



## Material Safety Data Sheet

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### SECTION 1: PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

**PRODUCT NAME:** 3M(TM) Perfect-It(TM) II Rubbing Compound, P.N. 05967, 05968, 05973, 05974

**MANUFACTURER:** 3M

**DIVISION:** Automotive Aftermarket

**ADDRESS:** 3M Center  
St. Paul, MN 55144-1000

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#### Product Use:

Intended Use: Automotive  
Specific Use: AUTOMOTIVE BUFFING COMPOUND

### SECTION 2: INGREDIENTS

<u>Ingredient</u>	<u>C.A.S. No.</u>	<u>% by Wt</u>
WATER	7732-18-5	30 - 60
QUARTZ SILICA (CRYSTALLINE SILICA)	14808-60-7	10 - 30
HYDROTREATED LIGHT PETROLEUM DISTILLATES	64742-47-8	10 - 30
KAOLINITE	1318-74-7	7 - 13
OLEIC ACID	112-80-1	1 - 5
GLYCERIN	56-81-5	1 - 5
SOLVENT-REFINED HEAVY PARAFFINIC PETROLEUM DISTILLATES	64741-88-4	1 - 5
MINERAL OIL	64741-89-5	1 - 5
POLY(OXYETHYLENE)SORBITAN MONOSTEARATE	9005-67-8	0.5 - 1.5
CHLOROTHALONIL	1897-45-6	0 - 0.1
FORMALDEHYDE	50-00-0	0 - 0.02
BENZENE	71-43-2	<= 0.0003

### SECTION 3: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### 3.1 EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

**Odor, Color, Grade:** Mild Solvent Odor, Cream Color

**General Physical Form:** Liquid

**Immediate health, physical, and environmental hazards:** May cause severe skin irritation. Contains a chemical or chemicals which can cause cancer. May cause target organ effects.

### 3.2 POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS

**Eye Contact:**

Mild Eye Irritation: Signs/symptoms may include redness, pain, and tearing.

**Skin Contact:**

Severe Skin Irritation: Signs/symptoms may include localized redness, swelling, itching, dryness, cracking, blistering, and pain.

**Inhalation:**

Intentional concentration and inhalation may be harmful or fatal.

Upper Respiratory Tract Irritation: Signs/symptoms may include cough, sneezing, nasal discharge, headache, hoarseness, and nose and throat pain.

During grinding, scraping, sanding:

Silicosis: Signs/symptoms may include breathlessness, weakness, chest pain, persistent cough, increased amounts of sputum, and heart disease.

May be absorbed following inhalation and cause target organ effects.

**Ingestion:**

Gastrointestinal Irritation: Signs/symptoms may include abdominal pain, nausea, diarrhea and vomiting.

May be absorbed following ingestion and cause target organ effects.

**Target Organ Effects:**

Central Nervous System (CNS) Depression: Signs/symptoms may include headache, dizziness, drowsiness, incoordination, nausea, slowed reaction time, slurred speech, giddiness, and unconsciousness.

Contains a chemical or chemicals which can cause birth defects or other reproductive harm.

**Carcinogenicity:**

Contains a chemical or chemicals which can cause cancer.

<u>Ingredient</u>	<u>C.A.S. No.</u>	<u>Class Description</u>	<u>Regulation</u>
BENZENE	71-43-2	Group 1	International Agency for Research on Cancer
BENZENE	71-43-2	Known human carcinogen	National Toxicology Program Carcinogens
BENZENE	71-43-2	Cancer hazard	OSHA Carcinogens
CHLOROTHALONIL	1897-45-6	Group 2B	International Agency for Research on Cancer
FORMALDEHYDE	50-00-0	Group 1	International Agency for Research on Cancer
FORMALDEHYDE	50-00-0	Anticipated human carcinogen	National Toxicology Program Carcinogens
FORMALDEHYDE	50-00-0	Cancer hazard	OSHA Carcinogens
QUARTZ SILICA (CRYSTALLINE SILICA)	14808-60-7	Group 1	International Agency for Research on Cancer

QUARTZ SILICA (CRYSTALLINE SILICA) 14808-60-7 Known human carcinogen National Toxicology Program Carcinogens

## SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

### 4.1 FIRST AID PROCEDURES

The following first aid recommendations are based on an assumption that appropriate personal and industrial hygiene practices are followed.

**Eye Contact:** Flush eyes with large amounts of water. If signs/symptoms persist, get medical attention.

**Skin Contact:** Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Immediately flush skin with large amounts of water. Get medical attention. Wash contaminated clothing and clean shoes before reuse.

**Inhalation:** Remove person to fresh air. If signs/symptoms develop, get medical attention.

**If Swallowed:** Do not induce vomiting. Give victim two glasses of water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical attention.

## SECTION 5: FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

### 5.1 FLAMMABLE PROPERTIES

Autoignition temperature	<i>No Data Available</i>
Flash Point	205 °F [ <i>Test Method:</i> Pensky-Martens Closed Cup]
Flammable Limits - LEL	<i>No Data Available</i>
Flammable Limits - UEL	<i>No Data Available</i>
OSHA Flammability Classification:	Not Applicable

### 5.2 EXTINGUISHING MEDIA

Use fire extinguishers with class B extinguishing agents (e.g., dry chemical, carbon dioxide).

### 5.3 PROTECTION OF FIRE FIGHTERS

**Special Fire Fighting Procedures:** Wear full protective equipment (Bunker Gear) and a self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA).

**Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards:** Non-flammable: ordinary combustible material.

**Note:** See STABILITY AND REACTIVITY (SECTION 10) for hazardous combustion and thermal decomposition information.

## SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**Accidental Release Measures:** Observe precautions from other sections. Call 3M- HELPS line (1-800-364-3577) for more information on handling and managing the spill. Evacuate unprotected and untrained personnel from hazard area. The spill should be cleaned up by qualified personnel. For large spill, or spills in confined spaces, provide mechanical ventilation to disperse or exhaust vapors, in accordance with good industrial hygiene practice. Warning! A motor could be an ignition source and could cause flammable gases or vapors in the spill area to burn or explode. Contain spill. For larger spills, cover drains and build dikes to prevent entry into sewer systems or bodies of water. Working from around the edges of the spill inward, cover with bentonite, vermiculite, or

commercially available inorganic absorbent material. Mix in sufficient absorbent until it appears dry. Collect as much of the spilled material as possible. Clean up residue with an appropriate organic solvent. Read and follow safety precautions on the solvent label and MSDS. Collect the resulting residue containing solution. Place in a closed container approved for transportation by appropriate authorities.

**In the event of a release of this material, the user should determine if the release qualifies as reportable according to local, state, and federal regulations.**

## **SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE**

### **7.1 HANDLING**

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash exposed areas thoroughly with soap and water. Avoid breathing of vapors. Keep out of the reach of children. Avoid breathing of dust created by cutting, sanding, grinding or machining. Avoid contact with oxidizing agents. Use general dilution ventilation and/or local exhaust ventilation to control airborne exposures to below Occupational Exposure Limits. If ventilation is not adequate, use respiratory protection equipment.

### **7.2 STORAGE**

Store in a cool place. Store out of direct sunlight. Keep container tightly closed. Store away from oxidizing agents.

## **SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

### **8.1 ENGINEERING CONTROLS**

Use with appropriate local exhaust ventilation. Do not use in a confined area or areas with little or no air movement.

### **8.2 PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT (PPE)**

#### **8.2.1 Eye/Face Protection**

Avoid eye contact.

The following eye protection(s) are recommended: Safety Glasses with side shields.

#### **8.2.2 Skin Protection**

Avoid skin contact.

Select and use gloves and/or protective clothing to prevent skin contact based on the results of an exposure assessment. Consult with your glove and/or protective clothing manufacturer for selection of appropriate compatible materials.

Gloves made from the following material(s) are recommended: Nitrile Rubber.

#### **8.2.3 Respiratory Protection**

Avoid breathing of dust created by cutting, sanding, grinding or machining.

Select one of the following NIOSH approved respirators based on airborne concentration of contaminants and in accordance with OSHA regulations: Half facepiece air-purifying respirator with organic vapor/acid gas cartridges and P95 particulate prefilters, Half facepiece air-purifying respirator with organic vapor/acid gas cartridges and N95 particulate prefilters, Half facepiece air-purifying respirator with organic vapor/acid gas cartridges and P100 particulate prefilters, Half facepiece or fullface air-purifying respirator with organic vapor cartridges and P95 particulate prefilters, Half facepiece or fullface air-purifying respirator with organic vapor cartridges and N95 particulate prefilters, Half facepiece or fullface air-purifying respirator with organic vapor cartridges and P100 particulate prefilters. Consult the current 3M Respiratory Selection Guide for additional information or call 1-800-243-4630 for 3M technical assistance. Continuous spurring of dry buff pads may produce dust conditions in excess of the OSHA Permissible Exposure Limit (PEL) or the Threshold Limit Value (TLV) for crystalline silica. When cleaning or spurring a dry buff pad used with this product, use appropriate local exhaust to control dust, or use appropriate respiratory protection to avoid inhalation of dusts.

#### **8.2.4 Prevention of Swallowing**

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash exposed areas thoroughly with soap and water.

### 8.3 EXPOSURE GUIDELINES

<u>Ingredient</u>	<u>Authority</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Limit</u>	<u>Additional Information</u>
BENZENE	ACGIH	TWA	0.5 ppm	Skin Notation*; Table A1
BENZENE	ACGIH	STEL	2.5 ppm	Skin Notation*; Table A1
BENZENE	OSHA	TWA	1 ppm	Standard Appendix
BENZENE	OSHA	STEL	5 ppm	Standard Appendix
FORMALDEHYDE	ACGIH	CEIL	0.3 ppm	Sensitizer; Table A2
FORMALDEHYDE	OSHA	TWA	0.5 ppm	Standard Appendix
GLYCERIN	ACGIH	TWA, as mist	10 mg/m3	
GLYCERIN	OSHA	TWA, as mist, respirable	5 mg/m3	Table Z-1
GLYCERIN	OSHA	TWA, Vacated, as mist, total dust	10 mg/m3	
GLYCERIN	OSHA	TWA, as mist, total dust	15 mg/m3	Table Z-1
HYDROTREATED LIGHT PETROLEUM DISTILLATES	CMRG	TWA	300 ppm	
OIL MIST, MINERAL	ACGIH	TWA, as mist	5 mg/m3	
OIL MIST, MINERAL	ACGIH	STEL, as mist	10 mg/m3	
OIL MIST, MINERAL	OSHA	TWA, as mist	5 mg/m3	Table Z-1
QUARTZ SILICA (CRYSTALLINE SILICA)	ACGIH	TWA, respirable	0.025 mg/m3	Table A2
QUARTZ SILICA (CRYSTALLINE SILICA)	OSHA	TWA, respirable	0.1 mg/m3	Table Z-1A
SOLVENT-REFINED HEAVY PARAFFINIC PETROLEUM DISTILLATES	CMRG	TWA	5 mg/m3	
VEGETABLE OIL MISTS	OSHA	TWA, as mist	10 mg/m3	Table Z-1A
VEGETABLE OIL MISTS (EXCEPT CASTOR, CASHEW, OR SIMILAR IRRITANT OILS)	ACGIH	TWA, as mist	10 mg/m3	

\* Substance(s) refer to the potential contribution to the overall exposure by the cutaneous route including mucous membrane and eye, either by airborne or, more particularly, by direct contact with the substance. Vehicles can alter skin absorption.

VAC Vacated PEL: Vacated Permissible Exposure Limits [PEL] are enforced as the OSHA PEL in some states. Check with your local regulatory agency.

#### SOURCE OF EXPOSURE LIMIT DATA:

- ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists
- CMRG: Chemical Manufacturer Recommended Guideline
- OSHA: Occupational Safety and Health Administration
- AIHA: American Industrial Hygiene Association Workplace Environmental Exposure Level (WEEL)

## SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

<b>Odor, Color, Grade:</b>	Mild Solvent Odor, Cream Color
<b>General Physical Form:</b>	Liquid
<b>Autoignition temperature</b>	<i>No Data Available</i>
<b>Flash Point</b>	205 °F [ <i>Test Method:</i> Pinsky-Martens Closed Cup]
<b>Flammable Limits - LEL</b>	<i>No Data Available</i>
<b>Flammable Limits - UEL</b>	<i>No Data Available</i>
<b>Boiling point</b>	212 °F
<b>Density</b>	1 [ <i>Ref Std:</i> WATER=1]
<b>Vapor Density</b>	>=1.00 [ <i>Ref Std:</i> AIR=1]

Vapor Pressure	<=1 [Ref Std: AIR=1]
Vapor Pressure	No Data Available
Specific Gravity	1.0 - 1.15 [Ref Std: WATER=1]
Melting point	No Data Available
Solubility in Water	Slight (less than 10%)
Evaporation rate	1.00 [Ref Std: WATER=1]
Hazardous Air Pollutants	0.500 % weight
Volatile Organic Compounds	1.88 lb/gal [Test Method: calculated SCAQMD rule 443.1]
Percent volatile	60 - 65 %
VOC Less H2O & Exempt Solvents	374 g/l [Test Method: calculated SCAQMD rule 443.1]
Viscosity	14000 - 22000 centipoise

## SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**Stability:** Stable.

**Materials and Conditions to Avoid:** Strong oxidizing agents

**Hazardous Polymerization:** Hazardous polymerization will not occur.

### Hazardous Decomposition or By-Products

<u>Substance</u>	<u>Condition</u>
Carbon monoxide	During Combustion
Carbon dioxide	During Combustion

## SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Please contact the address listed on the first page of the MSDS for Toxicological Information on this material and/or its components.

## SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### ECOTOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Not determined.

### CHEMICAL FATE INFORMATION

Not determined.

## SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

**Waste Disposal Method:** Incinerate in an industrial or commercial facility in the presence of a combustible material. As a disposal

alternative, dispose of waste product in a facility permitted to accept chemical waste.

EPA Hazardous Waste Number (RCRA): D018 (Benzene)

Since regulations vary, consult applicable regulations or authorities before disposal.

## SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

ID Number(s):

60-9800-1906-5, 60-9800-1907-3, 60-9800-2084-0, 60-9800-2091-5

Please contact the emergency numbers listed on the first page of the MSDS for Transportation Information for this material.

## SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

### US FEDERAL REGULATIONS

Contact 3M for more information.

#### 311/312 Hazard Categories:

Fire Hazard - No Pressure Hazard - No Reactivity Hazard - No Immediate Hazard - Yes Delayed Hazard - Yes

### STATE REGULATIONS

Contact 3M for more information.

### CALIFORNIA PROPOSITION 65

<u>Ingredient</u>	<u>C.A.S. No.</u>	<u>Classification</u>
BENZENE	71-43-2	*Male reproductive toxin
BENZENE	71-43-2	**Carcinogen
BENZENE	71-43-2	*Developmental Toxin
CHLOROTHALONIL	1897-45-6	**Carcinogen
FORMALDEHYDE	50-00-0	**Carcinogen
SILICA, CRYSTALLINE (AIRBORNE PARTICLES OF RESPIRABLE SIZE)	NONE	**Carcinogen

\* WARNING: contains a chemical or chemicals which can cause birth defects or other reproductive harm.

\*\* WARNING: contains a chemical which can cause cancer.

### CHEMICAL INVENTORIES

The components of this product are in compliance with the chemical notification requirements of TSCA.

All applicable chemical ingredients in this material are listed on the European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances (EINECS), or are exempt polymers whose monomers are listed on EINECS.

Contact 3M for more information.

## INTERNATIONAL REGULATIONS

Contact 3M for more information.

This MSDS has been prepared to meet the U.S. OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200.

## SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

### NFPA Hazard Classification

Health: 2 Flammability: 1 Reactivity: 0 Special Hazards: None

National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) hazard ratings are designed for use by emergency response personnel to address the hazards that are presented by short-term, acute exposure to a material under conditions of fire, spill, or similar emergencies. Hazard ratings are primarily based on the inherent physical and toxic properties of the material but also include the toxic properties of combustion or decomposition products that are known to be generated in significant quantities.

### Revision Changes:

Section 1: Product use information was modified.

Copyright was modified.

Section 8: Exposure guidelines ingredient information was modified.

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