

WL-8

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## 1. PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION

WL-8: Valve lubricant

Manufactured by: Emergency Contact:

Swagelok Company 29495 FA Lennon Dr. Solon, Ohio 44139 Tel: (440) 349-5600 Chemtrec (800) 424-9300

## 2. INGREDIENTS

Ingredients	CAS#	WT%	PEL
Perfluorinated Polyether	69991-61-3	60-70	Not Available
Polytetrafluoroethylene	9002-84-0	30-40	Not Available

### 3. HEALTH HAZARD INFORMATION

• European Community Danger Group:..... None

• Special Hazards for man or environment: ...... None

• LD<sub>50</sub> Perfluorinated Polyether >40g/kg

# **Routes of Entry**

Skin Contact	Skin Absorption	Eye Contact	Inhalation	Ingestion
No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

• If inhaled (Overexposure): Unlikely to be inhaled; however if a person is affected by

fumes, remove person to fresh air. Seek medical attention.

After contact with skin (Overexposure):

Wash thoroughly with soap and water. If severe irritation

develops, seek medical attention.

• After contact with eyes: Rinse thoroughly with water for 15 minutes, seek medical

attention. Do not rub eyes.

If swallowed: Seek medical attention.

Medical information: Inhaling decomposition products can cause temporary

influenza-like symptoms which are described as

"polymer fever". Symptoms include fever, cough, and

malaise.



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## 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing agents: Carbon dioxide, foam, water, agent suitable for environment.

Not suitable for safety reasons: None known.

 Special dangers caused by substance preparation itself, by combustion

products or gases formed: May produce fluorocarbon fumes when heated above 554°F/290°C.

Additional information: None.

Autoignition	UEL	LEL	Sensitivities
Not Applicable	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Measures for protection of people: Eye and hand protection as needed to minimize excessive exposure.

• Measures for protection of the

environment: None required.

• Cleaning measures: Use absorbent material and suitable cleaner.

• Additional information: None.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

• Safety information: None.

• Information on protection from fire

or explosion: May decompose when heated above 554°F/290°C.

Additional information: Store in a cool, dry place for optimal product performance.

# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS AND PERSONAL PROTECTION

Precautionary measures to protect

employees: None required.Respiratory protection: None required.

Hand protection: Rubber gloves are recommended to minimize exposure.

• Eye protection: Safety glasses or goggles are recommended to minimize exposure.

• Skin protection: Wash hands after use.

# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance	Odor	pН	Density	Vapor Pressure
White Paste	Neutral	Not Applicable	$2.2 \text{ gm/cm}^3$	Not Applicable
<b>Boiling Point</b>	<b>Melting Point</b>	Flash Point	Flammability	<b>Explosive</b>
Not Applicable	>250 °C	Not Available	Not Applicable	Not Applicable



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## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Conditions to avoid: At temperatures above 554°F/290°C, hazardous fumes may be

generated.

Materials to avoid: Strong or non-aqueous alkali above 212°F/100°C, and Lewis acids above

212°F/100°C, and powdered aluminum or magnesium above 600°F.

• Hazardous decomposition products: See Sections 4 and 5.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute toxic properties: None known.
 Health effects: See Sections 4 and 5.

• Additional health effects: None known.

		Reproductive		Synergistic	
Sensitization	Teratogenicity	Toxicity	Mutagenicity	Products	Carcinogenicity
Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Listed ingredients
					are not suspected
					carcinogens
					according to NTP,
					IARC, and OSHA

#### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Mobility: Paste-like viscosity.Degradability: Not established.

Accumulation: No known adverse bioaccumulation or biomagnification effects.

• Short/Long term effects

on ecotoxicity: No known ecological effects.

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Appropriate methods of disposal: Unused product not considered a hazardous waste in the United States.

Dispose of in a responsible manner.

• European Community (EC)

considerations: Use appropriate waste codes based on ingredients.

# 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Transport precautions: Consult applicable regulations when transporting this product.

• Additional information: None.



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## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

• EC regulations: This product has been classified under CHIP-96 guidelines based on

chemical content.

• US/Canadian regulation listings: SARA 313 - NO, TSCA - YES, Canada's Controlled Products - No

EC Relevant risk: None

EC Relevant safety: S: 37/39 - Wear suitable gloves and eye/face protection.

S:20 - When using do not eat or drink.

Additional information: Consult country codes for specific requirements.

## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

• Further information contact: Your Swagelok Distributor or the contacts listed in Section 1 of this sheet.

Sources of information used to compile document:

Properties of individual ingredients were used to compile this document. This Material Safety Data Sheet was designed to give the distributors

and users of WL-8 information to handle and use the product in a

responsible manner.

Preparation Data				
Environmental and Safety Department	(440) 248-4600	April 2007		