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May cause damage to organs through

1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION	
Product	ARDROX HF-P
Synonym	NDT Penetrant
Chemical Formula	Petroleum Ether, Kerosene
Trade Name	Afrox ARDROX HF-P 996-PB
Product Package	400 ml can
Product Code	W033570
Company	African Oxygen Limited
Identification	Grayston Office Park Building 7
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2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

Classification	Classification under South African Hazardous Chemical Substances Regulations subsequently amended. (HCS) Classification under the Globally Harmonized System of classification and labelling of chemicals (GHS)	
Emergency	Colour: Dark red	
Overview	Odour: Petroleum	
	Taste: Petroleum	
	Physical State: Liquid	
Main Hazards	Highly Flammable	
Adverse Health	Danger! highly flammable liquid and vapour.	
Effects	Vapour may cause flash fire. Harmful if	
	swallowed or inhaled. Causes irritation to	
	skin, eyes and respiratory tract. Affects	
	central nervous system.	
Chemical	ARDROX HF-P is Highly Flammable	
Hazards		
Biological Hazards	Hazardous to the aquatic environment	
Vapour	Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give	
Inhalation	artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult,	
	give oxygen. Get medical attention	
GHS Classification	Highly flammable liquid and vapour – Category 2	
	May be fatal if swallowed and enters	
airway - Category 1		
	Causes skin irritation - Category 2	
	Causes serious eye irritation –	
	Category 2A	
	Pressurise container: may burst if heated – Category 3	
	Suspected of damaging fertility or the	
	unborn child – Category 2	
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	prolonged or repeated exposure - Category 2 Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects
	- Category 2
GHS Pictogram	
GHS Signal Words	Danger
GHS Hazard Statements	 H222 Extremely flammable aerosol H304 May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways H315 Causes skin irritation H319 Causes serious eye irritation H229 Pressurise container: may burst if heated H361 Suspected of damaging fertility or the
	unborn child H336 May cause drowsiness or dizziness H373 May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure H411 Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects
GHS Precautionary Statements	 Prevention: P210: Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. No smoking P211: Do not spray on an open flame or other ignition source P251: Do not pierce or burn, even after use P233: Keep container tightly closed P240: Ground/Bond container and receiving equipment - if electrostatically sensitive material is for reloading if product is volatile so as to generate hazardous atmosphere P241: Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/ lighting and equipment P242: Use only non-sparking tools P280: Wear protective gloves/clothing/eye protection/face protection P243 Take precautionary measures against static discharge P264: Wash skin thoroughly after handling. P261: Avoid breathing fumes/gas/mist/vapours/spray P271: Use only outdoors or in a wellventilated area P201: Obtain special instructions before use P202: Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood P273: Avoid release to the environment
	Response: P305 + P351 + P338: IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing



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	D270 · D270 la sess of fire lies water
	P370 + P378: In case of fire: Use water
	spray for extinction
	P301 + P310: IF SWALLOWED:
	Immediately call a POISON CENTER or
	doctor/physician.
	P303 + P361 + P353 : IF ON SKIN (or hair):
	Take off immediately all contaminated
	clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.
	P337 + P313: If eye irritation persists: Get
	medical advice/attention
	P331: Do NOT induce vomiting
	P302 + P352: IF ON SKIN: Wash with
	plenty of water
	P321: Specific treatment refer section 4
	first aid measures
	P332 + P313: If skin irritation occurs: Get
	medical advice/attention
	P362 + P364 : Take off contaminated
	clothing and wash it before reuse
	P304 + P340: IF INHALED: Remove
	person to fresh air and keep comfortable
	for breathing
	P312: Call a POISON CENTRE/doctor if
	you feel unwell
	P308 + P313: IF exposed or concerned:
	Get medical advice/attention
	P391: Collect spillage
	Storage:
	P410 + P412: Protect from sunlight. Do no
	expose to temperatures exceeding 50°C
	P403: Store in a well-ventilated place
	P233: Keep container tightly closed
	P235: Keep cool
	P405: Store locked up
	Disposal:
	P501: Dispose of contents/container to
	hazardous or special waste collection point
Other Hazards	None
that do not result	
in classification	

3. COMPOSITION OF INGREDIENTS	
Chemical name Chemical family	Petroleum Ether
CAS No	8032-32-4
UN No	1268
ERG No	128
Hazard class	3
Hazchem Warning	F1 Flammable
Chemical name Chemical family	Kerosene
CAS No	8008-20-6
UN No	1223
ERG No	128
Hazard class	3
Hazchem Warning	F1 Flammable

4. FIRST AID MEASURES		
Eye contact	Check for and remove any contact lenses.	
	Do not use an eye ointment.	
	Seek medical attention.	
	Flush with plenty of water for at least 15	
	minutes, occasionally lifting the upper and	
	lower eyelids	
Skin Contact	Wash with soap and water.	
	Get medical attention if irritation develops	
Ingestion Do not induce vomiting.		
	Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie,	
	belt or waistband. If the victim is not breathing, perform mouth-to-mouth	
	resuscitation. Seek immediate medical	
	attention. Have conscious person drink	
	several glasses of water	
Inhalation	Very hazardous in case of inhalation	
malation	Allow the victim to rest in a well-ventilated	
	area. Seek immediate medical attention. If	
	the victim is not breathing, perform mouth-to	
	mouth resuscitation	
5. FIRE-FIG	HTING MEASURES	
Suitable	COMBUSTIBLE	
extinguishing	SMALL FIRE: Use DRY chemical powder.	
media	LARGE FIRE: Do not use water jet. Use	
	DRY chemical powder, CO2, water spray or	
	foam	
Unsuitable	Do not use water jet	
extinguishing		
media:		
Specific Hazards	This ARDROX HF-P fluid is extremely	
Hazards	flammable. When handling the liquid, rubber	
	gloves and eye protection should be worn AEROSOLS: In a fire, beware of exploding	
	aerosols cans. Container explosion may	
	occur under fire conditions or when heated	
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6. ACCIDEN	TAL RELEASE MEASURES
Personal precautions.	Eye protection and protective gloves should be worn when handling the product for lengthy periods of time Splash goggles, Overalls, Boots
Environmental Precautions	Eliminate all ignition sources. Contain the spillage to prevent entry into drains or waterways
Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:	Absorb with DRY earth, sand or other non- combustible material. Do not touch spilled material. Finish cleaning by spreading water on the contaminated surface and dispose of according to local and regional authority requirements. Notify the local authority if a spillage of large quantity into drains or waterways occurs Call for assistance on disposal
7. HANDLIN	G AND STORAGE
Safe Handling	Handling:

Safe Handling	Handling: Keep locked up
	Keep away from heat.
	Keep away from source of ignition.
	Ground all equipment containing material. Do not ingest. Do not breathe gas / fumes /vapour / spray.
	In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment. If ingested, seem medical advice immediately and
	show the container or the label. Avoid
	contact with skin and eyes. Keep away
	from incompatibles such as oxidizing
	agents, acids.
	Storage:
	Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area,
	out of direct sunlight. Use a "First in-First-
	Out" inventory system to prevent full
	containers being stored for excessive
	periods of time. Keep out of reach of children.
Conditions	Exposure to excessive heat for prolonged
for safe	periods Ensure good stock rotation
storage,	practices.
including any	
incompatibilit	
ies	

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS AND PERSONAL PROTECTION

Occupational	SA - No data available	
Exposure		
Hazards		
(HCS)		
Engineering	Ventilation should be provided. Ensure	
Control	that eye wash stations and safety showers	
Measures	are proximal to the work-station location	

Personal Protection	Eye protection and protective gloves should be worn when handling the product
	for lengthy periods of time
Eyes	Safety glasses
Hands	Protective gloves
Body	Overalls
protection:	
Feet	Safety Shoes

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Chemical Name	ARDROX HF-P
Chemical Symbol	C_nH_{2n+2}
Physical state	Liquid
Form:	Liquid
Colour:	Clear red liquid
Odour:	Petroleum odour
Odour Threshold:	>1ppm
pH:	Neutral
Density	0.85 to 0.87g/cm3
Melting Point:	<-10°C
Boiling Point:	100°C
Sublimation Point:	No data
Critical Temp. (°C):	No data
Flash Point:	>55°C
Evaporation Rate:	No data
Flammability (solid, gas):	Flammable liquid
Flammability limit - upper (%):	5.9%
Flammability limit - lower(%):	1.1%
Vapour density 20°C:	3.58g/l
Liquid density	0.85 g/cm ³ @20°C
Relative density water=1:	0.85
	Miscible with
Solubility(ies)	hydrocarbons and
Condenity(165)	halogenated
	hydrocarbons.
Solubility in Water:	Not soluble in water
Partition coefficient (n-	No data
octanol/water): Autoignition Temperature:	229°C
Decomposition Temperature:	No data
Viscosity	INU Uala
	Not available
Kinematic viscosity: Dynamic viscosity:	Not available No data
Explosive properties:	Not applicable
Oxidising Properties:	Not applicable
Molecular weight	Not available
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10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity	Not reactive under normal conditions
Chemical stability	Stable under normal conditions
Possibility of hazardous reactions	No data
Conditions to avoid	Open flame and electrical discharge



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Incompatible Materials	Reactive with oxidizing agents, acids, alkalis
Hazardous	Carbon oxides (CO, CO2) nitrogen oxides
Decomposition	(NO, NO2).
of Products	

11. TOXOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute Toxicity	Very hazardous in case of inhalation Acute oral toxicity (LD50): >2400mg/kg (Rat – Weighted average theoretically calculated). Acute dermal toxicity (LD50): >2000mg/kg(Rat). (KEROSENE, dearomatized). Acute toxicity of the vapour (LC50): 5000mg/m3 4 hours (Rat). (KEROSENE, dearomatized)
Skin & eye contact	Irritating to skin seek medical help immediately.
Chronic Toxicity	Very hazardous in case of ingestion Repeated skin exposure can produce local skin destruction, or dermatitis.
Carcinogenicity	Classified 2A (Probable for human) by IARC (Kerosene).
Mutagenicity	No data
Reproductive Hazards	No data

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Toxicity	OSHA 50 ppm 8hr weighted ave Harmful to aquatic life in high concentrations
Persistence and degradability	Expected to be slowly biodegradable. Possibly hazardous short-term degradation products are not likely. Products of biodegradation: Oxidises rapidly by photochemical reactions in air
Bioaccumulative Potential Product	No data
Mobility in soil	No data
Results of PBT and vPvB assessment	No data
Other adverse effects	No data
Effect on ozone layer	No data
Effect on the global warming (CO2=1)	No data

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal	Prevent entry into waterways, sewers and
Methods	confined areas: dike if necessary. Aerosol
	cans (used or unused) should be disposed

	of without pupoturing via a licensed weste		
	of, without puncturing, via a licensed waste		
	disposal contractor.		
	Product must be removed by a reputable		
	waste disposal company. Recover or		
	recycle, if possible, otherwise incineration.		
	Aerosol cans (used or unused) should be		
	disposed of, without puncturing, via a		
	licensed waste disposal contractor.		
Disposal of	DO NOT RE-USE CONTAINERS.		
Packaging	Puncture packaging all plastic containers.		
	Flatten all metal containers. Shred all		
	polywoven bags.		
	As per regulation for aerosol cans.		

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION		
Road Transportation		
UN No.	1950	
Shipping Name	ARDROX HF-P	
ERG No.	128	
Class	2	
Subsidiary Risk	Highly Flammable & Toxic	
Hazchem Warning	Flammable aerosol	
IMDG	1950	
Shipping Name	ARDROX HF-P	
ERG No.	128	
Class	2	
Subsidiary Risk	Highly Flammable & Toxic	
Label	Flammable aerosol	
ICAO/IATA Code	None	
Class	3	
Packing Group:	None	
Packaging	Passenger 75 kg	
instructions	Cargo 150 kg	

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION **EEC Hazard class:** National legislation OHSact and Regulations 85 of 1993 SANS 10228:2012 The identification and classification of Edition 6 dangerous goods for transport by road and rail modes SANS 10234:2019 Globally Harmonized System of Edition 2 classification and labelling of chemicals (GHS) SUPPLEMENT TO List of classification and labelling SANS 10234 of chemicals in accordance with the Edition 1 Globally Harmonized System (GHS) Welding and Thermal Cutting Process **SABS 0238 (SANS** 1238)

16. OTHER INFORMATION

Ensure all national/local regulations are observed.		
Ensure users and relevant persons understand the hazard		
Regularly check supplier's information sources for updated		
versions of SDS's		
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