

# **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

# 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE MATERIAL AND SUPPLIER

1.1 Product identifier

Product name NIAGARA C6 3/3

Synonyms CHUBB NIAGARA C6 3/3

1.2 Uses and uses advised against

Uses FIRE EXTINGUISHING AGENT ◆ FIRE FIGHTING ◆ FOAM CONCENTRATE

1.3 Details of the supplier of the product

Supplier name CHUBB FIRE & SECURITY AUSTRALASIA

Address 314 Boundary Rd, Dingley, VIC, 3172, AUSTRALIA

**Telephone** 1300 369 309

Website www.chubb.com.au

1.4 Emergency telephone numbers

**Emergency** 1300 369 309

# 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

## 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

CLASSIFIED AS HAZARDOUS ACCORDING TO SAFE WORK AUSTRALIA CRITERIA

**Physical Hazards** 

Not classified as a Physical Hazard

**Health Hazards** 

Skin Sensitisation: Category 1

**Environmental Hazards** 

Not classified as an Environmental Hazard

2.2 GHS Label elements

Signal word WARNING

**Pictograms** 



**Hazard statements** 

H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.

**Prevention statements** 

P261 Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.

P272 Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.
P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

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Response statements

P302 + P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.
P321 Specific treatment is advised - see first aid instructions.
P333 + P313 If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

P363 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.



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#### Storage statements

None allocated.

## **Disposal statements**

P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with relevant regulations.

## 2.3 Other hazards

No information provided.

# 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

#### 3.1 Substances / Mixtures

Ingredient	CAS Number	EC Number	Content
HEXYLENE GLYCOL	107-41-5	203-489-0	1 to 10%
2,2',2"-(HEXAHYDRO-1,3,5-TRIAZINE-1,3,5-TRIYL)TRIETH ANOL	4719-04-4	225-208-0	<1%
NON HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS	Not Available	Not Available	Remainder

# 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

## 4.1 Description of first aid measures

Eye If in eyes, hold eyelids apart and flush continuously with running water. Continue flushing until advised to

stop by a Poisons Information Centre, a doctor, or for at least 15 minutes.

**Inhalation** If inhaled, remove from contaminated area. To protect rescuer, use an Air-line respirator where an inhalation

risk exists. Apply artificial respiration if not breathing.

**Skin** If skin or hair contact occurs, remove contaminated clothing and flush skin and hair with running water.

Continue flushing with water until advised to stop by a Poisons Information Centre or a doctor.

Ingestion For advice, contact a Poisons Information Centre on 13 11 26 (Australia Wide) or a doctor (at once). If

swallowed, do not induce vomiting. Rinse mouth with water.

#### 4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

May cause an allergic skin reaction.

#### 4.3 Immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treat symptomatically.

# 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

## 5.1 Extinguishing media

Extinguishing agent.

#### 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Non flammable. May evolve carbon oxides, nitrogen oxides, sulphur oxides, hydrocarbons and hydrogen fluoride gas when heated to decomposition.

## 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Treat as per requirements for surrounding fires. Evacuate area and contact emergency services. Remain upwind and notify those downwind of hazard. Wear full protective equipment including Self Contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA) when combating fire. Use waterfog to cool intact containers and nearby storage areas.

#### 5.4 Hazchem code

None allocated.

# 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

## 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Wear Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) as detailed in section 8 of the SDS.



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#### 6.2 Environmental precautions

Prevent product from entering drains and waterways.

#### 6.3 Methods of cleaning up

Contain spillage, then cover / absorb spill with non-combustible absorbent material (vermiculite, sand, or similar), collect and place in suitable containers for disposal.

#### 6.4 Reference to other sections

See Sections 8 and 13 for exposure controls and disposal.

# 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Before use carefully read the product label. Use of safe work practices are recommended to avoid eye or skin contact and inhalation. Observe good personal hygiene, including washing hands before eating. Prohibit eating, drinking and smoking in contaminated areas.

# 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area, out of direct sunlight. Store in suitable, labeled containers. Keep containers tightly closed. Store away from incompatible materials. Ensure that storage conditions comply with applicable local and national regulations. Store between 1°C and 60°C. Protect from freezing.

## 7.3 Specific end uses

No information provided.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

## 8.1 Control parameters

# **Exposure standards**

Ingredient	Reference	TWA		STEL	
Ingredient		ppm	mg/m³	ppm	mg/m³
Hexylene glycol	SWA [AUS]	25 (Peak)	121 (Peak)		

## **Biological limits**

No biological limit values have been entered for this product.

# 8.2 Exposure controls

Engineering controls Avoid inhalation. Use in well ventilated areas. In a fire situation, ventilation may be difficult to control.

Contact emergency personnel.

PPE

**Eye / Face** Wear splash-proof goggles. **Hands** Wear PVC or rubber gloves.

**Body** When using large quantities or where heavy contamination is likely, wear coveralls.

**Respiratory** Where an inhalation risk exists, wear a Type A-Class P1 (Organic gases/vapours and Particulate) respirator.





# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

## 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance DARK BROWN LIQUID
Odour CHARACTERISTIC ODOUR

Flammability
NON FLAMMABLE
Flash point
NOT RELEVANT
Boiling point
NOT AVAILABLE
Melting point
<= -17.8°C

ChemAlert.

## 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

**Evaporation rate** NOT AVAILABLE Ha 6.7 to 7.7 Vapour density **NOT AVAILABLE** Relative density 1.15 to 1.17 Solubility (water) SOLUBLE **NOT AVAILABLE** Vapour pressure **NOT RELEVANT** Upper explosion limit NOT RELEVANT Lower explosion limit Partition coefficient NOT AVAILABLE **Autoignition temperature NOT AVAILABLE Decomposition temperature NOT AVAILABLE** Viscosity **NOT AVAILABLE Explosive properties NOT AVAILABLE** 

# 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Oxidising properties

**Odour threshold** 

#### 10.1 Reactivity

Carefully review all information provided in sections 10.2 to 10.6.

#### 10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under recommended conditions of storage.

## 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Polymerization will not occur.

#### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

No known conditions to avoid.

## 10.5 Incompatible materials

Incompatible with oxidising agents (e.g. hypochlorites), alkali metals (e.g. sodium) and water reactive substances.

**NOT AVAILABLE** 

**NOT AVAILABLE** 

# 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

May evolve carbon oxides, nitrogen oxides, sulphur oxides, hydrocarbons and hydrogen fluoride gas when heated to decomposition.

# 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

## 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

**Acute toxicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. Under extreme temperatures in a fire

situation toxic by-products associated with this extinguishing agent and surrounding materials may be

generated.

Skin Contact may result in mild irritation, rash and dermatitis. Contact may result in mild irritation, lacrimation and redness. Eve

Sensitisation May cause an allergic skin reaction. This product is not classified as a respiratory sensitiser.

Mutagenicity Not classified as a mutagen. Not classified as a carcinogen. Carcinogenicity Reproductive Not classified as a reproductive toxin.

STOT - single Over exposure may result in irritation of the nose and throat, with coughing. Under extreme temperatures in a exposure

fire situation toxic by-products associated with this extinguishing agent and surrounding materials may be

generated.

STOT - repeated

Not classified as causing organ damage from repeated exposure. However, repeated exposure to some exposure

glycols may result in kidney damage.

**Aspiration** Not classified as causing aspiration.

# 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION



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## 12.1 Toxicity

No information provided.

## 12.2 Persistence and degradability

No information provided.

## 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

This product is not expected to bioaccumulate.

## 12.4 Mobility in soil

No information provided.

#### 12.5 Other adverse effects

No information provided.

# 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

#### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

Waste disposal For small amounts, absorb with sand, vermiculite or similar and dispose of to an approved landfill site. For

large quantities, contact the manufacturer/supplier for additional information. Prevent contamination of

drains and waterways as aquatic life may be threatened and environmental damage may result.

**Legislation** Dispose of in accordance with relevant local legislation.

# 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

#### NOT CLASSIFIED AS A DANGEROUS GOOD BY THE CRITERIA OF THE ADG CODE, IMDG OR IATA

	LAND TRANSPORT (ADG)	SEA TRANSPORT (IMDG / IMO)	AIR TRANSPORT (IATA / ICAO)
14.1 UN Number	None allocated.	None allocated.	None allocated.
14.2 Proper Shipping Name	None allocated.	None allocated.	None allocated.
14.3 Transport hazard class	None allocated.	None allocated.	None allocated.
14.4 Packing Group	None allocated.	None allocated.	None allocated.

# 14.5 Environmental hazards

Not a Marine Pollutant.

# 14.6 Special precautions for user

Hazchem code None allocated.

# 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

## 15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

Poison schedule A poison schedule number has not been allocated to this product using the criteria in the Standard for the

Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP).

Classifications Safework Australia criteria is based on the Globally Harmonised System (GHS) of Classification and

Labelling of Chemicals.

Inventory listings AUSTRALIA: AllC (Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals)

All components are listed on AIIC, or are exempt.

# 16. OTHER INFORMATION

Additional information



#### PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT GUIDELINES:

The recommendation for protective equipment contained within this report is provided as a guide only. Factors such as form of product, method of application, working environment, quantity used, product concentration and the availability of engineering controls should be considered before final selection of personal protective equipment is made.

#### HEALTH EFFECTS FROM EXPOSURE:

It should be noted that the effects from exposure to this product will depend on several factors including: form of product; frequency and duration of use; quantity used; effectiveness of control measures; protective equipment used and method of application. Given that it is impractical to prepare a report which would encompass all possible scenarios, it is anticipated that users will assess the risks and apply control methods where appropriate.

Abbreviations ACGIH American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

CAS # Chemical Abstract Service number - used to uniquely identify chemical compounds

CNS Central Nervous System

EC No. EC No - European Community Number

EMS Emergency Schedules (Emergency Procedures for Ships Carrying Dangerous

Goods)

GHS Globally Harmonized System

GTEPG Group Text Emergency Procedure Guide IARC International Agency for Research on Cancer

LC50 Lethal Concentration, 50% / Median Lethal Concentration

LD50 Lethal Dose, 50% / Median Lethal Dose

mg/m³ Milligrams per Cubic Metre
OEL Occupational Exposure Limit

pH relates to hydrogen ion concentration using a scale of 0 (high acidic) to 14 (highly

alkaline).

ppm Parts Per Million

STEL Short-Term Exposure Limit

STOT-RE Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure)
STOT-SE Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)

SUSMP Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons

SWA Safe Work Australia
TLV Threshold Limit Value
TWA Time Weighted Average

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