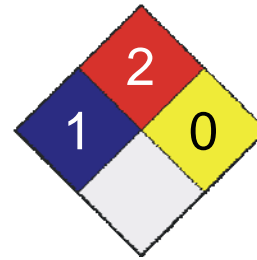


1. Product and Company Identification

Product Name	PDI Hygea Obstetrical Towelettes	MSDS No. 0061A
CAS #	Mixture	
Product use	Skin cleanser	
Manufacturer	Professional Disposables International, Inc. Two Nice-Pak Park Orangeburg, NY 10962-1376 or Distributed by: Professional Disposables International Ltd, Ontario CA Phone (USA) 1-845-365-1700 (M-F 8am - 5pm) Phone (CANADA) 1-800-263-7067	

LEGEND HMIS/NFPA	
Severe	4
Serious	3
Moderate	2
Slight	1
Minimal	0

Health	* 1
Flammability	2
Physical Hazard	0
Personal Protection	



2. Hazards Identification

Emergency overview	CAUTION Irritating to eyes. Contains a potential mutagen.
Potential short term health effects	
Routes of exposure	Eye, Skin contact, Skin absorption, Inhalation, Ingestion.
Eyes	Causes irritation.
Skin	In case of skin irritation, discontinue use of the product.
Inhalation	Not a normal route of exposure. May cause respiratory tract irritation.
Ingestion	Not a normal route of exposure. May cause stomach distress, nausea or vomiting.
Target organs	Blood. Eyes. Liver. Respiratory system. Skin.
Chronic effects	Prolonged or repeated exposure can cause drying, defatting and dermatitis.
Signs and symptoms	Symptoms may include redness, edema, drying, defatting and cracking of the skin. Symptoms of overexposure may be headache, dizziness, tiredness, nausea and vomiting.

3. Composition / Information on Ingredients

Ingredient(s)	CAS #	Percent
Alcohol	64-17-5	1 - 5

4. First Aid Measures

First aid procedures	
Eye contact	Flush with cool water. Remove contact lenses, if applicable, and continue flushing. Obtain medical attention if irritation persists.
Skin contact	In case of skin irritation, discontinue use of product.
Inhalation	Not a normal route of exposure. If symptoms develop move victim to fresh air. If symptoms persist, obtain medical attention.
Ingestion	Not a normal route of exposure. Do not induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth if victim is unconscious, or is convulsing. Obtain medical attention.
Notes to physician	Symptoms may be delayed.

General advice

If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible). Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to protect themselves. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Avoid contact with eyes. Keep out of reach of children.

5. Fire Fighting Measures

Flammable properties	Not flammable per ICAO Test Method 1.1.2.1
Extinguishing media	
Suitable extinguishing media	Dry chemical. Alcohol foam. Carbon dioxide.
Unsuitable extinguishing media	Not available
Protection of firefighters	
Specific hazards arising from the chemical	Not available
Protective equipment for firefighters	Firefighters should wear full protective clothing including self contained breathing apparatus.
Hazardous combustion products	May include and are not limited to: Oxides of carbon. Oxides of nitrogen. Hydrogen chloride.
Explosion data	
Sensitivity to mechanical impact	Not available
Sensitivity to static discharge	Not available

6. Accidental Release Measures

Personal precautions	Keep unnecessary personnel away. Do not touch or walk through spilled material. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak.
Methods for containment	Prevent entry into waterways, sewers, basements or confined areas.
Methods for cleaning up	Pick up and discard towel.

7. Handling and Storage

Handling	Use good industrial hygiene practices in handling this material.
Storage	Keep out of reach of children. Store in a closed container away from incompatible materials.

8. Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

Exposure limits	
Ingredient(s)	Exposure Limits
Alcohol	ACGIH-TLV TWA: 1000 ppm OSHA-PEL TWA: 1000 ppm
Engineering controls	General ventilation normally adequate.
Personal protective equipment	
Eye / face protection	Follow standard industrial hygiene practices.
Hand protection	Not required.
Skin and body protection	As required by employer code.
Respiratory protection	Where exposure guideline levels may be exceeded, use an approved NIOSH respirator.
General hygiene considerations	Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. When using do not eat or drink.

9. Physical & Chemical Properties

Appearance	Liquid saturated on wipe
Color	clear liquid
Form	Liquid saturated on wipe.

Odor	Not available
Odor threshold	Not available
Physical state	Solid
pH	Not available
Melting point	Not available
Freezing point	Not available
Boiling point	Not available
Flash point	43.33 °C (110 °F)
Evaporation rate	Not available
Flammability limits in air, lower, % by volume	Not available
Flammability limits in air, upper, % by volume	Not available
Vapor pressure	Not available
Vapor density	Not available
Specific gravity	Not available
Octanol/water coefficient	Not available
Solubility (H2O)	Pad is not soluble
Auto-ignition temperature	Not available
VOC (Weight %)	Not available
Softening point	Not available
Viscosity	Not available
Percent volatile	Not available

10. Chemical Stability & Reactivity Information

Chemical stability	Stable under recommended storage conditions.
Conditions to avoid	Do not mix with other chemicals.
Incompatible materials	Oxidizers. Acids. Caustics.
Hazardous decomposition products	May include and are not limited to: Oxides of carbon. Oxides of nitrogen. Hydrogen chloride.
Possibility of hazardous reactions	Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

11. Toxicological Information

Component analysis - LC50

Ingredient(s)	LC50
Alcohol	31623 ppm rat

Component analysis - Oral LD50

Ingredient(s)	LD50
Alcohol	3450 mg/kg mouse; 7060 mg/kg rat

Effects of acute exposure

Eye	Causes irritation.
Skin	In case of skin irritation, discontinue use of the product.
Inhalation	Not a normal route of exposure. May cause respiratory tract irritation.
Ingestion	Not a normal route of exposure. May cause stomach distress, nausea or vomiting.
Sensitization	Non-hazardous by WHMIS/OSHA criteria.
Chronic effects	Non-hazardous by WHMIS/OSHA criteria.
Carcinogenicity	See below.

ACGIH - Threshold Limit Values - Carcinogens

Alcohol	64-17-5	A4 - Not Classifiable as a Human Carcinogen
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IARC - Group 1 (Carcinogenic to Humans)

Alcohol	64-17-5	Monograph 96 [2007] (in alcoholic beverages)
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Mutagenicity	Mutagenic effects were observed in somatic and reproductive cells of live animals (rats and mice) exposed to high oral doses of ethanol.
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Reproductive effects

Non-hazardous by WHMIS/OSHA criteria.

Teratogenicity

Animal studies demonstrate that ingestion of ethanol can cause embryotoxicity, teratogenicity and fetotoxicity in the presence of maternal toxicity.

12. Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity

Components of this product have been identified as having potential environmental concerns.

Ecotoxicity - Freshwater Fish Species Data

Alcohol	64-17-5	96 Hr LC50 Oncorhynchus mykiss: 12900 mg/L [flow-through] (30 days old); 96 Hr LC50 Pimephales promelas: 14.2 mg/L
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Ecotoxicity - Microtox Data

Alcohol	64-17-5	5 Min EC50 Photobacterium phosphoreum: 35470 mg/L; 30 min EC50 Photobacterium phosphoreum: 34634 mg/L
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Ecotoxicity - Water Flea Data

Alcohol	64-17-5	48 Hr EC50 Daphnia magna: 9268 mg/L; 24 Hr EC50 Daphnia magna: 10800 mg/L
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Environmental effects

Not available

Aquatic toxicity

Not available

Persistence / degradability

Not available

Bioaccumulation / accumulation

Not available

Partition coefficient

Not available

Mobility in environmental media

Not available

Chemical fate information

Not available

Other adverse effects

Not available

13. Disposal Considerations

Waste codes

Not available

Disposal instructions

Discard after single use.
Review federal, state/provincial, and local government requirements prior to disposal.
Discard with solid waste. Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.

Waste from residues / unused products

Not available

Contaminated packaging

Not available

14. Transport Information

U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT)

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

Transportation of Dangerous Goods (TDG - Canada)

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

15. Regulatory Information

Canadian federal regulations

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the MSDS contains all the information required by the Controlled Products Regulations.

Canada - WHMIS - Ingredient Disclosure List

Alcohol	64-17-5	0.1 %
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US Federal regulations

This product is a "Hazardous Chemical" as defined by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200.
All components are on the U.S. EPA TSCA Inventory List.

Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA)

29 CFR 1910.1200 hazardous chemical	Yes
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CERCLA (Superfund) reportable quantity

Benzene: 10.0000
Benzene, methyl-: 1000.0000
Benzene, (chloromethyl)-: 100.0000
Propylene oxide: 100.0000
Sodium hydroxide: 1000.0000

Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)

Hazard categories Immediate Hazard - Yes
Delayed Hazard - Yes
Fire Hazard - Yes
Pressure Hazard - No
Reactivity Hazard - No

Section 302 extremely hazardous substance No

Section 311 hazardous chemical Yes

Clean Air Act (CAA) Not available

Clean Water Act (CWA) Not available

Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA) Not available

Drug Enforcement Agency (DEA) Not available

Food and Drug Administration (FDA) Not available

WHMIS classification Exempt - Notified cosmetic under the Food & Drugs Act

State regulations WARNING: This product contains a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer and birth defects or other reproductive harm.

U.S. - California - 8 CCR Section 339 - Director's List of Hazardous Substances

Alcohol 64-17-5 Present (refers to solutions greater than or equal to 25% which are not beverage alcohols)

U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Developmental Toxicity

Alcohol 64-17-5 developmental toxicity, initial date 10/1/87 (when in alcoholic beverages)

U.S. - Massachusetts - Right To Know List

Alcohol 64-17-5 Teratogen

U.S. - Minnesota - Hazardous Substance List

Alcohol 64-17-5 Present

U.S. - New Jersey - Right to Know Hazardous Substance List

Alcohol 64-17-5 sn 0844

U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) List

Alcohol 64-17-5 Present

U.S. - Rhode Island - Hazardous Substance List

Alcohol 64-17-5 Toxic; Flammable

Inventory name

Country(s) or region	Inventory name	On inventory (yes/no)*
Canada	Domestic Substances List (DSL)	Yes
Canada	Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)	No
United States & Puerto Rico	Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory	Yes

A "Yes" indicates that all components of this product comply with the inventory requirements administered by the governing country(s)

16. Other Information

Disclaimer

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Recommended use

For external use only.

Further information

Caution: Avoid contact with eyes.

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