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## **ECON BURNER FUEL OIL (ECBFO)**

## 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY

Trade name: ECON BURNER FUEL OIL (ECBFO)
Synonyms: Light Oil, Oil Distillate, LO10

**Usages:** Heating Fuel, Fuel for boilers, industrial furnaces and other combustion

equipment.

**Restrictions:** This product should not be used in applications other than those recommended by

the manufacturer without first seeking the advice.

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Spill Response: TBA

## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### Identification of the risks

R40 Limited evidence of a carcinogenic effect (Annex III of European Union Directive 67/548/EEC)





COMBUSTIBLE LIQUID. HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED. ASPIRATION HAZARD IF SWALLOWED. CAN ENTER LUNGS AND CAUSE DAMAGE. KEEP AWAY FROM HEAT, SPARKS AND FLAME. AVOID EXPOSURE - OBTAIN SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE USE. DO NOT BREATHE VAPOR OR MIST. DO NOT INGEST. IF INGESTED, DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING. AVOID CONTACT WITH EYES, SKIN AND CLOTHING. CONTAINS MATERIAL WHICH MAY CAUSE CANCER, BASED ON ANIMAL DATA. RISK OF CANCER DEPENDS ON DURATION AND LEVEL OF EXPOSURE. USE ONLY WITH ADEQUATE VENTILATION. KEEP CONTAINER TIGHTLY CLOSED AND SEALED UNTIL READY FOR USE. WASH THOROUGHLY AFTER HANDLING.



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Emergency response data: Dark brown Viscous liquid. Flammable. The product can form flammable mixtures or will burn on heating above the flashpoint. However, contaminations by hydrocarbons of higher volatility may increase thehazard.

### Potential health effects

Inhalation: Respiratory irritation, dizziness, nausea and loss of consciousness. In cases of extreme exposure death is possible.

Skin: Irritation or more serious skin disorders. Prolonged skin contact may

produce serious toxic effects including skin cancer, liver damage, bloodeffects and effects on unborn. Toxic effects are unlikely to occur if goodpersonal hygiene is practiced.

Eye: Practically non-irritating.
Ingestion: Harmful if swallowed.

#### **Emergency response data**

Light Amber Liquid. Material is combustible. Product can accumulate a static charge and release vapours which may cause a fire or explosion. DOT ERG No.: 128

## 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Physical State: Liquid

Chemistry: Complex mixture of hydrocarbons consisting of paraffins, cycloparaffins, aromatic and

olefinic hydrocarbons with carbon numbers predominantly in the C9 to C25 range. May contain catalytically cracked oils in which polycyclic aromatic compounds are present.

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Inhalation: Remove from further exposure. If respiratory irritation, dizziness, nausea, or

unconsciousness occurs, seek immediate medical assistance. If breathing has stopped,

assist ventilation with mechanical device or use mouth-to-mouth resuscitation.

Skin contact: Remove contaminated clothing. Dry wipe exposed skin and cleanse with hand cleaner, soap

and water. Launder contaminated clothing before reuse.

Eye contact: Flush thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical assistance.

Ingestion: Seek immediate medical attention. Do not induce vomiting.

Note to doctors: Material if aspirated into the lungs may cause chemical pneumonitis. Skin contact may

aggravate an existing dermatitis. Treat appropriately.

#### 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Flammability of the product: Combustible liquid

Extinguishing media: Carbon dioxide, foam, dry chemical and water fog.

Special fire fighting procedure: Water spray should only be used to keep fire-exposed containers cool, flush

spills away from exposures, disperse vapours and protect personnel attempting to stop leak. Prevent runoff from fire control or dilution from

entering streams, municipal sewers, or drinking water supply.

Special protective equipment for firefighters: For fires in enclosed areas, fire fighters must use Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus. Unusual fire and explosivehazards: Hydrogen sulphide may be present which can accumulate to hazardouslevels in enclosed spaces.

Products of decomposition: Fumes, smoke, carbon monoxide, sulphur oxides, aldehydes and other decomposition products, in the case of incomplete combustion.

Flash Point : > 55 °C (ASTM D-93)

NFPA Hazard Id: Health: 3; Flammability: 2; Reactivity: 0



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Protective clothing (fire):

carbon oxides (CO, CO2) (carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide)
Fire-fighters should wear appropriate protective equipment and selfcontained breathing apparatus (SCBA) with a full face-piece operated in
positive pressure mode.

### **6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

### Personal precautions:

Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Remove all sources of ignition. Do not breathe vapours or spray mist.

#### **Environmental precautions:**

Prevent product from entering drains. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

### Methods for cleaning up:

Soak up with inert absorbent material and dispose of as hazardous waste.

#### Additional advice

Never return spills in original containers for re-use.

#### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

## Handling

#### Safe handling advice:

Avoid inhalation of vapour or mist. Wear personal protective equipment.

#### Advice on protection against fire and explosion:

Keep away from heat and sources of ignition.

Do not ingest. Never siphon by mouth. If ingested, do not induce vomiting. Put on appropriate personal Protective equipment. Workers should wash hands and face before eating, drinking and smoking. Do not get in eyes or on skin or clothing. Do not breathe vapor or mist. Use only with adequate ventilation. Wear appropriate respirator when ventilation is inadequate. Do not enter storage areas and confined spaces unless adequately ventilated. Store and use away from heat, sparks, open flame or any other ignition source. Use explosion-proof electrical (ventilating, lighting and material handling) equipment. Use non-sparking tools. Take precautionary measures against electrostatic discharges. To avoid fire or explosion, dissipate static electricity during transfer by grounding and bonding containers and equipment before transferring material.

#### Storage

## Requirements for storage areas and containers

Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.



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Store in accordance with local regulations. Store in a segregated and approved area. Store away from direct sunlight in a dry, cool and well-ventilated area, away from incompatible materials. Eliminate all ignition sources. Separate from oxidizing materials. Keep container tightly closed and sealed until ready for use. Containers that have been opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Do not store in unlabeled containers. Use appropriate containment to avoid environmental contamination.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Components with workplace control parameters

#### NATIONAL OCCUPATIONAL EXPOSURE LIMITS

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

#### **EUROPEAN OCCUPATIONAL EXPOSURE LIMITS**

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

### **Engineering measures**

Provide sufficient air exchange and/or exhaust in work rooms.

#### Personal protective equipment

#### Respiratory protection

In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment. Respirator with combination filter for vapour/particulate (EN 141).

## **Hand protection**

Impervious gloves

## Eye protection

Safety glasses with side-shields

## Skin and body protection

Protective suit, Safety shoes

#### **Hygiene measures**

Wash hands before work breaks and immediately after handling the product.

#### **Protective measures**

Wear suitable protective equipment.

#### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Form liquid State of matter liquid

OdourHydrocarbon-likeMelting point/range-34 - -18 °CBoiling point/boiling range160 - 380 °C

Flash point > 55 °C; Closed cup

Autoignition temperature 225 °C Lower explosion limit 1.3 %(V)



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Upper explosion limit

**Density** 0.82 - 0.95g/cm3; 20 °C

Water solubility Immiscible

### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Materials to avoid Oxidizing agents, Reducing agents

Hazardous decomposition products Carbon oxides

**Thermal decomposition** Cracking to lighter hydrocarbons.

### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute oral toxicity

Fuels, diesel Gasoil: LD50: 7,500 mg/kg; (literature value)

Acute inhalation toxicity

Fuels, diesel Gasoil: LC50 rat: < 10 mg/l; ; 4 h(literature value)

Acute dermal toxicity

Fuels, diesel Gasoil: LD50 rabbit: > 2,000 mg/kg; (literature value)

**Skin irritation** 

Fuels, diesel Gasoil: rabbit: Severe skin irritation;

### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity effects
Toxicity to fish

LC50 Brachydanio rerio:

o rerio: > 100 mg/l; 96 h; OECD Test Guideline 203

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates

EC50 Daphnia magna: > 100 mg/l; 48 h; OECD Test Guideline 202

Toxicity to algae

EC50 Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata:

> 1,000 mg/l; 72 h; OECD Test Guideline 201

Toxicity to bacteria

EC50; Vibrio fisheri; > 1,000 mg/l; 30 min

### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

**Product** Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

Contaminated packaging Store containers and offer for recycling of material when in

accordance with the local regulations.

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IMDG UN number: 1202; Class: 3; EmS: F-E, S-E; Packaging group: III; Description of the goods: FUEL

ICAO/IATA UN number: 1202; Class: 3; Packaging group: III; Description of the goods: fuel

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

## Labelling

Regulatory base: 67/548/EEC Symbol(s) Xn: Harmful

R-phrase(s) R40: Limited evidence of a carcinogenic effect. S-phrase(s) S36/37: Wear suitable protective clothing and gloves. Hazardous components which must be listed on the label: Fuels











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#### WARNING!

COMBUSTIBLE LIQUID AND VAPOUR. RESPIRATORY IRRITATION, HEADACHE, DIZZINESS, NAUSEA, LOSS OF CONSCIOUSNESS, AND IN CASES OF EXTREME EXPOSURE, POSSIBLY DEATH. LOW VISCOSITY MATERIAL-IF SWALLOWED, MAY BE ASPIRATED AND CAN CAUSE SERIOUS OR FATAL LUNG DAMAGE.

MAY CAUSE SKIN CANCER ON PROLONGED, REPEATED SKIN CONTACT. ANIMAL SKIN ABSORPTION STUDIES RESULTED IN INCREASED MORTALITY, EFFECTS ON BODY WEIGHT, THE IMMUNE SYSTEM AND THE UNBORN CHILD. PROLONGED, REPEATED SKIN CONTACT MAY CAUSE IRRITATION. DIESEL FUMES MAY CAUSE LUNG CANCER.

#### **SAFETY:**

KEEP AWAY FROM HEAT AND FLAME. AVOID PROLONGED OR REPEATED OVEREXPOSURE BY SKIN CONTACT OR INHALATION. USE WITH ADEQUATE VENTILATION. KEEP CONTAINER CLOSED. KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.

#### FIRST AID:

IF INHALED, REMOVE FROM FURTHER EXPOSURE. IF RESPIRATORY IRRITATION, DIZZINESS, NAUSEA, OR UNCONSCIOUSNESS OCCURS, SEEK IMMEDIATE MEDICAL ASSISTANCE. IF BREATHING HAS STOPPED, ASSIST VENTILATION WITH A MECHANICAL DEVICE OR USE MOUTH-TO-MOUTH RESUSCITATION. IN CASE OF CONTACT, REMOVE CONTAMINATED CLOTHING. DRY WIPE THE EXPOSED SKIN AND CLEANSE WITH WATERLESS HAND CLEANER AND FOLLOW BY WASHING THOROUGHLY WITH SOAP AND WATER. FOR THOSE PROVIDING ASSISTANCE, AVOID FURTHER SKIN CONTACT TO YOURSELF AND OTHERS. WEAR IMPERVIOUS GLOVES. IF SWALLOWED, SEEK IMMEDIATE MEDICAL ATTENTION. DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING. ONLY INDUCE VOMITING AT THE INSTRUCTION OF A PHYSICIAN.

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