

# Material Safety Data Sheet

Brake Cleaner Non-Chlorinated

MSDS No. 073

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## Section 1 - Chemical Product and Company Identification

**Product/Chemical Name:** Brake Cleaner Non-Chlorinated  
**Part Number(s):** 2401, 2405, 2415, 2455 (Blend 5M-VOCR)  
**CAS Number:** Not applicable to mixtures  
**General Use:** Automotive product  
**Manufacturer:** Berryman Products, Inc., 3800 E. Randol Mill Rd., Arlington, TX 76011-5434  
**Phone:** 1-800-433-1704, Emergency phone number: 1-800-535-5053.

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## Section 2 - Composition / Information on Ingredients

Ingredient Name	CAS Number	% wt or % vol
Acetone	67-64-1	45-55
Toluene	108-88-3	7-12
Heptanes	Mixture	7-12
Methanol	67-56-1	20-30

### Trace Impurities:

Ingredient	OSHA PEL		ACGIH TLV		NIOSH REL		NIOSH IDLH
	TWA	STEL	TWA	STEL	TWA	STEL	
Acetone	1000	none estab.	500	750	none estab.	none estab.	none estab.
Toluene	200	none estab.	50	none estab.	none estab.	none estab.	none estab.
Heptanes	500	none estab.	400	500	none estab.	none estab.	none estab.
Methanol	200	none estab.	200	250	none estab.	none estab.	none estab.

## Section 3 - Physical and Chemical Properties

**Physical State:** Liquid  
**Appearance and Odor:** Clear, Ketone  
**Vapor Pressure:** 180 mm Hg at 68 °F (Major Component)  
**Vapor Density (Air=1):** Heavier than air  
**Density:** 6.58 lbs/gal  
**Specific Gravity (H<sub>2</sub>O=1, at 4 °C):** 0.790

**Boiling Point:** 133-232 °F  
**Refractive Index:** 1.3932  
**% Volatile:** 100  
**Evaporation Rate:** Slower than ether  
**VOC Content minimum:** 236 grams per liter  
**VOC Content maximum:** 473 grams per liter

## Section 4 - Fire-Fighting Measures

**Flash Point:** <40 °F  
**Flash Point Method:** CC  
**LEL:** 2.5% v/v (Major Component)  
**Flammability Classification:** Class IB

**Extinguishing Media:** Carbon dioxide, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemicals  
**Unusual Fire or Explosion Hazards:** Extremely flammable liquid. Vapors can cause flash fire.  
**Fire-Fighting Instructions:** Do not release runoff from fire control methods to sewers or waterways.  
**Fire-Fighting Equipment:** Wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure demand, MSNA/OSHA (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear. Use water spray to keep fire-exposed containers cool.



## Section 5 - Stability and Reactivity

**Stability:** Brake Cleaner Non-Chlorinated is stable at room temperature in closed containers under normal storage and handling conditions.  
**Polymerization:** Hazardous polymerization cannot occur.  
**Chemical Incompatibilities & Conditions to Avoid:** Isolate from oxidizers, heat, sparks, electric equipment and open flame.

**Hazardous Decomposition Products:** Thermal oxidative decomposition of Brake Cleaner Non-Chlorinated can produce carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide.

## Section 6 - Health Hazard Information

### Potential Health Effects

**Primary Entry Routes:** Skin, dermal, inhalation and ingestion.

**Target Organs:** Eyes, skin, respiratory system, CNS, liver and kidneys.

**Acute Effects:** May cause irritation to the eyes, skin, nose, throat and respiratory system. Nausea, headache, light-headedness, dizziness, fatigue, loss of consciousness, abdominal pain and dermatitis. May cause blindness if ingested. Harmful or fatal if swallowed.

**Carcinogenicity:** IARC, NTP, and OSHA do not list Brake Cleaner Non-Chlorinated as a carcinogen.

**Chronic Effects:** May affect liver, kidneys or central nervous system. Can cause nervous system depression.

### Emergency and First Aid Procedures

**Inhalation:** Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Get medical attention immediately.

**Eye Contact:** Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water. Get medical attention, if irritation persists.

**Skin Contact:** Immediately wash skin with soap and plenty of water. Remove contaminated clothing. Get medical attention if symptoms occur. Wash clothing before reuse.

**Ingestion:** GET MEDICAL ATTENTION IMMEDIATELY. Do not induce vomiting.

*After first aid, get appropriate in-plant, paramedic, or community medical support.*

## Section 7 - Spill, Leak, and Disposal Procedures

**Spill/Leak Procedures:** Eliminate all sources of ignition. Stop spill at source. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment (Sec. 8). Contain the spill to facilitate cleanup with absorbent. Use non-sparking tools and equipment. Transfer to disposal containers.

**Containment:** For large spills, dike far ahead of liquid spill for later disposal. Do not release into sewers or waterways.

**Disposal:** Contact your supplier or a licensed contractor for detailed recommendations. Follow applicable Federal, state and local regulations.

**Regulatory Requirements:** Follow applicable OSHA regulations (29 CFR 1910.120).

## Section 8 - Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

**Ventilation:** Provide general or local exhaust ventilation systems to maintain airborne concentrations below OSHA PELs (Sec. 2). Local exhaust ventilation is preferred because it prevents contaminant dispersion into the work area by controlling it at its source.

**Respiratory Protection:** Seek professional advice prior to respirator selection and use. Follow OSHA respirator regulations (29 CFR 1910.134) and, if necessary, wear a MSHA/NIOSH-approved respirator. Select respirator based on its suitability to provide adequate worker protection for given working conditions, level of airborne contamination, and presence of sufficient oxygen. For emergency or nonroutine operations (cleaning spills, reactor vessels, or storage tanks), wear an SCBA.

*Warning! Air-purifying respirators do not protect workers in oxygen-deficient atmospheres.* If respirators are used, OSHA requires a written respiratory protection program that includes at least: medical certification, training, fit-testing, periodic environmental monitoring, maintenance, inspection, cleaning, and convenient, sanitary storage areas.

**Protective Clothing/Equipment:** Wear chemically protective gloves, boots, aprons, and gauntlets to prevent prolonged or repeated skin contact. Wear protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles, per OSHA eye- and face-protection regulations (29 CFR 1910.133). Contact lenses are not eye protective devices. Appropriate eye protection must be worn instead of, or in conjunction with contact lenses.

**Safety Stations:** Make emergency eyewash stations, safety/quick-drench showers, and washing facilities available in work area.

**Contaminated Equipment:** Separate contaminated work clothes from street clothes. Launder before reuse. Remove this material from your shoes and clean personal protective equipment.

**Comments:** Never eat, drink, or smoke in work areas. Practice good personal hygiene after using this material, especially before eating, drinking, smoking, using the toilet, or applying cosmetics.

## Section 9 - Special Precautions and Comments

**Handling Precautions:** Avoid prolonged breathing of vapor and contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Use in well ventilated area. Wash thoroughly after handling.

**Storage Requirements:** Keep away from heat, sparks and flame. Keep container closed when not in use.

**California Proposition 65:** This product contains the following chemicals known to the state of California to cause cancer and/or reproductive toxicity: Toluene.

**DOT Transportation Data (49 CFR 172.101):**

**Part Number(s):** 2401, 2405,  
2416, 2420, 2455

**Shipping Name:** Flammable  
Liquid, N.O.S., contains  
(Toluene, Acetone and  
Methanol)

**Hazard Class:** 3  
**ID No.:** UN 1993  
**Packing Group:** II

**SARA Title III Section 313 Supplier Notification:**

This product contains the following toxic chemicals subject to the reporting requirements of Section 313 of the emergency Planning & Community Right-To-Know-Act of 1986 & of 40CFR 372: Toluene and Methanol.

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