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1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION		
Product	ARDROX HF-R_9PR5	
Synonym	NDT Remover	
Chemical	n-Hexane	
Formula	C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>14</sub>	
Trade Name	ARDROX HF-R_9PR5	
Package	400 ml can	
Product Code	W033572	
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) Colour: None
Overview	Odour: None Taste: None Physical State: Liquid
Main Hazards	Irritating to skin
Adverse Health Effects	Harmful: danger of serious damage to health by prolonged exposure through inhalation. Possible risk of impaired fertility Danger! Extremely flammable liquid and vapour. Vapour may cause flash fire. Harmful if swallowed or inhaled. Causes irritation to skin, eyes and respiratory tract. Affects central nervous system.
Chemical Hazards	ARDROX HF-R_9PR5 is Highly Flammable Danger! Extremely flammable liquid and vapour. Vapour may cause flash fire
Biological Hazards	hazardous to the aquatic environment
Vapour Inhalation	Danger of serious damage to health by prolonged exposure through inhalation Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention
GHS Classification	Extremely Flammable aerosol –Category 1 Aspiration hazard - Category 1 Skin corrosion/ irritation – Category 2 Specific target organ toxicity — Single exposure - Category 3 Toxic to reproduction – Category 2 Specific target organ toxicity — Repeated exposure – Category 2 Hazardous to the aquatic environment — Chronic hazard – Category 2 Aerosols – Category 1

	Hazardous to the aquatic environment — Acute hazard – category 3 Specific target organ toxicity — Single exposure– Category 2
GHS Pictogram	
GHS Signal Words	Danger
GHS Hazard Statements	<ul> <li>H222 Extremely flammable aerosol</li> <li>H304 May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways</li> <li>H315 Causes skin irritation</li> <li>H336 May cause drowsiness or dizziness</li> <li>H361 If Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child</li> <li>H373 May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure</li> <li>H411 Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects</li> <li>H229 Pressurized container: May burst if heated</li> <li>H402 Harmful to aquatic life</li> <li>H371 May cause damage to organs</li> </ul>
GHS	H371 May cause damage to organs Prevention:
Precautionary Statements	<ul> <li>P210: Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. No smoking</li> <li>P211: Do not spray on an open flame or other ignition source</li> <li>P251: Do not pierce or burn, even after use</li> <li>P264: Wash skin thoroughly after handling</li> <li>P280: Wear protective gloves/clothing/eye protection/face protection</li> <li>P261: Avoid breathing fumes/gas/mist/vapours/spray</li> <li>P271: Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area</li> <li>P201: Obtain special instructions before use</li> <li>P202: Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood</li> <li>P273: Avoid release to the environment</li> <li>P270: Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product</li> <li>Response:</li> <li>P301 + P310: IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTRE/ doctor</li> <li>P331: Do NOT induce vomiting</li> <li>P302 + P352: IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty water</li> <li>P321: Specific treatment see section 4 first aid treatment</li> <li>P332 + P313: If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.</li> <li>P362 + P364:Take off contaminated</li> </ul>



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	<ul> <li>P312: Call a POISON CENTRE/doctor if you feel unwell</li> <li>P308 + P313: IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention</li> <li>P314: Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell</li> <li>P391: Collect spillage</li> </ul>
	Storage: P410 + P412: Protect from sunlight. Do not expose to temperatures exceeding 50 °C P405 :Store locked up P403 + P233 :Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed if product is volatile so as to generate hazardous atmosphere.
	<b>Disposal</b> : <b>P501:</b> Dispose of contents and container to hazardous or special waste collection point
Other Hazards that do not result in classification	Aspiration Hazard

3. COMPOSITION OF INGREDIENTS		
Chemical name Chemical family	n-Hexane	
CAS No	110-54-3	
UN No	1208	
ERG No	128	
EC No	203-777-6	
Hazard class	3	
Hazchem Warning	F1 Flammable	

# 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

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Eye contact	Check for and remove any contact lenses. Immediately flush eyes with running water for at least 15 minutes, keeping eyelids open. Get medical attention	
Skin Contact	In case of contact, immediately flush skin with plenty of water. Cover the irritated skin with an emollient. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Wash clothing before re- use. Thoroughly clean shoes before re-use. Get medical attention	
Ingestion	DO NOT induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband. Get medical attention if symptoms appear	
Inhalation	Very hazardous in case of inhalation. If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is Effects and difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.	

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES		
Suitable extinguishing	SMALL FIRE: Use DRY chemical powder. Media	
media	LARGE FIRE: Use water spray <b>Of</b> fog. Cool containing vessels with water jet in order to prevent pressure build-up, auto-ignition or explosion	
Unsuitable extinguishing media:	Do not use water jet.	
Specific Hazards	This ARDROX HF-R_9PR5 fluid is extremely flammable. When handling the liquid, rubber gloves and eye protection should be worn	
Special fire fighting procedures:	Fire fighters should wear positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) and full turnout gear.	
Special protective equipment	Eye protection and protective gloves should be worn when handling the product for lengthy periods of time.	
for firefighters:	e sure to use an approved / certified respirator or equivalent.	

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Eye protection and protective gloves should be worn when handling the product for lengthy periods of time. Splash goggles. Overalls. Vapour respirator. Boots. Gloves. A self-contained breathing apparatus should be used to avoid inhalation of the product.
Keep away from heat. Keep away from sources of ignition. Stop leak if without risk. Do not get water inside container. Prevent entry into sewers, basements or confined areas; dike if needed.
Absorb with DRY earth, sand or other non- combustible material. Do not touch spilled material. Call for assistance on disposal. Absorb with DRY earth, sand or other non- combustible material. Do not touch spilled material. Call for assistance on disposal

# 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Safe 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. Wear suitable protective clothing. If ingested, seek medical advice immediately and show the container or the label
Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilit ies	Exposure to excessive heat for prolonged periods Ensure good stock rotation practices. Store in a segregated and approved area. Keep container in a cool, well-ventilated area. Keep container lightly closed and sealed until ready for use. Avoid all possible



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sources of ignition (spark or flame). Use original container.

# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS AND PERSONAL PROTECTION

Occupational Exposure Hazards (HCS)	OEL eight-hour TWA 100ppm
Engineering Control Measures	Ventilation should be provided. Ensure that eye wash stations and safety showers are proximal to the work- station location Provide exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls to keep the airborne concentrations of vapours below their respective occupational exposure limits. Ensure that eye wash stations and safety showers 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 Wash hands, forearms, and face thoroughly after handling compounds and before eating, smoking, using toilet, and at end of the day
Eyes	Safety glasses
Hands	Protective gloves
Body protection:	Overalls
Feet	Safety shoes

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL	PROPERTIES
Chemical Name	ARDROX HF- R_9PR5
Chemical Symbol	C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>14</sub>
Physical state	Liquid
Form:	Liquid
Colour:	Light, Colourless
Odour:	Petroleum odour
Odour Threshold:	Weighted average: 86.5ppm
pH:	Neutral
Melting Point:	-95°C
Boiling Point:	69°C
Sublimation Point:	No data
Critical Temp. (°C):	No data
Flash Point:	2°C
Evaporation Rate:	6.82
Flammability (solid, gas):	Flammable liquid
Flammability limit - upper (%):	7.5%
Flammability limit - lower(%):	1.1%
Vapour density 20°C:	3.58g/l
Liquid density	0.66-0.68g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Relative density water=1:	0.66-0.68
Solubility(ies)	
Solubility in Water:	Not soluble in water
Partition coefficient (n- octanol/water):	No data

Autoignition Temperature:	225°C
Decomposition Temperature:	No data
Viscosity	
Kinematic viscosity:	0.31 cP
Dynamic viscosity:	No data
Explosive properties:	Not applicable
Oxidising Properties:	Not applicable
Molecular weight	86 g/mol

#### **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
Incompatible Materials	Strong oxidisers
Hazardous Decomposition of Products	No data

### **11. TOXOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Acute Toxicity	Very hazardous in case of
	inhalation.
Skin & eye contact	Irritating to skin seek medical
	help immediately.
Chronic Toxicity	Very hazardous in case of
	ingestion
Carcinogenicity	No data
Mutagenicity	No data
Reproductive Hazards	No data

#### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Toxicity	OSHA 100 ppm 8hr weighted ave	
Persistence and degradability	No data	
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 Methods

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,



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Disposal of Packaging	As per r	egulation for	aero	so	cans.	

#### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Road Transportation		
UN No.	1950	
Shipping Name	ARDROX HF-R_9PR5	
ERG No.	126	
Class	2	
Subsidiary Risk	Flammable liquid	
Hazchem Warning	Aerosol Flammable	
IMDG	1950	
Shipping Name	ARDROX HF-R_9PR5	
ERG No.	126	
Class	2	
Subsidiary Risk	Flammable liquid	
Label	2.1 Aerosol	
ICAO/IATA Code	None	
Class	2	
Packing Group:	N/A	
Packaging	Passenger N/A	
instructions	Cargo N/A	

#### **15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

EEC Hazard class:

National legislation OHSact and Regulations 85 of 1993.

SANS 11014:2010 Edition 1	Safety data sheet for chemical products - Content and order of sections
SANS 10228:2012 Edition 6	The identification and classification of dangerous goods for transport by road and rail modes
SANS 10234:2019	Globally Harmonized System of classification and labelling of chemicals (GHS)
SUPPLEMENT TO SANS 10234 Edition 1	List of classification and labelling of chemicals in accordance with the Globally Harmonized System (GHS)

### **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

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

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#### Bibliography

Perry Chemical Engineering 6<sup>th</sup> Edition SANS 11014 - Safety data sheet for chemical products: Content and order of sections SANS 10234 - List of classification and labelling of chemicals in accordance with the Globally Harmonized System (GHS) SANS 10265 – Classification and Labelling of Dangerous Substances

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