

Jaychem Industries Limited
MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION:

Product Name:	healthE Chlorhexidine Concentrate 5% 500ml
UN Number:	NA
UN Proper Shipping Name:	NA
DG Class and Packing Group	NA
Hazchem Code:	NA
Product Type:	Liquid
Product Class:	Antibacterial
Manufacturer:	Jaychem Industries Ltd.
Address:	3 Kordel Place, East Tamaki, Auckland.
Telephone:	09 274 6647
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Use:	disinfectant

2. COMPOSITION/ INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS:

Proprietary:	No
Ingredient:	Deionised water
Ingredient Sequence Number:	01
Percent:	>50
CAS Number:	7732-18-5

Proprietary:	No
Ingredient:	Chlorhexidine Gluconate 20%
Ingredient Sequence Number:	02
Percent:	<25
CAS Number:	18472-51-0

3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION:

Hazard Classification:	Not applicable
Risk Phrase(s)	NA
Safety Phrase(s)	NA

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For advice contact the National Poisons Centre on 0800 POISON (0800 764 766) or a doctor immediately.

Inhalation: Remove patient to fresh air. If respiratory irritation, dizziness, nausea or headache occurs, seek immediate medical attention. Apply artificial respiration if breathing stops.

Ingestion: If swallowed, give large amounts of water to drink. Do not induce vomiting. Contact a doctor or National Poisons Centre.

Eye: Hold eyelids open and flush eye with gently running water for at least 15 minutes. Seek medical attention promptly if irritation persists.

5. STABILITY/REACTIVITY DATA:

Stability:	Yes
Cond to Avoid (Stability):	Avoid freezing
Materials to Avoid:	Avoid temperatures above 30 degrees celcius
Hazardous Decomposition Products:	No hazardous products are expected.

6. HEALTH HAZARD DATA:

Route of Entry-Inhalation:	NO
Route of Entry-Skin:	NO
Route of Entry-Ingestion	If swallowed seek medical attention immediately. Do NOT induce vomiting.
Health Hazard Acute and Chronic:	NO

7. CHEMWATCH HAZARD RATINGS:

Flammability:	Low
Toxicity:	Low
Body Contact:	Nil
Reactivity:	Nil
Chronic:	Min/Nil
Hazchem Code:	Nil

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healthE Chlorhexidine Concentrate 5%	Moderately irritating to mucous membranes. May cause nausea and vomiting. Aspiration may cause lung damage. May cause irritation and reddening to the skin. Vapour may irritate the eyes. Liquid or mist may irritate or damage the eyes. Long term exposure by swallowing or repeated inhalation may cause degenerative changes in the liver, kidneys, gastrointestinal tract and heart muscle.
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9. PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION/PROPERTIES

Appearance	Clear pink liquid
pH	6.5-7.5
Specific gravity	0.95-1.05

10. HEALTH HAZARD/ACUTE HEALTH EFFECTS

Swallowed:	Nausea and vomiting.
Eye:	The material may produce irritation to the eye causing pronounced inflammation. Immediately flush eyes with water for at least 15 minutes, while holding eyelid open. Seek medical attention at once.
Skin:	Safe for contact with skin

11. PERSONAL PROTECTION

Eye	Contact lenses pose a special hazard; soft lenses may absorb irritants and all lenses concentrate them.
Body/Hands/Feet	None

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12. STORAGE AND TRANSPORT

Suitable Container	Packaging as recommended by manufacturer. Check that containers are clearly labeled.
Storage Site Requirements	Observe manufacturer's storing and handling recommendations. Keep containers securely sealed. Store in a cool, dry and well-ventilated area. Store away from incompatible materials. Protect containers against physical damage. Check regularly for spills and leaks. Keep away from naked flame and avoid temperatures over 30 degrees Celsius.
Approved Handlers	Not required.

13. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Flash Point:	NA
Lower Explosive Limit:	NA
Upper Explosive Limit:	NA
Extinguishing Media:	Use media suitable for surrounding materials. Do not allow water to enter drains.
Unusual Fire and Explosive Hazards:	None Known

14. EXPOSURE CONTROL

Workplace Exposure	NA
Application in the workplace	Prevent exposure by using engineering controls, personal protective equipment and work practices that prevent skin contact.
Exposure standards outside the workplace	TELS and EELs are not set at this time
Engineering controls	Ensure that ventilation maintains dust levels below WES

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15. ENVIRONMENTAL INFORMATION

HealthE Chlorhexidine Concentrate 5%	Not Applicable
Disposal	Preferably dispose of by use. Otherwise dispose of product and packaging at an approved landfill or other approved facility. Do not use container for any other purpose.

16. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

As of the date of preparation of this document, the foregoing information is believed to be accurate and is provided in good faith. However, no warranty or representation with respect to such information is intended or given.