

# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## I - Product Identification

### CLAIRE GERMICIDAL WIPE FULL SPECTRUM DISINFECTANT WIPES

PRODUCT CODE: 988

CHEMICAL FORMULATION: Quaternary-based disinfectant wipe.

NFPA HAZARD IDENTIFICATION SYSTEM: HEALTH: 1

FLAMMABILITY: 1

REACTIVITY: 0

HAZARD RATING: 4 - Extreme;

3 - High;

2 - Moderate;

1 - Slight;

0 - Insignificant

## II - Hazardous Ingredients

Values reported as TWA unless noted.

SUBSTANCE	APPROX %	OSHA PEL	ACGIH TLV	EPA 40 CFR:			CAS #
				302	355	372	
n-Alkyl (60% C <sub>14</sub> , 30% C <sub>16</sub> , 5% C <sub>12</sub> , 5% C <sub>18</sub> ) dimethyl benzyl ammonium chloride	0.105	N/E	N/E	N	N	N	68391-01-5
n-Alkyl (68% C <sub>12</sub> , 32% C <sub>14</sub> ) dimethyl ethylbenzyl ammonium chloride	0.105	N/E	N/E	N	N	N	68956-79-6
Diethylene glycol monobutyl ether	5.0 - 10.0	N/E	N/E	Y	N	Y	112-34-5
Tetrasodium EDTA	1.00-5.00	N/E	N/E	N	N	N	64-02-8

Key: PEL: Permissible Exposure Limit TLV: Threshold Limit Value C: Ceiling level STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit  
N/A: Not Applicable N/D: Not Determined N/E: Not Established Y: Yes N: No  
302: CERCLA List of Hazardous Substances and Reportable Quantities (40 CFR 302.4).  
355: SARA TITLE III / List of Extremely Hazardous Substances for Emergency Planning and Notification (40 CFR 355).  
372: SARA TITLE III / List of Toxic Chemicals subject to Release Reporting (Community Right to Know) (40 CFR 372).

## III - Physical Data

BOILING POINT (°F): N/D

SPECIFIC GRAVITY (WATER = 1): 1.01\*

VAPOR PRESSURE (mm Hg): N/D

VOC CONTENT (% by weight): 1.00 - 10.0\*

VAPOR DENSITY (AIR = 1): N/D

EVAPORATION RATE (WATER = 1): N/D

SOLUBILITY IN WATER: Soluble

pH: 12.0 - 13.0

APPEARANCE AND ODOR: White cloth impregnated with clear, colorless liquid; mild odor.\*

\*Tested using the liquid component of the towelette.

## IV - Fire and Explosion Hazard Data

FLASH POINT (°F): > 200\*

(TEST METHOD): Closed cup

FLAMMABLE LIMITS IN AIR (VOLUME %)

UPPER: N/A

LOWER: N/A

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA: Water, foam, carbon dioxide, dry chemical.

SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES: Cool fire exposed containers with water fog. Firefighters should be equipped with full protective gear including self-contained breathing apparatus.

UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD: None

\*Tested using the liquid component of the towelette.

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**V - Reactivity Data**

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**STABILITY:** Stable.

**INCOMPATIBILITY:** Strong acids and oxidizers.

**CONDITIONS TO AVOID:** None.

**HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS:** Thermal decomposition may produce oxides of carbon.

**HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION:** Will not occur.

**CONDITIONS TO AVOID:** None

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**VI - Health Hazard Data**

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**ROUTES OF ENTRY**      **INHALATION:**      **EYE CONTACT:** X      **SKIN CONTACT:** X      **INGESTION:** X

**INGREDIENTS THAT ARE CONSIDERED BY OSHA, NTP, IARC TO BE SUSPECTED HUMAN CARCINOGENS:** None

**EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE**

**IF IN EYES:** Corrosive. Severe irritation, redness, tearing. May cause irreversible damage.

**IF ON SKIN:** Irritation, chapping, with prolonged or repeated exposure.

**IF SWALLOWED:** May be harmful if swallowed. Gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea.

**IF INHALED:** No hazard associated with normal use.

**EMERGENCY AND FIRST AID PROCEDURES**

**IF IN EYES:** Flush eyes and under eyelids with plenty of cool water for at least 15 minutes. If irritation persists, obtain medical attention.

**IF ON SKIN:** Flush area with water while removing contaminated clothing. Obtain medical attention if irritation persists. Launder clothing separately before reuse.

**IF SWALLOWED:** Contact physician or poison control center immediately. Rinse mouth with water. Do not induce vomiting unless instructed by a physician or poison control center. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

**IF INHALED:** Remove person to fresh air.

**NOTE TO PHYSICIAN:** Probable mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric lavage.

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**VII - Spill or Leak Protection**

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**STEPS TO BE TAKEN IF MATERIAL IS RELEASED OR SPILLED:** Ventilate area and contain spill. Soak up with inert absorbent material and placed in a closed container for disposal. Flush away residue with water.

**WASTE DISPOSAL METHOD:** Consult local environmental authorities.

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**VIII - Special Protection Information**

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**RESPIRATORY PROTECTION:** Use with adequate ventilation.

**VENTILATION**

**LOCAL:** Not required

**MECHANICAL:** Not required

**PROTECTIVE GLOVES:** Chemical resistant.

**EYE PROTECTION:** Safety glasses.

**OTHER PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT:** Eye wash station.

**PRECAUTIONS TO BE TAKEN IN HANDLING AND STORAGE:** Store in a cool, dry place. Keep container tightly closed when not in use.

**OTHER PRECAUTIONS:** Keep out of reach of children.

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**IX - Transportation Information (ground transportation only)**

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**DOT PROPER SHIPPING NAME:** None

**DOT CLASS:** None

**DOT ID NUMBER:** None

**DOT PACKING GROUP:** None

The shipping information listed above applies only to non-bulk (< 119 gallons) containers of this product. This product may have more than one proper shipping name depending on packaging, product properties, & mode of shipment. If any alteration of packaging, product, or mode of transportation is further intended, different shipping names and labeling may apply.

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