

# BALLISTOL-LUBE

## MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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Product: Ballistol-Lube is an alkaline, emulsifying oily lubricant and corrosion inhibitor.

◇ Hazardous Ingredients Information

Ballistol-Lube does not contain any components classified "hazardous" by OSHA  
 Ballistol-Lube contains only one ingredient with TLVs:

Ingredient	OSHA PEL	ACGIH TLV
Isobutyl Alcohol	100 ppm TWA	50 ppm TWA

◇ Physical Characteristics

Boiling Point 128 °C (262.4 °F)  
 Evaporation Rate Moderate at 20 °C (68 °F)  
 Pour Point -17 °C (1.4 °F)  
 Solubility in Water Not easily. Emulsifies.  
 Specific Gravity at 20 °C (68 °F) Oil: 0.865 g/cm<sup>3</sup>  
 Spray: 0.775 g/cm<sup>3</sup>  
 Appearance Yellowish oil  
 Odor Like citrus.

◇ Reactivity Data

Stability Stable  
 Incompatibility None known  
 Hazardous polymerization None known to occur  
 Hazardous decomposition None known

◇ Fire and Explosion Information

Flash point 52 °C (126 °F)  
 Flammable limits (LEL/UEL) Not applicable

Extinguishing media Foam, carbon dioxide, water.

Special firefighting procedures Do not use dry powder as extinguishing medium. Wear protective gear and self-contained breathing apparatus as necessary under conditions.

Special fire / explosion hazards Should be treated as flammable aerosol although product has not been tested as such to ASTM standards. Butane / propane (A-70) used as propellant.

◇ Health Hazard Data

Routes of Entry:

Inhalation Aerosol spray - possible. Non-aerosol - not probable.  
 Ingestion Possible.  
 Absorption through skin Insignificant if any.

Acute and Chronic Health Hazards:

No LD-50 oral could be determined for Ballistol-Lube with rats and rabbits. Manufacturer classifies product as non-toxic.  
 BALLISTOL-Lube does not contain Benzene or Kerosene.

Carcinogenicity:

No NTP publication. No IARC monograph. Ballistol-Lube is based on medicinal grade mineral oil (CAS# 8042-47-5), which has been classified "Class 3" by the IARC. This means that there is insufficient evidence for this substance to cause cancer in animals or humans. BALLISTOL-Lube does not contain any substance currently known to be a carcinogen.

Signs and Symptoms of Exposure

None known.

Medical Conditions Generally Aggravated by Exposure

None known.

Emergency and First Aid Procedures:

In the event of contact with eyes, flush with large quantities of water. If ingested, consult with physician.

◇ **Control and Protection Information**

**Respiratory Protection Information**

Ventilation	Not required.
Mechanical	Locally as needed.
	As needed.

Eye Protection	Not normally required.
Protective Gloves	Not required.
Other Protective Clothing	Not normally required.

**Work and Hygienic Practices:**

Avoid contact with eyes. Use in ventilated area. Do not use around flame or hot surface. Do not spray into open flames. Do not puncture aerosol container.

◇ **Safe Handling and Disposal Information**

**Steps to Take in Case of Spill:**

Wipe up with absorbant rags. Use oil absorbant material. Sweep up and place in container. Wash area with warm water and detergent to eliminate slipperiness.

**Waste Disposal Method:**

Follow applicable Federal and local regulations.

**Handling and Storage:**

Store in cool dry place out of sunlight. Do not store in areas exposed to temperatures above 49 °C (120 °F). Store and use in ventilated room. Keep away from hot surfaces. Keep out of the reach of children.

◇ **Transportation Data**

	<u><b>Aerosol</b></u>	<u><b>Non-Aerosol</b></u>
Description:	Aerosols, flammable	Petroleum Distillate n.o.s.
ID Number:	UN1950	UN1268
Hazard Class:	2.1	3
Packaging Group:	NONE	III
Domestic Surface:	Consumer Commodity, ORM-D	Consumer Commodity, ORM-D, for inner containers no more than one gallon.
Air:	Check with Dangerous Goods desk, or call Ballistol USA, Inc.	

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**Acronyms:**

LEL	=	Lower Exposure Limit
UEL	=	Upper Exposure Limit
LD 50	=	Median Lethal Dose. It is the dose at which 50% of a given population will experience fatalities due to a chemical substance.
NTP	=	National Toxicological Program.
IARC	=	International Agency for Research on Cancer.
PEL	=	Permissible Exposure Limit (as set by OSHA).
CAS	=	Chemical Abstract Service
TLV	=	Threshold Limit Value