

# Chem Thaw

## Safety Data Sheet

### SECTION 1: Product and company identification

Product name : Chem Thaw  
Use of the substance/mixture : Ice melter  
Product code : 816090

Company : Foster & Company, Inc  
15 Wing Drive Cedar Knolls,  
NJ 07927 -  
USA T (973) 267-4100

Emergency number : Chemtec: (800) 424-9300

### SECTION 2: Hazards identification

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

##### Classification (GHS-US)

Not classified

#### 2.2. Label elements

##### GHS-US labeling

No labeling applicable

#### 2.3. Other hazards

No additional information available

#### 2.4. Unknown acute toxicity (GHS US)

Not applicable

### SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

#### 3.1. Substance

Not applicable

Full text of H-phrases: see section 16

#### 3.2. Mixture

No additional information available

### SECTION 4: First aid measures

#### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures general : If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible).  
First-aid measures after inhalation : Remove the victim into fresh air.  
First-aid measures after skin contact : Rinse skin with water/shower.  
First-aid measures after eye contact : Rinse immediately with plenty of water. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.  
First-aid measures after ingestion : Rinse mouth with water. Do NOT induce vomiting.

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

Symptoms/injuries : Not expected to present a significant hazard under anticipated conditions of normal use.  
Symptoms/injuries after inhalation : None under normal use.  
Symptoms/injuries after skin contact : Contact during a long period may cause light irritation.  
Symptoms/injuries after eye contact : Direct contact with the eyes is likely irritating.  
Symptoms/injuries after ingestion : Gastrointestinal complaints.

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

Treat symptomatically.

### SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

#### 5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media : All extinguishing media allowed.

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

Reactivity : Reacts with (some) acids: release of toxic and corrosive gases/vapors hydrogen chloride. Reacts with strong oxidizing agents to generate chlorine gas.

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### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

- Firefighting instructions : Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire. Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed containers. Take account of environmentally hazardous firefighting water.
- Protection during firefighting : Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.

## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

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

- General measures : Isolate from fire, if possible, without unnecessary risk.

#### 6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

- Protective equipment : Protective goggles. Gloves. Protective clothing.
- Emergency procedures : Evacuate unnecessary personnel. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Ventilate spillage area.

#### 6.1.2. For emergency responders

- Protective equipment : Equip cleanup crew with proper protection.
- Emergency procedures : Stop leak if safe to do so. Stop release. Ventilate area.

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

- Avoid release to the environment. Prevent entry to sewers and public waters.

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

- For containment : Contain released substance, pump into suitable containers.
- Methods for cleaning up : This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way, and as per local legislation.

### 6.4. Reference to other sections

- No additional information available

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

- Precautions for safe handling : Comply with the legal requirements. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Use personal protective equipment as required. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.
- Hygiene measures : Wash thoroughly after handling. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

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

- Technical measures : Comply with applicable regulations.
- Storage conditions : Keep container closed when not in use.
- Incompatible products : strong acids. Strong oxidizing agents.
- Incompatible materials : Heat sources. Open flame.
- Storage area : Meet the legal requirements. Store in a cool area. Store in a dry area.
- Special rules on packaging : meet the legal requirements.

## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1. Control parameters

- No additional information available

### 8.2. Exposure controls

- Personal protective equipment : Use appropriate personal protective equipment when risk assessment indicates this is necessary. Gloves. Safety glasses. Protective clothing.



## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

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

- Physical state : Liquid
- Appearance : Clear, colorless liquid.
- Odor : No odor
- Odor threshold : No data available
- pH : 6 - 8
- Melting point : No data available

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Freezing point	: No data available
Boiling point	: No data available
Flash point	: > 200 °F Closed Cup
Relative evaporation rate (butyl acetate=1)	: No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	: No data available
Explosion limits	: No data available
Explosive properties	: No data available
Oxidizing properties	: No data available
Vapor pressure	: No data available
Relative density	: No data available
Relative vapor density at 20 °C	: No data available
Specific gravity / density	: 1.19 g/ml
Solubility	: Soluble in water.
Log Pow	: No data available
Log Kow	: No data available
Auto-ignition temperature	: No data available
Decomposition temperature	: No data available
Viscosity	: No data available
Viscosity, kinematic	: No data available
Viscosity, dynamic	: No data available
VOC content	: 0

### SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

#### 10.1. Reactivity

Reacts with (some) acids: release of toxic and corrosive gases/vapors hydrogen chloride. Reacts with strong oxidizing agents to generate chlorine gas.

#### 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

#### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Refer to section 10.1 on Reactivity.

#### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

No additional information available

#### 10.5. Incompatible materials

No additional information available

#### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced.

### SECTION 11: Toxicological information

#### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity	: Not classified
Skin corrosion/irritation	: Not classified pH: 6 - 8
Serious eye damage/irritation	: Not classified pH: 6 - 8
Respiratory or skin sensitization	: Not classified
Germ cell mutagenicity	: Not classified
Carcinogenicity	: Not classified
Reproductive toxicity	: Not classified
Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)	: Not classified
Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure)	: Not classified
Aspiration hazard	: Not classified
Symptoms/injuries after inhalation	: None under normal use.
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Symptoms/injuries after eye contact : Direct contact with the eyes is likely irritating.  
Symptoms/injuries after ingestion : Gastrointestinal complaints.

### SECTION 12: Ecological information

#### 12.1. Toxicity

No additional information available

#### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

No additional information available

#### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

No additional information available

### SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

#### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

Waste disposal recommendations : Dispose in a safe manner in accordance with local/national regulations.

### SECTION 14: Transport information

#### Department of Transportation (DOT)

In accordance with DOT : Not regulated for transport

#### Additional information

Other information : No supplementary information available.

#### ADR

No additional information available

#### Transport by sea

No additional information available

#### Air transport

No additional information available

### SECTION 15: Regulatory information

All components of this product are listed, or excluded from listing, on the United States Environmental Protection Agency Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) inventory.

This product or mixture does not contain a toxic chemical or chemicals in excess of the applicable de minimis concentration as specified in 40 CFR §372.38(a) subject to the reporting requirements of section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 and 40 CFR Part 372.

California Proposition 65 - This product does not contain substances known to the state of California to cause cancer and/or reproductive toxicity.

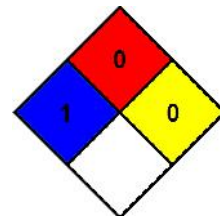
### SECTION 16: Other information

Training advice : Normal use of this product shall imply use in accordance with the instructions on the packaging.

NFPA health hazard : 1 - Exposure could cause irritation but only minor residual injury even if no treatment is given.

NFPA fire hazard : 0 - Materials that will not burn.

NFPA reactivity : 0 - Normally stable, even under fire exposure conditions, and are not reactive with water.



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