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SECTION 1 – STATEMENT OF CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION



Trade Name:	ALCOHOL BASED HAND SANITISER GEL		
SUPPLIER:	Synforce (Aust.) Pty Ltd		
ADDRESS:	PO Box 7181 Urangan, Hervey Bay, QLD. 4655		
TELEPHONE:	07-41253531	FAX:	07-41253521
AH EMERGENCY TELEPHONE:	13 1126 in Australia	Product Code:	
Substance:	Water/ethanol mixture	Product Use:	Hand sanitiser
Creation Date:	April 2020	Revision Date:	April 2025

SECTION 2 – HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification of the substance or mixture

Poisons Schedule	Not scheduled
Dangerous Goods	Classified as Dangerous Goods Class 3 Flammable Liquids.
GHS Classification	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Eye Irritation Category 2AFlammable Liquids Category 2

Label elements

GHS label pictograms	  GHS02 GHS07
Signal word	WARNING

Hazard statement(s)

H319	Causes serious eye irritation
H225	Highly flammable liquid and vapour.

Precautionary statement(s): General

P102	Keep out of reach of children.
P103	Read label before use.

Precautionary statement(s): Prevention

P280	Wear eye protection.
P210	Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. — No smoking.
P233	Keep container tightly closed.
P240	Ground/bond container and receiving equipment.
P241	Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting/.../equipment.
P242	Use only non-sparking tools.
P243	Take precautionary measures against static discharge.

Precautionary statement(s): Response

P305+P351+P338	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P337 + P313	If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
P370 + P378	In case of fire: Use water spray, alcohol resistant foam, dry chemicals or carbon dioxide for extinction.

Precautionary statement(s): Storage

P403 + P235	Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.
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Precautionary statement(s): Disposal

P501

Dispose of contents/ container in accordance with local regulations.

Note

IMPORTANT

This SDS and the Hazard Classifications contained therein, only apply to the product in its concentrated form, as supplied.

When diluted to 1:15 or greater (flammability) they no longer apply.

However, good hygiene and housekeeping practices should be adhered to.

Restrictions on use

This is a personal care or cosmetic product that is safe for consumers and other users under normal and reasonably foreseeable use. Cosmetics and consumer products, specifically defined by regulations around the world, are exempt from the requirement of an SDS for the consumer. While this material is not considered hazardous, this SDS contains valuable information critical to the safe handling and proper use of the product for industrial workplace conditions as well as unusual and unintended exposures such as large spills. This SDS should be retained and available for employees and other users of this product. For specific intended-use guidance, please refer to the information provided on the package or instruction sheet.

SECTION 3 – COMPOSITION AND INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Ingredients:	CAS Number:	Proportion:
Ethanol	64-17-5	> 70 % w/w
Ingredients determined to be non-hazardous	various	< 10 % w/w
Water	7732-18-5	To 100 % w/w

NOTE: Ingredients determined not to be hazardous are present in concentrations that do not exceed the relevant cut-off concentrations as found from NOHSC publication "List of Designated Hazardous Substances" or have been found NOT to meet the criteria of a hazardous substance as defined in the NOHSC publication "Approved Criteria for Classifying Hazardous Substances", or have been found NOT to meet the criteria of a dangerous substance as defined in the GLOBALLY HARMONIZED SYSTEM OF CLASSIFICATION AND LABELLING OF CHEMICALS (GHS), 4th edition United Nations 2011. Listed ingredients may be below the cut-off concentrations for classification as hazardous, but are listed for information purposes and for additive effects.

SECTION 4 – FIRST AID MEASURES

Inhalation	If symptomatic, move to fresh air. Get medical attention if symptoms persist.
Skin contact	No adverse effects expected. If any symptoms occur, wipe off affected area and wash with soap and water.
Eye contact	If in eyes, hold eyelids apart and flush the eyes continuously with running water. Remove contact lenses. Continue flushing until advised to stop by the Poisons Information Centre or a doctor, or for at least 15 minutes. If symptoms persist, seek medical attention.
Ingestion	Do NOT induce vomiting. Do NOT attempt to give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth thoroughly with water immediately. Give water to drink. If vomiting occurs, give further water to achieve effective dilution. Seek medical advice (e.g. doctor).
Advice to Doctor	Treat symptomatically.
Scheduled Poisons	Poisons Information Centre in each Australian State capital city or in Christchurch, New Zealand can provide additional assistance for scheduled poisons. (Phone Australia 131126 or New Zealand 0800 764 766).
First Aid Facilities	No special requirements.

SECTION 5 – FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Fire and Explosion Hazards	Water/alcohol based. Highly flammable liquid and vapour. In use, may form flammable/explosive vapour air mixture. If involved in a fire will emit toxic fumes.
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Extinguishing Media	Use extinguishing media appropriate to surrounding fire conditions. Use carbon dioxide (CO ₂) fire extinguisher, water fog or alcohol resistant foam or fine water spray.
Fire Fighting	Keep containers exposed to extreme heat cool with water spray. Fire fighters to wear self-contained breathing apparatus if risk of exposure to products of combustion or decomposition.
Flash Point	19 - 21 °C (calculated) – ethanol/water mixture.

SECTION 6 – ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Emergency Procedures	<p>HAZCHEM code: ●2YE</p> <p>●2 = use Alcohol-resistant foam, or fine water spray if necessary to fight fires.</p> <p>Y = Yes – risk of violent reaction, recommend full fire kit and breathing apparatus for fire only, CONTAIN.</p> <p>E = Consider evacuation.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Shut off engine and electrical equipment off.• No smoking or naked lights within 50 metres.• Move people from immediate area; keep upwind.• Send messenger to notify fire brigade and police.• Tell them location, material quantity, UN number and emergency contact. Indicate condition of vehicle and damage or injuries observed.• Warn other traffic. <p>Minor spills do not normally need any special clean-up measures. In the event of a major spill, prevent spillage from entering drains or water-courses. For large spills, or tank rupture, consider initial evacuation distance of 200 metres in all directions. Stop leak if safe to do so. Remove all ignition sources. If available, use water spray to disperse vapour. Wear appropriate protective equipment as in section 8 below to prevent skin and eye contamination. Spilt material may result in a slip hazard and should be absorbed into dry, inert material (e.g. sand, earth or vermiculite), which then can be put into appropriately labelled drums for disposal by an approved agent according to local conditions. Residual deposits will remain slippery. Wash area down with excess water. If contamination of sewers or waterways has occurred advise the local emergency services. In the event of a large spillage notify the local environment protection authority or emergency services.</p>
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SECTION 7 – HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling	Avoid skin or eye contact with concentrate. Wear protective clothing when risk of exposure occurs. Avoid contact with incompatible materials. When handling, DO NOT eat, drink or smoke. Keep containers closed at all times. Avoid physical damage to containers. Always wash hands with soap and water after handling. Work clothes should be laundered. Launder contaminated clothing before re-use.
Storage	Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area, out of direct sunlight. Protect from freezing. Store in suitable, labelled containers. Keep containers tightly closed. Store away from incompatible materials. Ensure that storage conditions comply with applicable local and national regulations.



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SECTION 8 – EXPOSURE CONTROLS AND PERSONAL PROTECTION

Exposure Limits	National Occupational Exposure Limits, as published by National Occupational Health & Safety Commission: Time-weighted Average (TWA): None established for product. <ul style="list-style-type: none">Ethanol : 1000ppm 1880mg/m³ Short Term Exposure Limit (STEL): None established for product.
Ventilation	Ensure ventilation is adequate to maintain air concentrations below exposure standards. Avoid generating mists of the product. Use only in a well-ventilated area.
Personal Protective Equipment	Use good occupational work practice. The use of protective clothing and equipment depends upon the degree and nature of exposure. The following protective equipment should be available;
Eye Protection 	Generally not required for typical applications as per label directions. Safety glasses with full face shield should be used for handling concentrate in quantity, cleaning up spills, decanting, etc. Eye protection devices should conform to relevant regulations. Eye protection should conform with Australian/New Zealand Standard AS/NZS 1337 - Eye Protectors for Industrial Applications.
Hand Protection 	Generally not required for typical applications as per label directions. Wear gloves of impervious material such as butyl rubber, natural latex, neoprene, PVC and nitrile – to handle in quantity, clean up spills, decanting, etc. Final choice of appropriate gloves will vary according to individual circumstances. i.e. methods of handling or according to risk assessments undertaken. Occupational protective gloves should conform to relevant regulations. Reference should be made to AS/NZS 2161.1: Occupational protective gloves - Selection, use and maintenance.
Body Protection 	Generally not required for typical applications as per label directions. Suitable protective workwear, e.g. rubber or plastic apron, sleeves, boots and cotton overalls buttoned at neck and wrist are recommended. Chemical resistant apron is recommended where large quantities are handled.
Respirator	Generally not required for typical applications with diluted solutions as per label directions. If engineering controls are not effective in controlling airborne exposure then an approved respirator with a replaceable vapor/mist filter should be used. Refer to relevant regulations for further information concerning respiratory protective requirements. Reference should be made to Australian Standards AS/NZS 1715, Selection, Use and Maintenance of Respiratory Protective Devices; and AS/NZS 1716, Respiratory Protective Devices, in order to make any necessary changes for individual circumstances.

SECTION 9 – PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical State	Viscous liquid/gel	Colour	Clear
Odour	Alcohol odour	Specific Gravity	0.88 – 0.91 @ 25 °C
Boiling Point	Approximately 78 - 100 °C	Freezing Point	Not available
Vapour Pressure	Not available	Vapour Density	Not available
Flash Point	19 - 21 °C (calculated)	Flammable Limits	Ethanol 3.5 – 19% v/v
Water Solubility	Miscible in all proportions	pH	5.0 – 7.5 neat
Volatile Organic Compounds (VOC)	Ca 70 - 80 % v/v	Per Cent Volatile	98.5 % v/v
Viscosity	Not available	Odour Threshold	Not available



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SECTION 10 – STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity	Stable at normal temperatures and pressure.
Conditions to Avoid	Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight. Ignition sources.
Incompatibilities	Reducing agents, oxidizing agents.
Hazardous Decomposition	Thermal decomposition may result in the release of toxic and/or irritating fumes.

SECTION 11 – TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS

No adverse health effects expected if the product is handled in accordance with this Safety Data Sheet and the product label. Symptoms or effects that may arise if the product is mishandled and overexposure occurs are:

Inhalation	Inhalation of vapours or mists may cause irritation to the respiratory system. Inhalation of the vapour may result in drunkenness (as per effects of swallowing). Early symptoms may occur at airborne levels of 1000 to 5000 ppm.
Skin contact	Not irritating to skin. Prolonged contact with concentrate may be irritating to skin.
Eye contact	Concentrated product may cause eye irritation. Eye contact with concentrate will cause stinging, blurring, tearing.
Ingestion	Can cause drunkenness or harmful central nervous system effects. The deliberate ingestion of ethanol (50-100ml) may cause inebriation such that safety is impaired. Effects of a small intake may include excitation, euphoria, headache, dizziness, drowsiness, blurred vision, and fatigue. Ingestion of a large amount may lead to severe acute intoxication, tremors, convulsion, loss of consciousness, coma, respiratory arrest and death.
Chronic exposure	Long term exposure by swallowing or repeated inhalation, may cause degenerative changes in the liver, kidneys, gastrointestinal tract and heart muscle.
Toxicology Information	Not toxic, based on ingredients. Oral LD50 (ATE calculated) : >10,000 mg/kg
Carcinogen Status	
NOHSC	No significant ingredient is classified as carcinogenic by NOHSC.
NTP	No significant ingredient is classified as carcinogenic by NTP.
IARC	No significant ingredient is classified as carcinogenic by IARC. Note: Alcoholic beverages are classified by the International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) as a Group 1 carcinogen (carcinogenic to humans).
Respiratory sensitisation	Not expected to be a respiratory sensitizer.
Skin Sensitisation	Not expected to be a skin sensitizer.
Germ cell mutagenicity	Not considered to be a mutagenic hazard.
Reproductive Toxicity	Not considered to be toxic to reproduction.
STOT-single exposure	Not expected to cause toxicity to a specific target organ.
STOT-repeated exposure	Not expected to cause toxicity to a specific target organ.
Aspiration Hazard	Not expected to be an aspiration hazard.

SECTION 12 – ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Eco-toxicity Product (as sold)	Not harmful to aquatic life. LC50 > 100mg/L. Acute Aquatic Toxicity (Calculated) LC50: >5,000 mg/L. Acute Aquatic Toxicity NOT HAZARDOUS
Eco-toxicity Product (at use dilution 1:100 rinse)	Not harmful to aquatic life. LC50 > 100mg/L. Acute Aquatic Toxicity (Calculated) LC50: >5,00,000 mg/L. Acute Aquatic Toxicity NOT HAZARDOUS



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Persistence and degradability	Readily biodegradable, based on ingredients.
Bio accumulative potential	No bioaccumulation is expected.
Mobility in soil	Due to its physico-chemical characteristics, highly mobile in the environment and will partition to the aquatic compartment.
Other adverse effects	Not available
Environmental Protection	Do not discharge this material into waterways.

SECTION 13 – DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

	Dispose of waste according to applicable local and national regulations. Do not allow into drains or watercourses or dispose of where ground or surface waters may be affected. Wastes including emptied containers are controlled wastes and should be disposed of in accordance with all applicable local and national regulations.
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SECTION 14 – TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Labels Required	
ADG	
IMDG Marine Pollutant	No
HAZCHEM	•2YE
Land Transport (ADG)	
UN Number	1170
Proper shipping name	ETHANOL SOLUTION (ETHYL ALCOHOL SOLUTION)
ADG Code	3.2
HAZCHEM Code	•2YE
Emergency Response Guide	#14
Packing Group	II
Packaging Method	3.8.3 RT1
Segregation	Segregation Class 3 – Flammable liquid shall not be loaded in the same vehicle or packed in the same freight container with: Class 1, Explosives Class 2.1, Flammable Gases, if both the Class 3 and Class 2.1 dangerous goods are in bulk Class 2.3, Toxic Gases Class 4.2 Spontaneously Combustible Substances Class 5.1 Oxidising Agents and Class 5.2, Organic Peroxides Class 6 Toxic Substances (where the flammable liquid is nitromethane) Class 7 Radioactive Substances. Foodstuff and foodstuff empties.

SECTION 15 – REGULATORY INFORMATION



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GHS Classification	Classified as Hazardous according to the Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (GHS) including Work, Health and Safety regulations, Australia.
SUSMP	Not scheduled
ADG Code	Class 3.2
AICS	All ingredients present on AICS.

SECTION 16 – OTHER INFORMATION

Issue Date	2 nd April 2020
Version Number	V 1.0 GHS classification.
Abbreviations and acronyms	<p>ADG Code: Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail.</p> <p>AICS: Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances.</p> <p>CAS Number: Chemical Abstracts Service Registry Number.</p> <p>GHS: Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals</p> <p>HAZCHEM: An emergency action code of numbers and letters which gives information to emergency services.</p> <p>HSIS: Hazardous Substances Information System</p> <p>IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer.</p> <p>NOHSC: National Occupational Health and Safety Commission.</p> <p>NTP: National Toxicology Program (USA).</p> <p>SDS: Safety Data Sheet</p> <p>STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit.</p> <p>SUSMP: Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons.</p> <p>TWA: Time Weighted Average.</p> <p>UN Number: United Nations Number.</p>
Literature references	<p>Preparation of Safety Data Sheets for Hazardous Chemicals – Code of Practice (Safe Work Australia)</p> <p>GHS Hazardous Chemical Information List (Safe Work Australia)</p> <p>Guidance on the Classification of Hazardous Chemicals under the WHS Regulations.</p> <p>Global Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (GHS)</p> <p>“Australian Exposure Standards”. Safework Australia</p> <p>Australian Code For The Transport Of Dangerous Goods By Road And Rail</p> <p>Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons</p> <p>Material Safety Data Sheets – individual raw materials – Suppliers</p> <p>HSIS – Hazardous Substance Information System – National Safe Work Australia Data Base.</p> <p>HCIS – Hazardous Chemical Information System – National Safe Work Australia Data Base.</p>
Disclaimer	<p>This MSDS summarizes at the date of issue our best knowledge of the health and safety hazard information of this product, and in particular how to safely handle and use this product in the workplace. Since the supplier cannot anticipate or control the conditions under which the product may be used, each user must, prior to usage, review this MSDS in the context of how the user intends to handle and use the product in the workplace. If clarification or further information is needed to ensure that an appropriate assessment can be made, the user should contact this supplier.</p>

End of SDS