



## Material Safety Data Sheet

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### SECTION 1: PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

**PRODUCT NAME:** COMPUBLEND (TM) II RINSE FREE HEAVY DUTY STRIPPER (Ready-to-Use)  
**MANUFACTURER:** 3M  
**DIVISION:** Commercial Care Division  
**ADDRESS:** 3M Center  
St. Paul, MN 55144-1000

EMERGENCY PHONE: 1-800-364-3577 or (651) 737-6501 (24 hours)

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#### Product Use:

**Specific Use:** Designed to remove sealer or floor finish without rinsing or neutralizing. Follow directions to properly prepare your floor for recoating. Do not use on wood floors.

### SECTION 2: INGREDIENTS

| <u>Ingredient</u>                          | <u>C.A.S. No.</u> | <u>% by Wt</u> |
|--|-------------------|----------------|
| WATER                                      | 7732-18-5         | > 90           |
| 2-BUTOXYETHANOL                            | 111-76-2          | 1 - 5          |
| ETHANOLAMINE                               | 141-43-5          | 1 - 5          |
| ALCOHOLS, C12-14, ETHOXYLATED PROPOXYLATED | 68439-51-0        | 0.1 - 1        |
| ACRYLIC ACID, POLYMERS                     | 9003-01-4         | < 0.1          |

### SECTION 3: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### 3.1 EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

**Specific Physical Form:** Liquid

**Odor, Color, Grade:** Clear medium blue, lemon scent

**General Physical Form:** Liquid

**Immediate health, physical, and environmental hazards:** May cause target organ effects.

#### 3.2 POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS

**Eye Contact:**

Moderate Eye Irritation: Signs/symptoms may include redness, swelling, pain, tearing, and blurred or hazy vision.

**Skin Contact:**

Moderate Skin Irritation: Signs/symptoms may include localized redness, swelling, itching, and dryness.

May be absorbed through skin and cause target organ effects.

**Inhalation:**

Respiratory Tract Irritation: Signs/symptoms may include cough, sneezing, nasal discharge, headache, hoarseness, and nose and throat pain.

May be absorbed following inhalation and cause target organ effects.

**Ingestion:**

Gastrointestinal Irritation: Signs/symptoms may include abdominal pain, stomach upset, nausea, vomiting and diarrhea.

May be absorbed following ingestion and cause target organ effects.

**Target Organ Effects:**

Central Nervous System (CNS) Depression: Signs/symptoms may include headache, dizziness, drowsiness, incoordination, nausea, slowed reaction time, slurred speech, giddiness, and unconsciousness.

Prolonged or repeated exposure may cause:

Liver Effects: Signs/symptoms may include loss of appetite, weight loss, fatigue, weakness, abdominal tenderness and jaundice.

Kidney/Bladder Effects: Signs/symptoms may include changes in urine production, abdominal or lower back pain, increased protein in urine, increased blood urea nitrogen (BUN), blood in urine, and painful urination.

## SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

### 4.1 FIRST AID PROCEDURES

The following first aid recommendations are based on an assumption that appropriate personal and industrial hygiene practices are followed.

**Eye Contact:** Flush eyes with large amounts of water. If signs/symptoms persist, get medical attention.

**Skin Contact:** Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Immediately flush skin with large amounts of water. Get medical attention. Wash contaminated clothing and clean shoes before reuse.

**Inhalation:** Remove person to fresh air. If signs/symptoms develop, get medical attention.

**If Swallowed:** Do not induce vomiting unless instructed to do so by medical personnel. Give victim two glasses of water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical attention.

## SECTION 5: FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

### 5.1 FLAMMABLE PROPERTIES

Flash Point > 200 °F

OSHA Flammability Classification: Class IIIB Combustible Liquid

### 5.2 EXTINGUISHING MEDIA

Ordinary combustible material. Use fire extinguishers with class A extinguishing agents (e.g., water, foam).

### 5.3 PROTECTION OF FIRE FIGHTERS

**Special Fire Fighting Procedures:** Wear full protective equipment (Bunker Gear) and a self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA).

**Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards:** Non-flammable: ordinary combustible material.

**Note:** See STABILITY AND REACTIVITY (SECTION 10) for hazardous combustion and thermal decomposition information.

## SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**Accidental Release Measures:** Observe precautions from other sections. Call 3M- HELPS line (1-800-364-3577) for more information on handling and managing the spill. Evacuate unprotected and untrained personnel from hazard area. The spill should be cleaned up by qualified personnel. Ventilate the area with fresh air. Contain spill. For larger spills, cover drains and build dikes to prevent entry into sewer systems or bodies of water. 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. Collect as much of the spilled material as possible. Clean up residue with water. Collect the resulting residue containing solution. Place in a closed container approved for transportation by appropriate authorities. Dispose of collected material as soon as possible.

**In the event of a release of this material, the user should determine if the release qualifies as reportable according to local, state, and federal regulations.**

## SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

### 7.1 HANDLING

Keep out of the reach of children. Avoid breathing of vapors, mists or spray. Avoid skin contact. Avoid eye contact with vapors, mists, or spray. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash exposed areas thoroughly with soap and water.

### 7.2 STORAGE

Store under normal warehouse conditions.

## SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### 8.1 ENGINEERING CONTROLS

Use in a well-ventilated area.

### 8.2 PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT (PPE)

#### 8.2.1 Eye/Face Protection

Avoid eye contact with vapors, mists, or spray.

The following eye protection(s) are recommended: Safety Glasses with side shields.

#### 8.2.2 Skin Protection

Avoid skin contact.

Select and use gloves and/or protective clothing to prevent skin contact based on the results of an exposure assessment. Consult with your glove and/or protective clothing manufacturer for selection of appropriate compatible materials.

Gloves made from the following material(s) are recommended: Butyl Rubber, Neoprene, Nitrile Rubber.

#### 8.2.3 Respiratory Protection

Avoid breathing of vapors, mists or spray. Under normal use conditions, airborne exposures are not expected to be significant enough to require respiratory protection.

#### 8.2.4 Prevention of Swallowing

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash exposed areas thoroughly with soap and water.

### 8.3 EXPOSURE GUIDELINES

| <u>Ingredient</u>    | <u>Authority</u> | <u>Type</u>     | <u>Limit</u>         | <u>Additional Information</u> |
|----------------------|------------------|-----------------|----------------------|-------------------------------|
| 2-BUTOXYETHANOL      | ACGIH            | TWA             | 20 ppm               | Table A3                      |
| 2-BUTOXYETHANOL      | OSHA             | TWA, Vacated    | 25 ppm               | Skin Notation*                |
| 2-BUTOXYETHANOL      | OSHA             | TWA             | 50 ppm               | Skin Notation*; Table Z-1     |
| ETHANOLAMINE         | ACGIH            | TWA             | 3 ppm                |                               |
| ETHANOLAMINE         | ACGIH            | STEL            | 6 ppm                |                               |
| ETHANOLAMINE         | OSHA             | TWA             | 3 ppm                | Table Z-1A                    |
| ETHANOLAMINE         | OSHA             | STEL            | 6 ppm                | Table Z-1A                    |
| POLYETHYLENE GLYCOLS | AIHA             | TWA, as aerosol | 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> |                               |

\* Substance(s) refer to the potential contribution to the overall exposure by the cutaneous route including mucous membrane and eye, either by airborne or, more particularly, by direct contact with the substance. Vehicles can alter skin absorption.

VAC Vacated PEL: Vacated Permissible Exposure Limits [PEL] are enforced as the OSHA PEL in some states. Check with your local regulatory agency.

#### SOURCE OF EXPOSURE LIMIT DATA:

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

CMRG: Chemical Manufacturer Recommended Guideline

OSHA: Occupational Safety and Health Administration

AIHA: American Industrial Hygiene Association Workplace Environmental Exposure Level (WEEL)

## SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

|   |   |
|---|---|
| <b>Specific Physical Form:</b>            | Liquid  |
| <b>Odor, Color, Grade:</b>                | Clear medium blue, lemon scent                            |
| <b>General Physical Form:</b>             | Liquid  |
| <b>Flash Point</b>                        | > 200 °F  |
| <b>Boiling point</b>                      | Approximately 212 °F                                      |
| <b>Specific Gravity</b>                   | Approximately 1 [Ref Std: WATER=1]                        |
| <b>pH</b>                                 | Approximately 10.6  |
| <b>Solubility in Water</b>                | Complete  |
| <b>Volatile Organic Compounds</b>         | 3 - 7 % [Test Method: calculated per CARB title 2]        |
| <b>Percent volatile</b>                   | No Data Available   |
| <b>VOC Less H2O &amp; Exempt Solvents</b> | 800 - 1200 g/l [Test Method: calculated per CARB title 2] |
| <b>Viscosity</b>                          | Approximately 100 centipoise                              |

## SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**Stability:** Stable.

**Materials and Conditions to Avoid:** None known

**Hazardous Polymerization:** Hazardous polymerization will not occur.

### Hazardous Decomposition or By-Products

| <u>Substance</u>   | <u>Condition</u>  |
|--------------------|-------------------|
| Carbon monoxide    | During Combustion |
| Carbon dioxide     | During Combustion |
| Oxides of Nitrogen | During Combustion |

## SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Please contact the address listed on the first page of the MSDS for Toxicological Information on this material and/or its components.

## SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### ECOTOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

A 3M Product Environmental Data Sheet (PED) is available.

### CHEMICAL FATE INFORMATION

A 3M Product Environmental Data Sheet (PED) is available.

## SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

**Waste Disposal Method:** Discharge spent solutions and small quantities (less than 5 gal.(19 L)) to a wastewater treatment system. Reduce discharge rate if foaming occurs. As a disposal alternative, dispose of waste product in a facility permitted to accept chemical waste.

**EPA Hazardous Waste Number (RCRA):** Not regulated

Since regulations vary, consult applicable regulations or authorities before disposal.

## SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Please contact the emergency numbers listed on the first page of the MSDS for Transportation Information for this material.

## SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

### US FEDERAL REGULATIONS

#### 311/312 Hazard Categories:

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

**Section 313 Toxic Chemicals subject to the reporting requirements of that section and 40 CFR part 372 (EPCRA):**

| <u>Ingredient</u>               | <u>C.A.S. No</u> | <u>% by Wt</u> |
|---------------------------------|------------------|----------------|
| 2-BUTOXYETHANOL (GLYCOL ETHERS) | 111-76-2         | 1 - 5          |

### STATE REGULATIONS

### CHEMICAL INVENTORIES

The components of this product are in compliance with the chemical notification requirements of TSCA.

All applicable chemical ingredients in this material are listed on the European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances (EINECS), or are exempt polymers whose monomers are listed on EINECS.

The components of this product are listed on the Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances.

All the components of this product are listed on China's Inventory of Chemical Substances.

The components of this product are in compliance with notification requirements in the Philippines.

The components of this product are listed on the Canadian Domestic Substances List.

## INTERNATIONAL REGULATIONS

This MSDS has been prepared to meet the U.S. OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200.

## SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

### NFPA Hazard Classification

**Health:** 2 **Flammability:** 0 **Reactivity:** 0 **Special Hazards:** None  
**Acid/Base:** Alkaline

National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) hazard ratings are designed for use by emergency response personnel to address the hazards that are presented by short-term, acute exposure to a material under conditions of fire, spill, or similar emergencies. Hazard ratings are primarily based on the inherent physical and toxic properties of the material but also include the toxic properties of combustion or decomposition products that are known to be generated in significant quantities.

### HMIS Hazard Classification

**Health:** 2 **Flammability:** 0 **Reactivity:** 0 **Protection:** X - See PPE section.

Hazardous Material Identification System (HMIS®) hazard ratings are designed to inform employees of chemical hazards in the workplace. These ratings are based on the inherent properties of the material under expected conditions of normal use and are not intended for use in emergency situations. HMIS® ratings are to be used with a fully implemented HMIS® program. HMIS® is a registered mark of the National Paint and Coatings Association (NPCA).

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Section 5: Flammable limits (LEL) information was deleted.  
Section 5: Autoignition temperature information was deleted.  
Section 9: Melting point information was deleted.  
Section 9: Flammable limits (LEL) information was deleted.  
Section 9: Flammable limits (UEL) information was deleted.  
Section 9: Autoignition temperature information was deleted.

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