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# 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE MATERIAL & SUPPLIER

**Product Name:** AUSEAL MTS **Synonyms:** None allocated

Use: Anodising Seal

Australian Chemicals and Coatings P/L 69 Quantum Close, Dandenong South VIC 3175 Tel: (61 3) 9799 9833 Fax: (61 3) 9799 9033 Email: <u>sales@auschem.com.au</u> Website: <u>www.auschem.com.au</u>

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Supplied by Caswell Australia P/L FACTORY 1, 51 ELM PARK DRIVE HOPPERS CROSSING 3029 VICTORIA

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# 2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

Hazardous according to criteria of NOHSC/ASCC

Hazardous according to the criteria of Worksafe Australia

Hazard Category: HARMFUL, IRRITANT

Hazard Classification: HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, NON DANGEROUS GOOD

RISK PHRASES

None allocated

### SAFETY PHRASES

S2 Keep out of reach of children.
S45 In case of accident or if you feel unwell, contact a doctor or Poisons Information Centre immediately and show this container or label.
S53 Avoid exposure - obtain special instructions before use.

### Poison Schedule: Not scheduled

Warning Statement: None allocated

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3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTSSUBSTANCE NAMEProportionCAS NumberNICKEL ACETATE<25%</td>6018-89-9NON HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS30 to 60%7732-18-5

## 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

### Swallowed:

If swallowed, DO NOT induce vomiting. Give 3 to 4 glasses of water to drink. Seek urgent medical assistance.

### Eye:

If material is splashed into eyes, immediately, flush with plenty of water for 15 minutes, ensuring eye lids are held open. If irritation persists transport to hospital or doctor.

Skin: If material is splashed onto the skin, remove any contaminated clothing and wash skin thoroughly with soap and water. If irritation persists transport to hospital or doctor.

### Inhaled:

Move victim to fresh air. Apply resuscitation if victim is not breathing.

### **First Aid Facilities:**

Eye wash fountain, safety shower and normal wash room facilities.

### Advice to Doctor:

Treat symptomatically.

## 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

### **Fire/Explosion Hazard**

If safe to do so, move undamaged containers from fire area.

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Decomposes on heating emitting oxides of carbon.

Fire Fighting Procedures: Fire fighters to wear Self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) in confined spaces, in oxygen deficient atmospheres or if exposed to products of decomposition. Full protective clothing is also recommended. Extinguishing Media: Use extinguishing media suitable for surrounding fire situation.

### Flammability

This material is not a flammable or combustible liquid.

### HAZCHEM CODE: NONE ALLOCATED

### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Material may be slippery when spilt. Walk cautiously. Ventilate area. Wear protective equipment to prevent skin and eye contact, as outlined under personal protection in this MSDS. Bund area using sand or soil - to prevent run off into drains and waterways. Use absorbent (soil, sand, vermiculite or other inert material). Collect and seal in properly labelled containers for disposal.

### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Store in a cool place and out of direct sunlight. Store away from sources of heat or ignition. Store away from oxidizing agents. Keep containers closed, when not using the product. Store in original packages as approved by manufacturer.

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# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

### Exposure Standards

No exposure standards are available for this product, however, the following exposure standards have been assigned by the National Occupational Health & Safety Commission (NOHSC) to the following components of the product:

### NICKEL ACETATE

(Worksafe Australia) [TWA]0.1 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

### Notices: Sen

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### WATER

No exposure standards have been assigned by the National Occupational Health & Safety Commission (NOHSC)

### **Engineering Controls**

Maintain adequate ventilation at all times. In most circumstances natural ventilation systems are adequate unless the material is heated, reacted or otherwise changed in some type of chemical reaction, then the use of a local exhaust ventilation system is recommended.

### **Personal Protection Equipment**

GLOVES: PVC or natural rubber.

EYES: Chemical goggles or faceshield to protect eyes.

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION: Avoid breathing of vapours/gases. Select and use respirators in accordance with AS/NZS 1715/1716. The use of a P1 dust mask (disposable) or with replaceable filters is recommended. Filter capacity and respirator type depends on exposure levels and type of contaminant. If entering spaces where the airborne concentration of a contaminant is unknown then the use of a Self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) with positive pressure air supply complying with AS/NZS 1715 / 1716, or any other acceptable International Standard is recommended.

# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance:	green coloured liquid
<b>Boiling Point Melting Point:</b>	Not applicable
Vapour Pressure:	Not applicable
Specific Gravity:	1.1
Flash Point:	Not applicable
Flammability Limits:	Not applicable
Solubility in Water:	100%

### **Other Properties**

# **10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

STABILITY: Stable under normal conditions of use.

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS: Emits smoke and fumes when heated to decomposition.

# HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION: Will not occur.

INCOMPATIBILITIES: Strong alkalis, acids, oxidizing agents.

CONDITIONS TO AVOID: Heat, flames, ignition sources and incompatibles.

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## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

No adverse health effects are expected, if the product is handled in accordance with this Material Safety Data Sheet and the product label. Symptoms and effects that may arise if the product is mishandled and overexposure occurs are:

## ACUTE HEALTH EFFECTS

### Swallowed:

### Harmful if swallowed.

May cause irritation to mouth, throat and stomach with effects including mucous build up, irritation to the tongue and lips and pains in the stomach, which may lead to nausea, vomiting and diarrhoea.

### Eye:

May cause irritation to the eyes, with effects including: tearing, pain, stinging and blurred vision. These effects are anticipated to be of a short acting nature and no long term injury is anticipated, if the product is removed promptly.

### Skin:

Harmful by skin contact.

Will cause irritation to the skin, with effects including; Redness, itchiness, and drying/defatting.

Inhaled:

Harmful if inhaled.

Mists from the product may cause irritation to the nose, throat and respiratory system with effects including: Dizziness and headache.

### **Chronic:**

Prolonged or repeated exposure may lead to irreversible damage to health.

Prolonged or repeated contact with this substance will cause sensitisation by skin contact.

Additional information for Chronic

NICKEL ACETATE has been classified as a CATEGORY 3 CARCINOGEN (WORKSAFE).

Substances suspected of having carcinogenic potential are those substances which have possible carcinogenic effects on humans but in respect of which the available information is not adequate for making a satisfactory assessment. There is some evidence from appropriate animal or epidemiological studies, but this is insufficient to place the substance in Category 2.

# 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxity: No Data available

Mobility: No Data available

### **Persistence / Degradability:**

No Data available

### **Chemical Fate Information:**

No Data available

This substance may cause long term adverse effects in the aquatic environment. This substance may cause long term adverse effects in the environment

# 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Refer to appropriate authority in your State. Dispose of material through a licensed waste contractor. Advise toxic and/or corrosive nature if applicable. Normally suitable for disposal by approved waste disposal agent.

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## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Road Transport UN Number: None allocated Proper Shipping Name: NONE ALLOCATED Dangerous Goods Class: None allocated Subsidiary risk: None allocated Packing Group: None allocated Label: None allocated

Air Transport UN Number: None allocated Proper Shipping Name: NONE ALLOCATED Dangerous Goods Class: None allocated Subsidiary risk: None allocated Packing Group: None allocated Label: None allocated

Sea Transport UN Number: None allocated Proper Shipping Name: NONE ALLOCATED

Dangerous Goods Class: None allocated Subsidiary risk: None allocated

Packing Group: None allocated Label: None allocated

HAZCHEM CODE: None allocated

Not classified as a Dangerous Good according to the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail (ADG Code) 6th Edition. Not classified as a Dangerous Good according to the UN, DOT(US), ICAO(IATA) or IMO(IMDG).

### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Poison Schedule: None allocated [Aust]

EPG: NONE ALLOCATED

## Inventory Status:

Inventory Status	
Australia (AICS)	Y
United States (TSCA)	Y
Canada (DSL)	Y
Europe (EINECS/ELINCS)	Y
Japan (MITI)	Y
South Korea (KECL)	Y

Y = all ingredients are on the inventory.

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## **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

Date of Preparation:

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### **Key Legend Information:**

NOHSC - National Occupational Health & Safety Commission {Formerly Worksafe}[Aust] SUSDP - Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Drugs and Poisons [Aust] TWA - Time Weighted Average [Int] STEL - Short Term Exposure Limit [Int] AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances EPA - Environmental Protection Agency [Int] NIOSH - National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health [US] AS/NZS 1715 - Selection, use and maintenance of respiratory protective devices. [Aust/NZ] AS/NZS 1716 - Respiratory protective devices. [Aust/NZ] IATA - International Aviation Transport Authority [Int] ICAO - International Civil Aviation Organization [Int] IMO - International Maritime Organisation. [Int] IMDG - International Maritime Dangerous Goods [Int] United Nations Recommendations for the Transport of Dangerous Goods and Globally Harmonized System for the classification and labelling of Chemicals. [Int] EU - European Union

[Aust/NZ] = Australian New Zealand [Int] = International [US] = United States of America

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Removal of the heading of *Poison Schedule [Aust]*, in section 3 and 15 of this Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) makes this a valid health and safety document in other international jurisdictions/countries. For full compliance please contact your Federal, State or Local regulators for further information.

### Disclaimer

This MSDS summarises our best knowledge of the health and safety hazard information available on the product and the measures to be used to handle and use the product safely. Each user should read this MSDS and consider the information in connection with the way the product is intended to be handled or used.

### **Principal References:**

Information supplied by manufacturer, reference sources including the public domain.

### END OF MSDS