



Safety Data Sheet

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This Safety Data Sheet has been prepared in accordance with the Preparation of Safety Data Sheets for Hazardous Chemicals Code of Practice (Safe Work Australia, December 2011)

SECTION 1: Identification

1.1. Product identifier

3M™ Novec™ Contact Cleaner

Product Identification Numbers

98-0212-3293-3 98-0212-3459-0

1.2. Recommended use and restrictions on use

Recommended use

Contact cleaner., Industrial use.

For Industrial or Professional use only.

Restrictions on use

For Industrial Use only. Not intended for consumer sale or use. Not intended for use as a medical device or drug.

1.3. Supplier's details

Address: 3M Australia - Building A, 1 Rivett Road, North Ryde NSW 2113
Telephone: 136 136
E Mail: productinfo.au@mmm.com
Website: www.3m.com.au

1.4. Emergency telephone number

EMERGENCY: 1800 097 146 (Australia only)

SECTION 2: Hazard identification

This product is classified as a hazardous chemical according to the Model Work Health and Safety Regulations, 2011, in accordance with applicable State and Territory legislation.

Refer to Section 14 of this Safety Data Sheets for product Dangerous Goods Classification.

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Non-flammable Aerosol: Category 3.

Gas under pressure: Liquefied gas.

2.2. Label elements

The label elements below were prepared in accordance with the Code of Practice on Preparation of Safety Data Sheets for Hazardous Chemicals (Safe Work Australia, December 2011). This information may be different from the actual product label.

Signal word

Warning

Symbols

Gas cylinder |

Pictograms**Hazard statements**

H229

Pressurised container: may burst if heated.

H280

Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated.

Precautionary statements**Prevention:**

P210

Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources.
No smoking.

P251

Do not pierce or burn, even after use.

Storage:

P410 + P412

Protect from sunlight. Do not expose to temperatures exceeding 50°C.

2.3. Other assigned/identified product hazards

3M Intentional misuse by deliberately concentrating and inhaling contents can be harmful or fatal.

2.4. Other hazards which do not result in classification

None known.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

This material is a mixture.

Ingredient	CAS Nbr	% by Weight
Methyl nonafluoroisobutyl ether	163702-08-7	53.35 - 87.3
Methyl nonafluorobutyl ether	163702-07-6	9.7 - 43.65
Carbon Dioxide	124-38-9	1 - 5

SECTION 4: First aid measures**4.1. Description of first aid measures****Inhalation**

No need for first aid is anticipated.

Skin contact

No need for first aid is anticipated.

Eye contact

No need for first aid is anticipated.

If swallowed

No need for first aid is anticipated.

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

No critical symptoms or effects. See Section 11.1, information on toxicological effects.

4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment required

Not applicable

SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures

5.1. Suitable extinguishing media

Use a fire fighting agent suitable for the surrounding fire.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Closed containers exposed to heat from fire may build pressure and explode.

5.3. Special protective actions for fire-fighters

Wear full protective clothing, including helmet, self-contained, positive pressure or pressure demand breathing apparatus, bunker coat and pants, bands around arms, waist and legs, face mask, and protective covering for exposed areas of the head.

Hazchem Code: 2YE

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking. Ventilate the area with fresh air. Refer to other sections of this SDS for information regarding physical and health hazards, respiratory protection, ventilation, and personal protective equipment.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Avoid release to the environment.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

If possible, seal leaking container. Place leaking containers in a well-ventilated area, preferably an operating exhaust hood, or if necessary outdoors on an impermeable surface until appropriate packaging for the leaking container or its contents is available. Contain spill. Working from around the edges of the spill inward, cover with bentonite, vermiculite, or commercially available inorganic absorbent material. Mix in sufficient absorbent until it appears dry. Remember, adding an absorbent material does not remove a physical, health, or environmental hazard. Collect as much of the spilled material as possible. Place in a closed container approved for transportation by appropriate authorities. Clean up residue with an appropriate solvent selected by a qualified and authorised person. Ventilate the area with fresh air. Read and follow safety precautions on the solvent label and Safety Data Sheet. Seal the container. Dispose of collected material as soon as possible in accordance with applicable local/regional/national/international regulations.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Avoid inhalation of thermal decomposition products. For industrial/occupational use only. Not for consumer sale or use. Store work clothes separately from other clothing, food and tobacco products. Do not pierce or burn, even after use. No smoking: Smoking while using this product can result in contamination of the tobacco and/or smoke and lead to the formation of hazardous decomposition products.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage including any incompatibilities

Store in a well-ventilated place. Protect from sunlight. Do not expose to temperatures exceeding 50°C/122°F. Store away from strong bases.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**8.1 Control parameters****Occupational exposure limits**

If a component is disclosed in section 3 but does not appear in the table below, an occupational exposure limit is not available for the component.

Ingredient	CAS Nbr	Agency	Limit type	Additional comments
Carbon Dioxide	124-38-9	ACGIH	TWA:5000 ppm;STEL:30000 ppm	
Carbon Dioxide	124-38-9	Australia OELs	TWA(8 hours): 9000 mg/m3 (5000 ppm); STEL(15 minutes): 54000 mg/m3 (30000 ppm)	
Methyl nonafluorobutyl ether	163702-07-6	AIHA	TWA:750 ppm	
Methyl nonafluoroisobutyl ether	163702-08-7	AIHA	TWA:750 ppm	

ACGIH : American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

AIHA : American Industrial Hygiene Association

Australia OELs : Australia. Adopted National Exposure Standards for Atmospheric Contaminants in the Occupational Environment

CMRG : Chemical Manufacturer's Recommended Guidelines

TWA: Time-Weighted-Average

STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit

CEIL: Ceiling

Sen: Sensitiser

Sk: Absorption through the skin may be a significant source of exposure.

8.2. Exposure controls**8.2.1. Engineering controls**

No engineering controls required.

8.2.2. Personal protective equipment (PPE)**Eye/face protection**

Select and use eye/face protection to prevent contact based on the results of an exposure assessment. The following eye/face protection(s) are recommended:

Full face shield.

Indirect vented goggles.

Select and use eye protection in accordance with AS/NZS 1336. Eye protection should comply with the performance specifications of AS/NZS 1337.

Skin/hand protection

No chemical protective gloves are required.

Respiratory protection

None required.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

Physical state	Liquid.
Specific Physical Form:	Aerosol
Colour	Colourless
Odour	Slight Ether
Odour threshold	<i>No data available.</i>
pH	<i>Not applicable.</i>
Melting point/Freezing point	<i>Not applicable.</i>
Boiling point/Initial boiling point/Boiling range	61 °C
Flash point	No flash point
Evaporation rate	49 [Ref Std:BUOAC=1]
Flammability (solid, gas)	Not applicable.
Flammable Limits(LEL)	<i>No data available.</i>
Flammable Limits(UEL)	<i>No data available.</i>
Vapour pressure	26,664.4 Pa [@ 25 °C] [Details:Internal Pressure for Aerosol Can is approximately 75 psig @25C]
Vapor Density and/or Relative Vapor Density	8.6 [Ref Std:AIR=1]
Density	1.52 g/ml
Relative density	1.52 [@ 20 °C] [Ref Std:WATER=1]
Water solubility	< 12 ppm
Solubility- non-water	<i>No data available.</i>
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	<i>No data available.</i>
Autoignition temperature	405 °C [Details:per ASTM E659-84 method]
Decomposition temperature	<i>No data available.</i>
Viscosity/Kinematic Viscosity	0.6 mPa-s
Volatile organic compounds (VOC)	<i>No data available.</i>
Percent volatile	100 %
VOC less H2O & exempt solvents	<i>No data available.</i>
Molecular weight	<i>No data available.</i>

Nanoparticles

This material does not contain nanoparticles.

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**10.1 Reactivity**

This material may be reactive with certain agents under certain conditions - see the remaining headings in this section

10.2 Chemical stability

Stable.

10.3. Conditions to avoid

None known.

10.4. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous polymerisation will not occur.

10.5 Incompatible materials

Strong bases.

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products**Substance**

Hydrogen Fluoride

Perfluoroisobutylene (PFIB).

Condition

At elevated temperatures. - extreme condition of heat

At elevated temperatures. - extreme condition of heat

If the product is exposed to extreme conditions of heat from misuse or equipment failure, toxic decomposition products that include hydrogen fluoride and perfluoroisobutylene can occur.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

The information below may not be consistent with the material classification in Section 2 if specific ingredient classifications are mandated by a competent authority. In addition, toxicological data on ingredients may not be reflected in the material classification and/or the signs and symptoms of exposure, because an ingredient may be present below the threshold for labelling, an ingredient may not be available for exposure, or the data may not be relevant to the material as a whole.

11.1 Information on Toxicological effects**Signs and Symptoms of Exposure**

Based on test data and/or information on the components, this material may produce the following health effects:

Inhalation

No known health effects.

Skin contact

Contact with the skin during product use is not expected to result in significant irritation.

Eye contact

Contact with the eyes during product use is not expected to result in significant irritation.

Ingestion

No known health effects.

Toxicological Data

If a component is disclosed in section 3 but does not appear in a table below, either no data are available for that endpoint or the data are not sufficient for classification.

Acute Toxicity

Name	Route	Species	Value
Overall product	Ingestion		No data available; calculated ATE >5,000 mg/kg
Methyl nonafluoroisobutyl ether	Dermal		LD50 estimated to be > 5,000 mg/kg
Methyl nonafluoroisobutyl ether	Inhalation-Vapour (4 hours)	Rat	LC50 > 1,000 mg/l
Methyl nonafluoroisobutyl ether	Ingestion	Rat	LD50 > 5,000 mg/kg
Methyl nonafluorobutyl ether	Dermal		LD50 estimated to be > 5,000 mg/kg
Methyl nonafluorobutyl ether	Inhalation-Vapour (4 hours)	Rat	LC50 > 1,000 mg/l
Methyl nonafluorobutyl ether	Ingestion	Rat	LD50 > 5,000 mg/kg
Carbon Dioxide	Inhalation-Gas (4 hours)	Rat	LC50 > 53,000 ppm

ATE = acute toxicity estimate

Skin Corrosion/Irritation

Name	Species	Value
Methyl nonafluoroisobutyl ether	Rabbit	No significant irritation
Methyl nonafluorobutyl ether	Rabbit	No significant irritation

Serious Eye Damage/Irritation

Name	Species	Value
Methyl nonafluoroisobutyl ether	Rabbit	No significant irritation
Methyl nonafluorobutyl ether	Rabbit	No significant irritation

Skin Sensitisation

Name	Species	Value
Methyl nonafluoroisobutyl ether	Guinea pig	Not classified
Methyl nonafluorobutyl ether	Guinea pig	Not classified

Respiratory Sensitisation

For the component/components, either no data are currently available or the data are not sufficient for classification.

Germ Cell Mutagenicity

Name	Route	Value
Methyl nonafluoroisobutyl ether	In Vitro	Not mutagenic
Methyl nonafluoroisobutyl ether	In vivo	Not mutagenic
Methyl nonafluorobutyl ether	In Vitro	Not mutagenic
Methyl nonafluorobutyl ether	In vivo	Not mutagenic

Carcinogenicity

For the component/components, either no data are currently available or the data are not sufficient for classification.

Reproductive Toxicity**Reproductive and/or Developmental Effects**

Name	Route	Value	Species	Test result	Exposure Duration
Methyl nonafluoroisobutyl ether	Inhalation	Not classified for female reproduction	Rat	NOAEL 129 mg/l	1 generation
Methyl nonafluoroisobutyl ether	Inhalation	Not classified for male reproduction	Rat	NOAEL 129 mg/l	1 generation
Methyl nonafluoroisobutyl ether	Inhalation	Not classified for development	Rat	NOAEL 307 mg/l	during gestation
Methyl nonafluorobutyl ether	Inhalation	Not classified for female reproduction	Rat	NOAEL 129 mg/l	1 generation
Methyl nonafluorobutyl ether	Inhalation	Not classified for male reproduction	Rat	NOAEL 129 mg/l	1 generation
Methyl nonafluorobutyl ether	Inhalation	Not classified for development	Rat	NOAEL 307 mg/l	during gestation
Carbon Dioxide	Inhalation	Not classified for male reproduction	Mouse	LOAEL 350,000 ppm	not available
Carbon Dioxide	Inhalation	Not classified for development	Rat	LOAEL 60,000 ppm	24 hours

Target Organ(s)

Specific Target Organ Toxicity - single exposure

Name	Route	Target Organ(s)	Value	Species	Test result	Exposure Duration
Methyl nonafluoroisobutyl ether	Inhalation	nervous system	Not classified	Dog	LOAEL 913 mg/l	10 minutes
Methyl nonafluoroisobutyl ether	Inhalation	cardiac sensitization	Not classified	Dog	NOAEL 913 mg/l	10 minutes
Methyl nonafluorobutyl ether	Inhalation	nervous system	Not classified	Dog	LOAEL 913 mg/l	10 minutes
Methyl nonafluorobutyl ether	Inhalation	cardiac sensitization	Not classified	Dog	NOAEL 913 mg/l	10 minutes

Specific Target Organ Toxicity - repeated exposure

Name	Route	Target Organ(s)	Value	Species	Test result	Exposure Duration
Methyl nonafluoroisobutyl ether	Inhalation	liver	Not classified	Rat	NOAEL 155 mg/l	13 weeks
Methyl nonafluoroisobutyl ether	Inhalation	bone, teeth, nails, and/or hair	Not classified	Rat	NOAEL 129 mg/l	11 weeks
Methyl nonafluoroisobutyl ether	Inhalation	heart skin endocrine system gastrointestinal tract hematopoietic system immune system muscles nervous system eyes kidney and/or bladder respiratory system	Not classified	Rat	NOAEL 155 mg/l	13 weeks
Methyl nonafluoroisobutyl ether	Ingestion	endocrine system liver heart hematopoietic system immune system nervous system eyes kidney and/or bladder respiratory system	Not classified	Rat	NOAEL 1,000 mg/kg/day	28 days
Methyl nonafluorobutyl ether	Inhalation	liver	Not classified	Rat	NOAEL 155 mg/l	13 weeks
Methyl nonafluorobutyl ether	Inhalation	bone, teeth, nails, and/or hair	Not classified	Rat	NOAEL 129 mg/l	11 weeks
Methyl nonafluorobutyl ether	Inhalation	heart skin endocrine	Not classified	Rat	NOAEL 155 mg/l	13 weeks

yl ether		system gastrointestinal tract hematopoietic system immune system muscles nervous system eyes kidney and/or bladder respiratory system				
Methyl nonafluorobutyl ether	Ingestion	endocrine system liver heart hematopoietic system immune system nervous system eyes kidney and/or bladder respiratory system	Not classified	Rat	NOAEL 1,000 mg/kg/day	28 days
Carbon Dioxide	Inhalation	heart bone, teeth, nails, and/or hair liver nervous system kidney and/or bladder respiratory system	Not classified	Rat	LOAEL 60,000 ppm	166 days

Aspiration Hazard

For the component/components, either no data are currently available or the data are not sufficient for classification.

Exposure Levels

Refer Section 8.1 **Control Parameters** of this Safety Data Sheet.

Interactive Effects

Not determined.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

The information below may not be consistent with the material classification in Section 2 if specific ingredient classifications are mandated by a competent authority. Additional information leading to material classification in Section 2 is available upon request. In addition, environmental fate and effects data on ingredients may not be reflected in this section because an ingredient is present below the threshold for labelling, an ingredient is not expected to be available for exposure, or the data is considered not relevant to the material as a whole.

12.1. Toxicity**Acute aquatic hazard:**

Not acutely toxic to aquatic life by GHS criteria.

Chronic aquatic hazard:

Not chronically toxic to aquatic life by GHS criteria.

No product test data available.

Material	CAS Number	Organism	Type	Exposure	Test endpoint	Test result
Methyl nonafluoroisobutyl ether	163702-08-7	Fathead minnow	Endpoint not reached	96 hours	LC50	>100 mg/l
Methyl nonafluoroisobutyl ether	163702-08-7	Green Algae	Estimated	72 hours	EC50	>100 mg/l
Methyl nonafluoroisobutyl ether	163702-08-7	Water flea	Estimated	48 hours	EC50	>100 mg/l
Methyl nonafluoroisobutyl ether	163702-08-7	Green Algae	Estimated	72 hours	NOEC	100 mg/l
Methyl nonafluorobutyl ether	163702-07-6	Fathead minnow	Endpoint not reached	96 hours	LC50	>100 mg/l
Methyl nonafluorobutyl ether	163702-07-6	Green Algae	Estimated	72 hours	EC50	>100 mg/l
Methyl nonafluorobutyl ether	163702-07-6	Water flea	Estimated	48 hours	EC50	>100 mg/l
Methyl nonafluorobutyl ether	163702-07-6	Green Algae	Estimated	72 hours	NOEC	100 mg/l
Carbon Dioxide	124-38-9	Fish	Experimental	96 hours	LC50	112.2 mg/l
Carbon Dioxide	124-38-9	Atlantic Salmon	Experimental	43 days	NOEC	26 mg/l

12.2. Persistence and degradability

Material	CAS Number	Test type	Duration	Study Type	Test result	Protocol
Methyl nonafluoroisobutyl ether	163702-08-7	Estimated Biodegradation	28 days	BOD	22 % BOD/ThBOD	OECD 301D - Closed bottle test
Methyl nonafluorobutyl ether	163702-07-6	Estimated Biodegradation	28 days	BOD	22 % BOD/ThBOD	OECD 301D - Closed bottle test
Carbon Dioxide	124-38-9	Data not available-insufficient			N/A	

12.3 : Bioaccumulative potential

Material	CAS Number	Test type	Duration	Study Type	Test result	Protocol
Methyl nonafluoroisobutyl ether	163702-08-7	Estimated Bioconcentration		Log Kow	4.0	Non-standard method
Methyl nonafluorobutyl ether	163702-07-6	Estimated Bioconcentration		Log Kow	4.0	Non-standard method
Carbon	124-38-9	Experimental		Log Kow	0.83	Non-standard method

Dioxide		Bioconcentration				
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12.4. Mobility in soil

Please contact manufacturer for more details

12.5 Other adverse effects

No information available.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Disposal methods

Dispose of contents/ container in accordance with the local/regional/national/international regulations.

Dispose of waste product in a permitted industrial waste facility. Facility must be capable of handling aerosol cans.

SECTION 14: Transport Information

Australian Dangerous Goods Code (ADG) - Road/Rail Transport

UN No.: UN1950

Proper shipping name: AEROSOLS

Class/Division: 2.2

Sub Risk: Not applicable.

Packing Group: Not applicable.

Special Instructions: Limited quantity may apply

Hazchem Code: 2YE

IERG: 49

International Air Transport Association (IATA) - Air Transport

UN No.: UN1950

Proper shipping name: AEROSOLS , (AEROSOLS, NON-FLAMMABLE)

Class/Division: 2.2

Sub Risk: Not applicable.

Packing Group: Not applicable.

International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code (IMDG)- Marine Transport

UN No.: UN1950

Proper shipping name: AEROSOLS

Class/Division: 2.2

Sub Risk: Not applicable.

Packing Group: Not applicable.

Marine Pollutant: Not applicable.

Special Instructions: Limited quantity may apply

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**Australian Inventory Status:**

All components of this product are listed on or exempt from the Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals (AIIC). Conditions may apply prior to introduction for direct importers of this product, Please contact 3M Australia on 136 136 for further details.

Poison Schedule: This product is intended for Industrial or Professional Use only and therefore is not packaged and labelled in accordance

with the requirements of the Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons.

SECTION 16: Other information

Revision information:

Complete document review.

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