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PRODUCT SPECIFICATION		
Product Name	Greenox® (AdBlue®)	
Alternative Name	Automotive urea solution 32, AUS 32, diesel exhaust fluid, DEF	
Specification Reference	ADBL/5 (05/15/0082001)	

## **SALES SPECIFICATION**

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Characteristics	Unit	Min	Max	Typical Value
Urea Content	Weight %	31.8	33.2	32.5
Density	g/cm <sup>3</sup>	1.087	1.093	1.0895
Refractive Index at 20°C		1.3814	1.3843	1.3829
Alkalinity as NH <sup>3</sup>	%	-	0.2	
Biuret	%	-	0.3	
Aldehydes	mg/kg	-	5	
Insolubles	mg/kg	-	20	
Phosphate (PO <sub>4</sub> )	mg/kg	-	0.5	
Calcium	mg/kg	-	0.5	
Iron	mg/kg	-	0.5	
Copper	mg/kg	-	0.2	
Zinc	mg/kg	-	0.2	
Chromium	mg/kg	-	0.2	
Nickel	mg/kg	-	0.2	
Aluminium	mg/kg	-	0.5	
Magnesium	mg/kg	-	0.5	
Sodium	mg/kg	-	0.5	
Potassium	mg/kg	-	0.5	

Greenox® conforms to DIN 70070 and ISO 22241 and is supplied ready to use.

#### Storage

To maintain the product quality it is recommended that AdBlue® is stored below 25°C and out of direct sunlight. Do not store or allow product to come into contact with mild steel, aluminium, brass, copper or alloys. These will damage the catalyst system.

**Shelf Life** (in accordance with ISO 22241-3)

# Constant ambient storage temperature (°C) Minimum shelf life (months)

≤10	36
≤25	18
≤30	12
≤35	6
>35	Significant decomposition test b

#### Freezing

Adblue® will begin to freeze at -11°C; this does not affect the product quality or strength. The liquid phase of a partially frozen solution will still be at the required concentration and may continue to be used. The remaining frozen portion may be used after allowing to thaw

#### NOTES

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### **Health and Safety**

A Material Safety Data Sheet has been issued describing the health, safety and environmental properties of this product, identifying the potential hazards and giving advice on the handling precautions and emergency procedures. This must be consulted fully before handling, storage and use.

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## SAFETY DATA SHEET

## . IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND COMPANY

### 1.1 Product Identifier

Trade Name Greenox®, AdBlue®, Automotive Urea Solution, AUS, Diesel Exhaust Fluid,

DEF

CAS Number 57-13-6 EINECS Number 200-315-3

REACH Registration Number 01-2119463277-33-xxxx (Urea)
Composition Mixture of urea and water

### 1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Identified use(s): NOx reducing agent, for injection into exhaust system of diesel engines. Industrial use for flue gas

NO<sub>x</sub> reduction.

Uses advised against: None

## 1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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#### 1.4 Emergency telephone number

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### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

# 2.1 Classification of substance or mixture

#### According to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 (CLP).

This product is not classified according to the CLP regulation.

## Classification according to Directive 67/548/EEC or Directive 1999/45/EC

Not classified

#### Information concerning particular hazards for human health and environment:

See section 16 for full text of any R phrases or H statements above see section 11 for more details on any health effects or symptoms.

### 2.2 Label elements

Labelling according to Regulation (EC) 1272/2008: None

Hazard pictograms: None Signal word: None Hazard statements: None

#### 2.3 Other hazards

#### Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT: Not applicable vPvB: Not applicable

### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

**Chemical characterisation:** Mixture

CAS No.: 57-13-6 Description: Urea Identification Numbers: EC Number: 200-315-5

**Chemical characterisation:** Mixtures **Description:** An aqueous solution of urea

**Dangerous components:** There are no ingredients present which, within the current knowledge of the supplier and in the concentrations applicable, are classified as hazardous to health or the environment and hence require reporting in this section. Occupational exposure limits, if available, are listed in Section 8.

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#### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

General advice: No special measures required.

#### Inhalation

Avoid inhalation of vapour mist or spray. If inhaled, supply fresh air. Get medical attention in case of complaints.

#### Skin contact

Immediately rinse with water. If skin irritation continues, get medical attention.

#### Eve contact

Check for and remove any contact lenses. Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Get medical attention if irritation occurs.

#### Ingestion

Rinse out mouth and then drink plenty of water. Do not induce vomiting: call for medical help immediately.

## **Protection of first-aiders**

No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training.

## 4.2 Most import symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Potential acute health effects:

Eye contact: No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Inhalation: Exposure to decomposition products may cause a health hazard. Serious effects may be delayed following exposure.

Skin contact: No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Ingestion: No known significant effects or critical hazards.

### 4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Notes to physician: Treat symptomatically. Contact poison treatment specialist immediately if large quantities have been ingested or inhaled. In case of inhalation of decomposition products in a fire, symptoms may be delayed. The exposed person may need to be kept under medical surveillance for 48 hours.

## 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

#### 5.1 Extinguishing Media

Suitable extinguishing media: Use fire extinguishing methods suitable to surrounding conditions.

Unsuitable extinguishing media: Not known

## 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Hazards from the substance or mixture: In a fire or if heated, a pressure increase will occur and the container may burst. Hazardous thermal decomposition products: Decomposition products may include the following materials carbon dioxide, carbon monoxide, nitrogen oxides and ammonia. Avoid breathing dusts, vapours or fumes from burning materials. In case of inhalation of decomposition products in a fire, symptoms may be delayed.

#### 5.3 Advice for fire-fighters

Special precautions for fire fighters: Promptly isolate the scene by removing all persons from the vicinity of the incident if there is a fire. No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training.

Special protective equipment for fire fighters: Fire-fighters should wear appropriate protective equipment and self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) with a full face-piece operated in positive pressure mode. Clothing for fire-fighters (including helmets, protective boots and gloves) conforming to European standard EN 469 will provide a basic level of protection for chemical incidents.

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

### 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

For non-emergency personnel: No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training. Evacuate surrounding areas. Keep unnecessary and unprotected personnel from entering. Do not touch or walk through spilled material. Put on appropriate personal protective equipment.

For emergency responders: If specialised clothing is required to deal with the spillage, take note of any information in Section 8 on suitable and unsuitable materials. See also the information in "For non-emergency personnel".

### 6.2 Environmental precautions

Do not allow to enter sewers/surface or ground water.

# 6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Absorb with liquid binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust). Send for recovery or disposal in suitable receptacles.

### 6.4 Reference to other sections

No dangerous substances are released. See section 7 for information on safe handling. See section 8 for information on personal protection equipment. See section 13 for disposal information.

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### . HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Prevent formation of aerosols. Ensure good ventilation in the workplace.

Technical measures/ Precautions: Store in a closed, dry room with good ventilation at temperature not below -11 °C and not above +30 °C. Instructions on the limit quantity of the substance/preparation to be stored under the conditions specified: no.

Information about fire and explosion protection: No special measures required

### 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage

Keep containers closed until required. Store away from oxidising agents. See section 10. Protect from frost, store in cool, dry conditions in well-sealed receptacles.

### 7.3 Specific end use(s)

Store out of direct sunlight and below 30°C to keep product in best condition. For use in catalytic SCR systems the product must not be stored in, or come into contact at any point with: mild steel, aluminium, brass or copper as these will poison the catalyst.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Additional information about design of technical facilities: No further data, see section 7.

#### **8.1 Control Parameters**

Ingredients with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:

The product does not contain any relevant quantities of materials with critical values that have to be monitored at the workplace.

#### 8.2 Exposure controls

Personal protective equipment:

Select PPE appropriate for the operations taking place into account the product properties.

### General protective and hygiene measures

Avoid close or long term contact with the skin. Do not eat, drink, smoke or sniff while working. Avoid contact with the skin. Do not inhale gases, fumes or aerosols. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.

#### Eye/face protection

Safety glasses.

## Hand protection

Wear gloves impermeable to the product.

#### Respiratory protection

In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection. Recommended: Filter P2 (EN143)

### **Body protection**

Protective work clothing.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties			
Appearance	Fluid		
Colour	Clear		
Odour	Ammonia like or odourless		
pH-value at 20°C	8-10		
Melting point (°C)	-11℃		
Boiling point (°C)	100°C		
Decomposition temperature	Not determined		
Self-igniting	Product is not self-igniting		
Danger of explosion	Product does not present an explosion hazard		
Flash point	Not applicable		
Flammability	Not flammable		
Explosion limits	Not determined		
Vapour pressure at 20°C	23 hPa		
Density at 20°C	$1.087 \text{ to } 1.093 \text{ g/cm}^3$		
Solubility in/miscibility with water	Fully miscible		
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water)	Not determined. Inorganic substance.		
Viscosity	1.4 mPa.s @20°C		

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### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

#### 10.1 Reactivity

Stable under regular conditions.

### 10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under regular conditions.

### Thermal decomposition/conditions to be avoided

The residue upon evaporation decomposes on heating above 220°C producing toxic gases.

### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Reacts violently with strong oxidants, nitrates, inorganic chlorides, chlorites and perchlorates causing fire and explosion hazard.

### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

For intended use, avoid contamination with metal, dust or organic matter.

### 10.5 Incompatible materials

Strong oxidising agents, nitrate, chlorites and perchlorates. For intended use, the product must not be in contact with mild steel, aluminium, brass, copper or alloys as these can damage the catalyst system.

### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Under normal conditions none.

### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity

Acute oral toxicity: LD50: 8471 mg/kg bw (for urea).

Acute dermal toxicity: LD50: 8200 mg/kg bw (for urea).

Acute inhalation toxicity: not relevant.

Skin irritation or/and sensitization: Not irritating. Not sensitizing effect known.

Mutagenicity: Ames-test: negative

Carcinogenicity: Ames-test: negative

Reproductive toxicity: Ames-test: negative

Specific toxicity for particular organ (STOT) (one time effect): None.

Specific toxicity for particular organ (STOT) (repeated effect): None.

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

## 12.1 Toxicity

Aquatic toxicity

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EC50 >10000 mg/kg (daphnia)

## 12.2 Persistence and degradability

Biodegradable

### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

Product is not expected to bioaccumulate

#### 12.4 Mobility in soil

No further relevant information available

#### 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB

**PBT:** Not applicable

vPvB: Not applicable

# 12.6 Other adverse effects

No further relevant information available.

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

## 13.1 Waste treatment methods

#### Recommendation

Recommended Hierarchy of Controls:

Minimise waste

Reuse if not contaminated

Recycle, e.g. dilution and use as fertilizer

Safe disposal (if all else fails).

#### European waste catalogue

Waste code 06 10 99 (wastes not otherwise specified)

## 13.2 Uncleaned packaging

Recommendation: Disposal must be made according to official regulations

Recommended cleansing agents: Water if necessary together with cleansing agents

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## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

This product is not classed as hazardous for transport (ADR, RID, IMDG).

# 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

# 15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

EU Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH) Annex XIV - List of substances subject to authorization Substances of very high concern: Not applicable.

Other EU regulations

Europe inventory: All components are listed or exempted.

Seveso II Directive

This product is not controlled under the Seveso II Directive. National regulations

Notes: To our knowledge no other country or state specific regulations are applicable.

### 15.2 Chemical safety assessment: A chemical safety assessment has not been carried out.

### 16. OTHER INFORMATION

#### **Abbreviations**

EC50: median effective concentration LC50: median lethal concentration

LD50: median lethal dose

NOEC: no observable effect concentration

OEL: occupational exposure limit

PBT: persistent, bioaccumulative, toxic chemical

PNEC: predicted no-effect concentration

STEL: short-term exposure limit TWA: time weighted average

vPvB: very persistent, very bioaccumulative chemical

## Source of key data used to compile the data sheet

Supplier information

### **Modifications from last revision**

Reviewed and revalidated

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