

PRODUCT SPECIFICATION REPORT

Formula 50 is a multi-purpose, water-based cleaner and degreaser that contains a proven combination of synthetic detergents, water softeners, alkaline builders, corrosion inhibitors and a water-soluble solvent.

FORMULA 50™

Heavy-Duty, All Purpose Cleaner and Degreaser



FEATURES/BENEFITS:

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Powerful Cleaning Action	Rapidly removes dirt, grease and grime from a wide variety of surfaces.	
Degreases	Dissolves and removes food grease and many industrial oils and greases.	
Versatile	Can be used as a general purpose cleaner, floor cleaner, wax and floor finish stripper, engine degreaser and for a variety of other cleaning challenges. May be used by hand or through steam or pressure cleaning equipment, automatic scrubbers, etc.	
Inhibited	This product will not harm metal surfaces, including aluminum, when used as directed on the label.	
Biodegradable	All detergents and wetting agents are completely biodegradable.	
Safer Alternative	Formulation does not contain petroleum or chlorinated solvents, excess caustic, or phosphates, and it is non-toxic by ingestion.	

APPLICATIONS:

Recommended as a floor and wall cleaner in all departments of federally-inspected meat and poultry plants. Particularly useful in automotive repair shops, department stores, nursing homes & hospitals, child day care services, eating & drinking establishments, operators of apartment buildings, cleaning & maintenance services, hotels & motels, schools & educational facilities and sports & recreational clubs

COMPANION PRODUCTS:

Vue RTU, Odorstroyer Extra (GreenLink), Ring Master, Ceramic Tile Cleaner, Oven Brite, Acclaim, Head-To-Toe (GreenLink), Stainless Steel Cleaner, Zep 40

SPECIFICATIONS:

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Physical Form	Thin, water-based liquid
Color	Clear, Blue-Green
Odor	Slight, butyl
pH (concentrate)	12.5-13.5
Flash Point	None
Specific Gravity	1.07
Shelf Life	1 Year Minimum
D.O.T. Shipping Label	None



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SECTION 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Material name : ZEP FORMULA 50_4CS GL

Material number : 00000000000085924

Manufacturer or supplier's details

Company : Zep Inc.

Address : 350 Joe Frank Harris Parkway, SE

Emerson, GA 30137

Telephone : 404-352-1680

Emergency telephone numbers

For SDS Information : Compliance Services 1-877-428-9937

For a Medical Emergency : 877-541-2016 Toll Free - All Calls Recorded
For a Transportation : CHEMTREC: 800-424-9300 - All Calls Recorded.

Emergency In the District of Columbia 202-483-7616

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use : Specialty Cleaner and Remover

SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Emergency Overview

Appearance	liquid	
Colour	clear, dark blue	
Odour	mild	

GHS Classification

Skin corrosion : Category 1
Serious eye damage : Category 1
Specific target organ toxicity - : Category 2

repeated exposure

(Inhalation)

GHS label elements

Hazard pictograms





Signal word : Danger

Hazard statements : H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H373 May cause damage to organs through prolonged or

repeated exposure if inhaled.

Precautionary statements : Prevention:

P260 Do not breathe dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapours/ spray.



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P264 Wash skin thoroughly after handling.

P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye

protection/ face protection.

Response:

P301 + P330 + P331 IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT

induce vomiting.

P303 + P361 + P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with

water/shower.

P304 + P340 + P310 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air

and keep comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a

POISON CENTER/doctor.

P305 + P351 + P338 + P310 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a POISON

CENTER/doctor.

P314 Get medical advice/ attention if you feel unwell. P363 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

Storage:

P405 Store locked up.

Disposal:

P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local

regulation.

SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Substance / Mixture : Mixture

Hazardous components

Chemical name	CAS-No.	Concentration [%]
2-butoxyethanol	111-76-2	>= 1 - < 5
Sodium metasilicate (disodium salt)	6834-92-0	>= 1 - < 5
tetrasodium ethylenediaminetetraacetate	64-02-8	>= 1 - < 5
Silicic acid, sodium salt	1344-09-8	>= 1 - < 5
Benzenesulfonic acid, C10-16-alkyl derivs.	68584-22-5	>= 1 - < 5

The exact percentages of disclosed substances are withheld as trade secrets.

SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

General advice : Move out of dangerous area.

Consult a physician.

Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

Do not leave the victim unattended.

If inhaled : Consult a physician after significant exposure.

If unconscious, place in recovery position and seek medical

advice.

In case of skin contact : Immediate medical treatment is necessary as untreated

wounds from corrosion of the skin heal slowly and with

difficulty.



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Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15

minutes.

If on clothes, remove clothes.

In case of eye contact : Small amounts splashed into eyes can cause irreversible

tissue damage and blindness.

Rinse immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes.

Continue rinsing eyes during transport to hospital.

Remove contact lenses. Protect unharmed eye.

Keep eye wide open while rinsing.

If eye irritation persists, consult a specialist.

If swallowed : Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water.

Keep respiratory tract clear.

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

If symptoms persist, call a physician.

DO NOT induce vomiting unless directed to do so by a

physician or poison control center. Take victim immediately to hospital.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and

delayed

Effects are immediate and delayed.

Symptoms may include blistering, irritation, burns, and pain. Effects are dependent on exposure (dose, concentration,

contact time).

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated

exposure if inhaled.

Review section 2 of SDS to see all potential hazards.

Notes to physician : Treat symptomatically. Symptoms may be delayed.

SECTION 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media : Dry chemical

Water Foam

Carbon dioxide (CO2)

Unsuitable extinguishing

media

: High volume water jet

Specific hazards during

firefighting

: Do not allow run-off from fire fighting to enter drains or water

courses.

Hazardous combustion

products

: Carbon dioxide (CO2)

Carbon monoxide

Smoke

Nitrogen oxides (NOx)

Sulphur oxides

Specific extinguishing

methods

: Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local

circumstances and the surrounding environment.

Further information : Collect contaminated fire extinguishing water separately. This



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must not be discharged into drains.

Fire residues and contaminated fire extinguishing water must

be disposed of in accordance with local regulations.

Special protective equipment

for firefighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if

necessary.

SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures Environmental precautions : Use personal protective equipment.

Ensure adequate ventilation.

: Prevent product from entering drains.

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

If the product contaminates rivers and lakes or drains, inform

respective authorities.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Soak up with inert absorbent material (e.g. sand, silica gel,

acid binder, universal binder, sawdust).

Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Advice on safe handling : Avoid exposure - obtain special instructions before use.

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. For personal protection see section 8.

Smoking, eating and drinking should be prohibited in the

application area.

Provide sufficient air exchange and/or exhaust in work rooms. To avoid spills during handling keep bottle on a metal tray. Dispose of rinse water in accordance with local and national

regulations.

Conditions for safe storage : Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated

place.

Observe label precautions.

Electrical installations / working materials must comply with

the technological safety standards.

Materials to avoid : Oxidizing agents

Do not freeze.

Do not store near acids.

SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Components with workplace control parameters

Components	CAS-No.	Value type (Form of exposure)	Control parameters / Permissible concentration	Basis
2-butoxyethanol	111-76-2	TWA	20 ppm	ACGIH



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	TWA	5 ppm 24 mg/m3	NIOSH REL
	TWA	50 ppm 240 mg/m3	OSHA Z-1
	TWA	25 ppm 120 mg/m3	OSHA P0
	PEL	20 ppm 97 mg/m3	CAL PEL

Biological occupational exposure limits

Component	CAS-No.	Control	Biological	Sampling	Permissible	Basis
		parameters	specimen	time	concentration	
2-BUTOXYETHANOL	111-76-2	Butoxyacetic acid (BAA)	Urine	End of shift (As soon as possible after exposure	200.mg/g Creatinine	ACGIH BEI
				ceases)		

Engineering measures : effective ventilation in all processing areas

Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection : Use respiratory protection unless adequate local exhaust

ventilation is provided or exposure assessment demonstrates that exposures are within recommended exposure guidelines.

Hand protection

Material : Protective gloves

Remarks : The suitability for a specific workplace should be discussed

with the producers of the protective gloves.

Eye protection : Eye wash bottle with pure water

Tightly fitting safety goggles

Wear face-shield and protective suit for abnormal processing

problems.

Skin and body protection : Impervious clothing

Choose body protection according to the amount and

concentration of the dangerous substance at the work place.

Hygiene measures : When using do not eat or drink.

When using do not smoke.

Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance : liquid

Colour : clear, dark blue



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Odour : mild

Odour Threshold No data available

Ha : > 13

Melting point/freezing point : No data available

Boiling point 104.44 °C

Flash point

does not flash

: 1 Evaporation rate

Upper explosion limit No data available Lower explosion limit No data available Vapour pressure not determined Relative vapour density No data available Density : 1.058 g/cm3

Solubility(ies)

Water solubility : soluble

Partition coefficient: n-

octanol/water

No data available

Auto-ignition temperature : not determined Thermal decomposition No data available

Viscosity

: 5.2 mm2/s (20 °C) Viscosity, kinematic

SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity : Stable

Chemical stability : Stable under normal conditions.

Possibility of hazardous

reactions

: No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.

Conditions to avoid : Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight.

No data available

Incompatible materials : Acids

Oxidizing agents

Hazardous decomposition

: Carbon oxides

products

Nitrogen oxides (NOx)



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SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Potential Health Effects

Aggravated Medical

: None known.

Condition

Symptoms of Overexposure

: Effects are immediate and delayed.

Symptoms may include blistering, irritation, burns, and pain. Effects are dependent on exposure (dose, concentration,

contact time).

Carcinogenicity:

IARC No component of this product present at levels greater than or

equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed

human carcinogen by IARC.

ACGIH Confirmed animal carcinogen with unknown relevance to

humans

2-butoxyethanol 111-76-2

OSHA No component of this product present at levels greater than or

equal to 0.1% is on OSHA's list of regulated carcinogens.

NTP No component of this product present at levels greater than or

equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen

by NTP.

Acute toxicity

Product:

Acute oral toxicity : Acute toxicity estimate : > 5,000 mg/kg

Method: Calculation method

Acute inhalation toxicity : Acute toxicity estimate : > 200 mg/l

Exposure time: 4 h
Test atmosphere: vapour
Method: Calculation method

Acute dermal toxicity : Acute toxicity estimate : > 5,000 mg/kg

Method: Calculation method

Components:

2-butoxyethanol:

Acute oral toxicity : LD50 Oral Rat: 880 mg/kg

Acute dermal toxicity : LD50 Dermal Rabbit: 1,060 mg/kg

Sodium metasilicate (disodium salt):

Acute oral toxicity : LD50 Rat: 1,153 mg/kg

Skin corrosion/irritation

Product:



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Remarks: Extremely corrosive and destructive to tissue.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Product:

Remarks: May cause irreversible eye damage.

Respiratory or skin sensitisation

No data available

Germ cell mutagenicity

No data available

Carcinogenicity

No data available

Reproductive toxicity

No data available

STOT - single exposure

No data available

STOT - repeated exposure

Components:

tetrasodium ethylenediaminetetraacetate:

Exposure routes: Inhalation

Assessment: May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

Aspiration toxicity

No data available

Further information

Product:

Remarks: No data available

SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

No data available

Persistence and degradability

No data available

Bioaccumulative potential

Product:



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Partition coefficient: n-

octanol/water

: Remarks: No data available

Mobility in soil

No data available

Other adverse effects

No data available

Product:

Regulation 40 CFR Protection of Environment; Part 82 Protection of

Stratospheric Ozone - CAA Section 602 Class I

Substances

Remarks This product neither contains, nor was manufactured

with a Class I or Class II ODS as defined by the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 602 (40 CFR 82, Subpt. A, App.A

+ B).

Additional ecological

information

: No data available

SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal methods

Waste from residues : Do not dispose of waste into sewer.

Do not contaminate ponds, waterways or ditches with

chemical or used container.

Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

Contaminated packaging : Empty remaining contents.

Dispose of as unused product. Do not re-use empty containers.

SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Transportation Regulation: 49 CFR (USA):

NOT REGULATED AS DANGEROUS GOODS OR HAZARDOUS MATERIAL

Transportation Regulation: IMDG (Vessel):

NOT REGULATED AS DANGEROUS GOODS OR HAZARDOUS MATERIAL

Transportation Regulation: IATA (Cargo Air):

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Transportation Regulation: IATA (Passenger Air):

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Transportation Regulation: TDG (Canada):

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The product as delivered to the customer conforms to packaging requirements for shipment by road under US Department of Transportation (DOT) regulations. Additional transportation classifications noted above are for reference only, and not a certification or warranty of the suitability of the packaging for shipment under these alternative transport regulations.

SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

TSCA list : No substances are subject to a Significant New Use Rule.

No substances are subject to TSCA 12(b) export notification

requirements.

EPCRA - Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act

CERCLA Reportable Quantity

Components	CAS-No.	Component RQ	Calculated product RQ
		(lbs)	(lbs)
ethylbenzene	100-41-4	1000	*

^{*:} Calculated RQ exceeds reasonably attainable upper limit.

SARA 304 Extremely Hazardous Substances Reportable Quantity

This material does not contain any components with a section 304 EHS RQ.

SARA 311/312 Hazards : Skin corrosion or irritation

Serious eye damage or eye irritation

Specific target organ toxicity (single or repeated exposure)

SARA 302 : No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting

requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

SARA 313 : The following components are subject to reporting levels

established by SARA Title III, Section 313:

2-butoxyethanol 111-76-2 3.9593 %

California Prop. 65



WARNING: This product can expose you to chemicals including ethylbenzene, which is/are known to the State of California to cause cancer. For more information go to

www.P65Warnings.ca.gov.



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The components of this product are reported in the following inventories:

DSL All components of this product are on the Canadian DSL

TSCA On TSCA Inventory

For information on the country notification status for other regions please contact the manufacturer's regulatory group.

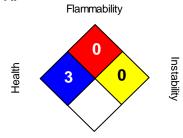
Inventory Acronym and Validity Area Legend:

TSCA (USA), DSL (Canada), NDSL (Canada)

SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

Further information

NFPA:



Special hazard.

HMIS III:

HEALTH	3*
FLAMMABILITY	0
PHYSICAL HAZARD	0

0 = not significant, 1 = Slight,

2 = Moderate, 3 = High

4 = Extreme, * = Chronic

OSHA - GHS Label Information:

Hazard pictograms





Signal w ord : Danger:

Hazard statements : Causes severe skin burns and eye damage. May cause damage to organs through

prolonged or repeated exposure if inhaled.

Precautionary statements

Prevention: Do not breathe dust/fume/ gas/mist/ vapours/spray. Wash skin thoroughly after handling. Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

Response: IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin w ith w ater/shower. IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor. IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously w ith water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor. Get medical advice/attention if you feel

unw ell. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

Storage: Store locked up.

Disposal: Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local regulation.



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