SAFETY DATA SHEET

ConvaTec Sensi-Care™ Skin Barrier Wipe [413501]

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This Safety Data Sheet contains information concerning the potential risks to those involved in handling, transporting and working with the material, as well as describing potential risks to the consumer and the environment. This information must be made available to those who may come into contact with the material or are responsible for the material. This Safety Data Sheet is prepared in accordance with Directive 2001/58/EEC and subsequent amendments.

1. Identification of the Substance and Supplier

Common name SensiCare™ Skin Barrier Wipe Solution
Chemical class Mixture of siloxanes

Supplier
GDC
FIRST AVENUE
DEESIDE INDUSTRIAL PARK
DEESIDE
FLINTSHIRE
CH5 2NU
UK

In case of emergency: 24 Hours 7 Days a Week

US:	**Chemtrec**	**1-800-424-9300**
Outside US:	**Chemtrec**	**001-703-527-3887**

2. Composition

This product contains no components that need to be identified in accordance with European Directives as being hazardous to health or to the environment.

Contains a mixture of siloxanes impregnated into a non-woven fabric.

3. Hazards Identification

The siloxanes are flammable liquids, but after impregnation into the fabric, there is no free liquid remaining and the wipes are not themselves flammable and will not sustain combustion.

Product not classified as hazardous to health or to the environment.

The product is not considered to be hazardous to man or the environment as a result of use as directed. However, as with all health care products, care should be taken to carefully read the instructions for use before administering.

The active components are not considered to be readily biodegradable. However, there is no evidence to suggest the components are very persistent or very bioaccumulative.

4. First Aid Measures

Inhalation
If the product is accidentally inhaled as vapour or spray, ensure access to fresh air. If signs of discomfort, seek medical advice, showing copy of this data sheet if possible.

Accidental skin contact
If there is accidental contact with skin or clothing, rinse skin with water. However, the product will evaporate rapidly following contact. Note that the product is intended to be deliberately applied to skin.

Accidental eye contact
Flush eyes immediately with plenty of water.
If signs of discomfort, seek medical advice and show copy of this data sheet if possible.

Ingestion
If swallowed, rinse mouth with small quantity (200 ml) of water or milk.
Seek medical advice if signs of discomfort and show copy of this data sheet if possible.
Do not induce vomiting.

5. Firefighting Measures

Highly flammable liquid that may cause flammable vapours and which can support combustion.

Extinguishing media
In case of fire, carbon dioxide, dry chemical, water foam or water fog may be used. The material is not known to be reactive with any of these extinguishing media.

Special exposure hazards (*from the material or its combustion products*)
Normal combustion products are considered to be carbon dioxide, although incomplete combustion may lead to the formation of organic decomposition products. However, due to the nature of the product, there is considered to be a low risk of adverse effects to health.

Special precautions for fire fighters
No special precautions, although breathing apparatus and protective clothing should be worn due to possible danger of asphyxiation.

6. Accidental Release Measures

Personal precautions
Remove unnecessary personnel away from area of spill or contamination.

Environmental precautions

Collect wipes and dispose of as low-hazard solid waste. Prevent material entering water courses or storm-water drainage systems.

Methods for cleaning up
There are no special precautions.

7. Handling and Storage

Handling
Observe precautions in section 8 by avoiding unnecessary contact.
Avoid using near sources of ignition and use only in places with good ventilation.

Storage
Store in original containers.

8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Respiratory protection
Not considered necessary for normal handling.

Hand Protection
As with most chemical products, exposure should be avoided and suitable chemical resistant gloves may be used that are considered suitable for silicon oils.

Eye protection
Goggles or face protection are recommended when handling the bulk product.

Skin protection
Overalls recommended when handling the bulk product.

9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance	Non-woven fabric wipes
Vapour pressure	Siloxanes have vapour pressure of approximately 5600 pa. Will evaporate quickly.
Water solubility	Siloxanes considered to have very low water solubility
pH	Neutral
Flammability	Wipe will not easily support combustion

10. Stability and Reactivity

Conditions to avoid
The material is considered to be stable under normal conditions but avoid contact with sources of ignition.

Materials to avoid
Avoid contact with strong oxidising or reducing agents.

Hazardous decomposition products
None known

11. Toxicological Information

The preparation has not been tested, but data can be predicted. The components have been extensively tested and evaluated for use in cosmetic or health care products.

Acute oral toxicity - not classified as harmful.
Acute dermal toxicity - not classified as harmful.
Not considered irritating to the eye.
Not considered irritating to the skin.
Sensitisation - not considered sensitising to the skin.
Mutagenicity studies, negative.
The active component has been extensively tested for effects on reproduction, mutagenicity and carcinogenicity and there is no indication of adverse effects at the concentration supplied for medicinal purposes.

12. Ecological Information

The preparation has not been tested, but data can be predicted.

Fish LC_{50}	Not considered harmful.
Daphnia EC_{50}	Not considered harmful.
Algal inhibition	Not considered harmful.
Sludge respiration inhibition IC_{50}	Not considered harmful.
Biodegradability	The active components are not readily biodegradable, but it is thought unlikely to bio-accumulate or persist in the environment. The components are volatile. This product is not considered to be a risk to the environment.

13. Disposal Considerations

It is recommended to dispose of small quantities of this material in consideration with local site factors and in accordance with local regulations. It is considered that small quantities (< 1 kg) supplied to the user are safe to be rinsed to foul water drain for treatment

The containers should be rinsed and disposed of in municipal waste or returned to the supplier.

14. Transport Information

UN No: UN3175

Proper Shipping Name: SOLIDS CONTAINING FLAMMABLE LIQUID

Class:	Class 4.1
Packing Group:	II.
ADR & RID:	Exempted by Special Provision 216
IMDG:	Exempted by Special Provision 216
ICAO/IATA:	Exempted by Special Provision A46

When supplied in small sealed sachets containing less than 10 ml of liquid, considered exempt from all transport restrictions. There is no residual liquid.

15. Regulatory Information

Proposed classification
Wipes are not classified as harmful

16. Other Information

CE Marked for health care use for use as instructed. For external use only.

Training advice: Read instructions for use.