



SAFETY DATA SHEET
“SOOT – LOOSE CHIMNEY & FLUE CLEANER”

SECTION 1 – PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION			
Product Name:	“SOOT – LOOSE CHIMNEY & FLUE CLEANER”		
Distributor:	Rubbedin Pty Ltd		
Address:	Unit 1/43 Neumann Road Capalaba QLD 4157		
Regular Phone No:	(07) 3245 3255	FAX:	(07) 3245 2554
Emergency Phone No:	0405358685	Email:	info@rubbedin.com.au
Substance:	Granular powder	Product Use:	Chimney and flue cleaner.
Product Code:	06-00		

SECTION 2 – HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION	
Classification of the substance or mixture	
SUSMP Poisons Schedule	This product is NOT classified as a Scheduled Poison according to the SUSMP.
Dangerous Goods	This product is NOT classified as Dangerous Goods according to the Australian Dangerous Goods (ADG) Code.
GHS Classification	None allocated
Label elements	
GHS label pictograms	None allocated
Signal word	None allocated
Hazard statement(s)	
	None allocated
Precautionary statement(s): General	
	Keep out of reach of children.
Precautionary statement(s): Prevention	
	None allocated
Precautionary statement(s): Response	
	None allocated
Precautionary statement(s): Storage	
	Store in accordance with local regulatory requirements.
Precautionary statement(s): Disposal	
	Dispose of contents / container in accordance with local regulations.
Note	
IMPORTANT	This SDS and the Hazard Classifications contained therein, only apply to the product in its concentrated form, as supplied. Good hygiene and housekeeping practices should be adhered to.

SECTION 3 – INGREDIENTS		
Ingredients:	CAS Number:	Proportion:
Ingredients determined to be non-hazardous at the concentrations used.	Various	100%
NOTE: Ingredients determined not to be hazardous are present in concentrations that do not exceed the relevant cut-off concentrations as found from SWA publication “List of Designated Hazardous Substances” or have been found NOT to meet the criteria of a hazardous substance as defined in the SWA publication “Approved Criteria for Classifying Hazardous Substances”, or have been found NOT to meet the criteria of a dangerous substance as defined in the GLOBALLY HARMONIZED SYSTEM OF CLASSIFICATION AND LABELLING OF CHEMICALS (GHS). Listed ingredients may be below the cut-off concentrations for classification as hazardous, but are listed for information purposes and for additive effects.		



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SECTION 4 - EMERGENCY AND FIRST AID PROCEDURES	
Scheduled Poisons	Poisons Information Centre in each Australian State capital city or in Christchurch, New Zealand can provide additional assistance for scheduled poisons. (Phone Australia 131126 or New Zealand 0800 764 766).
First Aid Facilities	Normal washroom facilities.
Skin contact	Wash skin with plenty of water. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before re-use. Seek medical advice (e.g. doctor) if irritation, burning or redness develops.
Eye contact	Immediately irrigate with water for at least 20 minutes. Eyelids to be held open. Seek medical advice (e.g. ophthalmologist) if any irritation persists.
Ingestion	Do NOT induce vomiting. Rinse mouth thoroughly with water immediately. Give water to drink. If vomiting occurs, give further water to achieve effective dilution. Seek medical advice (e.g. doctor).
Inhalation	Remove victim to fresh air away from exposure - avoid becoming a casualty. Seek medical advice (e.g. doctor) if symptoms persist.
Advice to Doctor	Treat symptomatically. All treatments should be based on observed signs and symptoms of distress of the patient.
Aggravated Medical Conditions	None known.

SECTION 5 – FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES	
Fire and Explosion Hazards	Combustible solid. If involved in a fire will emit toxic fumes of combustion.
Extinguishing Media	Use an extinguishing media suitable for surrounding fires.
Fire Fighting	Keep containers exposed to extreme heat cool with water spray. Fire fighters to wear self-contained breathing apparatus if risk of exposure to products of combustion or decomposition. Evacuate area - move upwind of fire.
Flash Point	Not determined.



SECTION 6 – ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES	
Emergency Procedures	No HAZCHEM code.
Occupational Release	Minor spills do not normally need any special clean-up measures. In the event of a major spill, prevent spillage from entering drains or water courses. For large spills, or tank rupture, consider initial evacuation distance of 200 metres in all directions. Stop leak if safe to do so. If available, use water spray to disperse vapour. Wear appropriate protective equipment as in section 8 below to prevent skin and eye contamination. Spilt material may result in a slip hazard and should be absorbed into dry, inert material (e.g. sand, earth or vermiculite), which then can be put into appropriately labelled drums for disposal by an approved agent according to local conditions. Residual deposits will remain slippery. Wash area down with excess water. If contamination of sewers or waterways has occurred advise the local emergency services. In the event of a large spillage notify the local environment protection authority or emergency services.

SECTION 7 – HANDLING AND STORAGE	
Handling	Avoid contact with incompatible materials. When handling, DO NOT eat, drink or smoke. Keep containers closed at all times. Avoid physical damage to containers. Always wash hands with water after handling.
Storage	Store in a cool, dry, place with good ventilation. Avoid storing in aluminium and light alloy containers. Store away from incompatible materials (Section 10). Keep containers closed at all times – check regularly for leaks.



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SECTION 8 – EXPOSURE CONTROLS AND PERSONAL PROTECTION	
Exposure Limits	National Occupational Exposure Limits, as published by Safe Work Australia: Time-weighted Average (TWA): None established for specific product. See SECTION 3 for Exposure Limits of individual ingredients. Short Term Exposure Limit (STEL): None established for specific product. Exposure Limits of individual ingredients: None allocated
Engineering Controls	No special requirements.
Personal Protective Equipment	This product is not classified as hazardous according to the criteria of Safe Work Australia. Use good occupational work practice. The use of protective clothing and equipment depends upon the degree and nature of exposure. Final choice of appropriate protection will vary according to individual circumstances i.e. methods of handling or engineering controls and according to risk assessments undertaken. The following protective equipment should be available;
Eye Protection 	Generally not required to handle as per label directions. The use of safety glasses with side shield protection, goggles or face shield is recommended to handle in quantity, cleaning up spills, decanting, etc. Contact lenses pose a special hazard ; soft lenses may absorb irritants and all lenses concentrate them.
Skin Protection 	Generally not required to handle as per label directions. Overalls, work boots and elbow length gloves are recommended for handling the concentrated product (as per AS/NZS 2161, or as recommended by supplier) to handle in quantity, cleaning up spills, decanting, etc.
Protective Material Types	Material suitable for detergent contact – Butyl rubber, Natural Latex, Neoprene, PVC, and Nitrile.
Respirator	Not required for normal cleaning operations.

SECTION 9 – PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES			
Physical State	Granular solid	Colour	Black
Odour	Faint	Specific Gravity	0.55-0.85 @ 25 °C
Boiling Point	Solid	Freezing Point	Not available
Vapour Pressure	Not available	Vapour Density	Not available
Flash Point	Not available - solid	Flammable Limits	None
Water Solubility	Partially miscible	pH	5.0 - 8.0 in 10% soln
Volatile Organic Compounds (VOC)	Not available	Coefficient of Water/Oil Distribution	Not available
Viscosity	Not available	Odour Threshold	Not available
Evaporation Rate	Not available	Per Cent Volatile	Ca 15 % v/v

SECTION 10 – STABILITY AND REACTIVITY	
Chemical Stability	Stable at normal temperatures and pressure.
Conditions to Avoid	Oxidising agents.
Incompatible Materials	Oxidising agents.
Hazardous Decomposition	Product can decompose on combustion to form Carbon Monoxide, Carbon Dioxide, and other possibly toxic gases and vapours.
Hazardous Reactions	None known.



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SECTION 11 – TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS	
No adverse health effects expected if the product is handled in accordance with this Safety Data Sheet and the product label. Symptoms or effects that may arise if the product is mishandled and overexposure occurs are:	
Ingestion	
short term exposure	Ingestion of this product may cause nausea, vomiting, abdominal pain and irritation to the mouth, throat and stomach.
long term exposure	No information available.
Skin contact	
short term exposure	Generally, not irritating in contact with skin. Prolonged contact with concentrated material may cause irritation in certain individuals.
long term exposure	Prolonged and repeated skin contact with undiluted solutions may induce eczematoid dermatitis.
Eye contact	
short term exposure	Eye contact may cause stinging, blurring, tearing, pain.
long term exposure	No information available.
Inhalation	
short term exposure	Inhalation of mists or aerosols may produce mucous membrane and respiratory irritation.
long term exposure	No information available.
Carcinogen Status	
SWA	No significant ingredient is classified as carcinogenic by SWA.
NTP	No significant ingredient is classified as carcinogenic by NTP.
IARC	No significant ingredient is classified as carcinogenic by IARC.
Respiratory sensitisation	Not expected to be a respiratory sensitizer.
Skin Sensitisation	Not expected to be a skin sensitizer.
Germ cell mutagenicity	Not considered to be a mutagenic hazard.
Reproductive Toxicity	Not considered to be toxic to reproduction.
STOT-single exposure	No information available.
STOT-repeated exposure	No information available.
Aspiration Hazard	Not expected to be an aspiration hazard.

SECTION 12 – ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Eco-toxicity Product (as sold)	None available for specific product
Persistence and degradability	Individual components have been specifically included in this product because they are known to be readily biodegradable and of low toxicity to fish and other aquatic organisms.
Bio accumulative potential	None available for specific product.
Mobility in soil	None available for specific product.
Other adverse effects	None available for specific product.
Environmental Protection	Expected to be harmful to aquatic species. Product miscible in all proportions with water. As with any chemical product, do not discharge BULK quantities into drains, waterways, sewer or environment. Inform local authorities if this occurs.

SECTION 13 – DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal	To dispose of quantities of undiluted product, refer to State Land Waste Management Authority. Transfer product residues to a labelled, sealed container for disposal or recovery. Waste disposal must be by an accredited contractor. As with any chemical, do not put down the drain in quantity.
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SECTION 14 – TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Labels Required			
ADG	Not classified as Dangerous Goods.		
IMDG Marine Pollutant	No		
Land Transport (ADG)			
UN Number	none allocated	ADG Classification	none allocated
Shipping Name	none allocated	ADG Subsidiary Risk	none allocated
Hazchem Code	none allocated	Packing Group	none allocated

SECTION 15 – REGULATORY INFORMATION

GHS Classification	Not classified as Hazardous according to the Globally Harmonised System of Classification and labelling of Chemicals (GHS) including Work, Health and Safety regulations, Australia.
SUSMP	This product is NOT classified as a Scheduled Poison according to the SUSMP.
ADG Code	This product is NOT classified as Dangerous Goods .
AICS	All ingredients present on AICS.

SECTION 16 – OTHER INFORMATION

Issue Date	5 th November 2021
Version Number	V 4.0
Abbreviations and acronyms	<p>ADG Code: Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail.</p> <p>AICS: Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances.</p> <p>CAS Number: Chemical Abstracts Service Registry Number.</p> <p>GHS: Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals</p> <p>HAZCHEM: An emergency action code of numbers and letters which gives information to emergency services.</p> <p>HCIS: Hazardous Chemicals Information System</p> <p>IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer.</p> <p>NTP: National Toxicology Program (USA).</p> <p>SDS: Safety Data Sheet</p> <p>SWA: Safe Work Australia</p> <p>STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit.</p> <p>SUSMP: Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons.</p> <p>TWA: Time Weighted Average.</p> <p>UN Number: United Nations Number.</p>
Literature references	<p>Preparation of Safety Data Sheets for Hazardous Chemicals – Code of Practice (Safe Work Australia)</p> <p>GHS Hazardous Chemical Information List (Safe Work Australia)</p> <p>Guidance on the Classification of Hazardous Chemicals under the WHS Regulations.</p> <p>Global Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (GHS)</p> <p>“Australian Exposure Standards”. Safework Australia</p> <p>Australian Code For The Transport Of Dangerous Goods By Road And Rail</p> <p>Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons</p> <p>Safety Data Sheets – individual raw materials – Suppliers</p> <p>HCIS – Hazardous Chemical Information System – National Safe Work Australia Data Base.</p>



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This SDS summarizes at the date of issue our best knowledge of the health and safety hazard information of this product, and in particular how to safely handle and use this product in the workplace. Since the supplier cannot anticipate or control the conditions under which the product may be used, each user must, prior to usage, review this SDS in the context of how the user intends to handle and use the product in the workplace. If clarification or further information is needed to ensure that an appropriate assessment can be made, the user should contact this supplier.

The SDS is valid for five years from date of issue but may be withdrawn and revised at any time prior to that date. All information contained in the Data Sheet is as accurate as possible at the time of issue. It is meant to describe the safety requirements of our products and should not be construed as guaranteeing specific properties. No expressed or implied warranties nor any responsibility for damages resulting from use of the information are given other than those implied mandatory by Commonwealth, State or Territory Legislation. If this product is to be re-packaged by others, it will be necessary for a new SDS to be generated by the re-packer.

End of SDS