickly and should be recoverable with a broom or shovel. Collect the spilled material and place into a suitable container for disposal according to local regulations, preferably using a licensed waste disposal contractor.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

### **Precautions for safe handling**

Use appropriate personal protective equipment – see Section 8. Use safe work processes to avoid eye or skin contact and inhalation of vapours. Use only in well ventilated areas.

Do not store in contact with food, beverages or tobacco products. Eating drinking or smoking in areas where this product is stored or processed should be prohibited. Always wash thoroughly after handling. Wash contaminated clothing and other protective equipment before storage or reuse. Provide eyewash fountains and safety showers in close proximity to points of use.

### **Conditions for safe storage**

Store in accordance with local regulations in a cool, dry and well ventilated area. Store in original container tightly closed and away from incompatible materials (see Section 10). Check regularly for leaks and physical damage. Opened containers should be carefully resealed and stored in an upright position. Empty containers may contain residues and be dangerous. Store and use only in equipment designed for use with this type of product. Use appropriate bunding or containment to prevent environmental contamination.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS AND PERSONAL PROTECTION

### **Exposure control measures**

Vegetable Oil Mist TWA: 10mg/m<sup>3</sup> Safe Work Australia

Lithium stearate TWA: 10 mg/ m<sup>3</sup>

### **Engineering controls**

Engineering controls should be in place as a primary source of protection over the use of Personal Protective Equipment. Ensure adequate ventilation of the working area or provide exhaust ventilation to keep the relevant airborne concentrations below acceptable levels.

### **Individual protection measures**

Personal protective equipment selections vary based on potential exposure conditions such as applications, handling practices, concentration and ventilation. Information on the selection of protective equipment for use with this material, as provided below, is based upon intended, normal usage.

**Eye and face protection:** If contact is likely, safety glasses with side shields are recommended.

**Skin protection:** Any specific glove information provided is based on published literature and glove manufacturer data. Glove suitability and breakthrough time will differ depending on the specific use conditions. Contact the glove manufacturer for specific advice on glove selection and breakthrough times for your use conditions. Inspect and replace worn or damaged gloves. The types of gloves to be considered for this material include chemical resistant, nitrile or viton. Long sleeve and long pants will provide protection.

**Respiratory protection:** If engineering controls do not maintain airborne contaminant concentrations at a level which is adequate to protect worker health, an approved respirator may be appropriate. Respirator selection, use, and maintenance must be in accordance with regulatory requirements, if applicable. A particulate type respirator should be considered for this material. No special requirements under ordinary conditions of use and with adequate ventilation.

For high airborne concentrations, use an approved supplied-air respirator, operated in positive pressure mode. Supplied air respirators with an escape bottle may be appropriate when oxygen levels are inadequate, gas/vapour warning properties are

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poor, or if air purifying filter capacity/rating may be exceeded.

**Specific Hygiene Measures:** Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing after handling the material and before eating, drinking, and/or smoking. Routinely wash work clothing and protective equipment to remove contaminants. Discard contaminated clothing and footwear that cannot be cleaned. Practise good housekeeping.

### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

|  |                          |
|--|--------------------------|
| <b>Appearance: Form</b>                    | Semi-fluid grease        |
| <b>Colour</b>                              | Dark Green to Black      |
| <b>Odour</b>                               | Mild oil                 |
| <b>Odour Threshold</b>                     | Not determined           |
| <b>pH-Value</b>                            | Not applicable           |
| <b>Melting point/Melting range</b>         | > 180 °C                 |
| <b>Initial Boiling Point/Boiling Range</b> | Not applicable           |
| <b>Flash Point</b>                         | Not determined           |
| <b>Flammability</b>                        | Combustible              |
| <b>Auto-ignition Temperature</b>           | > 360°C                  |
| <b>Decomposition Temperature</b>           | No information available |
| <b>Explosion Limits: Lower</b>             | Not determined           |
| <b>Upper</b>                               | Not determined           |
| <b>Vapour Pressure at 20 °C</b>            | Not determined           |
| <b>Relative Density at 15 °C</b>           | 0.92                     |
| <b>Vapour Density</b>                      | >1                       |
| <b>Evaporation Rate</b>                    | Not applicable           |
| <b>Solubility in Water</b>                 | Negligible               |
| <b>Viscosity at 40 °C</b>                  | Not applicable           |
| <b>Viscosity at 100 °C</b>                 | Not applicable           |

### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**Reactivity:** Will not occur.

**Chemical stability:** Stable at ambient temperature and under normal conditions of use.

**Possibility of hazardous reactions:** Hazardous polymerization will not occur.

**Conditions to avoid:** Excessive heat. High energy sources of ignition.

**Incompatible materials:** Strong oxidisers.

**Hazardous decomposition products:** Material does not decompose at ambient temperatures.

### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

|  |               |
|--|---------------|
| <b>Acute Toxicity: LD50/LC50 values relevant</b> |               |
| <b>Oral LD 50</b>                                | Not available |
| <b>Dermal LD50</b>                               | Not available |
| <b>Inhalation LC50</b>                           | Not available |



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| <b>Acute Health Effects</b>                       |   |
| <i>Inhalation</i>                                 | No adverse health effects expected  |
| <i>Skin</i>                                       | No irritating effect  |
| <i>Eye</i>  | No irritating effect  |
| <i>Ingestion</i>                                  | No adverse health effects expected  |
| <b>Skin Corrosion / Irritation</b>                | Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met |
| <b>Serious Eye Damage / Irritation</b>            | Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met |
| <b>Respiratory or Skin Sensitisation</b>          | Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met |
| <b>Germ Cell Mutagenicity</b>                     | Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met |
| <b>Carcinogenicity</b>                            | Not expected to cause cancer, based on assessment of the components         |
| <b>Reproductive Toxicity</b>                      | Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met |
| <b>Specific Target Organ Toxicity (STOT) -</b>    |   |
| <i>Single Exposure</i>                            | Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met |
| <i>Repeated Exposure</i>                          | Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met |
| <b>Aspiration Hazard</b>                          | Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met |
| <b>Chronic Health Effects</b>                     | No information available  |
| <b>Existing Conditions Aggravated by Exposure</b> | No information available  |

### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Ecotoxicity:** Not expected to be harmful to aquatic organisms.

**Persistence and degradability:** Base Oil component is expected to be readily biodegradable.  
Additive components show moderate biodegradation.

**Bioaccumulative Potential:** Minimal potential for bioaccumulation.

**Mobility in soil:** Low solubility and miscibility. Floats on water. Expected to migrate from water to land.

### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

#### **Disposal method and Containers**

Dispose according to applicable local and state government regulations.

Empty containers may contain residue and can be dangerous. Packaging should be recycled and disposal via incineration or landfill should only be considered when recycling not possible. Do not pressurize, cut, weld, braze, solder, drill grind or expose such containers to heat, flame, sparks, static electricity, or other sources of ignition. They may explode and cause injury or death.

#### **Special precautions for incineration or landfill**

Consult your state Land Waste Management Authority for more information. Product may be suitable for burning in an enclosed controlled burner for fuel value or disposal by incineration at very high temperatures.



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### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

|                                | Australian Dangerous Goods (ADG) | International Maritime Dangerous Goods (IMDG) | International Air Transport Association (IATA) |
|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|--|
| <b>UN Number</b>               | Not regulated                    | Not regulated                                 | Not regulated                                  |
| <b>UN Proper Shipping Name</b> | n/a                              | n/a   | n/a  |
| <b>Dangerous Goods Class</b>   | n/a                              | n/a   | n/a  |
| <b>Packing Group</b>           | n/a                              | n/a   | n/a  |
|                                |                                  |   |  |
|                                |                                  |   |  |

#### **Special precautions for user**

None Available

### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

#### **Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Drugs and Poisons (SUSMP) – Poison Schedule**

Not scheduled

#### **Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS)**

All components are listed or exempt

### 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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#### **Revision information**

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#### **Abbreviations Used**

GHS, Globally Harmonised System of Classification and labelling of Chemicals

CAS, Chemical Abstracts Service (Division of American Chemical Society)

LC50, Lethal concentration 50%

LD50, Lethal dose 50%

STEL, Short Term Exposure Limit

TWA, Time Weighted Average

UN, United Nations

n/a, not available



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