



## SAFETY DATA SHEET PRORINSE

### SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

#### 1.1. Product identifier

Product name PRORINSE  
Product No. C255

#### 1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

**Identified uses** An acidic rinse agent for neutralising alkaline residues of floor polish stripper, before applying new emulsion polish. The use of Prorinse helps prevent 'powdering' and problems with the adhesion and durability of the new polish which can be caused by alkaline cleaner or stripper residues.

#### 1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

**Supplier** Prochem Europe Ltd  
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#### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

020 8974 1515 (office hours 8am to 5pm Monday to Friday) Emergency Action: In the event of a medical enquiry involving this product, please contact your doctor or local hospital accident and emergency department, who may seek advice from the UK National Poisons Information Service, where our full product details are held.

### SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

**Classification (1999/45/EEC)** Not classified.

##### Human health

Contact with concentrate may cause moderate eye irritation. Prolonged or repeated exposure may cause: skin irritation and dermatitis. Limited inhalation hazard at normal work temperatures. Ingestion may cause: nausea irritation Product is acidic and may be mildly corrosive to mucous membranes.

##### Environment

The product is expected to be biodegradable.

#### 2.2. Label elements

##### Risk Phrases

NC Not classified.

##### Safety Phrases

S2 Keep out of the reach of children.  
S24/25 Avoid contact with skin and eyes.  
S26 In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.  
S37 Wear suitable gloves.

#### 2.3. Other hazards

See section 8 for details of exposure limits.

### SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

#### 3.2. Mixtures

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GLYCOLIC ACID		1-5%
CAS-No.: 79-14-1	EC No.: 201-180-5	
Classification (EC 1272/2008) Acute Tox. 4 - H302 Skin Corr. 1B - H314	Classification (67/548/EEC) Xn;R22. C;R34.	

The Full Text for all R-Phrases and Hazard Statements are Displayed in Section 16.

## SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

#### **Inhalation**

Move into fresh air and keep at rest. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.

#### **Ingestion**

Do not induce vomiting. Immediately rinse mouth and drink plenty of water (200-300 ml). Do not give victim anything to drink if they are unconscious. Get medical attention immediately!

#### **Skin contact**

Flush skin thoroughly with water. Get medical attention if irritation persists after washing.

#### **Eye contact**

Immediately flush with plenty of water for up to 15 minutes. Remove any contact lenses and open eyes wide apart. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.

### 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

#### **Ingestion**

Product is acidic and may be mildly corrosive to mucous membranes.

#### **Eye contact**

Contact with concentrate May irritate eyes and skin.

### 4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treat Symptomatically.

## SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

### 5.1. Extinguishing media

#### **Extinguishing media**

This product is not flammable. Use fire-extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding materials. Water spray, dry powder or carbon dioxide.

### 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

#### **Hazardous combustion products**

Thermal decomposition or combustion may liberate carbon oxides and other toxic gases or vapours. Nitrogen oxide.

#### **Unusual Fire & Explosion Hazards**

No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted.

### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

#### **Protective equipment for fire-fighters**

Self contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.

## SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

### 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Wear protective clothing as described in Section 8 of this safety data sheet.

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Do not discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground.

### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Collect with absorbent, non-combustible material into suitable containers. Dispose of waste and residues in accordance with local authority requirements.

### 6.4. Reference to other sections

For personal protection, see section 8. For waste disposal, see section 13.

## SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Wear protective clothing as described in Section 8 of this safety data sheet. Wash hands after handling. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using the product.

### 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep out of the reach of children. Store in closed original container at temperatures between 5°C and 30°C. Store away from: Strong oxidising substances. Alkalis.

### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

The identified uses for this product are detailed in Section 1.2.

## SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### 8.1. Control parameters

#### Ingredient Comments

No exposure limits noted for ingredient(s).

### 8.2. Exposure controls

#### Protective equipment



#### Engineering measures

Provide adequate ventilation.

#### Respiratory equipment

Not required in normal use.

#### Hand protection

Nitrile gloves are recommended. Protective gloves should be inspected for wear before use and replaced regularly in accordance with the manufacturers specifications.

#### Eye protection

Side shield safety glasses are recommended when handling this product.

#### Hygiene measures

Wash hands after handling. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using the product.

## SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

<b>Appearance</b>	Liquid
<b>Colour</b>	Orange.
<b>Odour</b>	Slight odour. Acidic.
<b>Solubility</b>	Soluble in water.
<b>Initial boiling point and boiling range</b>	100°C
<b>Relative density</b>	1.0
<b>Vapour density (air=1)</b>	
Not determined.	
<b>Vapour pressure</b>	
Not determined.	
<b>Evaporation rate</b>	
Not determined.	
<b>pH-Value, Conc. Solution</b>	2.5
<b>pH-Value, Diluted Solution</b>	3.5
<b>Viscosity</b>	
Not determined.	
<b>Flash point</b>	
Not applicable.	
<b>Flammability Limit - Lower(%)</b>	
Not applicable.	

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**Partition Coefficient  
(N-Octanol/Water)**

Not determined.

**Explosive properties**

Not applicable.

**Oxidising properties**

Not applicable.

**9.2. Other information**

None.

## SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**10.1. Reactivity**

There are no known reactivity hazards associated with this product.

**10.2. Chemical stability**

Stable under normal temperature conditions and recommended use.

**10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions**

Not determined.

**10.4. Conditions to avoid**

Store in closed original container at temperatures between 5°C and 30°C. Protect from freezing and direct sunlight.

**10.5. Incompatible materials**

**Materials To Avoid**

Strong alkalis. Oxidising materials. Base metals.

**10.6. Hazardous decomposition products**

Thermal decomposition or combustion may liberate carbon oxides and other toxic gases or vapours. Nitrogen oxide.

## SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**11.1. Information on toxicological effects**

**Acute toxicity:**

Ingestion may cause: irritation nausea Product is acidic and may be mildly corrosive to mucous membranes. Limited inhalation hazard at normal work temperatures. Inhalation may cause: Upper respiratory irritation.

**Skin Corrosion/Irritation:**

Prolonged or repeated exposure may cause: skin irritation and dermatitis.

**Serious eye damage/irritation:**

Contact with concentrate may cause moderate eye irritation. May cause possible injury if not promptly rinsed.

**Respiratory or skin sensitisation:**

None known.

**Germ cell mutagenicity:**

No effects expected based upon current data.

**Carcinogenicity:**

No effects expected based upon current data.

**Reproductive Toxicity:**

No effects expected based upon current data.

**Toxicological information on ingredients.**

**GLYCOLIC ACID (CAS: 79-14-1)**

**Acute toxicity:**

**Acute Toxicity (Oral LD50)**

1938 mg/kg Rat

**Acute Toxicity (Inhalation LC50)**

3.6 mg/l (dust/mist) Rat 4 hours

**SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION****12.1. Toxicity**

The product is not expected to be hazardous to the environment.

**Ecological information on ingredients.****GLYCOLIC ACID (CAS: 79-14-1)****Acute Toxicity - Fish**

LC50 96 hours 164 mg/l Pimephales promelas (Fat-head Minnow)

EC 50, 48 Hrs, Daphnia, mg/l

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**12.2. Persistence and degradability****Degradability**

The product is expected to be biodegradable.

**12.3. Bioaccumulative potential****Bioaccumulative potential**

Not known.

**Partition coefficient**

Not determined.

**12.4. Mobility in soil****Mobility:**

The product is soluble in water.

**12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

This product does not contain any PBT or vPvB substances.

**12.6. Other adverse effects**

None known.

**SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS****13.1. Waste treatment methods**

Dispose of waste and residues in accordance with local authority requirements. Empty containers should be rinsed with water then crushed and disposed of at legal waste disposal site.

**SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION****14.1. UN number**

Not classified for transportation.

**14.2. UN proper shipping name**

None.

**14.3. Transport hazard class(es)**

ADR/RID/ADN Class -

IMDG Class -

**14.4. Packing group**

None.

**14.5. Environmental hazards**

Environmentally Hazardous Substance/Marine Pollutant

No.

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## 14.6. Special precautions for user

None.

## 14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable.

## SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

### 15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

#### **Uk Regulatory References**

The Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations 2002 (S.I 2002 No. 2677) with amendments. Chemicals (Hazard Information & Packaging) Regulations.

#### **EU Legislation**

Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 December 2006 concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH), establishing a European Chemicals Agency, amending Directive 1999/45/EC and repealing Council Regulation (EEC) No 793/93 and Commission Regulation (EC) No 1488/94 as well as Council Directive 76/769/EEC and Commission Directives 91/155/EEC, 93/67/EEC, 93/105/EC and 2000/21/EC, including amendments. Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 December 2008 on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures, amending and repealing Directives 67/548/EEC and 1999/45/EC, and amending Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 with amendments.

### 15.2. Chemical Safety Assessment

No chemical safety assessment has been carried out.

## SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

#### **General information**

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#### **Risk Phrases In Full**

R34 Causes burns.

R22 Harmful if swallowed.

NC Not classified.

#### **Hazard Statements In Full**

H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H302 Harmful if swallowed.

#### Disclaimer

For additional information on safety, training and use of this product, contact the supplier. This product is intended for professional use only. The information given is intended to be of assistance to users but is without guarantee. Variations can occur in application and users are advised to conduct their own tests. Suggestions for use neither give nor imply any guarantee as to the intended use.