



# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## Section 1: Product & Company Identification

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**Product Name:** CRC® Engine Degreaser  
**Product Number (s):** 05025, 75025, 85025, 85025AZ  
**Product Use:** Engine degreasing

### Manufacturer / Supplier Contact Information:

In United States:

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52-444-824-1666

24-Hr Emergency – CHEMTREC: (800) 424-9300 or (703) 527-3887

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## Section 2: Hazards Identification

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### Emergency Overview

**DANGER:** Flammable. Harmful or Fatal if Swallowed. Vapor Harmful. Contents Under Pressure.  
As defined by OSHA's Hazard Communication Standard, this product is hazardous.  
Appearance & Odor: Clear, light amber liquid, petroleum odor

### Potential Health Effects:

**ACUTE EFFECTS:**

**EYE:** Contact with liquid or vapor may cause mild irritation.

**SKIN:** May cause skin irritation with prolonged or repeated contact. Practically non-toxic if absorbed following a single exposure.

**INHALATION:** Excessive exposure may cause irritations to the nose, throat, lungs and respiratory tract. Central nervous system effects may include headache, dizziness, loss of balance and coordination, unconsciousness, coma, respiratory failure and death.

**INGESTION:** Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal disturbance, including irritation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhea. The major health threat of ingestions occurs from the danger of aspiration of liquid drops into the lungs, particularly from vomiting. Aspiration may result in chemical pneumonia, severe lung damage and even death.

**CHRONIC EFFECTS:** Liquid may be absorbed through the skin in toxic amounts if large areas of skin are repeatedly exposed.

**TARGET ORGANS:** Central nervous system

**Medical Conditions Aggravated by Exposure:** Irritation from skin exposure may aggravate existing open wounds, skin disorders, and dermatitis.

See Section 11 for toxicology and carcinogenicity information on product ingredients.

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### Section 3: Composition/Information on Ingredients

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COMPONENT	CAS NUMBER	% by Wt.
Petroleum Distillate	68476-34-6	70 - 80
Xylene	1330-20-7	10 - 15
Detergent	68412-54-4	5 - 10
Ethylbenzene	100-41-4	2 - 4
Carbon dioxide	124-38-9	< 5

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### Section 4: First Aid Measures

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**Eye Contact:** Immediately flush with plenty of water for 15 minutes. Call a physician if irritation persists.

**Skin Contact:** Remove contaminated clothing and wash affected area with soap and water. Call a physician if irritation persists. Wash contaminated clothing prior to re-use.

**Inhalation:** Remove person to fresh air. Keep person calm. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult give oxygen. Call a physician.

**Ingestion:** Do NOT induce vomiting. Do not give liquids. Obtain immediate medical attention. If spontaneous vomiting occurs, lean victim forward to reduce the risk of aspiration. Monitor for breathing difficulties. Mouth can be rinsed to dissipate the taste.

*Note to Physicians:* Treat symptomatically.

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### Section 5: Fire-Fighting Measures

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**Flammable Properties:** This product is flammable in accordance with aerosol flammability definitions. (See 16 CFR 1500.3(c)(6) ).

Flash Point: 115°F (TCC)	Upper Explosive Limit: 7.5
Autoignition Temperature: ND	Lower Explosive Limit: 0.6

**Fire and Explosion Data:**

**Suitable Extinguishing Media:** Use extinguishers rated for Class B fires, such as dry chemical, Halon, fire fighting foam or CO<sub>2</sub>.

**Products of Combustion:** Oxides of carbon

**Explosion Hazards:** Aerosol containers, when exposed to heat from fire, may build pressure and explode. Vapors may accumulate in a confined space and create a flammable atmosphere.

**Protection of Fire-Fighters:** Firefighters should wear self-contained, NIOSH-approved breathing apparatus for protection against suffocation and possible toxic decomposition products. Proper eye and skin protection should be provided. Use water spray to keep fire-exposed containers cool and to knock down vapors which may result from product decomposition.

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### Section 6: Accidental Release Measures

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**Personal Precautions:** Use personal protection recommended in Section 8.

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Environmental Precautions: Take precautions to prevent contamination of ground and surface waters. Do not flush into sewers or storm drains.

Methods for Containment & Clean-up: Remove all sources of ignition. Dike area to contain spill. Ventilate the area with fresh air. If in confined space or limited air circulation area, clean-up workers should wear appropriate respiratory protection. Recover or absorb spilled material using an absorbent designed for chemical spills. Place used absorbents into proper waste containers.

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**Section 7: Handling and Storage**

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Handling Procedures: Keep away from heat, sparks and open flame. Provide adequate ventilation during use. Do not breathe vapors. Wash hands after use. Use caution around energized equipment. The metal container will conduct electricity if it contacts a live source. This may result in injury to the user from electrical shock and/or flash fire. For product use instructions, please see the product label.

Storage Procedures: Store in a cool dry area out of direct sunlight. Aerosol cans must be maintained below 120 F to prevent cans from rupturing. Store in a well ventilated area. Keep out of reach of children

Aerosol Storage Level: III

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**Section 8: Exposure Controls/Personal Protection**

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**Exposure Guidelines:**

COMPONENT	OSHA		ACGIH		OTHER		UNIT
	TWA	STEL	TWA	STEL	TWA	SOURCE	
Petroleum Distillate	5	NE	100	NE	NE		mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Xylene	100	150(v)	100	150	NE		ppm
Detergent	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE		
Ethylbenzene	100	125(v)	100	125	NE		ppm
Carbon dioxide	5000	NE	5000	30000	NE		ppm
N.E. – Not Established      (c) – ceiling      (s) – skin      (v) – vacated							

**Controls and Protection:**

Engineering Controls: Area should have ventilation to provide fresh air. Local exhaust ventilation is generally preferred because it can control the emissions of the contaminant at the source, preventing dispersion into the general work area. Use mechanical means if necessary to maintain vapor levels below the exposure guidelines. If working in a confined space, follow applicable OSHA regulations.

Respiratory Protection: None required for normal work where adequate ventilation is provided. If engineering controls are not feasible or if exposure exceeds the applicable exposure limits, use a NIOSH-approved cartridge respirator with organic vapor cartridge. Air monitoring is needed to determine actual employee exposure levels. Use a self-contained breathing apparatus in confined spaces and for emergencies.

Eye/face Protection: For normal conditions, wear safety glasses. Where there is reasonable probability of liquid contact, wear splash-proof goggles.

Skin Protection: Use protective gloves such as nitrile, neoprene or PVC. Also, use full protective clothing if there is prolonged or repeated contact of liquid with skin.

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## Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

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Physical State: liquid  
Color: light amber  
Odor: petroleum  
Odor Threshold: ND  
Specific Gravity: 0.8667  
Initial Boiling Point: 250°F  
Freezing Point: ND  
Vapor Pressure: ND  
Vapor Density: > 1 (air = 1)  
Evaporation Rate: slow  
Solubility: emulsifies in water  
Coefficient of water/oil distribution: ND  
pH: NA  
Volatile Organic Compounds: wt %: 45.2                      g/L: 391.7                      lbs./gal: 3.26

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## Section 10: Stability and Reactivity

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Stability: Stable  
Conditions to Avoid: Temperature extremes, sources of ignition  
Incompatible Materials: Strong oxidizers, Viton®, Fluorel®  
Hazardous Decomposition Products: Carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, non-combusted hydrocarbons (smoke)  
Possibility of Hazardous Reactions: No

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## Section 11: Toxicological Information

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Long-term toxicological studies have not been conducted for this product. The following information is available for components of this product.

### Acute Toxicity:

<u>Component</u>	<u>Oral LD50 (rat)</u>	<u>Dermal LD50 (rabbit)</u>	<u>Inhalation LC50 (rat)</u>
Petroleum Distillate	9 mL/kg	> 5 mL/kg	No data
Xylene	4300 mg/kg	> 1700 mg/kg	5000 ppm/4H
Detergent	1980 mg/kg	No data	No data
Ethylbenzene	3500 mg/kg	> 5000 mg/kg	55,000 mg/m <sup>3</sup> /2H
Carbon dioxide	No data	No data	470,000 ppm/30M

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Component	OSHA Carcinogen	IARC Carcinogen	NTP Carcinogen	Irritant E (mild) / S (mild) / R (moderate)	Sensitizer
Petroleum Distillate	No	No	No		No
Xylene	No	No	No	E (mild) / S (moderate)	Unknown
Detergent	No	No	No	E (severe) / S (severe) / R (mild)	Unknown
Ethylbenzene	No	Group 2B	No	E (moderate) / S (mild)	Unknown
Carbon dioxide	No	No	No	No	No

E – Eye	S – Skin	R - Respiratory
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Reproductive Toxicity: No information available  
Teratogenicity: No information available  
Mutagenicity: No information available  
Synergistic Effects: No information available  
Other: Petroleum distillate: This material has been positive in a mutagenicity study.

**Section 12: Ecological Information**

Ecological studies have not been conducted for this product. The following information is available for components of this product.

Ecotoxicity: Xylene - 96 Hr LC50 fathead minnow: 13.4 mg/L (flow-through)  
 Ethylbenzene - 48 Hr EC50 water flea: 2.1 mg/L  
 Persistence / Degradability: No information available  
 Bioaccumulation / Accumulation: No information available  
 Mobility in Environment: Spills may penetrate the soil causing groundwater contamination. This material may accumulate in sediments.

**Section 13: Disposal Considerations**

Waste Classification: The dispensed liquid product is a RCRA hazardous waste for the characteristic of ignitability with a waste code of D001. Pressurized containers may be a D003 reactive waste. (See 40 CFR Part 261.20 – 261.33)  
 Empty aerosol containers may be recycled.

All disposal activities must comply with federal, state, provincial and local regulations. Local regulations may be more stringent than state, provincial or national requirements.

**Section 14: Transport Information**

US DOT (ground): Consumer Commodity, ORM-D  
 ICAO/IATA (air): Consumer Commodity, ID8000, 9  
 IMO/IMDG (water): Aerosols, UN1950, 2.1, Limited Quantity  
 Special Provisions: None

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## **Section 15: Regulatory Information**

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### **U.S. Federal Regulations:**

#### Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA):

All ingredients are either listed on the TSCA inventory or are exempt.

#### Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA):

Reportable Quantities (RQ's) exist for the following ingredients: Xylene (100 lbs), Ethylbenzene (1000 lbs)

**Spills or releases resulting in the loss of any ingredient at or above its RQ require immediate notification to the National Response Center (800-424-8802) and to your Local Emergency Planning Committee.**

#### Superfund Amendments Reauthorization Act (SARA) Title III:

Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances (EHS): None

Section 311/312 Hazard Categories:	Fire Hazard	Yes
	Reactive Hazard	No
	Release of Pressure	Yes
	Acute Health Hazard	Yes
	Chronic Health Hazard	Yes

Section 313 Toxic Chemicals: This product contains the following substances subject to the reporting requirements of Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 and 40 CFR Part 372:  
Xylene (12%), Ethylbenzene (3%)

#### Clean Air Act:

Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs): Xylene, Ethylbenzene

### **U.S. State Regulations:**

#### California Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act (Prop 65):

This product may contain the following chemicals known to the state of California to cause cancer, birth defects or other reproductive harm: Ethylbenzene, Naphthalene (< 0.01%)

Consumer Products VOC Regulations: This product does not comply with Consumer Products VOC regulations and cannot be used in California, Connecticut, Delaware, The District of Columbia, Illinois, Indiana, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, New Jersey, New Hampshire, New York, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, and parts of Virginia.

#### State Right to Know:

New Jersey:	1330-20-7, 100-41-4
Pennsylvania:	1330-20-7, 100-41-4
Massachusetts:	1330-20-7, 100-41-4
Rhode Island :	1330-20-7, 100-41-4

### **Canadian Regulations:**

#### Controlled Products Regulations:

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the MSDS contains all the information required by the Controlled Products Regulations.

WHMIS Hazard Class: A, B5, D2A, D2B

Canadian DSL Inventory: All ingredients are either listed on the DSL Inventory or are exempt.

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**European Union Regulations:**

RoHS Compliance: This product is compliant with Directive 2002/95/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 27 January 2003. This product does not contain any of the restricted substances as listed in Article 4(1) of the RoHS Directive.

Additional Regulatory Information: None

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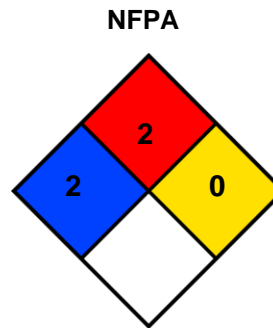
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**Section 16: Other Information**

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HMIS® (II)	
Health:	2
Flammability:	2
Reactivity:	0
PPE:	B



Ratings range from 0 (no hazard) to 4 (severe hazard)

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ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists  
CAS: Chemical Abstract Service  
CFR: Code of Federal Regulations  
DOT: Department of Transportation  
DSL: Domestic Substance List  
g/L: grams per Liter  
HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System  
IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer  
IATA: International Air Transport Association  
ICAO: International Civil Aviation Organization  
IMDG: International Maritime Dangerous Goods  
IMO: International Maritime Organization  
lbs./gal: pounds per gallon  
LC: Lethal Concentration  
LD: Lethal Dose

NA: Not Applicable  
ND: Not Determined  
NIOSH: National Institute of Occupational Safety & Health  
NFPA: National Fire Protection Association  
NTP: National Toxicology Program  
OSHA: Occupational Safety and Health Administration  
PMCC: Pensky-Martens Closed Cup  
PPE: Personal Protection Equipment  
ppm: Parts per Million  
RoHS: Restriction of Hazardous Substances  
STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit  
TCC: Tag Closed Cup  
TWA: Time Weighted Average  
WHMIS: Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System