

8461

WHITE LITHIUM GREASE

Safety Data Sheet

Section 1: Product and Company Identification

Product Identifier and Other Means of Identification

Product Name: White Lithium Grease SDS Code: 8461 Related Part # 8461-85ML, 8461-1P

Recommended Use and Restriction on Use

Use: Multi-purpose lubricant

Uses Advised Against: Not applicable

Details of Manufacturer or Importer

Manufacturer MG Chemicals 1210 Corporate Drive Burlington, Ontario L7L 5R6 CANADA

MG Chemicals (Head Office) 9347-193 Street Surrey, British Columbia V4N 4E7 CANADA

***** +1-800-340-0772

 Fax
 +1-800-340-0773

 E-MAIL

 www.mgchemicals.com

 Image: mail with the system
 the system

E-MAIL (Competent Person): sds@mgchemicals.com

Emergency Phone Number

For hazardous material incidents ONLY—leaks, spills, fires, exposures or accidents USA or CANADA: Call CHEMTREC ☎: +1-800-424-9300

For emergencies involving dangerous goods; Collect 24/7 CANADA: Call CANUTEC ☎: +1-613-996-6666 or *666 on cellular phones



8461

Section 2: Hazards Identification

Classification of Hazardous Chemical

GHS Categories

Criteria		Category	Signal Word	Pictograms
Hazardous to Aquatic Environment	Acute	3	None	None

Note: The degree of severity is ranked within each hazard class from 1 (Highest Severity) to up to 5 (Lowest Severity). Severity categories rankings do not allow comparisons between classes.

Label Elements

Signal Word	No signal word
Pictograms	Hazard Statements
No pictogram	H412: Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects
Prevention	Precautionary Statements
P273	Avoid release to the environment.
Response	Precautionary Statements
Not applicable	Not applicable
Storage	Precautionary Statements
Not applicable	Not applicable
Disposal	Precautionary Statements
P501	Dispose of contents/container in accordance to local/regional/international regulations.

Other Hazards

Other	Hazard Statements/Precautionary	Signal	Pictograms
Criteria	Statement	Word	
Not	Not	Not	Not
applicable	applicable	applicable	applicable



8461

Section 3: Hazardous Ingredients

CAS #	Chemical Name	%(weight)
64742-53-6	distillates (petroleum), hydrotreated light naphthenic ^{a)}	30-70%
64742-52-5	distillates (petroleum), hydrotreated heavy naphthenic ^{a)}	20-50%
7620-77-1	lithium 12-hydroxystearate	5-8%
13463-67-7	titanium dioxide	2-3%
1314-13-2	zinc oxide	1-2%

a) Highly refined mineral oils

Section 4: First-Aid Measures

Exposure Condition	GHS Code: Precautionary Statement
IF IN EYES	P305 + P351 + P338, P337 + P313
Immediate Symptoms	redness, mild irritation
Response	Rinse cautiously with water for 15 minutes or more. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
	If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
IF ON SKIN	P302 + P352, P332 + P313
Immediate Symptoms	redness, mild irritation
Response	Wash with plenty of water.
	If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
IF INHALED	P304 + P340, P312
Immediate Symptoms	No known symptoms
Delayed Symptoms	metal fume fever
Response	Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
	If exposed to metal fumes: Get medical advice/attention.
IF SWALLOWED	P301 + P330, P331
Immediate Symptoms	nausea, abdominal pain, diarrhea
Response	Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.



8461

Section 5: Fire-Fighting Measures		
Response	In case of fire: Use dry chemical, carbon dioxide, water fog, or chemical foam to extinguish.	
Specific Hazards	In a fire, this product can release zinc oxide fumes. Zinc oxide fumes exposure may lead to a metal fume fever. The metal fume fever symptoms may occur 4 to 12 hours after initial exposure.	
	Water may cause frothing.	
Combustion Products	Combustion produces carbon oxides (CO, CO_2) and zinc oxide fumes.	
Fire-Fighter	Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full fire-fighting turn-out gear.	

Section 6: Accidental Release Measures

Personal Protection	See personal protection equipment in Section 8.
Precautions for Response	Remove or keep away all sources of ignition or extreme heat. Avoid breathing fumes. Prevent spill from entering drains.
Environmental Precautions	Avoid release to the environment.
Containment Methods	Not applicable
Cleaning Methods	Collect liquid in a sealable, solvent-resistant container. Use water to remove the last traces of residue.
Disposal Methods	Dispose of spill waste according to Section 13.

Section 7: Handling and Storage

Prevention	Keep out of reach of children.	
	Keep away from open flames/hot surfaces.	
	Avoid breathing fumes.	
Handling	Wear protective gloves/eye protection.	
	Wash hands thoroughly after handling.	
Storage	Not applicable	



8461

Section 8: Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Substances with Occupational Exposure Limit Values

Chemical Name	Country	Long Term Exposure Limits (PEL)	Short Term Exposure Limits (STEL)
distillates (petroleum), hydrotreated light naphthenic	ACGIH U.S.A. OSHA PEL Canada AB Canada BC Canada ON Canada QC	5 mg/m ³ 5 mg/m ³ 5 mg/m ³ 5 mg/m ³ 5 mg/m ³ 5 mg/m ³	Not established Not established Not established Not established Not established Not established
distillates (petroleum), hydrotreated heavy naphthenic	ACGIH U.S.A. OSHA PEL Canada AB Canada BC Canada ON Canada QC	5 mg/m ³ 5 mg/m ³ 5 mg/m ³ 5 mg/m ³ 5 mg/m ³ 5 mg/m ³	Not established Not established Not established Not established Not established Not established
titanium dioxide	ACGIH U.S.A. OSHA PEL Canada AB Canada BC Canada ON Canada QC	10 mg/m ³ 15 mg/m ³ 10 mg/m ³ 10 mg/m ³ 10 mg/m ³ 10 mg/m ³	Not established Not established Not established Not established Not established Not established
zinc oxide (dust/mist)	ACGIH U.S.A. OSHA PEL Canada AB Canada BC Canada ON	2 mg/m ³ 2 mg/m ³ 2 mg/m ³ 2 mg/m ³ 2 mg/m ³	Not established 10 mg/m ³ 10 mg/m ³ 10 mg/m ³ 10 mg/m ³
fumes	Canada QC	2 mg/m ³	10 mg/m ³

Note: The ACGIH¹, OSHA (Table Z-1), and Canadian provinces exposure limits were consulted. Limits from by RTECS database² and from suppliers' SDS were also consulted. Short term exposure limits (STEL) are usually for 15 min and long term permissible exposure limits (PEL) for 8 h.



8461

Engineering Controls

Ventilation	Keep airborne concentrations below the occupational exposure limits (OEL).
	Since the titanium dioxide dust is bound in the grease matrix, it is not available as a respiration hazard under normal conditions or foreseeable emergency conditions.

Personal Protective Equipment

Eye protection	Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles.	
	RECOMMENDATION: Use safety glasses with lateral protection (side shields).	
Skin Protection	For likely contacts, use of protective butyl rubber, nitrile, neoprene gloves or other chemically resistant gloves.	
	For incidental contacts, use disposable nitrile or neoprene gloves, or other chemically resistant gloves.	
Respiratory Protection	For over-exposures up to 10 x OEL of mist/vapors/spray, wear respirator such as a half-mask respirator with organic vapor cartridges.	
	Above 10 x OEL, use a positive-pressure, air-supplied respirator or a self-contained breathing apparatus.	
	RECOMMENDATION: Consult your local safety supply store to ensure that your respirator has a NIOSH (U.S.) approved filter cartridges appropriate for the ingredients listed in Section 3. The respirator should be fitted to the employee by a professional. Ensure vapor cartridges are stored in sealed plastic bags when not being used.	

General Hygiene Considerations

Wash hands thoroughly with water and soap after handling.



8461

Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

Physical State	Liquid, grease	Lower Flammability Limit	Not available
Appearance	White	Upper Flammability Limit	Not available
Odor	None	Vapor Pressure @20 °C	Not available
Odor Threshold	Not available	Vapor Density	Not available
рН	Not available	Specific Gravity @25 °C	0.89
Freezing/Melting	Not	Solubility in	Immiscible
Point	available	Water	
Boiling Point	≥371 °C	Partition	Not
	[≥700 °F]	Coefficient	available
Flash Point ^{a)}	185 °C	Auto-ignition	210 °C
	[365 °F]	Temperature	[410 °F]
Evaporation	Not	Decomposition	Not
Rate	available	Temperature	available
Flammability	Not	Viscosity	>20.5 mm²/s
(solid, gas)	available	@40 °C	

a) Cleaveland closed cup value



8461

Section 10: Stability and Reactivity

Reactivity	When the product is exposed to very high heat such as welding or when mechanically aerosolized, this may cause harmful zinc oxide fumes.
	Inhalation of fumes may cause metal fever and irritate the respiratory tract. The flu-like symptoms of metal fume fever may be delayed, occurring 4–12 hours after exposure.
Chemical Stability	Chemically stable at normal temperatures and pressures
Conditions to Avoid	Avoid open flames, very high heat (such as soldering and welding temperatures), and incompatible substances.
Incompatibilities	Strong oxidizing agents
Polymerization	Will not occur
Decomposition	Will not decompose under normal conditions. For thermal decomposition, see combustion products in Section 5.

Section 11: Toxicological Information

Routes of Exposure

Eye contact, Inhalation, Skin contact, and Ingestion

Symptoms Summary

Eyes	May cause redness and mild eye irritation.	
Skin	May cause redness and mild skin irritation.	
Inhalation	ation No known harmful effects expected under normal use.	
	Under extreme heat, inhalation of fumes may lead to metal fume fever.	
Ingestion	May cause nausea, abdominal pain, and diarrhea.	
Chronic	Not available	



8461

Acute Toxicity (Lethal Exposure Concentrations)

Chemical Name	LD50	LD50	LC50
	oral	dermal	inhalation
distillates (petroleum),	>5 000 mg/kg	>5 000 mg/kg	2 180 mg/L
hydrotreated light naphthenic	Rat	Rat	Rabbit
distillates (petroleum), hydrotreated heavy naphthenic	>5 000 mg/kg Rat	>5 000 mg/kg Rat	>5.53 mg/L Rat (mist)
lithium 12-hydroxystearate	>5 000 mg/kg	>5 000 mg/kg	Not
	Rat	Rat	available
titanium dioxide	60 g/kg	Not	5 700 mg/m ³
	Rat	available	Rat (dust)
zinc oxide	7 950 mg/kg	>2 000 mg/kg	2 500 mg/m ³
	Rat	Rat	Mouse

Note: Toxicity data from the RTECS² and ECHA databases were consulted. The data from supplier (M)SDS were also consulted.

Other Toxicological Effects Skin corrosion/irritation Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. Serious eye damage/irritation Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. Sensitization Based on available data, the classification criteria are (allergic reactions) not met. Carcinogenicity The titanium dioxide [13463-67-7] is possibly (risk of cancer) carcinogenic by airborne routes of exposures. Because the titanium is bound in grease mixture, it is not available as an airborne hazard under normal use. Titanium Dioxide [13463-67-7] IARC Group 2B: Possibly carcinogenic to humans ACGIH A4: Not classified as a human carcinogen CA Prop 65: Listed as a carcinogen (airborne, as unbound particles of respirable size) NTP: Not listed Section continued on the next page

Page **9** of **14** Date of Revision: 11 March 2016 / Ver. 2.01



8461

Mutagenicity (risk of heritable genetic effects)	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Reproductive Toxicity (risk to sex functions)	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Teratogenicity (risk of fetus malformation)	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
STOT-single exposure	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
STOT-repeated exposure	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Aspiration hazard	Based on available data, the mixture classification criteria are not met. The mixture contains over 80% Cat 1 aspiration hazard components; however, the the grease viscosity at 40 °C is >20.5 mm ² /s.

Section 12: Ecological Information

Ecological classifications are based on the IMDG/GHS criteria in conjunction with ecotoxicological data from our suppliers, the European Chemical Agency database (<u>http://echa.europa.eu</u>), and other reliable sources.

Contains 2% zinc oxide which is an acute and chronic category 1 solid (non-biodegradable, minimal LC50 of 0.042 mg/L) that is harmful to the environment.

Acute Ecotoxicity

See chronic Ecotoxicity.

Chronic Ecotoxicity

Category 3

Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects. Avoid release to the environment.

Biodegradability

Not available

Other Effects

Not available

Section 13: Disposal Information

Dispose of contents in accordance with all local, regional, national, and international regulations.

Page **10** of **14**

Date of Revision: 11 March 2016 / Ver. 2.01



8461

Section 14: Transport Information

Ground

Refer to TDG (Canadian Transportation of Dangerous Goods regulations) and **USA DOT 49 CFR** (Parts 100 to 185) **Regulations.**

Not Regulated

Air

Refer to ICAO-IATA Dangerous Goods Regulations.

Not Regulated

Sea

Refer to IMDG regulations.

Not Regulated

Section 15: Regulatory Information

Canada

Domestic Substance List (DSL) / Non-Domestic Substance Lists (NDSL)

All hazardous ingredients are listed on the DSL.

Industry and Science Canada

MG Labels products intended for the workplace to conform to WHMIS labeling regulations. Product identification, net quantity declaration, minimum printing type size heights, and packaging of this product are in compliance.

Health Canada

Products produced by MG Chemicals intended for retail display conform to the Canadian Consumer Labeling Regulations.



8461

USA

Other Classifications

HMIS® RATING

HEALTH:	1
FLAMMABILITY:	1
PHYSICAL HAZARD:	0
PERSONAL PROTECTION:	

NFPA® 704 CODES

Approximate HMIS and NFPA Risk Ratings Legend:

0 (Low or none); 1 (Slight); 2 (Moderate); 3 (Serious); 4 (Severe)

CAA (Clean Air Act, USA)

This product does not contain any class 1 ozone depleting substances.

This product does not contain any class 2 ozone depleting substances.

This product does not contain substances that are listed as hazardous air pollutants.

EPCRA (Emergency Planning and Right to Know Act, USA, 40 CFR 372.45

This product does not contain ingredients that subject to the reporting requirements of section 313 Title III of the SARA of 1986 and 40 CFR part 372.

TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act of 1976, USA)

All substances are TSCA listed.

California Proposition 65 (Chemicals known to cause cancer or reproductive toxicity, Sept 2, 2011 revision, USA).

This product contains titanium dioxide, which is listed as a carcinogenic substances when airborne, as unbound particles of respirable size.

Europe

RoHS (Restriction of Hazardous Substances Directive)

This product does not contain any lead, cadmium, mercury, hexavalent chromium, PBB's, or PBDE's, and complies with European RoHS regulations.

WEEE (Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment Directive)

This product is not a piece of electrical or electronics equipment, and is therefore not governed by this regulation.



8461

Section 16: Other Information

SDS Prepared by

by Michel Hachey

Date of Revision 11 March 2016

Supersedes 27 July 2014

Reason for Changes: New product classified according to HCS 2012 and WHMIS 2015.

Reference

1) ACGIH 2013 TLVs and BEIs: Based on the documentation of the threshold limit values for chemical substances and physical agents & biological exposure indices, American Conference of Governmental of Industrial Hygienist Cincinnati, OH (2013).

2) All toxicological data were checked against the RTECS (Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances®)

Abbreviations

ADDIEVIA	
ACGIH	American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists (USA)
ECHA	European Chemicals Agency
EU	European Union
EC50	Half maximal effective concentration
EL50	Half maximal effective loading
IARC	International Agency for Research on Cancer
NOELR	No observable effect loading ratio
NTP	National Toxicology Program
GHS	Globally Harmonized System of Classification of Labeling of Chemicals
LC50	Lethal Concentration 50%
LCLo	Lowest published lethal concentration
LD50	Lethal Dose 50%
OEL	Occupational Exposure Limit
PEL	Permissible Exposure Limit
SDS	Safety Data Sheet
STEL	Short-Term Exposure Limit
TCLo	Lowest published toxic concentration
TWA	Time Weighted Average
VOC	Volatile Organic Content



8461

Technical Queries Contact us regarding any questions, improvement suggestions, or problems with this product. Application notes, instructions, and FAQs are located at <u>www.mgchemicals.com</u>.

Email: support@mgchemicals.com

Mailing Addresses Manufacturing & Support 1210 Corporate Drive Burlington, Ontario, Canada L7L 5R6 Head Office 9347–193rd Street Surrey, British Columbia, Canada V4N 4E7

Disclaimer This material safety data sheet is provided as an information resource only. *M.G. Chemicals, Ltd.* believes the information contained herein is accurate and compiled from reliable sources. It is the responsibility of the user to query and verify any information seeming suspect where doubt on the validity may exist. The buyer assumes all responsibility of using and handling the product in accordance with local, regional, national, and international regulations.