

# GE Water & Process Technologies

# Material Safety Data Sheet

# **HYPERSPERSE MDC700**

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# 1 Identification

Identification of substance or preparation HYPERSPERSE MDC700

Product Application Area
Membrane deposit control agent

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# 2 Hazard(s) identification

## EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

### CAUTION

May cause slight irritation to the skin. May cause slight irritation to the eyes. Mists/aerosols may cause irritation to upper respiratory tract.

DOT hazard is not applicable Odor: Slight; Appearance: Light Yellow To Amber, Liquid

Fire fighters should wear positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus(full face-piece type). Proper fire-extinguishing media: dry chemical, carbon dioxide, foam or water

# POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS

### ACUTE SKIN EFFECTS:

Primary route of exposure; May cause slight irritation to the skin.

### ACUTE EYE EFFECTS:

May cause slight irritation to the eyes.

### ACUTE RESPIRATORY EFFECTS:

Mists/aerosols may cause irritation to upper respiratory tract.

#### INGESTION EFFECTS:

May cause gastrointestinal irritation.

#### TARGET ORGANS:

No evidence of potential chronic effects.

#### MEDICAL CONDITIONS AGGRAVATED:

Not known.

### SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE:

May cause redness or itching of skin.

# 3 Composition / information on ingredients

Information for specific product ingredients as required by the U.S. OSHA HAZARD COMMUNICATION STANDARD is listed. Refer to additional sections of this MSDS for our assessment of the potential hazards of this formulation.

#### HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS:

This product is not hazardous as defined by OSHA regulations.

No component is considered to be a carcinogen by the National Toxicology Program, the International Agency for Research on Cancer, or the Occupational Safety and Health Administration at OSHA thresholds for carcinogens.

# 4 First-aid measures

## SKIN CONTACT:

Wash thoroughly with soap and water. Remove contaminated clothing. Get medical attention if irritation develops or persists.

## EYE CONTACT:

Remove contact lenses. Hold eyelids apart. Immediately flush eyes with plenty of low-pressure water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention if irritation persists after flushing.

## INHALATION:

If nasal, throat or lung irritation develops - remove to fresh air and get medical attention.

## INGESTION:

Do not feed anything by mouth to an unconscious or convulsive victim. Do not induce vomiting. Immediately contact physician. Dilute contents of stomach using 2-8 fluid ounces (60-240 mL) of milk or water.

### NOTES TO PHYSICIANS:

No special instructions

# 5 Fire-fighting measures

### FIRE FIGHTING INSTRUCTIONS:

Fire fighters should wear positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (full face-piece type).

### EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:

dry chemical, carbon dioxide, foam or water

#### HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS:

oxides of carbon, nitrogen, phosphorus and sulfur FLASH POINT:

> 213F > 101C P-M(CC)

# 6 Accidental release measures

### PROTECTION AND SPILL CONTAINMENT:

Ventilate area. Use specified protective equipment. Contain and absorb on absorbent material. Place in waste disposal container. Flush area with water. Wet area may be slippery. Spread sand/grit.

## DISPOSAL INSTRUCTIONS:

Water contaminated with this product may be sent to a sanitary sewer treatment facility, in accordance with any local agreement, a permitted waste treatment facility or discharged under a permit. Product as is - Incinerate or land dispose in an approved landfill.

# 7 Handling and storage

#### HANDLING:

Normal chemical handling.

### STORAGE:

Keep containers closed when not in use. Do not freeze. If frozen, thaw and mix completely prior to use.

# 8 Exposure controls / personal protection

### EXPOSURE LIMITS

This product is not hazardous as defined by OSHA regulations.

### ENGINEERING CONTROLS:

adequate ventilation

# PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT:

Use protective equipment in accordance with 29CFR 1910 Subpart I RESPIRATORY PROTECTION:

A RESPIRATORY PROTECTION PROGRAM THAT MEETS OSHA'S 29 CFR 1910.134 AND ANSI Z88.2 REQUIREMENTS MUST BE FOLLOWED WHENEVER WORKPLACE CONDITIONS WARRANT A RESPIRATOR'S USE.

USE AIR PURIFYING RESPIRATORS WITHIN USE LIMITATIONS ASSOCIATED WITH THE EQUIPMENT OR ELSE USE SUPPLIED AIR-RESPIRATORS.

If air-purifying respirator use is appropriate, use any of the following particulate respirators: N95, N99, N100, R95, R99, R100, P95, P99 or P100.

### SKIN PROTECTION:

rubber, butyl, viton or neoprene gloves -- Wash off after each use. Replace as necessary.

# EYE PROTECTION:

splash proof chemical goggles

# 9 Physical and chemical properties

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Vapor Pressure (mmHG)
                                                        ~ 18.0
Spec. Grav. (70F, 21C)
                     1.130
Freeze Point (F)
                      23
                                    Vapor Density (air=1)
Freeze Point (C)
Viscosity(cps 70F,21C) 22
                                % Solubility (water)
                                                         100.0
Odor
                                Slight
                                Light Yellow To Amber
Appearance
                                Liquid
Physical State
                 P-M(CC)
                               > 213F > 100C
Flash Point
                                4.7
pH As Is (approx.)
                                < 1.00
Evaporation Rate (Ether=1)
Percent VOC:
                                 0.0
NA = not applicable ND = not determined
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# 10 Stability and reactivity

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CHEMICAL STABILITY:

Stable under normal storage conditions.

POSSIBILITY OF HAZARDOUS REACTIONS:

No known hazardous reactions.

INCOMPATIBILITIES:

May react with strong oxidizers.

DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS:

oxides of carbon, nitrogen, phosphorus and sulfur
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# 11 Toxicological information

No Data Available.

# 12 Ecological information

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AQUATIC TOXICOLOGY

Daphnia magna 48 Hour Static Screen

0% Mortality= 2500; 50% Mortality= 5000 mg/L

Fathead Minnow 96 Hour Static Bioassay with 48-Hour Renewal

0% Mortality= 5000 mg/L

Menidia beryllina (Silversides) 96 Hour Static Acute Bioassay (pH adjusted)

LC50= 23100; No Effect Level= 6250 mg/L

Mysid Shrimp 48 Hour Static Acute Bioassay (pH adjusted)

LC50= 13800; No Effect Level= 6250 mg/L

BIODEGRADATION

BOD-28 (mg/g): 12

BOD-5 (mg/g): 9

COD (mg/g): 190

TOC (mg/g): 70
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# 13 Disposal considerations

If this undiluted product is discarded as a waste, the US RCRA hazardous waste identification number is:
Not applicable.

Please be advised; however, that state and local requirements for waste disposal may be more restrictive or otherwise different from federal regulations. Consult state and local regulations regarding the proper disposal of this material.

# 14 Transport information

Transportation Hazard: Not Applicable
DOT: Not Regulated

DOT EMERGENCY RESPONSE GUIDE #: Not applicable
Note: Some containers may be DOT exempt, please check BOL for exact container classification
IATA: Not Regulated

IMDG: Not Regulated

# 15 Regulatory information

TSCA:

All components of this product are included on or are in compliance with the U.S. TSCA regulations.

CERCLA AND/OR SARA REPORTABLE QUANTITY (RQ):

No regulated constituent present at OSHA thresholds

NSF Registered and/or meets USDA (according to 1998 Guidelines):

Registration number: Not Registered

This product contains ingredients that have been determined as safe for use in systems for cooking or cooling containers of meat and/or poultry and in systems with no food contact. (G5, G7)

SARA SECTION 312 HAZARD CLASS:

Product is non-hazardous under Section 311/312

SARA SECTION 302 CHEMICALS:

No regulated constituent present at OSHA thresholds

SARA SECTION 313 CHEMICALS:

No regulated constituent present at OSHA thresholds

CALIFORNIA REGULATORY INFORMATION

CALIFORNIA SAFE DRINKING WATER AND TOXIC ENFORCEMENT ACT (PROPOSITION 65):

This product contains one or more ingredients at trace levels known to the state of California to cause cancer and reproductive toxicity.

MICHIGAN REGULATORY INFORMATION

No regulated constituent present at OSHA thresholds

# 16 Other information

HMIS VII CODE TRANSLATION

Health 1 Slight Hazard

Fire	0	Minimal Hazard
Reactivity	0	Minimal Hazard
Special	NONE	No special Hazard
(1) Protective Equipment	В	Goggles, Gloves

(1) refer to section 8 of MSDS for additional protective equipment recommendations.

# CHANGE LOG

	EFFECTIVE DATE	REVISIONS TO SECTION:	SUPERCEDES
MSDS status:	05-JUN-2000		** NEW **
	15-AUG-2000	15	05-JUN-2000
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