

**SAFETY DATA SHEET****N-FLOW™ 408**

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**1. Product Identifier & Identity for the Chemical**

**Statement of Hazardous Nature** Hazardous according to the criteria of the 3rd Revised Edition of the Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (GHS), Dangerous Goods according to the criteria of ADG.

**1.1. Product Identifier**

**Product Name** N-FLOW™ 408

**Other means of Identification**

**Synonyms:** None  
**Product Code:** HM006341

**Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use**

**Recommended Use** Additive  
**Uses Advised Against** No information available

**Supplier's name, address and phone number**

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**Australian Poisons Information Centre**

24 Hour Service: - 13 11 26  
Police or Fire Brigade: - 000 (exchange): - 1100

**2. Hazard Identification**

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**Classification of the hazardous chemical**

Serious Eye Damage / Eye Irritation	Category 1 - H318
Specific Target Organ Toxicity - (Single Exposure)	Category 3 - H335
Flammable liquids.	Category 3 - H226

**Label elements, including precautionary statements****Hazard Pictograms**

**Signal Word**

Danger

**Hazard Statements**

H226 - Flammable liquid and vapor  
H318 - Causes serious eye damage  
H335 - May cause respiratory irritation

**Precautionary Statements****Prevention**

P210 - Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking  
P233 - Keep container tightly closed  
P240 - Ground/Bond container and receiving equipment  
P241 - Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting/equipment  
P242 - Use only non-sparking tools  
P243 - Take precautionary measures against static discharge  
P261 - Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray  
P280 - Wear eye protection/face protection

**Response**

P304 + P340 - IF INHALED: Remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing  
P312 - Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell  
P305 + P351 + P338 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing  
P310 - Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician  
P370 + P378 - In case of fire: Use water spray for extinction

**Storage**

P403 + P233 - Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed  
P403 + P235 - Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool  
P405 - Store locked up

**Disposal**

P501 - Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations

**Contains  
Substances**  
Ethyl lactate

**CAS Number**  
687-47-8

**Other hazards which do not result in classification**

This substance is not considered to be persistent, bioaccumulating nor toxic (PBT).  
This substance is not considered to be very persistent nor very bioaccumulating (vPvB).

**Australia Classification**

*For the full text of the H-phrases mentioned in this Section, see Section 16*

**Classification**

Xi - Irritant.

**Risk Phrases**

R10 Flammable.  
R37 Irritating to respiratory system.  
R41 Risk of serious damage to eyes.

### 3. Composition/information on Ingredients

Substances	CAS Number	PERCENT (w/w)	GHS Classification - Australia
Ethyl lactate	687-47-8	60 - 100%	Eye Corr. 1 (H318) STOT SE 3 (H335) Flam. Liq. 3 (H226)

### 4. First aid measures

#### Description of necessary first aid measures

<b>Inhalation</b>	If inhaled, remove from area to fresh air. Get medical attention if respiratory irritation develops or if breathing becomes difficult.
<b>Eyes</b>	Immediately flush eyes with large amounts of water for at least 30 minutes. Seek prompt medical attention.
<b>Skin</b>	Wash with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation persists.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Do NOT induce vomiting. Give nothing by mouth. Obtain immediate medical attention.

#### Symptoms caused by exposure

Causes severe eye irritation which may damage tissue. May cause respiratory irritation.

#### Medical Attention and Special Treatment

**Notes to Physician** Treat symptomatically

### 5. Fire Fighting Measures

#### Suitable extinguishing equipment

##### **Suitable Extinguishing Media**

Water fog, carbon dioxide, foam, dry chemical.

##### **Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons**

None known.

#### Specific hazards arising from the chemical

##### **Special Exposure Hazards**

Decomposition in fire may produce harmful gases. Use water spray to cool fire exposed surfaces.

#### Special protective equipment and precautions for fire fighters

##### **Special Protective Equipment for Fire-Fighters**

Full protective clothing and approved self-contained breathing apparatus required for fire fighting personnel.

### 6. Accidental release measures

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

Remove sources of ignition. Use appropriate protective equipment. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Avoid breathing vapors. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate all persons from the area.

#### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Prevent from entering sewers, waterways, or low areas.

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

Contain spill with sand or other inert materials. Scoop up and remove. Isolate spill and stop leak where safe. Remove ignition sources and work with non-sparking tools.

## 7. Handling and storage

### 7.1. Precautions for Safe Handling

#### Handling Precautions

Remove sources of ignition. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, or clothing. Avoid breathing vapors. Ensure adequate ventilation. Wash hands after use. Launder contaminated clothing before reuse. Use appropriate protective equipment. Ground and bond containers when transferring from one container to another.

#### Hygiene Measures

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

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

#### Storage Information

Store away from oxidizers. Keep from heat, sparks, and open flames. Keep container closed when not in use. Product has a shelf life of 12 months.

#### Other Guidelines

No information available

## 8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

### Control parameters - exposure standards, biological monitoring

#### Exposure Limits

Substances	CAS Number	Australia NOHSC	ACGIH TLV-TWA
Ethyl lactate	687-47-8	Not applicable	Not applicable

### Appropriate engineering controls

#### Engineering Controls

Use in a well ventilated area.

### Personal protective equipment (PPE)

#### Respiratory Protection

If engineering controls and work practices cannot keep exposure below occupational exposure limits or if exposure is unknown, wear a NIOSH certified, European Standard EN 149, AS/NZS 1715:2009, or equivalent respirator when using this product. Selection of and instruction on using all personal protective equipment, including respirators, should be performed by an Industrial Hygienist or other qualified professional.  
Organic vapor respirator.

#### Hand Protection

Chemical-resistant protective gloves (EN 374) Suitable materials for longer, direct contact (recommended: protection index 6, corresponding to > 480 minutes permeation time as per EN 374): Nitrile gloves. ( $\geq 0.35$  mm thickness)  
This information is based on literature references and on information provided by glove manufacturers, or is derived by analogy with similar substances. Please note that in practice the working life of chemical-resistant protective gloves may be considerably shorter than the permeation time determined in accordance with EN 374 as a result of the many influencing factors (e.g. temperature). If signs of wear and tear are noticed then the gloves should be replaced. Manufacturer's directions for use should be observed because of great diversity of types.

#### Skin Protection

Rubber apron.

#### Eye Protection

Chemical goggles; also wear a face shield if splashing hazard exists.

#### Other Precautions

Eyewash fountains and safety showers must be easily accessible.

#### Environmental Exposure Controls

Do not allow material to contaminate ground water system

## 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

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

**Physical State:** Liquid

**Color:** Clear colorless

**Odor:** Characteristic

**Odor Threshold:** No information available

#### Property

#### Values

Remarks/ - Method

**pH:**

7.4 (10%)

**Freezing Point/Range**

No data available

**Melting Point/Range**

No data available

<b>Boiling Point/Range</b>	154 °C / 309 °F
<b>Flash Point</b>	46 °C / 115 °F PMCC
upper flammability limit	11.4%
lower flammability limit	1.5%
<b>Evaporation rate</b>	0.22
<b>Vapor Pressure</b>	5 mmHg
<b>Vapor Density</b>	4.07
<b>Specific Gravity</b>	1.03
<b>Water Solubility</b>	Miscible with water
<b>Solubility in other solvents</b>	No data available
<b>Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water</b>	-0.18
<b>Autoignition Temperature</b>	400 °C / 752 °F
<b>Decomposition Temperature</b>	No data available
<b>Viscosity</b>	No data available
<b>Explosive Properties</b>	No information available
<b>Oxidizing Properties</b>	No information available

**9.2. Other information**

<b>Molecular Weight</b>	118.13 g/mol
<b>VOC Content (%)</b>	No data available

## 10. Stability and Reactivity

**10.1. Reactivity**

Not expected to be reactive.

**10.2. Chemical Stability**

Stable

**10.3. Possibility of Hazardous Reactions**

Will Not Occur

**10.4. Conditions to Avoid**

None anticipated

**10.5. Incompatible Materials**

Strong oxidizers.

**10.6. Hazardous Decomposition Products**

Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide.

## 11. Toxicological Information

**Information on routes of exposure****Principle Route of Exposure** Eye or skin contact, inhalation.**Symptoms related to exposure****Most Important Symptoms/Effects**

Causes severe eye irritation which may damage tissue. May cause respiratory irritation.

**Numerical measures of toxicity****Component Information****Toxicology data for the components**

Substances	CAS Number	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Ethyl lactate	687-47-8	> 2000 mg/kg (Rat)	5000 mg/kg (Rat) >5000 mg/kg (Rabbit)	> 5.4 mg/L (Rat) 4h

**Immediate, delayed and chronic health effects from exposure**

<b>Inhalation</b>	May cause respiratory irritation.
<b>Eye Contact</b>	Causes serious eye damage. May cause permanent eye damage.
<b>Skin Contact</b>	May cause skin irritation.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Irritation of the mouth, throat, and stomach.

**Chronic Effects/Carcinogenicity** No data available to indicate product or components present at greater than 0.1% are chronic health hazards.

**Exposure Levels**

No data available

**Interactive effects**

None known.

**Data limitations**

No data available

Substances	CAS Number	Skin corrosion/irritation
Ethyl lactate	687-47-8	Non-irritating to the skin rabbit

Substances	CAS Number	Eye damage/irritation
Ethyl lactate	687-47-8	Causes severe eye irritation which may damage tissue.

Substances	CAS Number	Skin Sensitization
Ethyl lactate	687-47-8	Did not cause sensitization on laboratory animals (mouse)

Substances	CAS Number	Respiratory Sensitization
Ethyl lactate	687-47-8	No information available

Substances	CAS Number	Mutagenic Effects
Ethyl lactate	687-47-8	In vitro tests did not show mutagenic effects

Substances	CAS Number	Carcinogenic Effects
Ethyl lactate	687-47-8	No information available.

Substances	CAS Number	Reproductive toxicity
Ethyl lactate	687-47-8	Not a confirmed reproductive toxicant.

Substances	CAS Number	STOT - single exposure
Ethyl lactate	687-47-8	May cause respiratory irritation.

Substances	CAS Number	STOT - repeated exposure
Ethyl lactate	687-47-8	No significant toxicity observed in animal studies at concentration requiring classification.

Substances	CAS Number	Aspiration hazard
Ethyl lactate	687-47-8	Not applicable

## 12. Ecological Information

**Ecotoxicity****Product Ecotoxicity Data**

No data available

**Substance Ecotoxicity Data**

Substances	CAS Number	Toxicity to Algae	Toxicity to Fish	Toxicity to Microorganisms	Toxicity to Invertebrates
Ethyl lactate	687-47-8	EC50(96h): 3500 mg/L (Pseudokirchnerella subcapitata, growth rate) EC50(96h): 2300 mg/L (Pseudokirchnerella subcapitata, biomass)	LC50(96h): 320 mg/L (Danio rerio)	No information available	EC50(48h): 683 mg/L (Daphnia magna)

**12.2. Persistence and degradability**

Substances	CAS Number	Persistence and Degradability
Ethyl lactate	687-47-8	Readily biodegradable (> 98% @ 28d)

**12.3. Bioaccumulative potential**

Substances	CAS Number	Log Pow
Ethyl lactate	687-47-8	0.31

**12.4. Mobility in soil**

Substances	CAS Number	Mobility
Ethyl lactate	687-47-8	KOC = 1

**12.6. Other adverse effects****Endocrine Disruptor Information**

This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors

**13. Disposal Considerations****Safe handling and disposal methods**

Disposal should be made in accordance with federal, state, and local regulations.

**Disposal of any contaminated packaging**

Follow all applicable national or local regulations.

**Environmental regulations**

Not applicable

**14. Transport Information****Transportation Information**

UN Number: UN1192  
UN Proper Shipping Name: Ethyl Lactate  
Transport Hazard Class(es): 3  
Packing Group: III  
Environmental Hazards: Not applicable

**Special precautions during transport**

None

**HazChem Code**

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**15. Regulatory Information****Safety, health and environmental regulations specific for the product****International Inventories**

Australian AICS Inventory  
New Zealand Inventory of  
Chemicals

Product contains one or more components not listed on inventory.  
All components listed on inventory or are exempt.

EINECS Inventory  
US TSCA Inventory  
Canadian DSL Inventory

This product, and all its components, complies with EINECS  
All components listed on inventory or are exempt.  
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**Poisons Schedule number**

None Allocated

**16. Other information****Date of preparation or review**

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SDS sections updated: 2

**Full text of R-phrases referred to under Sections 2 and 3**

R10 Flammable.  
R37 Irritating to respiratory system.  
R41 Risk of serious damage to eyes.

**Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3**

H226 - Flammable liquid and vapor  
H318 - Causes serious eye damage  
H335 - May cause respiratory irritation

**Additional information**

For additional information on the use of this product, contact your local Halliburton representative.

For questions about the Safety Data Sheet for this or other Halliburton products, contact Chemical Stewardship at 1-580-251-4335.

**Key abbreviations or acronyms used**

bw – body weight CAS – Chemical Abstracts Service EC50 – Effective Concentration 50% LC50 – Lethal Concentration 50% LD50 – Lethal Dose 50% LL50 – Lethal Loading 50% mg/kg – milligram/kilogram mg/L – milligram/liter NOEC – No Observed Effect Concentration OEL – Occupational Exposure Limit PBT – Persistent Bioaccumulative and Toxic ppm – parts per million STEL – Short Term Exposure Limit TWA – Time-Weighted Average vPvB – very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative h - hour mg/m<sup>3</sup> - milligram/cubic meter mm - millimeter mmHg - millimeter mercury w/w - weight/weight d - day

**Key literature references and sources for data**

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