

Product Code: 26004
Date: 19-Jun-08

SAFETY DATA SHEET
in accordance with regulation 1907/2006



1 - Identification of the Substance/Preparation and the Company/Undertaking

Trade Name **RITA CETEARYL ALCOHOL 30/70 (Cetostearyl Alcohol NF)**
Chemical Name **Cetearyl Alcohol**
IUPAC Name **Hexadecan-1-ol; Octadecan-1-ol**

CAS Number(s) **8005-44-5, 67762-27-0**
EINECS Number(s) **267-008-6**
Product Type **Mixture**
Use of the Substance **Cosmetic**
Company Name **RITA CORPORATION**
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2 - Hazard Identification

Hazard Identification This product does not contain any hazardous ingredients.

3 - Composition/ Information on Ingredients

Hazardous Ingredient(s)	Amount	Risk Phrases	EU Number
None	None	None	

4 - First Aid Measures

Skin Contact Remove contaminated clothing and immediately flush skin with plenty of water.
Ingestion Seek medical attention immediately.
Eye Contact Rinse immediately with water for at least 10 min, keeping eyelids raised.
Inhalation Remove victim to fresh air.

5 - Fire Fighting Measures

Extinguishing Media Water fog, foam, carbon dioxide, dry chemical.
Risks Arising from Combustion It may emit noxious fumes.
Protective Equipment Use protection for respiratory tract.

6 - Accidental release measures

Personal precautions Use gloves and goggles.
Environmental precautions Organic component of the product is biodegradable.
Methods for cleaning Contain spilled material. Transfer to secure container.

7 - Handling and Storage

Handling No special precautions necessary.
Storage Keep containers closed in order to maintain the performance of the product, store at room temperature.

8 - Exposure Controls

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Engineering measures
Personal protection equipment
Control Parameters
Eye protection
Hand protection
Hygiene measures

Give adequate ventilation to the premises where the product is stored and/or handled.
Not needed for normal use.
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Goggles
Gloves
Use good personal hygiene, washing exposed areas of skin several times daily and laundering contaminated clothing before re-use.

9 - Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance	White to off-white flakes.
Odour	Characteristic
pH	N/A
Boiling point	N/A
Melting point	48 - 55°C
Flashpoint	>200°F (PMCC)
Relative density	0.81
Solubility	Insoluble

10 - Stability and Reactivity

Conditions to avoid	Stable under normal conditions.
Materials to avoid	Strong oxidizing agents, strong mineral acids.
Hazardous decomposition products	Stable under normal conditions, may emit noxious fumes of CO.

11 - Toxicological Information

Acute toxicity	Not a health hazard.
Excessive exposure may effect human health as follows:	
Skin contact	Not a skin irritant.
Eye contact	Not an eye irritant.
Inhalation/Ingestion	N/A

12 - Ecological information

According to current knowledge no negative ecological reactions are to be expected.

13 - Disposal Considerations

If possible recover the product, otherwise dispose of in authorized landfill or incinerate in accordance with local regulations.

14 - Transport Information

DOT not regulated. Non-hazardous material.

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15 - Regulatory Information

TSCA: Listed or exempt; AICS: Listed or exempt; DSL: Listed or exempt; EINECS: Listed or exempt. This product is not considered dangerous.

16 - Other Information

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