

# RPL-CPX770 Perfluoropolyether (PFPE) Food Grade Grease

## **SECTION 1 – PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION**

Product Identification: RPL-CPX770

Perfluoropolyether (PFPE) Food Grade Grease

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## **SECTION 2 – COMPONENT DATA**

This product is a semi-solid that is insoluble in water. Direct eye contact may cause minor, short-term irritation. Short-term skin exposure is not expected to be irritating. Inhalation and ingestion are not anticipated routes of exposure during normal conditions of use.

HMIS Rating: Health: 1 Flammability: 1 Reactivity: 0 PPE: X

Components listed in this section may contribute to the potential hazards associated with exposure to the concentrate. The product may contain additional non-hazardous or trade secret components.

**Sodium Nitrite** 

Cas #: 7632-00 Exposure Limit: ACGIH TLV: 5 mg/m3 (as mist)

ACGIH STEL: 10 mg/m3 (as mist)

OSHA PEL: 5 mg/m3

Carcinogenic Components: This product contains no carcinogens.

This product conforms to FDA, NSF and Canadian Food Inspection Agency requirements under Sections 21 CFR 178.3570 and 774.1 D78 for use where incidental contact is possible.

## **SECTION 3 – HAZARDOUS IDENTIFICATION**

## POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS and SYMPTOMS from SHORT / ACUTE EXPOSURE:

### **EYE EXPOSURE**

This product is not expected to cause eye irritation under normal conditions of use. Symptoms of slight eye irritation may result when direct contact occurs, or when exposed to high mist levels in poorly ventilated areas.

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## **SKIN EXPOSURE**

Short-term skin exposure is not expected to cause skin irritation. Prolonged or repeated direct exposure to the skin may result in symptoms of irritation and redness. In severe cases, prolonged or repeated contact may result in dermatitis accompanied by symptoms of irritation, itching, dryness, cracking and/or inflammation. Thermal decomposition (over 290°C) will generate hydrogen fluoride which is corrosive and causes burns on contact with skin and other tissue.

#### INHALATION

Oil mist or vapors at high temperatures may irritate respiratory passages. Inhalation of decomposition products of PFPE (over 290°C) may cause polymer fever - a temporary, flu-like illness accompanied by fever, chills, and sometimes cough lasting approximately 24 hours in duration. Repeated exposure of polymer fume fever may cause lung damage inhalation of fluorine compounds released as decomposition products (over 290°C) may cause lung irritation and pulmonary edema.

### **INGESTION**

Do not induce vomiting. Small amounts aspirated into lungs during ingestion or vomiting may cause mild to severe pulmonary injury. May cause gastrointestinal irritation.

### POTENTIAL CHRONIC HEALTH EFFECTS

Prolonged and/or repeated exposure may cause irritation to the skin, eyes, or respiratory tract. Individuals with pre-existing diseases of the lungs may have increased susceptibility to the toxicity of excessive exposures from thermal decomposition products.

## MEDICAL CONDITIONS AGGRAVATED BY EXPOSURE

No further data known

### **CARCINOGENICITY**

This product is not listed as a known or suspected carcinogen by IARC, OSHA, or the NTP.

## **SECTION 4 – FIRST AID MEASURES**

## **EYE CONTACT**

Upon direct eye contact, hold eyelids open flush with a steady, gentle stream of water for at least 15 minutes. If irritation is due to exposure to mist or vapors, remove the individual to fresh air. If irritation persists, flush the eyes with clean water until the irritation subsides. If symptoms persist, contact physician.

### **SKIN CONTACT**

Remove product from the skin by washing with mild soap and water. Contaminated clothing should be removed to prevent prolonged exposure. If symptoms of exposure persist, contact physician.

### **INHALATION**

Inhalation is not an expected route of exposure. If respiratory irritation or distress occurs remove the employee to fresh air. Contact a physician or other medical professional if irritation or distress persists.

#### INGESTION

If small amounts are ingested, first aid measures are not likely to be necessary. If larger amounts are ingested or if symptoms of ingestion occur, dilute stomach contents with two glasses of water or milk. (NOTE: DO NOT give anything by mouth to an unconscious person). Do not induce vomiting without medical supervision. If vomiting occurs spontaneously keep airway clear. If symptoms of ingestion persist, seek medical attention.

## **NOTE TO PHYSICIAN**

No further data known

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## **SECTION 5 – FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

## FIRE AND EXPLOSION PROPERTIES

Flash Point: None °F COC Flammability Limits: LEL N/A UEL N/A

## **EXTINGUISHING MEDIA**

In accordance with NFPA guidance, dry chemical, foam, or CO2 fire extinguishers are all acceptable. Note that while water fog extinguishers are also acceptable, do NOT apply a direct stream of water onto burning product because it may cause spreading and increase fire intensity.

### **UNUSUAL FIRE & EXPLOSION HAZARDS**

No further data known.

## FIRE-FIGHTING PROCEDURES AND EQUIPMENT

Emergency responders in the danger areas should wear bunker gear and self-contained breathing apparatus for fires beyond the incipient stage. See section 8 of the MSDS for other PPE to be worn as conditions warrant.

## **SECTION 6 – ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

### **CLEAN-UP MEASURES:**

**Important:** As with any spill or leak, ensure before responding that you are familiar with the potential hazards and recommendations of the MSDS. Appropriate personal protective equipment must be worn. See Section 8 of this MSDS for PPE recommendations.

If possible, safely contain the spill with dikes or other spill response equipment appropriate for petroleum or organic material releases. Take measures to prevent spreading of product. Note that while product will ignite, it will not readily burn. However, as a precaution eliminate ignition sources. Prevent from entering sewers or waterways. Large volumes may be transferred to an appropriate container for proper disposal. Small volumes or residues may be soaked up with absorbents. Spill response materials should be collected for proper disposal.

## **SECTION 7 – HANDLING AND STORAGE**

## **HANDLING**

As with any industrial chemical, handle the product in a manner that minimizes exposure to practicable levels. Prior to handling, consult Section 8 of this MSDS to evaluate personal protective equipment needs. Open containers slowly to relieve any pressure. Follow all other standard industrial hygiene practices.

Empty containers may contain product residue. All safety precautions taken when handling this product should also be taken when handling empty drums and containers. Keep containers closed when not in use. Product residue in empty containers is combustible but will not readily burn. NOTE however, that excessive heating or cutting of empty containers may create an ignition source sufficient to start a fire and in extreme cases, cause an explosion.

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### **STORAGE**

Protect product quality by storing indoors and away from extreme temperatures. Close all containers when not in use.

#### SPECIAL COMMENTS

No further data known.

## SECTION 8 – EXPOSURE CONTROLS AND PERSONAL PROTECTION

### PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

Selection of personal protective equipment should be based upon the anticipated exposure and made in accordance with OSHA's Personal Protective Equipment Standard found in 29 CFR 1910 Subpart I. The following information may be used to assist in PPE selection.

### **EYE PROTECTION**

Wear eye protection appropriate to prevent eye exposure. Where splashing is not likely, chemical safety glasses with side shields are recommended. Where splashing may occur, chemical goggles or full-face shield is recommended.

## SKIN PROTECTION

Gloves are not normally needed during normal conditions of use. If health effects are experienced, oil or chemical resistant gloves such as butyl or nitrile are recommended. Where splashing or soaking is likely, wear oil or chemical resistant clothing to prevent exposure.

## RESPIRATORY PROTECTION

A respirator may be worn to reduce exposure to vapors, dust, or mist. Select a NIOSH / MSHA approved respirator appropriate for the type and physical character of the airborne material. A self-contained breathing apparatus is recommended in all situations where airborne contaminant concentration has not been confirmed to be below safe levels. Respirator use should comply with the OSHA Respirator Protection Standard found in 29 CFR 1910.134.

## **ENGINEERING CONTROLS**

Normal general ventilation is expected to be adequate. It is recommended that ventilation be designed in all instances to maintain airborne concentrations at lower practicable levels. Ventilation should at a minimum, prevent airborne concentrations from exceeding any exposure limits listed in Section 2 of this MSDS.

The user may wish to refer to 29 CFR 1910.1000 (d) (2) and ACGIH "Threshold Limit Values for Chemical Substances and Physical Agents Biological Exposure Indices" (Appendix C) for the determination of exposure limits of mixtures. An industrial hygienist or similar professional may be consulted to confirm that the calculated exposure limits apply.

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## **SECTION 9 – PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

Physical Appearance: White

Odor: Slight

Physical State: Semi-Solid Grease

Specific Gravity: 1.94
Vapor Pressure (mm Hg): Negligible
Water Solubility: Insoluble

% Volatile: None

## **SECTION 10 – STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

### **INCOMPATIBILITIES**

This product is incompatible with strong oxidizing agents.

## **DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS MAY INCLUDE**

Thermal decomposition products are dependent on combustion conditions. A complex mixture of airborne solid, liquid, particulates and gasses may evolve when the material burns. Combustion byproducts may include:

- Hydrogen fluoride
- Carbonvl fluoride
- Carbon monoxide
- · Small other amounts of toxic fumes

## **CONDITIONS TO AVOID**

Avoid contact with incompatible materials and exposure to extreme temperatures.

## **POLYMERIZATION**

This product is not expected to polymerize.

## **STABILITY**

This product is stable.

## **SECTION 11 – TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

## **EYE EFFECTS**

No further toxicological data known.

## **SKIN EFFECTS**

No further toxicological data known.

## **ORAL EFFECTS**

No further toxicological data known.

## **INHALATION EFFECTS**

No further toxicological data known.

## **OTHER**

No further toxicological data known.

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## **SECTION 12 – ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

## **ECOTOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

This product has not been evaluated for ecotoxicity. As with any industrial chemical, exposure to the environment should be prevented and minimized wherever possible.

## **ENVIRONMENTAL FATE**

The degree of biodegradability and persistence of this product has not been determined.

## **SECTION 13 – DISPOSAL CONSIDERATION**

#### WASTE DISPOSAL

Ensure that collection, transport, treatment, and disposal of waste product, containers and rinsate comply with all applicable laws and regulations. Note that use, mixture, processing, or contamination of the product may cause the material to be classified as a hazardous waste. It is the responsibility of the product user or owner to determine at the time of disposal, whether the product is regulated as a hazardous waste.

## **SECTION 14 – TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

### **DOT HAZARDOUS MATERIAL INFORMATION**

Not otherwise DOT regulated.

## **SECTION 15 – REGULATORY INFORMATION**

## **FEDERAL REGULATIONS**

All components of this product are listed on the TSCA Inventory.

This product does not contain a SARA Title 3 section 313 (40 CFR 372) reportable chemical. Not hazardous under SARA 311/312 Hazard Class (40 SFR 370). No ingredients listed under SARA extremely hazardous substances (40 CFR 355) and CERCLA hazardous substances (40 CFR 302). This product is not considered a controlled product according to the criteria of the Canadian Controlled Products Regulations.

This product conforms to FDA, NSF and Canadian Food Inspection Agency requirements under Sections 21 CFR 178.3570 and 774.1 D78 for use where incidental contact is possible.

## **CLEAN WATER ACT / OIL POLLUTION ACT**

This product contains mineral oil and is subject to regulations by Section 311 of the Clean Water Act and the Oil Pollution Act. Releases of the product into or leading to surface waters must be reported to the National Response Center at 1-800-424-8802.

## **CERCLA REPORTABLE QUANTITY:**

Any components listed below have been assigned a reportable quantity (RQ) by the Federal EPA. Releases of the product into the environment that exceed the RQ for a particular component must be reported to the National Response Center at 1-800-424-8802.

COMPONENT	RQ
(NONE FOUND IN THIS PRODUCT)	

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## TOXIC SUBSTANCES CONTROL ACT

The components of this product are listed on the TSCA Inventory.

### **OZONE DEPLETING SUBSTANCES**

The product contains no ozone depleting substances as defined by the Clean Air Act.

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### STATE REGULATIONS

This product contains mineral oil, and as used, may be regulated by state used oil regulations. Check with the appropriate state agency to determine whether such a regulation exists.

No further data known.

## **SECTION 16 – OTHER INFORMATION**

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