

# Germ Buster

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### SECTION 1: Product and company identification

Product name : Germ Buster  
Use of the substance/mixture : Premoistened wipe  
Product code : CC173  
Company : Competitive Choice Inc.  
PO Box 35743  
  
Houston, TX 77235-5743 - USA  
T (713) 838-1144  
  
Emergency number : Chemtrec: 800-255-3924

### SECTION 2: Hazards identification

#### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

##### GHS-US classification

Flam. Sol. 2 H228  
Eye Irrit. 2 H319  
STOT SE 3 H336

#### 2.2. Label elements

##### GHS-US labeling

Hazard pictograms (GHS-US) :



GHS02



GHS07

Signal word (GHS-US) : Warning  
Hazard statements (GHS-US) : Flammable solid  
Causes serious eye irritation  
May cause drowsiness or dizziness  
Precautionary statements (GHS-US) : Keep away from heat, open flames, sparks. - No smoking  
Ground/Bond container and receiving equipment  
Use explosion-proof electrical, lighting, ventilating equipment  
Avoid breathing mist, vapors  
Wash thoroughly after handling  
Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area  
Wear eye protection, protective clothing, protective gloves  
If inhaled: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing  
If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing  
Call a doctor, a POISON CENTER if you feel unwell  
If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention  
In case of fire: Use water to extinguish  
Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed  
Store locked up  
Dispose of contents/container to comply with local/regional/national/international regulations

#### 2.3. Other hazards

No additional information available

#### 2.4. Unknown acute toxicity (GHS US)

Not applicable

### SECTION 3: Composition/Information on ingredients

#### 3.1. Substances

Not applicable

Full text of H-phrases: see section 16

#### 3.2. Mixtures

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Name	Product identifier	%	GHS-US classification
ethanol	(CAS No) 64-17-5	60 - 100	Flam. Liq. 2, H225 Eye Irrit. 2A, H319 STOT SE 3, H336
Linear Alcohol Ethoxylate	(CAS No) 34398-01-1	0.5 - 1.5	Acute Tox. 4 (Oral), H302 Eye Dam. 1, H318

A specific chemical identity and/or percentage of composition has been withheld as a trade secret. Any concentration shown as a range is to protect confidentiality or is due to batch variation.

### SECTION 4: First aid measures

#### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

- First-aid measures general : If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible).
- First-aid measures after inhalation : Remove the victim into fresh air.
- First-aid measures after skin contact : Take off immediately all contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse. Rinse skin with water/shower.
- First-aid measures after eye contact : Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
- First-aid measures after ingestion : Rinse mouth with water. Do NOT induce vomiting.

#### 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

- Symptoms/effects : Not expected to present a significant hazard under anticipated conditions of normal use.
- Symptoms/effects after inhalation : None under normal use.
- Symptoms/effects after skin contact : Contact during a long period may cause slight irritation.
- Symptoms/effects after eye contact : Causes serious eye irritation.
- Symptoms/effects after ingestion : Gastrointestinal complaints.

#### 4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treat symptomatically.

### SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

#### 5.1. Extinguishing media

- Suitable extinguishing media : All extinguishing media allowed.

#### 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

- Fire hazard : Highly flammable liquid and vapor.
- Reactivity : Upon combustion: CO and CO2 are formed.

#### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

- Firefighting instructions : Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire. Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed containers. Take account of environmentally hazardous firefighting water.
- Protection during firefighting : Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.

### SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

#### 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

- General measures : Isolate from fire, if possible, without unnecessary risk.

##### 6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

- Protective equipment : Protective goggles. Gloves. Protective clothing.
- Emergency procedures : Evacuate unnecessary personnel. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Ventilate spillage area.

##### 6.1.2. For emergency responders

- Protective equipment : Equip cleanup crew with proper protection.
- Emergency procedures : Stop leak if safe to do so. Stop release. Ventilate area.

#### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Avoid release to the environment. Prevent entry to sewers and public waters.

#### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

- For containment : Contain released substance, pump into suitable containers.
- Methods for cleaning up : This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way, and as per local legislation.

#### 6.4. Reference to other sections

No additional information available

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### SECTION 7: Handling and storage

#### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

- Precautions for safe handling : Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking. Keep container tightly closed.
- Hygiene measures : Wash thoroughly after handling. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

#### 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

- Technical measures : Comply with applicable regulations.
- Storage conditions : Keep container closed when not in use.
- Incompatible products : Oxidizing agent.
- Information on mixed storage : KEEP SUBSTANCE AWAY FROM: oxidizing agents.
- Storage area : Meet the legal requirements. Store in a cool area. Store in a well-ventilated place.
- Special rules on packaging : meet the legal requirements.

### SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

#### 8.1. Control parameters

ethanol (64-17-5)		
ACGIH	ACGIH STEL (ppm)	1000 ppm
ACGIH	Remark (ACGIH)	URT irr
OSHA	OSHA PEL (TWA) (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	1900 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
OSHA	OSHA PEL (TWA) (ppm)	1000 ppm

#### 8.2. Exposure controls

- Personal protective equipment : Use appropriate personal protective equipment when risk assessment indicates this is necessary.

### SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

#### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

- Physical state : Solid
- Appearance : Premoistened wipe.
- Odor : Pleasant scent
- Odor threshold : No data available
- pH : No data available
- Melting point : No data available
- Freezing point : No data available
- Boiling point : > 95 °F
- Flash point : 70 °F Closed Cup - Tested using the liquid component of the towelette
- Relative evaporation rate (butyl acetate=1) : No data available
- Flammability (solid, gas) : No data available
- Explosion limits : No data available
- Explosive properties : No data available
- Oxidizing properties : No data available
- Vapor pressure : No data available
- Relative density : No data available
- Relative vapor density at 20 °C : No data available
- Specific gravity / density : 0.88 g/ml
- Solubility : Liquid component is soluble in water.
- Log Pow : No data available
- Log Kow : No data available
- Auto-ignition temperature : No data available
- Decomposition temperature : No data available
- Viscosity : No data available

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Viscosity, kinematic	: No data available
Viscosity, dynamic	: No data available
VOC content	: < 75 % - Tested using the liquid component of the towelette

### SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

#### 10.1. Reactivity

Upon combustion: CO and CO<sub>2</sub> are formed.

#### 10.2. Chemical stability

No additional information available

#### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Refer to section 10.1 on Reactivity.

#### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

No additional information available

#### 10.5. Incompatible materials

No additional information available

#### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced.

### SECTION 11: Toxicological information

#### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity : Not classified

##### Linear Alcohol Ethoxylate (34398-01-1)

LD50 oral rat	> 1400 mg/kg
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##### ethanol (64-17-5)

LD50 oral rat	10740 mg/kg body weight (Rat; OECD 401: Acute Oral Toxicity; Experimental value)
LD50 dermal rabbit	> 16000 mg/kg (Rabbit; Literature study)
ATE CLP (oral)	10740 mg/kg body weight

Skin corrosion/irritation	: Not classified
Serious eye damage/irritation	: Causes serious eye irritation.
Respiratory or skin sensitization	: Not classified
Germ cell mutagenicity	: Not classified
Carcinogenicity	: Not classified
Reproductive toxicity	: Not classified
Specific target organ toxicity – single exposure	: May cause drowsiness or dizziness.
Specific target organ toxicity – repeated exposure	: Not classified

Aspiration hazard	: Not classified
Symptoms/effects after inhalation	: None under normal use.
Symptoms/effects after skin contact	: Contact during a long period may cause slight irritation.
Symptoms/effects after eye contact	: Causes serious eye irritation.
Symptoms/effects after ingestion	: Gastrointestinal complaints.

### SECTION 12: Ecological information

#### 12.1. Toxicity

##### Linear Alcohol Ethoxylate (34398-01-1)

LC50 fish 1	< 10 mg/l
EC50 Daphnia 1	< 10 mg/l
ErC50 (algae)	< 10 mg/l

##### ethanol (64-17-5)

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ethanol (64-17-5)	
LC50 fish 1	14200 mg/l (LC50; US EPA; 96 h; Pimephales promelas; Flow-through system; Fresh water; Experimental value)

### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

ethanol (64-17-5)	
Persistence and degradability	Readily biodegradable in water. Biodegradable in the soil. Highly mobile in soil.
Biochemical oxygen demand (BOD)	0.8 - 0.967 g O <sub>2</sub> /g substance
Chemical oxygen demand (COD)	1.7 g O <sub>2</sub> /g substance
ThOD	2.1 g O <sub>2</sub> /g substance
BOD (% of ThOD)	0.43

### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

ethanol (64-17-5)	
BCF fish 1	1 (BCF; Other; 72 h; Cyprinus carpio; Static system; Fresh water; Read-across)
Log Pow	-0.31 (Experimental value)
Bioaccumulative potential	Low potential for bioaccumulation (Log Kow < 4).

## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

Waste treatment methods	: Do not flush wipes. Dispose of contents/container to comply with local/regional/national/international regulations.
Product/Packaging disposal recommendations	: Dispose in a safe manner in accordance with local/national regulations.

## SECTION 14: Transport information

### Department of Transportation (DOT)

Transport document description	: UN3175 Solids containing flammable liquid, n.o.s. (Ethanol), 4.1, II
UN-No.(DOT)	: UN3175
Proper Shipping Name (DOT)	: Solids containing flammable liquid, n.o.s.
Class (DOT)	: 4.1 - Class 4.1 - Flammable Solid 49 CFR 173.124
Hazard labels (DOT)	: 4.1 - Flammable solid



Packing group (DOT)	: II - Medium Danger
DOT Packaging Non Bulk (49 CFR 173.xxx)	: 212
DOT Packaging Bulk (49 CFR 173.xxx)	: 240
DOT Symbols	: G - Identifies PSN requiring a technical name
DOT Special Provisions (49 CFR 172.102)	: 47,IB6,IP2,T3,TP33
DOT Packaging Exceptions (49 CFR 173.xxx)	: 151
DOT Quantity Limitations Passenger aircraft/rail (49 CFR 173.27)	: 15 kg
DOT Quantity Limitations Cargo aircraft only (49 CFR 175.75)	: 50 kg
DOT Vessel Stowage Location	: B

### Additional information

Emergency Response Guide (ERG) Number	: 133
Other information	: This product may be eligible to be shipped as a Limited Quantity or Consumer Commodity ORM-D utilizing the exception found at 49 CFR 173.151.

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### ADR

No additional information available

### Transport by sea

No additional information available

### Air transport

No additional information available

## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

All components of this product are listed, or excluded from listing, on the United States Environmental Protection Agency Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) inventory.

This product or mixture does not contain a toxic chemical or chemicals in excess of the applicable de minimis concentration as specified in 40 CFR §372.38(a) 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.

### Linear Alcohol Ethoxylate (34398-01-1)

SARA Section 311/312 Hazard Classes	Immediate (acute) health hazard
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California Proposition 65 - This product does not contain substances known to the state of California to cause cancer and/or reproductive toxicity.

## SECTION 16: Other information

Training advice : Normal use of this product shall imply use in accordance with the instructions on the packaging.

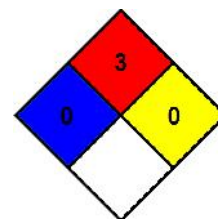
Full text of H-phrases:

H225	Highly flammable liquid and vapor
H228	Flammable solid
H302	Harmful if swallowed
H318	Causes serious eye damage
H319	Causes serious eye irritation
H336	May cause drowsiness or dizziness

NFPA health hazard : 0 - Materials that, under emergency conditions, would offer no hazard beyond that of ordinary combustible materials.

NFPA fire hazard : 3 - Liquids and solids (including finely divided suspended solids) that can be ignited under almost all ambient temperature conditions.

NFPA reactivity : 0 - Material that in themselves are normally stable, even under fire conditions.



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