

A Schlumberger Company

# SAFETY DATA SHEET RHEFLAT\*

### SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

#### 1.1. Product identifier

Product name RHEFLAT\*

#### 1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Identified uses

Oil well drilling fluid additive.

#### 1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

# <u>Supplier</u>

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2.1. Classification of the substance	<u>æ or mixture</u>	
Classification (1999/45/EEC)	Xi;R36/38.	
2.2. Label elements		
<u>Contains</u>	ALIPHATIC HYDROCARBON II	
	TETRADECANE	
Labelling		
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	Irritant	
Risk Phrases		
	R36/38	Irritating to eyes and skin.
Safety Phrases		
	S26	In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.
	S37	Wear suitable gloves.
	S24/25	Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

Not Classified as PBT/vPvB by current EU criteria.

SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

### 3.2. Mixtures

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FATTY ACID DERIVATIVES			60-100%
Classification (EC 1272/2008)		Classification (67/548/EEC)	
Not classified.		Not classified.	
ALIPHATIC HYDROCARBON II			10-30%
CAS-No.: 112-40-3	EC No.: 203-967-9		
Classification (EC 1272/2008) EUH066		Classification (67/548/EEC) Xn;R65.	
Asp. Tox. 1 - H304		R66.	
TETRADECANE			10-30%
CAS-No.: 629-59-4	EC No.: 211-096-0		
Classification (EC 1272/2008) Skin Irrit. 2 - H315 Eye Irrit. 2 - H319 STOT SE 3 - H335 Asp. Tox. 1 - H304		Classification (67/548/EEC) Xn;R65. Xi;R36/37/38.	
TRIDECANE			5-109
CAS-No.: 629-50-5	EC No.: 211-093-4		
Classification (EC 1272/2008) Not classified.		Classification (67/548/EEC) Xi;R36/37/38.	
ALIPHATIC HYDROCARBON III			5-109
CAS-No.: 1120-21-4	EC No.: 214-300-6		
Classification (EC 1272/2008) Not classified.		Classification (67/548/EEC) Xn;R65. Xi;R36/38.	

The Full Text for all R-Phrases and Hazard Statements are Displayed in Section 16.

## **Composition Comments**

The data shown is in accordance with the latest EC Directives. The viscosity of this product is high enough that it is not an aspiration risk and the R65 phrase does not apply.

SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES
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### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

#### Inhalation

Move the exposed person to fresh air at once. If respiratory problems, artificial respiration/oxygen. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.

# Ingestion

DO NOT induce vomiting. Get medical attention immediately. If vomiting occurs, keep head low so that stomach content doesn't get into the lungs.

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#### Skin contact

Remove contaminated clothing immediately and wash skin with soap and water. Get medical attention promptly if symptoms occur after washing.

#### Eye contact

Make sure to remove any contact lenses from the eyes before rinsing. Promptly wash eyes with plenty of water while lifting the eye lids. Continue to rinse for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.

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

### General information

The severity of the symptoms described will vary dependant of the concentration and the length of exposure. If adverse symptoms develop as described the casualty should be transferred to hospital as soon as possible. For further information, please refer to section 11.

#### 4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treat Symptomatically.

#### SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

#### 5.1. Extinguishing media

#### Extinguishing media

Water spray, foam, dry powder or carbon dioxide.

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

#### Hazardous combustion products

When heated, vapours/gases hazardous to health may be formed.

Specific hazards

Combustible liquid.

#### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

#### Special Fire Fighting Procedures

Containers close to fire should be removed immediately or cooled with water.

# Protective equipment for fire-fighters

Self contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.

# SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

#### 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Wear protective clothing as described in Section 8 of this safety data sheet.

#### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Do not allow to enter drains, sewers or watercourses.

#### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Stop leak if possible without risk. Dike far ahead of larger spills for later disposal. Absorb spillage with suitable absorbent material. Shovel into dry containers. Cover and move the containers. Flush the area with water.

#### 6.4. Reference to other sections

For waste disposal, see section 13.

## SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Avoid spilling, skin and eye contact. Avoid inhalation of vapours and spray mists.

#### 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store in tightly closed original container in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep away from heat, sparks and open flame.

#### Storage Class

Chemical storage.

#### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

The identified uses for this product are detailed in Section 1.2.

# SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

# 8.1. Control parameters

## Ingredient Comments

No exposure limits noted for ingredient(s).

#### FATTY ACID DERIVATIVES (CAS: 68937-90-6)

DNEL			
Dermal	Long Term	Systemic Effects	741 mg/kg
Inhalation.	Long Term	Systemic Effects	52.26 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

## 8.2. Exposure controls

#### Protective equipment







#### Process conditions

All chemical Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) should be selected based on an assessment of both the chemical hazard present and the risk of exposure to those hazards. The PPE recommendations below are based on an assessment of the chemical hazards associated with this product. Where this product is used in a mixture with other products or fluids, additional hazards may be created and as such further assessment of risk may be required. The risk of exposure and need of respiratory protection will vary from workplace to workplace and should be assessed by the user in each situation.

#### Engineering measures

Provide adequate general and local exhaust ventilation.

### Respiratory equipment

No specific recommendation made, but respiratory protection may still be required under exceptional circumstances when excessive air contamination exists. Chemical respirator with organic vapour cartridge.

#### Hand protection

For prolonged or repeated skin contact use suitable protective gloves. Use protective gloves made of: Nitrile. or Neoprene.

#### Eye protection

Wear splash-proof eye goggles to prevent any possibility of eye contact.

### Other Protection

Wear appropriate clothing to prevent any possibility of skin contact. Provide eyewash station.

#### Hygiene measures

Wash hands at the end of each work shift and before eating, smoking and using the toilet. Wash hands after handling. Promptly remove any clothing that becomes wet or contaminated.

#### SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

#### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	Liquid
Colour	Amber.
<u>Odour</u>	Slight odour.
<u>Solubility</u>	Insoluble in water
Initial boiling point and boiling range	>150°C
<u>(°C)</u>	
Relative density	0.80 - 1.00 g/ml
Viscosity	>7cSt @ 40°C
<u>Flash point (°C)</u>	76 - 82°C CC (Closed cup).

# 9.2. Other information

Not relevant

# SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

### 10.1. Reactivity

There are no known reactivity hazards associated with this product.

#### 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal temperature conditions and recommended use.

#### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Not known.

#### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

Avoid heat, flames and other sources of ignition.

### 10.5. Incompatible materials

### Materials To Avoid

Strong oxidising substances. Flammable/combustible material.

# 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

When heated, vapours/gases hazardous to health may be formed.

## SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

#### Aspiration hazard:

Not relevant, due to the form of the product.

#### Inhalation

Gas or vapour may irritate respiratory system.

#### Ingestion

Harmful: may cause lung damage if swallowed. May irritate and cause stomach pain, vomiting and diarrhoea.

## Skin contact

Irritating and may cause redness and pain.

#### Eye contact

Irritating to eyes. Spray and vapour in the eyes may cause irritation and smarting.

#### Route of entry

No route of entry noted.

# Target Organs

No specific target organs noted

# SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### **Ecotoxicity**

Contact M-I SWACO's QHSE Department for ecological information at M-ISWACOenv@slb.com. The product components are not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does not exclude the possibility that large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging effect on the environment.

### 12.1. Toxicity

Acute Fish Toxicity

Not considered toxic to fish.

# 12.2. Persistence and degradability

## **Degradability**

The product is expected to be biodegradable.

#### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

#### **Bioaccumulative potential**

No data available on bioaccumulation.

#### 12.4. Mobility in soil

Mobility:

The product is insoluble in water.

# 12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

This product does not contain any PBT or vPvB substances.

# 12.6. Other adverse effects

None known.

# SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

# 13.1. Waste treatment methods

Recover and reclaim or recycle, if practical. Dispose of waste and residues in accordance with local authority requirements.

# Waste Class

The definitive European Waste code for this product will depend upon the final use that is made of this material. EWC-code: 07 01 04. 7152. Organic waste without halogen.

# SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

<u>General</u>

The product is not covered by international regulation on the transport of dangerous goods (IMDG, IATA, ADR/RID).

### 14.1. UN number

Not applicable.

### 14.2. UN proper shipping name

Not applicable.

# 14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

Not applicable.

### 14.4. Packing group

Not applicable.

### 14.5. Environmental hazards

# Environmentally Hazardous Substance/Marine Pollutant

No.

# 14.6. Special precautions for user

Not applicable.

# 14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable. Please contact MISDS@slb.com for info regarding transport in Bulk.

# SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

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

# Uk Regulatory References

Chemicals (Hazard Information & Packaging) Regulations. Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations 2002 (as amended) Workplace Exposure Limits EH40.

# EU Legislation

Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 December 2006 concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH), establishing a European Chemicals Agency, amending Directive 1999/45/EC and repealing Council Regulation (EEC) No 793/93 and Commission Regulation (EC) No 1488/94 as well as Council Directive 76/769/EEC and Commission Directives 91/155/EEC, 93/67/EEC, 93/105/EC and 2000/21/EC, including amendments.

### 15.2. Chemical Safety Assessment

### International Chemical Inventories

Contact REACH@miswaco.slb.com for REACH information. Complies with the following national/regional chemical inventory requirements: Australia (AICS), Canada (DSL / NDSL), China (IECSC), Europe (EINECS / ELINCS), Japan (METI / ENCS), Korea (TCCL / ECL), New Zealand (NZIoC), Phillipines (PICCS), United States (TSCA).

#### SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

## Abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet

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# Information Sources

Product information provided by the commercial vendor(s). Material Safety Data Sheet, Misc. manufacturers. LOLI. European Chemicals Bureau - ESIS (European Chemical Substances Information).

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Risk Phrases In Full		
R65	Harmful: may cause lung damage if swallowed.	
R36/38	Irritating to eyes and skin.	
R36/37/38	Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin.	
NC	Not classified.	
R66	Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or cracking.	
Hazard Statements In Full		
EUH066	Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or cracking.	
H304	May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.	
H315	Causes skin irritation.	
H319	Causes serious eye irritation.	
H335	May cause respiratory irritation.	

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