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### EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This report presents a preliminary site assessment (PSA) of the potential environmental impacts associated with the historic loss of cable fluid from a section of underground cable located adjacent to Royal Canal Bank, Phibsborough, Dublin 7. ESB records indicate that 285 litres of cable fluid (a mixture of linear alkyl benzenes, refined mineral oil and additives) leaked into the ground from the subject section of cable over a period of twelve months between August 2002 and July 2003.

The PSA was performed with reference to the EPA's 2013 publication "*Guidance on the Management of Contaminated Land and Groundwater at EPA Licensed Sites*". The EPA's guidance document outlines a staged and risk-based approach to contaminated land and groundwater assessment, with the PSA being the first stage in the process. By its nature the PSA stage is precautionary and conservative, aiming to identify those potential "pollutant linkages" where more detailed assessment is required.

Generally, more detailed assessment is only necessary where the assessed risk to a potential receptor is moderate, high or very high. However, in cases where the potential receptor is particularly sensitive, more detailed assessment may be recommended even if the assessed risk is low.

The findings of the preliminary site assessment can be summarised as follows:

- The leak location is within a public amenity space and walkway that runs along the east side of the Royal Canal Bank road;
- Land use in the vicinity of the leak location is predominantly public amenity space and residential. The closest residential building is approximately 10 m east of the leak location;
- Historical maps show that a canal formerly ran along the line of the public amenity space, extending from the Royal Canal in Phibsborough to a dock area adjacent to what is now Broadstone bus depot. The leak location appears to lie to the east of the former canal;
- Topography in the vicinity of the leak location appears to be flat, with no discernible topographic gradient. The topographic gradient across the wider area dips down gently towards the River Liffey, which lies approximately 1.5 km south of the leak location and flows east to Dublin Bay;
- The bedrock aquifer underlying the leak location is considered the key environmental receptor potentially at risk of impact from the leak of cable fluid from this location. There are no surface water bodies close to the leak location that are considered to be at risk of impact. The potential for cable fluid (or some of its constituent compounds) to permeate buried water mains located close to the leak location (if present) and to impact water quality in the water mains also needs to be considered; however, the low solubility of these compounds and the low rate of permeation are such that they are

unlikely to impact water quality in the pipes. Occupants of buildings in the vicinity of the leak are also considered potential receptors via vapour intrusion pathways; however, because of the expected low volatility of the cable fluid, the risk of impact is probably low.

A preliminary risk assessment was completed that considered the potential risk posed by the subject leak on the identified potential receptors. The findings of this preliminary risk assessment are summarised in the following table:

Receptor	Risk Category	Comment			
Water mains/ Water supply	Low	Whilst the potential for organic compounds to permeate water mains is known (in particular plastic water pipes and the joints of other types of water pipes), the potential for constituents of the cable fluid to permeate water mains was not established during the PSA.			
		The risk category assumes that cable fluid may be present as residual LNAPL in the water main trench and that there is potential for constituents of it to permeate water pipes. However, the low solubility of these compounds and the expected low rate of permeation are such that they are unlikely to impact water quality in the pipes.			
Bedrock aquifer	Low	The bedrock is classified as a "locally important" aquifer. Vulnerability rating is "low" close to the leak location. In addition, the water table in the overburden is expected to be relatively shallow, reducing the potential for downward migration of cable fluid to the bedrock aquifer.			
		No preferential pathways potentially linking the leak location to the aquifer have been identified.			
Occupants of buildings where there are potential confined spaces	Very low	There is a terrace of residential properties to the east of the public park and walkway, the closest point of which lies approximately 10 m from the leak location. Because of the relatively small volume of cable fluid lost (estimated to be 285 litres) the potential for cable fluid to have migrated beneath the foundations of these houses is considered low.			

Further investigation of the risk to the above-mentioned receptors (i.e. water mains, the bedrock aquifer and occupants of nearby buildings) is not considered necessary.

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### 1 INTRODUCTION

### 1.1 Project Background

Geosyntec Consultants Ltd (Geosyntec) is pleased to present the Electricity Supply Board (ESB) this Preliminary Site Assessment (PSA), which relates to the potential environmental impacts associated with the historic loss of cable fluid from a section of fluid-filled cable located adjacent to Royal Canal Bank, Phibsborough, Dublin 7. The alignment of the subject section of cable and the approximate location of the historic loss of cable fluid are illustrated in Figure 1.

The PSA was completed in accordance with Geosyntec proposal reference 190607 dated June 2019 and was authorised by the ESB as an extension to the original project scope on 15<sup>th</sup> October 2019. The PSA was led by Mr Graham Webb, who is an environmental engineer with over 25 years' relevant experience, and Mr Jim Wragg, who is a contaminant hydrogeologist with over 30 years' relevant experience.

ESB Networks operates and maintains a network of High Voltage (HV) underground cables of over 1,600 km across Ireland, of which approximately 205 km (175 km operational) are insulated by a cable fluid. The majority of these fluid-filled cables are located in urban settings across Dublin city and Cork city. The cable fluid acts as an electrical insulator and aids the conduction of heat away from the conductor allowing the cable to be operated more efficiently. The cables are vulnerable to third party interference or damage, and over time, cables can develop leaks due to defects developing in the cable sheath and in joints and terminations. When such leaks occur, there is potential for pollution to arise.

In the case of the section of fluid-filled cable that is the subject of this PSA, ESB records indicate that 285 litres of cable fluid leaked into the ground from the cable over a period of twelve months between August 2002 and July 2003.

### **1.2** Objective and Scope of Work

The primary objective of the PSA was to complete a preliminary assessment of the potential types, locations, extent and significance of environmental impacts associated with the subject historic cable fluid loss. The PSA was performed with reference to the EPA's 2013 publication *"Guidance on the Management of Contaminated Land and Groundwater at EPA Licensed Sites"*. This PSA report is based on the EPA's guideline template report for PSAs, which is linked to the 2013 guidance.

The EPA's 2013 guidance document outlines a staged approach to contaminated land and groundwater assessment, with the PSA being the first stage in the process. During the PSA stage, the guidance requires the assessor to identify environmental "receptors" - including groundwater and surface water bodes and flora and fauna dependent on them as well as people - who are potentially at risk from the source of contamination, and to qualitatively assess the risk to each environmental receptor by considering the viability of each source-pathway-receptor "pollutant linkage". Those pollutant linkages where there is considered to

be a moderate or high risk of impact from the source of contamination, or where the receptor is particularly sensitive, are identified through this process. These pollutant linkages are then carried forward to the next stage of the process during which more detailed assessment can be completed. Given the above, the PSA stage of the process is precautionary and conservative in nature.

Generally, more detailed assessment is only necessary where the assessed risk to a potential receptor is moderate, high or very high. However, in cases where the potential receptor is particularly sensitive, more detailed assessment may be recommended even if the assessed risk is low.

The PSA for the subject loss of cable fluid was based on a desk study of publicly available information and information provided by the ESB, a walkover survey of the immediate vicinity of the cable within approximately 200 metres of the location of the historic loss of cable fluid, and a reconnaissance of the surrounding area.

Information for the desk study element of the PSA was obtained from the following sources:

- Ordnance Survey Ireland (OSI) website (<u>www.osi.ie</u>): historic maps, historic aerial images, recent "street-view" map;
- Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) websites (<u>www.epa.ie</u> and <u>www.catchments.ie</u>): locations of EPA-licensed facilities, locations of Natura 2000 sites and National Heritage Areas (NHAs), information on groundwater and surface water quality, including Water Framework Directive (WFD) classifications;
- Geological Survey of Ireland (GSI) website (<u>www.gsi.ie</u>): overburden and bedrock geology, information on groundwater resources and groundwater vulnerability;
- Office of Public Works (OPW) website (<u>www.opw.ie</u>): flood risk;
- National Waste Collection Permit Office (NWCPO) website (<u>www.nwcpo.ie</u>): register of companies holding waste facility permits or certificates of registration issued by local authorities;
- ESB records outlining the location of the cable fluid loss, the volume of fluid lost and the period over which the fluid loss occurred;
- Safety Data Sheets (SDSs) provided by the ESB for the cable fluids understood to have been used in the subject cable at the time of the cable fluid loss.

The walkover survey and reconnaissance of the area surrounding the subject section of cable was completed by Mr Graham Webb of Geosyntec on 17<sup>th</sup> October 2019. A series of photographs taken at the time of the walkover survey and reconnaissance is included in Appendix A.

During the walkover survey and reconnaissance, information on the following aspects were recorded:

- The environmental setting, with regard to local topography, surface water drainage and the proximity of local surface water courses;
- Land use, in particular the proximity of residential properties and other potentially sensitive land uses close to the subject section of cable;
- The proximity of the subject section of cable to other below-ground infrastructure, such as water mains, gas mains and sewers;
- Distressed vegetation, which may be indicative of subsurface contamination.

Central to the PSA was the development of a preliminary Conceptual Site Model, which presents potential source-pathway-receptor (SPR) linkages identified during the PSA, and a preliminary assessment of the risk posed to identified human or environmental receptors from residual cable fluid potentially remaining in the vicinity of the subject section of cable.

### 2 DETAILS OF LOSS EVENT

### 2.1 Introduction

In the case of the section of fluid-filled cable that is the subject of this PSA, ESB records indicate that 285 litres of cable fluid leaked into the ground from the cable over a period of twelve months between August 2002 and July 2003. The type of fluid that was present in the cable is identified in ESB records as a mixture of linear alkyl benzenes, refined mineral oil and additives.

### 2.2 **Properties of Cable Fluid**

The properties of the fluids understood to have been used in the subject section of cable over the period of the leak, based on information contained within the Safety Data Sheets (SDSs) provided by ESB, are as follows:

Property	Linear Alkyl Benzenes	Refined Mineral Oils	
Boiling Point	280°C	Not stated	
Flash Point	>135°C	145°C	
Flammability	Non flammable	Non flammable	
Explosive properties	Not explosive	Not stated	
Vapour pressure	<0.02 kPA at 20°C	<0.01 kPA at 20°C	
Density	0.86 g/cm <sup>3</sup> at 20°C	0.89 g/cm <sup>3</sup> at 20°C	
Solubility in water	Negligible	Negligible	
Kinematic Viscosity	4.2 mm <sup>2</sup> /s typical	8.5 mm <sup>2</sup> /s at 40°C	

In their 2010 publication "*Classification of Hazardous and Non-Hazardous Substances in Groundwater*", the EPA classifies all petroleum hydrocarbon compounds listed in the document, including linear alkyl benzenes and mineral oil, as hazardous in groundwater. However, this is on the basis that they are former List I substances and it is stated in the document that these classifications are "under review". Based on the methodology outlined in the above-mentioned publication (which is based on the persistence, toxicity and potential to bioaccumulate of the substance in the environment) and publicly-available information on its properties, Geosyntec has concluded that linear alkyl benzenes should be classified as non-hazardous in groundwater. The classification of mineral-oil based cable fluid is not clear based on the information currently available.

### 2.3 Fate & Transport of Cable Fluid

The fate and transport of cable fluid entering the subsurface during and following the subject leak can be expected to be controlled by the following factors:

- The blend of alkyl benzenes and mineral oil that makes up the cable fluid is less dense than water;
- The cable fluid has a low water solubility (< 1 mg/l);
- The compounds in the cable fluid are semi or non-volatile;
- The compounds present in the cable fluid can be expected to biodegrade but at rates that are controlled by the surface area of the fluid in the subsurface (i.e. in the form of a light non-aqueous phase liquid or LNAPL), its solubility where in contact with groundwater, the availability of electron acceptors and the presence of appropriate microbial populations.

Following creation of a breach in the cable structure, the conceptual model of the dispersion of the cable fluid into the subsurface at the subject location can be described as follows:

- As the cable fluid is less dense than water it will tend to migrate into the pore spaces in the sand bedding around the cable and downward under the force of gravity until it reaches either a water table or low permeability horizon, such as natural silt or clay at the base of the cable trench (if present);
- The cable fluid will tend to spread laterally whilst:
  - There is a driving head provided by leakage of further cable fluid;
  - There is a path of relatively low resistance, e.g. the sand bedding around the cable, potentially permeable fill material in other service trenches that the cable trench intersects, or permeable horizons in the overburden.

The migration potential of the cable fluid released to the subsurface as a result of the subject leak is discussed in more detail in Section 4.

### **3** SITE ENVIRONMENTAL SETTING

### 3.1 Proximity of Site to Designated Ecologically Sensitive Areas

The National Parks and Wildlife Service on-line mapping tool was consulted to check if the leak location lies close to designated ecologically sensitive areas. There are no designated ecologically sensitive areas within a 2 km radius of the leak location.

### 3.2 Surrounding Land Use & Field Observations

The leak location is situated in a public amenity space comprising a walkway with mature trees along the east side of the Royal Canal Bank road. The subject section of cable appears to run through a vegetated area along the eastern side of the public park. There is a 3-4m high wall along the eastern boundary of the park beyond which are the rear gardens of a terrace of residential houses that are accessed off Goldsmith Street. To the west of the park is the Royal Canal Bank road, beyond which is a mainly residential area. The closest residential building is approximately 10m east of the leak location.

There is a 38 kV ESB substation approximately 20m west of the leak location (to the west of Royal Canal Bank); an underground fluid-filled cable is indicated on ESB drawings running from the vicinity of the leak location to this substation.

The earliest historic map of the area available from the OSI's website is dated 1837 – 1842. This map shows a canal running along the line of the public park, extending north-to-south from the Royal Canal in Phibsborough to a dock area adjacent to what is now Broadstone bus depot. The leak location appears to lie to the east of this former canal. On this map, the area to the east was predominantly agricultural at this time, and to the west, much of the area had been developed for residential housing.

The branch canal is still evident in a later historic map dated 1888 – 1913. Residential housing is evident on this map along Royal Canal Bank (to the west of the canal), and also within the area east of the canal along Goldsmith Street and adjoining streets. A tramway is shown running along Berkeley Road on this map.

The earliest image available from OSI's website (other than 19<sup>th</sup> century historical maps) is dated 1995. This image shows that in 1995, the above-mentioned canal has been infilled and converted into a public amenity space, and the tramway along Berkeley Road is no longer present. Overall the layout of the area in the vicinity of the leak location on this image appears similar to that observed today.

Based on information from the EPA's and NWCPO's websites there are three facilities in the vicinity of the leak location that operate under an Industrial Emissions licence, an Integrated Pollution Control licence, a Waste licence or a Waste Facility Permit. These facilities are as follows:

- Mater Misericordiae University Hospital, 7 Eccles Street, Dublin 7 (EPA licence reg no. P0054-02);
- Independent Newspapers Ltd., 90 Middle Abbey Street, Dublin 1 (EPA license reg no. P0111-01);
- Lithographic Web Press Ltd., 57 Botanic Road, Glasnevin, Dublin 9 (EPA license reg no. P0120-03).

The hospital's licence appears to be active, whereas the latter two facilities appear to have closed several years ago. There are no recent records for licence number P0111-01 on the EPA's website and a notice of surrender of licence for licence number P0120-03 on the EPA's website is dated 2013.

### 3.3 Topography & Surface Water

The leak location lies at an elevation of approximately 25 metres above Ordnance Datum within an area of relatively level ground. The topography dips down gently to the south towards the River Liffey.

The closest surface water body to the leak location is Blessington Street Basin, which is located approximately 100m south of the leak location and is a former drinking water reservoir (it is now a public open space). The Royal Canal is located approximately 600m north and upgradient of the leak location and runs generally from west to east. Both these features are likely to be lined and the water level in them maintained at a level higher than the surrounding groundwater table.

The River Liffey is located approximately 1.5km south of the leak location and flows from west to east, discharging to Dublin Bay. The River Liffey is classified by the EPA as a "transitional" water body as it passes through central Dublin. Under the WFD classification system this section of the river is currently listed as being "at risk" of not meeting WFD objectives and water quality (for the period 2010 – 2015) is categorised as "moderate".

According to the OPW, the cable route in the vicinity of the leak location is not in an area that is at risk of flooding.

### 3.4 Geology & Hydrogeology

The bedrock geology underling the leak location is mapped by the GSI as dark limestones and shale (known as 'Calp' limestone). Near-surface overburden deposits are indicated by the GSI to comprise glacial tills derived from limestone. An area of made ground is inferred within the public amenity space adjacent to Royal Canal Bank along the line of the former canal, which is now infilled.

The groundwater body (GWB) in the bedrock underlying the leak location and the surrounding area is known as the Dublin GWB. This GWB covers an area of approximately 837 km<sup>2</sup> extending west from the Dublin coastline to the village of Kilmeage in Co. Kildare

and extending from Malahide in north Co. Dublin to the southern limits of Dublin city. The GSI classifies the Dublin GWB as a "locally important aquifer which is moderately productive only in local zones". Groundwater flow direction in the bedrock aquifer (and also in the overburden) can be expected to be generally towards the south in the vicinity of the leak location.

The vulnerability of the bedrock aquifer in the vicinity of the leak location is classified by the GSI as "low" which suggests that bedrock is relatively deep in the vicinity of the leak location.

A search of the GSI's online database indicated that there are two wells approximately 1km from the leak location. The first was drilled to a depth of 30.4m on North Brunswick Street, encountering rock at a depth of 2.5m; this well had a reported yield of 393m<sup>3</sup>/d. The second was drilled to a depth of 100m on Parnell Street, encountering rock at a depth of 9.1m; this well had a reported yield of 163.6 m<sup>3</sup>/d.

The EPA is responsible for classifying GWBs in Ireland in terms of water quality and their ability to meet objectives set out in the EU Water Framework Directive. Based on the most recent round of EPA monitoring (2010 – 2015), the status of this GWB was categorised as "good" and it was categorised as "not at risk" with regard to WFD objectives.

### 4 CONCEPTUAL SITE MODEL

### 4.1 Introduction

For the purposes of this PSA, it has been assumed that the top of the fluid filled cable is buried at a depth of 0.9 – 1.1m below ground level within a backfilled trench that is around 1.2m deep. The trench backfill is assumed to comprise a 0.35 m deep sand layer (0.85m bgl) above which the trench is filled with selected excavated material.

For the purposes of the PSA, strata adjacent to and below the cable trench have been assumed to comprise either:

- Low permeability silty clay dominated glacial till in the vicinity of the cable route;
- Granular fill materials associated with historical development in the vicinity of the cable route; and/or,
- Granular fill materials associated with trench backfill for other underground services that intersect the route of the fluid filled cable.

### 4.2 Source & Potential Migration Pathways

Based on the expected low permeability of overburden material in the vicinity of the leak location (i.e. silty clay glacial till), cable fluid lost to ground in this case can be expected to have spread laterally within the permeable sand bedding within the cable trench. If the cable trench intersects more permeable material (e.g. deeper fill materials associated with historical development including the infilled canal, lenses of natural sands or gravels, or another infilled services trench) this could result in cable fluid migrating from the line of the cable trench and along a different route or routes.

We have developed a series of indicative estimates for the subject leak location under different ground condition scenarios, with regard to the extent of cable fluid migration. These estimates have assumed that the cable is installed within a 0.35m thick sand bedding and surround layer in a trench 1.1m wide cut into low permeability silt or clay soils, which can be expected at the subject location.

- In the case where the cable trench passes through lower permeability material, the cable fluid can be expected to migrate preferentially along the line of the cable trench, within the sand bedding and surround material. In this case, if (i) the sand bedding is dry, (ii) the cable fluid saturation reaches 40% residual saturation of the pore space in the sand bedding, and (iii) the cable fluid does not migrate into the overlying back-fill material, the theoretical length of trench impacted by LNAPL migration is 9 m. Given that the topography locally along the cable route is relatively flat, there appears to be potential for cable fluid to have migrated both north and south from the leak location along the line of the cable trench. There is also potential for the cable fluid to have migrated west along the cable trench towards the 38 kV substation, which could provide a pathway into the fill material of the former canal;
- Considering a variation of the previous case, where the base of the trench contains perched water then this would lower the LNAPL saturation in the sand layer surrounding the cable. This could result in LNAPL migration through the back-fill material above the sand bedding layer, but only if it is sufficiently permeable. The thickness of LNAPL-saturated soils will likely be less under this scenario than that outlined above, but the cable fluid may spread further. If a 40% residual cable fluid saturation is assumed in relatively permeable backfill material over a 0.2m thickness, this would lead to a theoretical length of trench impacted by cable fluid of 16 m;
- The third scenario considered herein is where the cable trench near the leak point passes through an area of granular fill materials of similar properties to those used to backfill the trench, or the cable trench is located entirely within permeable urban deposits. Here a more radial spreading of the cable fluid could occur. If a 0.2m deep soil zone is impacted with a LNAPL saturation of 40% then the theoretical radius of cable fluid LNAPL impact away from the release would be 2.4 m. This suggests that under this scenario, the cable fluid lost to ground at this location would not have migrated beyond the boundaries of the public amenity space;
- The cable fluid may have some semi-volatile components (alkyl benzenes) and as such will generate a modest vapour pressure. However, given the absence of potential confined spaces in the immediate vicinity of the leak location, this is not considered a viable exposure pathway;

• Cable fluid has the potential to migrate from the source to underneath confined spaced receptors (such as building cellars), either in LNAPL form or via migration in the dissolved phase in groundwater flow following dissolution from the LNAPL. Given the absence of buildings in the immediate vicinity of the leak location, there is no need to assess this pathway in the subject case.

In addition to the above scenarios, the following potential migration pathways were considered as part of the PSA, but they were not carried forward to the preliminary risk assessment because the source-pathway-receptor (SPR) linkage was not considered viable:

- Soil and dust ingestion from near-surface soils;
- Dermal contact with near-surface soils;
- Inhalation of fugitive dust from near-surface soils; and
- Ingestion of soils via consumption of vegetables grown in near-surface soils.

### 4.3 Potential Receptors

With the above migration pathways in mind, and keeping in mind the relatively small volume of fluid that is reported to have leaked from the cable, the bedrock aquifer appears to be the key environmental receptor potentially at risk of impact at this location. There are no surface water bodies close to the leak location that are considered to be at risk of impact. The potential for cable fluid (or some of its constituent compounds) to permeate buried water mains located close to the leak location and impact water quality in the water mains also needs to be considered; however, the low solubility of these compounds and the low rate of permeation are such that they are unlikely to impact water quality in the pipes.

Whilst occupants of buildings in the vicinity of the leak could be considered to be potential receptors via vapour intrusion pathways, because of the relatively small volume of cable fluid lost to ground and the expected low volatility of the cable fluid, the risk of such receptors being impacted is probably low.

Groundworks contractors performing future tasks in the vicinity of the leak location could also be considered potential receptors (via direct contact, inhalation and ingestion pathways). However, it has been assumed that the potential risks posed to future groundworks contractors would be adequately mitigated through effective health and safety planning and work control procedures at the time the works are being carried out. As a result, groundworks contractors have not been considered potential receptors in the preliminary risk assessment presented in the following section.

### 5 PRELIMINARY RISK ASSESSMENT

The key potential source-pathway-receptor (SPR) linkages associated with the subject loss of cable fluid are presented in this section, together with a preliminary assessment of the risk posed to the identified receptors. The preliminary risk assessment is based on the

methodology outlined in CIRIA C552 (2001) "*Contaminated Land Risk Assessment – A Guide to Good Practice*". This methodology requires the classification of the magnitude of the **consequence** (severity) of a risk occurring, and the **probability** of a risk occurring. The risk assessment methodology is summarised in Tables 1 – 4 below.

The potential consequences of contamination risks occurring are classified in accordance with Table 1.

Classification	Definition of Consequence				
Severe	• Short-term (acute) risk to human health likely to result in significant harm.				
	• Short-term risk of pollution of sensitive water resource.				
	Catastrophic damage to buildings/property.				
	• A short-term risk to a particular ecosystem, or organism forming part of such ecosystem.				
Medium	Chronic damage to human health.				
	• Pollution of sensitive water resources.				
	• A significant change in a particular ecosystem, or organism forming part of such ecosystem.				
Mild	Pollution of non-sensitive water resources.				
	• Significant damage to crops, buildings, structures and services.				
	Damage to sensitive buildings/structures/services or the environment.				
Minor	• Harm, although not necessarily significant harm, which may result in a financial loss, or expenditure to resolve.				
	• Non-permanent health effects to human health (easily prevented by means such as personal protective clothing etc.)				
	• Easily repairable effects of damage to buildings, structures and services.				

### Table 1: Classification of Consequence

The probability of contamination risks occurring are classified in accordance with Table 2.

### Table 2: Classification of Probability

Classification	Definition of Probability
High Likelihood	Circumstances are such that an event appears very likely in the short-term or almost inevitable in the long-term; or there is already evidence that such an event has occurred.
Likely	Circumstances are such that such an event is not inevitable, but is possible in the short-term and is likely over the long-term.
Low Likelihood	Circumstances are such that it is by no means certain that an event would occur even over a longer period, and it is less likely in the short-term.
Unlikely	Circumstances are such that it is improbable that an event would occur even in the very long-term.

For each viable SPR linkage, the potential risks are evaluated, as presented in Table 3.

Definitions of the risk categories, together with the investigatory and remedial actions that may be necessary in each case are presented in Table 4.

		Severe	Medium	Mild	Minor
	High likelihood	Very high risk	High risk	Moderate risk	Low risk
bility	Likely	High risk	Moderate risk	Moderate risk	Low risk
Probability	Low likelihood	Moderate risk	Moderate risk	Low risk	Very low risk
	Unlikely	Low risk	Low risk	Very low risk	Very low risk

### Table 3: Risk Matrix

### Table 4: Definition of Risk Categories and Likely Actions Required

Risk Category	Definition and likely actions required			
Very high	There is a high probability that severe harm could arise to a designated receptor from an identified hazard OR there is evidence that severe harm to a designated receptor is currently happening.			
	This risk, if realised, is likely to result in a substantial liability.			
	Urgent investigation (if not undertaken already) and remediation are likely to be required.			
High	Harm is likely to arise to a designated receptor from an identified hazard.			
	Realisation of the risk is likely to present a substantial liability.			
	Urgent investigation (if not undertaken already) is required and remedial works may be necessary in the short term and are likely over the longer term.			
Moderate	It is possible that harm could arise to a designated receptor from an identified hazard. However, it is relatively unlikely that any such harm would be severe. If any harm were to occur, it is more likely that the harm would be relatively mild.			
	Investigation (if not already undertaken) is normally required to clarify the risk and to determine the potential liability. Some remedial works may be required in the longer term.			
Low	It is possible that harm could arise to a designated receptor from an identified hazard, but it is likely that this harm, if realised, would at worst be mild.			
Very low	There is a low possibility that harm could arise to a receptor. In the event of such harm being realised, it is not likely to be severe.			

The key potential SPR linkages associated with the subject loss of cable fluid are presented in Table 5 below, together with a preliminary assessment of the risk posed to the identified receptors in each case, in line with the above methodology.

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Table 5: Preliminary Risk Assessment for Location 50

Source	Potential Pathway	Receptor	Consequence	Probability	Risk Category	Comment
Loss of cable fluid (linear alkyl benzenes, refined mineral oil and additives) over a twelve-month period during the period August 2002 – July 2003 (estimated 285 litres).	Predominantly lateral migration of cable fluid from the leak location along the cable trench, and/or through granular lenses within the overburden, and subsequent migration into backfilled trenches containing water mains (if present). Permeation of constituents of the cable fluid through the walls or joints of the water mains.	Water mains/ Water supply	Medium	Unlikely	Low	Whilst the potential for organic compounds to permeate water mains is known (in particular plastic water pipes and the joints of other types of water pipes), the potential for constituents of the cable fluid to permeate water mains was not established during the PSA. The risk category assumes that cable fluid may be present as residual LNAPL in the water main trench and that there is potential for constituents of it to permeate water pipes. However, the low solubility of these compounds and the expected low rate of permeation are such that they are unlikely to impact water quality in the pipes.
	Vertical migration of cable fluid via permeable lenses in the overburden and/or via granular material in in- filled services trenches to groundwater in the bedrock aquifer, followed by dissolution of cable fluid and generation of a dissolved-phase plume of alkyl benzenes in the bedrock aquifer.	Bedrock aquifer	Mild	Low Likelihood	Low	The bedrock is classified as a "locally important" aquifer. Vulnerability rating is "low" close to the leak location. In addition, the water table in the overburden is expected to be relatively shallow, reducing the potential for downward migration of cable fluid to the bedrock aquifer. No preferential pathways potentially linking the leak location to the aquifer have been identified.

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### Table 5: Preliminary Risk Assessment for Location 50

Source	Potential Pathway	Receptor	Consequence	Probability	Risk Category	Comment
(as above)	Predominantly lateral migration of cable fluid from the leak location along the cable trench, and / or through granular lenses within the overburden, followed by migration along other preferential pathways (e.g. other in- filled services trenches that intersect the cable trench). Release of vapour-phase hydrocarbons and / or daughter products from the LNAPL (noting that there is limited potential for this to occur) and migration in the vapour phase into buildings.	Occupants of buildings where there are potential confined spaces	Minor	Unlikely	Very Low	There is a terrace of residential properties to the east of the public park and walkway, the closest point of which lies approximately 10 m from the leak location. Because of the relatively small volume of cable fluid lost (estimated to be 285 litres) the potential for cable fluid to have migrated beneath the foundations of these houses is considered low.

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### 6 CONCLUSIONS

The following conclusions have been drawn based on the information reviewed and observations made during this PSA:

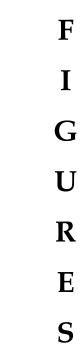
- The leak location is in within a narrow public park running north-south adjacent to the Royal Canal Bank road. The land use either side of the park is predominantly residential, and the closest residential building is approximately 10 m east of the leak location;
- The estimated volume of cable fluid lost to ground was relatively small (285 litres);
- Topography in the vicinity of the leak location appears to be flat, with no discernible topographic gradient. The topographic gradient across the wider area dips down gently towards the River Liffey, which lies approximately 1.5km south of the leak location and flows generally towards the east to Dublin Bay;
- Historical maps show that the park area was formerly a branch off the Royal Canal (now infilled); the leak location is inferred to be situated to the east of the former canal;
- The key receptors potentially at risk of impact from the subject leak are considered to be the bedrock aquifer underlying the area, water mains in the vicinity of the leak location (if present), and the occupants of nearby buildings with confined spaces;
- Following the preliminary risk assessment methodology outlined in CIRIA publication C552 (2001), the appropriate risk category for these potential receptors and the associated SPR linkages are considered to be:

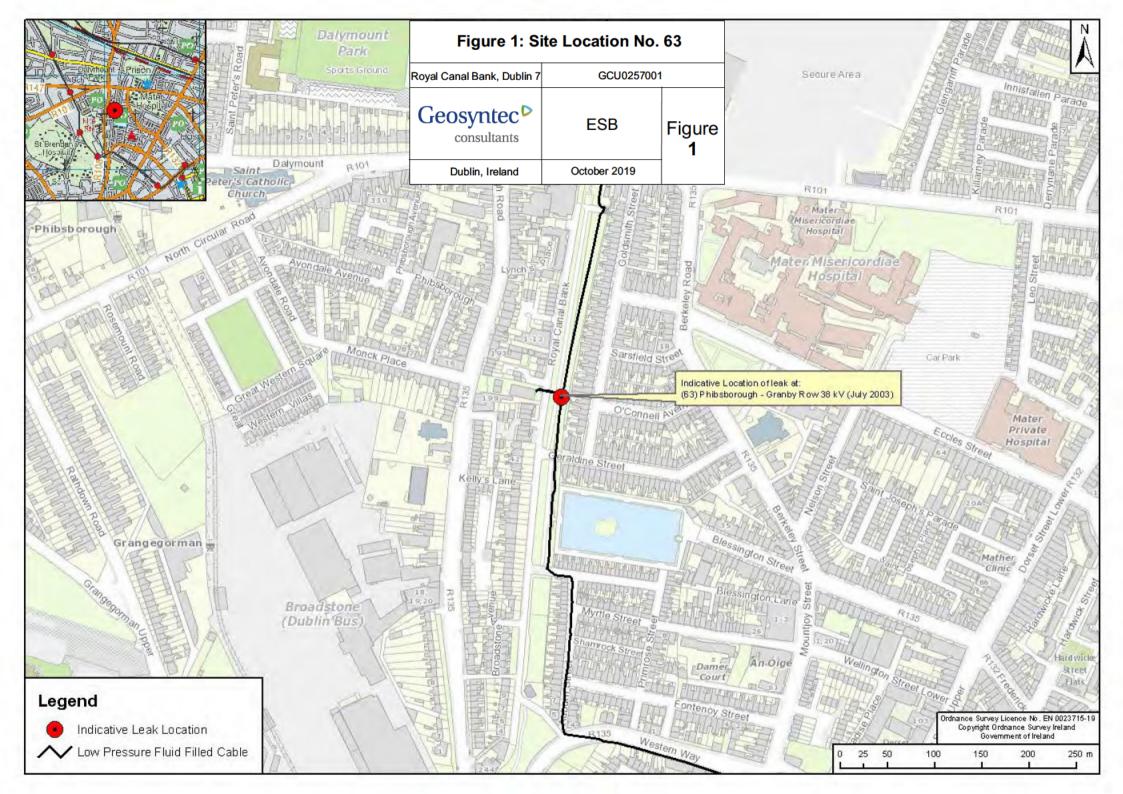
0	Water mains	-	Low
0	Bedrock aquifer	-	Low
0	Occupants or nearby buildings	-	Very low

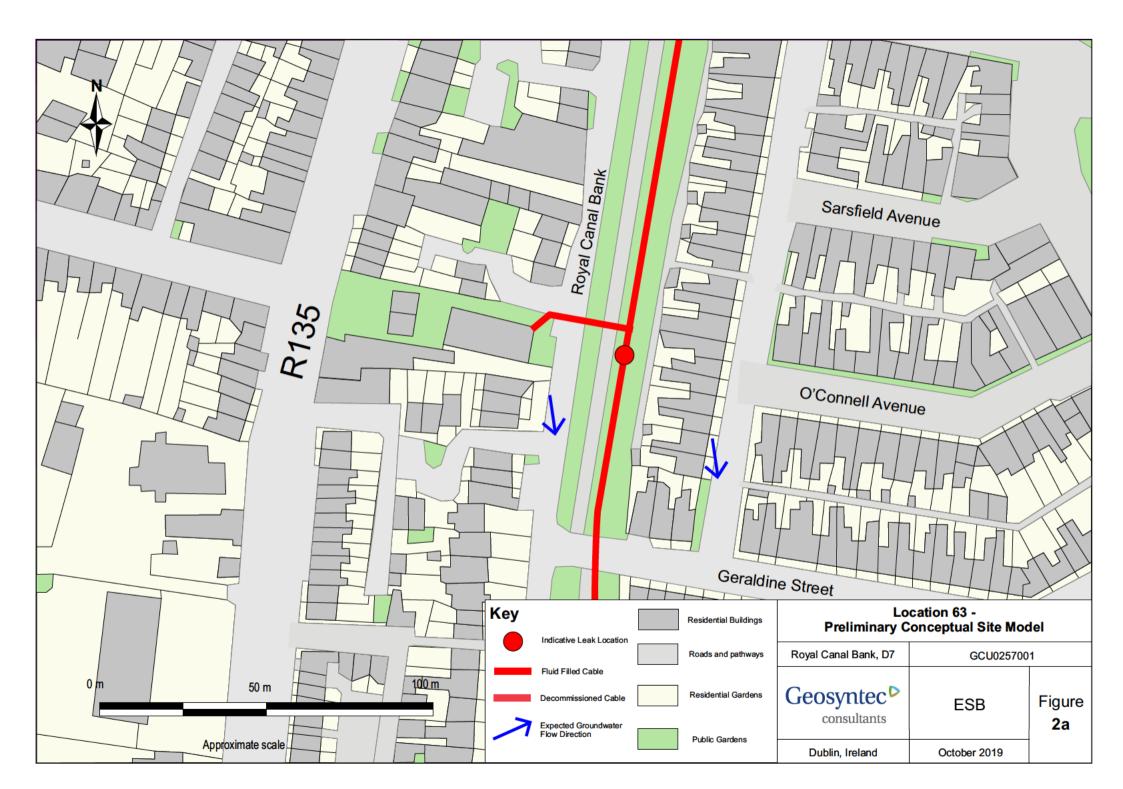
Further investigation of the risk to the above-mentioned receptors (i.e. water mains, the bedrock aquifer and occupants of nearby buildings) is not considered necessary.

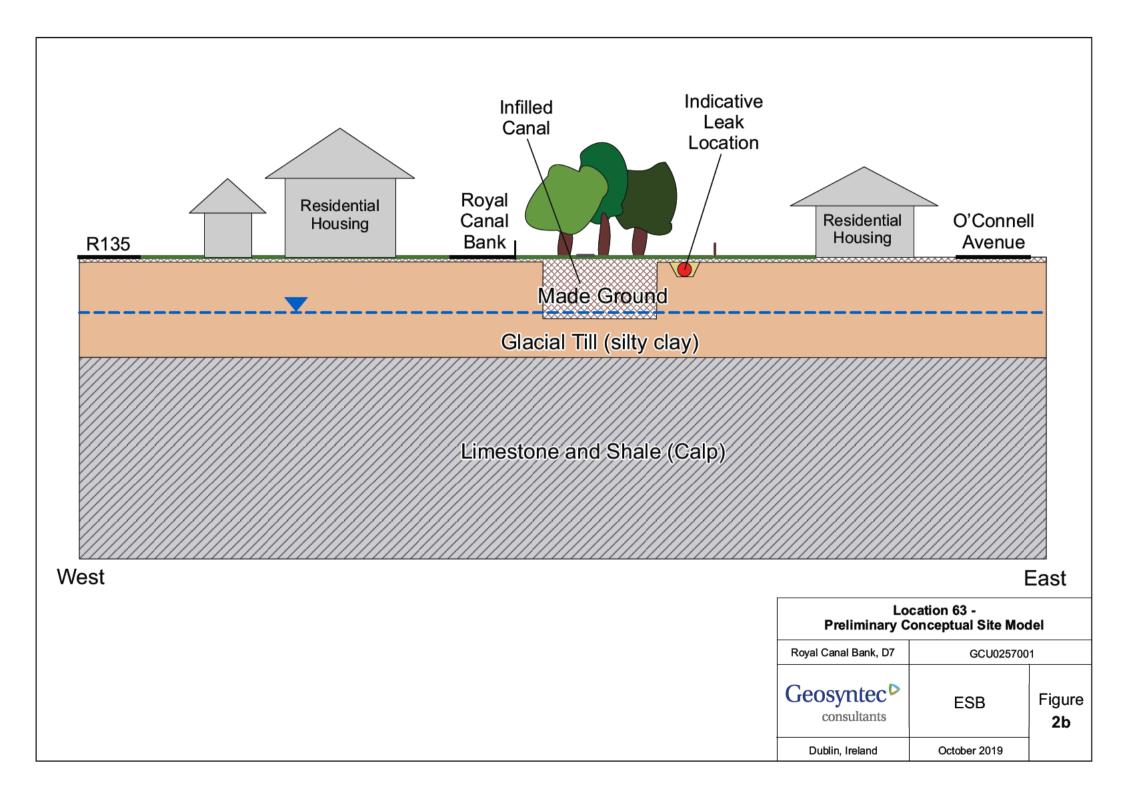
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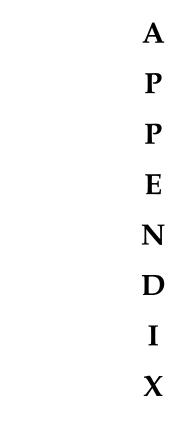






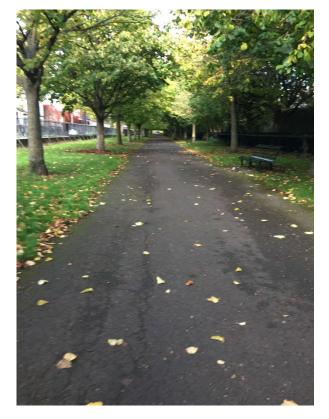
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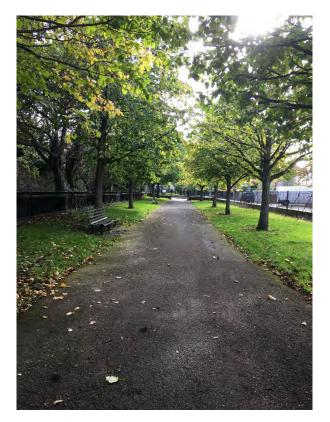


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Photograph 1 – Leak location looking north



Photograph 2 – Leak location looking south





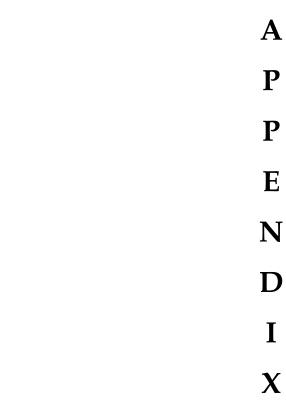
Photograph 3 – Cable route north of leak location



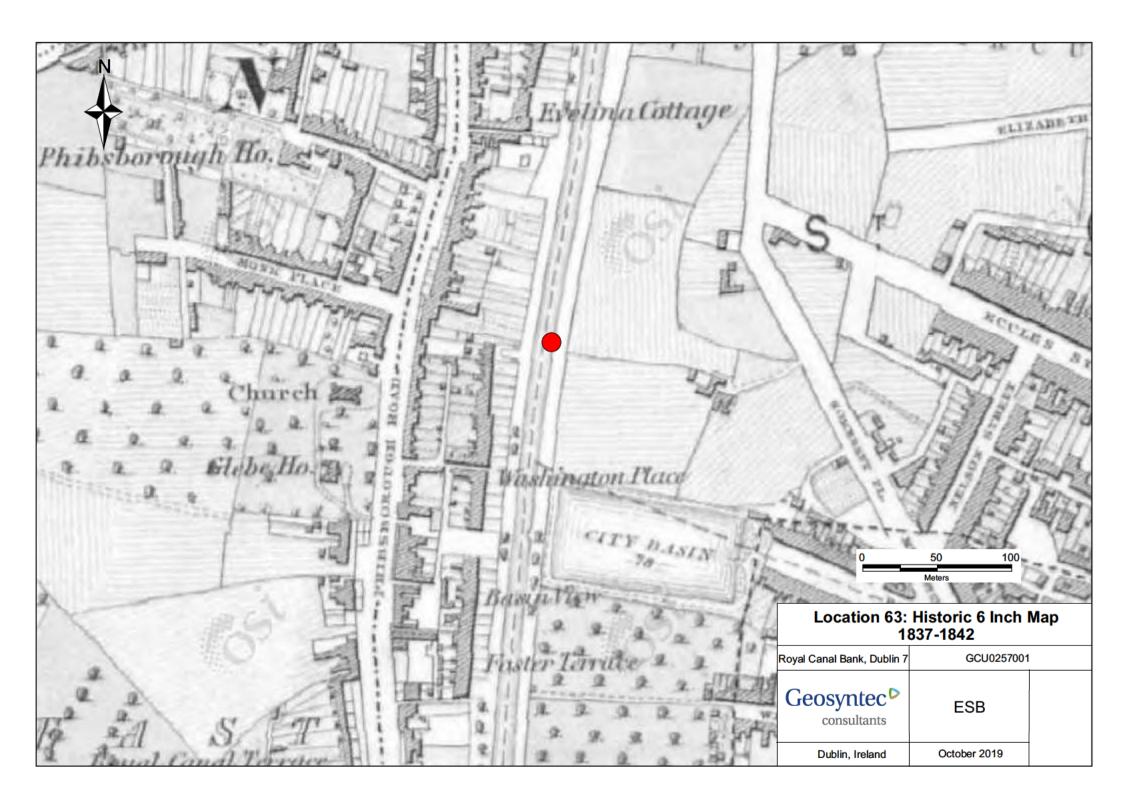


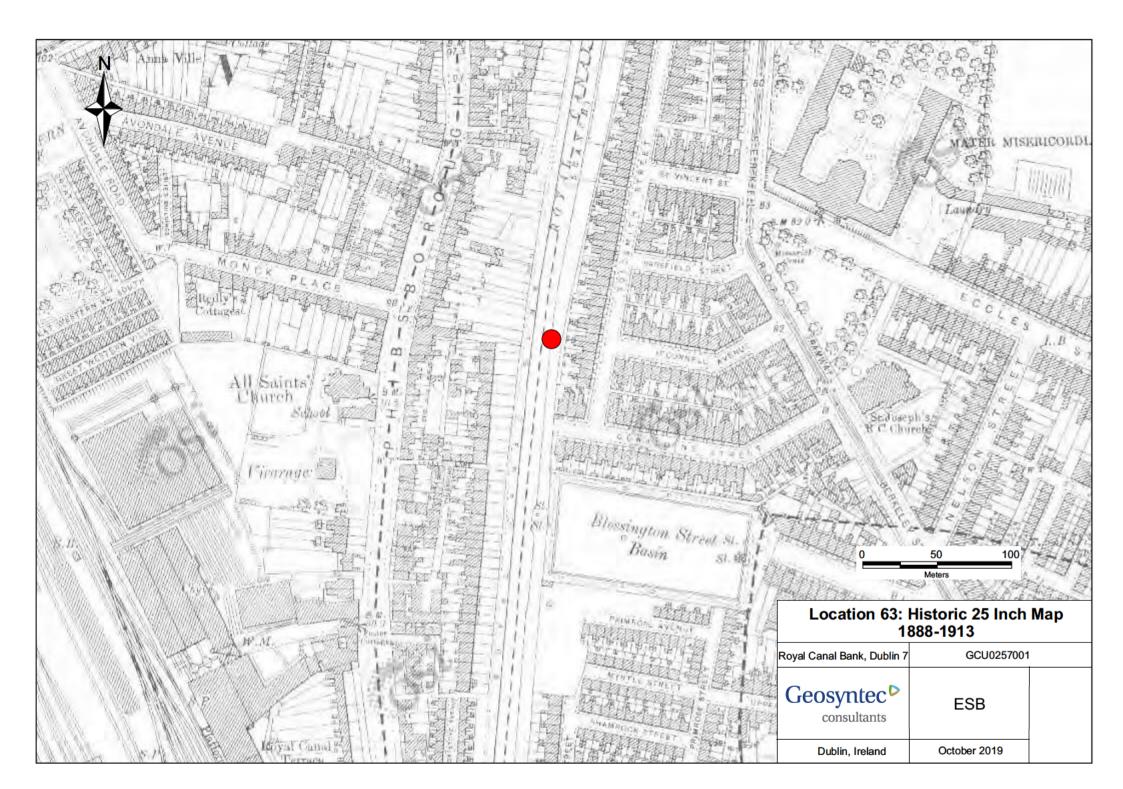


### Appendix B - Historical Maps and Aerial Images



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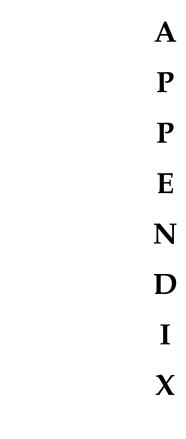








Appendix C – Safety Data Sheet for Cable Fluid



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#### SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking 1.1. Product identifier T 3788 CAS No: 67774-74-7 EC No: 267-051-0 1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against Use of the substance/mixture ES1 - Industrial use of intermediates. Sector of uses [SU]: SU3: Industrial uses: Uses of substances as such or in preparations at industrial sites Environmental release categories [ERC]: ERC 6a: Use of intermediate Process categories [PROC]: PROC 2: Chemical production or refinery in closed continuous process with occasional controlled exposure or processes with equivalent containment conditions ES2 - Formulation & (re)packing of substances and mixtures - Industrial uses Sector of uses [SU]: SU3: Industrial uses: Uses of substances as such or in preparations at industrial sites Environmental release categories [ERC]: ERC 2: Formulation into mixture (mixtures) Process categories [PROC]: PROC 1: Chemical production or refinery in closed process without likelihood of exposure or processes with equivalent containment conditions PROC 2: Chemical production or refinery in closed continuous process with occasional controlled exposure or processes with equivalent containment conditions PROC 3: Manufacture or formulation in the chemical industry in closed batch processes with occasional controlled exposure or processes with equivalent containment condition PROC 4: Mixing or blending in batch processes PROC 5: Mixing or blending in batch processes PROC 8a: Transfer of substance or mixture (charging and discharging) at non-dedicated facilities PROC 8b: Transfer of substance or mixture (charging and discharging) at dedicated facilities PROC 9: Transfer of substance or mixture into small containers (dedicated filling line, including weighing) PROC 15: Use as laboratory reagent. ES03 - Use in cable oil - industrial use Sector of uses [SU]: SU3: Industrial uses: Uses of substances as such or in preparations at industrial sites Environmental release categories [ERC]: ERC 5: Use at industrial site leading to inclusion into/onto article ERC 7: Use of functional fluid at industrial site Process categories [PROC]: PROC 13: Treatment of articles by dipping and pouring Uses advised against none 1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet Company name: H&R ChemPharm (UK) Limited Street: **Dudley Road** GB-DY4 8EH Tipton, West Midlands Place: +441215220100 Telefax: +441215220116 Telephone: info.uk@hur.com e-mail:

Responsible Department:

Technical/Commercial Enquiries



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### 1.4. Emergency telephone

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number:

#### **SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

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

#### Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Hazard categories: Aspiration hazard: Asp. Tox. 1 Hazard Statements: May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.

#### 2 2 Label element

Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008

Signal word: Danger

Pictograms:



#### Hazard statements

H304

May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.

#### **Precautionary statements**

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P301+P310	IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.
P331	Do NOT induce vomiting.
P501	Dispose of contents/container to local/regional/national/international regulations.

#### 2.3. Other hazards

This substance does not meet the PBT/vPvB criteria of REACH, Annex XIII.

#### **SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

#### 3.1. Substances

#### Hazardous components

CAS No	Chemical name			Quantity
	EC No	Index No	REACH No	
	Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]			
67774-74-7	Benzene, C10-13-alkyl derivs.			100 %
	267-051-0			
	Asp. Tox. 1; H304			

Full text of H and EUH statements: see section 16.

#### **SECTION 4: First aid measures**

#### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

#### **General information**

In case of accident or unwellness, seek medical advice immediately (show directions for use or safety data sheet if possible).

#### After inhalation

In case of accident by inhalation: remove casualty to fresh air and keep at rest. In all cases of doubt, or when symptoms persist, seek medical advice.



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#### After contact with skin

After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of water and soap. Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. In case of skin irritation, consult a physician.

#### After contact with eyes

Rinse immediately carefully and thoroughly with eye-bath or water. In case of troubles or persistent symptoms, consult an ophthalmologist.

#### After ingestion

Do NOT induce vomiting. Rinse mouth thoroughly with water. Let water be drunken in little sips (dilution effect). Observe risk of aspiration if vomiting occurs. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person or a person with cramps. When in doubt or if symptoms are observed, get medical advice.

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

If swallowed or in the event of vomiting, risk of entering the lungs.

#### 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

Sand. Foam. Carbon dioxide (CO2). Extinguishing powder. In case of major fire and large quantities: Water spray jet. Water mist.

#### Unsuitable extinguishing media

Full water jet

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

Burning produces heavy smoke.

Can be released in case of fire: Carbon monoxide Carbon dioxide (CO2) Sulphur dioxide (SO2) Nitrogen oxides (NOx)

#### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

In case of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes. In case of fire: Wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

#### Additional information

Collect contaminated fire extinguishing water separately. Do not allow entering drains or surface water. Co-ordinate fire-fighting measures to the fire surroundings.

#### **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

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

Wear personal protection equipment (refer to section 8). Ventilate affected area.

Special danger of slipping by leaking/spilling product.

#### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Do not allow to enter into surface water or drains. Prevent spread over a wide area (e.g. by containment or oil barriers). Do not allow to enter into soil/subsoil.

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

Absorb with liquid-binding material (e.g. sand, diatomaceous earth, acid- or universal binding agents). Treat the recovered material as prescribed in the section on waste disposal. Clean contaminated articles and floor according to the environmental legislation.

#### 6.4. Reference to other sections

No information available.

#### SECTION 7: Handling and storage



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#### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

#### Advice on safe handling

Wear suitable protective clothing. ( See section 8. ) Avoid formation of oil dust.

#### Advice on protection against fire and explosion

Usual measures for fire prevention. Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking. Fire class B

#### Further information on handling

Do not breathe vapour/aerosol. Avoid contact with eyes and skin. Advices on general occupational hygiene: See section 8.

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

#### Requirements for storage rooms and vessels

Keep container tightly closed in a cool, well-ventilated place. Only use containers specifically approved for the substance/product.

#### Advice on storage compatibility

Do not store together with: Gas. Explosives. Radioactive substances. Infectious substances

#### Further information on storage conditions

Temperature control required. Protect from light. Keep container tightly closed. Do not allow contact with air.

#### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

refer to chapter 1.

#### **SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

#### 8 1 Control parameter

#### DNEL/DMEL values

CAS No	Substance					
DNEL type		Exposure route	Effect	Value		
67774-74-7	Benzene, C10-13-alkyl derivs.					
Worker DNEL, long-term		inhalation	systemic	7 mg/m³		
Worker DNEL, long-term		inhalation	local	7 mg/m³		
Worker DNEL, long-term		dermal	systemic	9,6 mg/kg bw/day		
Consumer DNEL, long-term		inhalation	systemic	1,8 mg/m³		
Consumer DNEL, long-term		inhalation	local	1,8 mg/m³		
Consumer DNEL, long-term		dermal	systemic	4,8 mg/kg bw/day		
Consumer DNEL, long-term		oral	systemic	0,5 mg/kg bw/day		



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#### **PNEC** values

CAS No	Substance			
Environmental compartment		Value		
67774-74-7	Benzene, C10-13-alkyl derivs.			
Freshwater		0,001 mg/l		
Freshwater (in	termittent releases)	0 mg/l		
Marine water		0 mg/l		
Freshwater se	diment	1,65 mg/kg		
Marine sediment		0,165 mg/kg		
Micro-organisms in sewage treatment plants (STP)		14,2 mg/l		
Soil		0,329 mg/kg		

#### Additional advice on limit values

Air limit values:: Possibility of exposure to Aerosol Limit value = 5 mg/ m3 - Source: ACGIH

#### 8.2. Exposure controls







Appropriate engineering controls

Provide adequate ventilation.

#### Protective and hygiene measures

Clean skin thoroughly after working. Do not put any product-impregnated cleaning rags into your trouser pockets. When using do not eat, drink or smoke.

#### Eye/face protection

Safety goggles with side protection. In case of increased risk add protective face shield. DIN EN 166

#### Hand protection

Use safety gloves of following materials: NBR (nitrile) / neopren / viton (permeationslevel 5 - 6), Cat. II according to norm EN 347/EN 388.

The quality of the protective gloves resistant to chemicals must be chosen as a function of the specific working place concentration and quantity of hazardous substances.

For special purposes, it is recommended to check the resistance to chemicals of the protective gloves mentioned above together with the supplier of these gloves.

#### Skin protection

Oil-resistant and hardly inflammable protective clothing.

#### **Respiratory protection**

With correct and proper use, and under normal conditions, breathing protection is not required.

Respiratory protection necessary at:

-aerosol or mist formation

-exceeding exposure limit values

Suitable respiratory protection apparatus: Respiratory equipment in case of nebulosity or aerosol: Use a mask with a filter type A2, A2/P2 or ABEK.

The filter class must be suitable for the maximum contaminant concentration (gas/vapour/aerosol/particulates) that may arise when handling the product. If the concentration is exceeded, self-contained breathing apparatus must be used.



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#### **Environmental exposure controls**

No information available.

## SECTION 9 Phy ical and chemical propertie

Physical state:	Liquid		
Colour:	colourless		
Odour:	characteristic		
pH-Value:		No information available.	Test method
Changes in the physical state			
Melting point:		-39 °C	
Initial boiling point and boiling range:		>260 °C	
Sublimation point:		No information available.	
Softening point:		No information available.	
Pour point:		> -60 °C	ASTM D 97-66
Flash point:		>130 °C	ASTM D 93
Sustaining combustion:		No data available	
Flammability			
Solid:		No information available.	
Gas:		No information available.	
Explosive properties none			
Lower explosion limits:		No information available.	
Upper explosion limits:		No information available.	
Ignition temperature:		No information available.	
Auto-ignition temperature			
Solid:		No information available.	
Gas:		No information available.	
Decomposition temperature:		No information available.	
Oxidizing properties none			
Vapour pressure: (at 25 °C)		0,013 hPa	ASTM D 323
Vapour pressure: (at 50 °C)		No information available.	
Density:		0,85-0,88 g/cm <sup>3</sup>	ASTM D 1298
Bulk density:		No information available.	
Water solubility:		Immiscible	
Solubility in other solvents No information available.			
Partition coefficient:		No information available.	
Viscosity / dynamic:		No information available.	
Viscosity / kinematic: (at 40 °C)		4,0-4,5 mm²/s	ASTM D 445



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#### **SECTION 10** Stability and reactivity

#### 10.1. Reactivity

No information available.

#### 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable at ambient temperature.

#### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No hazardous reactions known.

#### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

No information available.

### 10.5. Incompatible materials

Oxidising agent, strong

#### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

No hazardous decomposition products known.

#### **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

## 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

#### Toxicocinetics, metabolism and distribution

No information available.

#### Acute toxicity

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

CAS No	Chemical name							
	Exposure route	Dose	Species	Source	Method			
67774-74-7	Benzene, C10-13-alkyl derivs.							
	oral	LD50 > 5000 mg/kg	Rat	ECHA Dossier	EEC Directive 67/548			
	dermal	LD50 > 2000 mg/kg	Rat	ECHA Dossier	OECD Guideline 402			

#### Irritation and corrosivity

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

#### Sensitising effects

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. May cause sensitisation especially in sensitive humans.

#### Carcinogenic/mutagenic/toxic effects for reproduction



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Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Reproductive toxicity:

Method: OECD Guideline 416 (Two-Generation Reproduction Toxicity Study)

Species: Rat

Result: NOEL = 50 mg/kg (P0), 50 mg/kg (F1), 50 mg/kg (F2); Literature information: ECHA Dossier Developmental toxicity/teratogenicity: Method: OECD Guideline 414 (Prenatal Developmental Toxicity Study); Species: Rat; Result: NOAEL = 125 mg/kg (embryotoxicity); Literature information: ECHA Dossier; Reproductive toxicity:

#### STOT-single exposure

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

#### STOT-repeated exposure

Ba ed on available data, the cla ification criteria are not met

#### A piration hazard

May be fatal if wallowed and enter airway (Benzene, C10 13 alkyl deriv )

Practical experience

#### Other observations

Frequent contact specially if dried out may cause skin and eye irritations.

#### **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

#### 12.1. Toxicity

If this product contains phenol, dodecyl, branched (EC No. 310-154-3), this product is not to be classified as dangerous for the environment. Raw materials containing this substance have not been classified by our suppliers as hazardous to the environment on the basis of test data, expert judgement or analogy assessments.

CAS No	Chemical name								
	Aquatic toxicity	Dose		[h]   [d]	Species	Source	Method		
67774-74-7	Benzene, C10-13-alkyl derivs.								
	Acute algae toxicity	ErC50 mg/l	>0,1*	72 h	Desmodesmus subspicatus	ECHA Dossier	*The substance is not soluble in water OECD Guideline 201		
	Acute crustacea toxicity	EC50 mg/l	> 0,041*	48 h	Daphnia magna	ECHA Dossier	*The substance is not soluble in water EU Method C.2		
	Fish toxicity	NOEC 8* mg/l	>0,0577	21 d	Danio rerio	ECHA Dossier	*The substance is not soluble in water OECD Guideline 203		
	Crustacea toxicity	NOEC mg/l	>0,007*	21 d	Daphnia magna	ECHA Dossier	*The substance is not soluble in water.		

#### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

The product is slightly soluble in water. It can be largely eliminated from the water by abiotic processes, e.g. mechanical separation.



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CAS No	Chemical name						
	Method	Value	d	Source			
	Evaluation						
67774-74-7	Benzene, C10-13-alkyl derivs.						
	OECD Guideline 301 F	64%	28	ECHA Dossier			
	Easily biodegradable (concerning to the criteria of the OECD	))					

#### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

No indication of bioaccumulation potential.

#### Partition coefficient n-octanol/water

CAS No	Chemical name	Log Pow
67774-74-7	Benzene, C10-13-a kyl derivs.	6,4

BCF				
CAS No	Chemical name	BCF	Species	Source
67774-74-7	Benzene, C10-13-alkyl derivs.	35		Environmental Toxico

#### 12.4. Mobility in soil

No information available.

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

This substance does not meet the PBT/vPvB criteria of REACH, Annex XIII.

#### 12.6. Other adverse effects

No information available.

#### SECTION 13 Di po al con ideration

#### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

#### Advice on disposal

Dispose of waste according to applicable legislation. Consult the appropriate local waste disposal expert about waste disposal. Non-contaminated packages may be recycled. The allocation of waste identity numbers/waste descriptions must be carried out according to the EEC, specific to the industry and process.

#### Waste disposal number of contaminated packaging

150110 WASTE PACKAGING; ABSORBENTS, WIPING CLOTHS, FILTER MATERIALS AND PROTECTIVE CLOTHING NOT OTHERWISE SPECIFIED; packaging (including separately collected municipal packaging waste); packaging containing residues of or contaminated by hazardous substances; hazardous waste

#### Contaminated packaging

Handle contaminated packages in the same way as the substance itself.

#### **SECTION 14: Transport information**

#### Land transport (ADR/RID)

<u>14.1. UN number:</u>	No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.
14.2. UN proper shipping name:	No dangerou good in en e of thi tran port regulation
14.3. Transport hazard class(es):	No dangerou good in en e of thi tran port regulation
14.4. Packing group:	No dangerou good in en e of thi tran port regulation
Inland waterways transport (ADN)	
<u>14.1. UN number:</u>	No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.
14.2. UN proper shipping name:	No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.
14.3. Transport hazard class(es):	No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.



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Marine transport (IMDG)		
<u>14.1. UN number:</u>	No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.	
14.2. UN proper shipping name:	No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.	
14.3. Transport hazard class(es):	No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.	
14.4. Packing group:	No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.	
Air transport (ICAO-TI/IATA-DGR)		
<u>14.1. UN number:</u>	No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.	
14.2. UN proper shipping name:	No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.	
14.3. Transport hazard class(es):	No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.	
14.4. Packing group:	No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.	
14.5. Environmental hazards		
ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS:	no	
14.6. Special precautions for user		
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Information for per onal protective	equipment ee chapter 8	
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### Changes

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#### Abbreviations and acronyms

ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route



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CAS Chemical Abstracts Service DNEL: Derived No Effect Level IARC: INTERNATIONAL AGENCY FOR RESEARCH ON CANCER IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods IATA: International Air Transport Association IATA-DGR: Dangerous Goods Regulations by the "International Air Transport Association" (IATA) ICAO: International Civil Aviation Organization ICAO-TI: Technical Instructions by the "International Civil Aviation Organization" (ICAO) GHS: Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals GefStoffV: Gefahrstoffverordnung (Ordinance on Hazardous Substances, Germany) LOAEL: Lowest observed adverse effect level LOAEC: Lowest observed adverse effect concentration LC50: Lethal concentration. 50 percent LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent NOAEL: No observed adverse effect level NOAEC: No observed adverse effect level NTP: National Toxicology Program N/A: not applicable OSHA: Occupational Safety and Health Administration PNEC: predicted no effect concentration PBT: Persistent bioaccumulative toxic RID: Règlement international concernant le transport des marchandises dangereuses par chemin de fer (Regulations Concerning the International Transport of Dangerous Goods by Rail) SARA: Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act SVHC: substance of very high concern TRGS Technische Regeln fuerGefahrstoffe TSCA: Toxic Substances Control Act VOC: Volatile Organic Compounds VwVwS: Verwaltungsvorschrift wassergefaehrdender Stoffe WGK: Wassergefaehrdungsklasse Relevant H and EUH statements (number and full text) H304 May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.

#### **Further Information**

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 [CLP] - Classification procedure: Health hazards: Calculation method.; H304: On basis of test data.

Environmental hazards: Calculation method.

Physical hazards: On basis of test data.

The above information describes exclusively the safety requirements of the product and is based on our present-day knowledge. The information is intended to give you advice about the safe handling of the product named in this safety data sheet, for storage, processing, transport and disposal. The information cannot be transferred to other products. In the case of mixing the product with other products or in the case of processing, the information on this safety data sheet is not necessarily valid for the new made-up material.



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#### Identified uses

No	Short title	LCS	SU	PC	PROC	ERC	AC	TF	Specifica ion
	Industrial use of intermediates.	-	0	-	2	6a	-	-	
	Formulation & (re)packing of substances and mixtures - Industrial uses	F	0	-	1, 3, 4, 5, 8a, 8b, 9, 15	2	-	-	

LCS: Life cycle stages PC: Product categories SU: Sectors of use

PROC: Process categories AC: Article categories

ERC: Environmental release categories

TF: Technical functions

Material Name	Shell Diala Cable Oil
Uses Product Code	: Insulating oil. : 001D8369
	. 00120303
Manufacturer/Supplier	: Shell UK Oil Products Limited
	PO BOX 3 Ellesmere Port
	CH65 4HB
	United Kingdom
Telephone	: +44 (0) 151-350-4000
Fax	: +44 (0) 151-350-4000
Email Contact for	: If you have any enquiries about the content of this MSDS
MSDS	please email lubricantSDS@shell.com
Emergency Telephone	: +44-(0) 151-350-4595
Number	
AZARDS IDENTIFICATION	
EC Classification	: Harmful.
Health Hazards	: Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or cracking.
	Harmful: may cause lung damage if swallowed.
Signs and Symptoms	: If material enters lungs, signs and symptoms may include
	coughing, choking, wheezing, difficulty in breathing, chest
	congestion, shortness of breath, and/or fever. The onset of
	respiratory symptoms may be delayed for several hours after exposure. Defatting dermatitis signs and symptoms may
	include a burning sensation and/or a dried/cracked
	appearance. Ingestion may result in nausea, vomiting and/or
	diarrhoea.
Safety Hazards Environmental Hazards	<ul><li>Not classified as flammable but will burn.</li><li>Not classified as dangerous for the environment.</li></ul>
COMPOSITION/INFORMATIO	ON ON INGREDIENTS
Proposition Departmention	
Preparation Description	: Alkyl benzene.
Hazardous Components	
Chemical Identity CAS	EINECS Symbol(s) R-phrase(s) Conc.
Benzene, C10- 67774-74	-7 267-051-0 Xn R65; R66 90.00 - 100.00 %
C13 alkyl derivitives	

4. FIRST AID MEASURES	
Inhalation	<ul> <li>No treatment necessary under normal conditions of use. If symptoms persist, obtain medical advice.</li> </ul>
Skin Contact	Remove contaminated clothing. Flush exposed area with water and follow by washing with soap if available. If persistent irritation occurs, obtain medical attention.
Eye Contact	<ul> <li>Flush eye with copious quantities of water. If persistent irritation occurs, obtain medical attention.</li> </ul>
Ingestion	If swallowed, do not induce vomiting: transport to nearest medical facility for additional treatment. If vomiting occurs spontaneously, keep head below hips to prevent aspiration. If any of the following delayed signs and symptoms appear within the next 6 hours, transport to the nearest medical facility: fever greater than 101° F (37° C), shortness of breath, chest congestion or continued coughing or wheezing.
Advice to Physician	<ul> <li>Treat symptomatically. Potential for chemical pneumonitis. Consider: gastric lavage with protected airway, administration of activated charcoal. Call a doctor or poison control center for guidance.</li> </ul>

## 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Clear fire area of all non-emergency personnel.

Specific Hazards	:	Hazardous combustion products may include: A complex mixture of airborne solid and liquid particulates and gases (smoke). Carbon monoxide. Unidentified organic and inorganic compounds.
Suitable Extinguishing Media Unsuitable Extinguishing	:	Foam, water spray or fog. Dry chemical powder, carbon dioxide, sand or earth may be used for small fires only. Do not use water in a jet.
Media Protective Equipment for Firefighters	:	Proper protective equipment including breathing apparatus must be worn when approaching a fire in a confined space.

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Avoid contact with spilled or released material. For guidance on selection of personal protective equipment see Chapter 8 of this Material Safety Data Sheet. See Chapter 13 for information on disposal. Observe the relevant local and international regulations.

Protective measures	: Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Use appropriate containment to avoid environmental contamination. Prevent from spreading or entering drains, ditches or rivers by using sand, earth, or other appropriate barriers.
Clean Up Methods	: Slippery when spilt. Avoid accidents, clean up immediately. Prevent from spreading by making a barrier with sand, earth or other containment material. Reclaim liquid directly or in an absorbent. Soak up residue with an absorbent such as clay, sand or other suitable material and dispose of properly.
Additional Advice	: Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages

	cannot be contained.
7. HANDLING AND STORAGE	
General Precautions	: Use local exhaust ventilation if there is risk of inhalation of vapours, mists or aerosols. Properly dispose of any contaminated rags or cleaning materials in order to prevent fires. Use the information in this data sheet as input to a risk assessment of local circumstances to help determine appropriate controls for safe handling, storage and disposal of this material.
Handling	: Avoid prolonged or repeated contact with skin. Avoid inhaling vapour and/or mists. When handling product in drums, safety footwear should be worn and proper handling equipment should be used.
Storage	<ul> <li>Keep container tightly closed and in a cool, well-ventilated place. Use properly labelled and closeable containers. Storage Temperature: 0 - 50°C / 32 - 122°F The storage of this product may be subject to the Control of Pollution (Oil Storage) (England) Regulations. Further guidance maybe obtained from the local environmental agency office.</li> </ul>
Recommended Materials	: For containers or container linings, use mild steel or high density polyethylene.
Unsuitable Materials	: PVC.
Additional Information	<ul> <li>Polyethylene containers should not be exposed to high temperatures because of possible risk of distortion.</li> <li>Exposure to this product should be reduced as low as reasonably practicable. Reference should be made to the Health and Safety Executive's publication "COSHH Essentials".</li> </ul>

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

If the American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists (ACGIH) value is provided on this document, it is provided for information only.

## Occupational Exposure Limits

Exposure Controls	The level of protection and types of controls necessary will vary depending upon potential exposure conditions. Select controls based on a risk assessment of local circumstances. Appropriate measures include: Adequate ventilation to control airborne concentrations. Where material is heated, sprayed or mist formed, there is greater potential for airborne concentrations to be generated.
Personal Protective Equipment Respiratory Protection	Personal protective equipment (PPE) should meet recommended national standards. Check with PPE suppliers. No respiratory protection is ordinarily required under normal conditions of use. In accordance with good industrial hygiene practices, precautions should be taken to avoid breathing of material. If engineering controls do not maintain airborne

Hand Protection	concentrations to a level which is adequate to protect worke health, select respiratory protection equipment suitable for the specific conditions of use and meeting relevant legislation. Check with respiratory protective equipment suppliers. When air-filtering respirators are suitable, select an appropriate combination of mask and filter. Select a filter suitable for combined particulate/organic gases and vapours [boiling poises of context (149 °F)] meeting EN141. Where hand contact with the product may occur the use of gloves approved to relevant standards (e.g. Europe: EN374 US: F739) made from the following materials may provide suitable chemical protection: PVC, neoprene or nitrile rubbe gloves. Suitability and durability of a glove is dependent on usage, e.g. frequency and duration of contact, chemical resistance of glove material, glove thickness, dexterity. Alwas seek advice from glove suppliers. Contaminated gloves sho be replaced. Personal hygiene is a key element of effective hand care. Gloves must only be worn on clean hands. After using gloves, hands should be washed and dried thoroughly	the ere pint 4, er ays puld c y.
Eye Protection	Application of a non-perfumed moisturizer is recommended Wear safety glasses or full face shield if splashes are likely	
Lyerrotection	occur. Approved to EU Standard EN166.	10
Protective Clothing	Skin protection not ordinarily required beyond standard issu work clothes. It is good practice to wear chemical resistant gloves.	ıe
Monitoring Methods	Monitoring of the concentration of substances in the breathin zone of workers or in the general workplace may be require confirm compliance with an OEL and adequacy of exposure controls. For some substances biological monitoring may all	ed to
Environmental Exposure Controls	be appropriate. Minimise release to the environment. An environmental assessment must be made to ensure compliance with local environmental legislation.	

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance Odour pH Initial Boiling Point and Boiling Range	<ul> <li>Colourless. Liquid at room temperature.</li> <li>Slight hydrocarbon.</li> <li>Not applicable.</li> <li>&gt; 280 °C / 536 °F estimated value(s)</li> </ul>
Pour point	: < -60 °C / -76 °F Data not available
Flash point	: Typical 140 °C / 284 °F (PMCC / ASTM D93)
Upper / lower Flammability	: Typical 1 - 10 %(V)
or Explosion limits	
Auto-ignition temperature	: > 320 °C / 608 °F
Vapour pressure	: < 0.5 Pa at 20 °C / 68 °F (estimated value(s))
Density	: Typical 857 kg/m3 at 20 °C / 68 °F
Water solubility	: Negligible.
n-octanol/water partition coefficient (log Pow)	: > 6 (based on information on similar products)
Kinematic viscosity	: Typical 4.2 mm2/s at 40 °C / 104 °F
Vapour density (air=1)	: > 1 (estimated value(s))
Evaporation rate (nBuAc=1)	: Data not available

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVIT	Ŷ
Stability Conditions to Avoid Materials to Avoid Hazardous Decomposition Products	<ul> <li>Stable.</li> <li>Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight.</li> <li>Strong oxidising agents.</li> <li>Hazardous decomposition products are not expected to form during normal storage.</li> </ul>
11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORM	ATION
Basis for Assessment	<ul> <li>Information given is based on data on the components and the toxicology of similar products.</li> </ul>
Acute Oral Toxicity	: Expected to be of low toxicity: LD50 > 5000 mg/kg , Rat Aspiration into the lungs when swallowed or vomited may cause chemical pneumonitis which can be fatal.
Acute Dermal Toxicity Acute Inhalation Toxicity	<ul> <li>Expected to be of low toxicity: LD50 &gt; 5000 mg/kg , Rabbit</li> <li>Not considered to be an inhalation hazard under normal conditions of use.</li> </ul>
Skin Irritation	: Expected to be slightly irritating. Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or cracking.
Eye Irritation	: Expected to be slightly irritating.
Respiratory Irritation	: Inhalation of vapours or mists may cause irritation.
Sensitisation	: Not expected to be a skin sensitiser.
Repeated Dose Toxicity	: Not expected to be a hazard.
Mutagenicity	: Not considered a mutagenic hazard.
Carcinogenicity	: Components are not known to be associated with carcinogenic effects.
Reproductive and Developmental Toxicity	: Not expected to be a hazard.
Additional Information	: Used oils may contain harmful impurities that have accumulated during use. The concentration of such impurities will depend on use and they may present risks to health and the environment on disposal. ALL used oil should be handled with caution and skin contact avoided as far as possible.

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicological data have not been determined specifically for this product. Information given is based on a knowledge of the components and the ecotoxicology of similar products.

Acute Toxicity	:	Poorly soluble mixture. May cause physical fouling of aquatic organisms. Expected to be practically non toxic: LL/EL/IL50 > 100 mg/l (to aquatic organisms) (LL/EL50 expressed as the nominal amount of product required to prepare aqueous test extract).
Mobility	:	Liquid under most environmental conditions. Floats on water. If it enters soil, it will adsorb to soil particles and will not be mobile.
Persistence/degradability Bioaccumulation	:	Expected to be inherently biodegradable. Has the potential to bioaccumulate.
Other Adverse Effects	:	Product is a mixture of non-volatile components, which are not

expected to be released to air in any significant quantities. Not expected to have ozone depletion potential, photochemical ozone creation potential or global warming potential.

### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Material Disposal	: Recover or recycle if possible. It is the responsibility of the waste generator to determine the toxicity and physical properties of the material generated to determine the proper waste classification and disposal methods in compliance with applicable regulations. Do not dispose into the environment, in drains or in water courses.
Container Disposal	: Dispose in accordance with prevailing regulations, preferably to a recognised collector or contractor. The competence of the collector or contractor should be established beforehand.
Local Legislation	<ul> <li>Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national, and local laws and regulations.</li> <li>EU Waste Disposal Code (EWC): 13 03 08 synthetic insulating and heat transmission oils. Classification of waste is always the responsibility of the end user.</li> <li>Hazardous Waste (England and Wales) Regulations 2005.</li> </ul>

### **14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

#### ADR

This material is not classified as dangerous under ADR regulations.

#### RID

This material is not classified as dangerous under RID regulations.

#### ADNR

This material is not classified as dangerous under ADNR regulations.

#### IMDG

This material is not classified as dangerous under IMDG regulations.

#### IATA (Country variations may apply)

This material is not classified as dangerous under IATA regulations.

## **15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

The regulatory information is not intended to be comprehensive. Other regulations may apply to this material.

EC Classification	:	Harmful.
EC Symbols	:	Xn Harmful.
EC Risk Phrases	:	R65 Harmful: may cause lung damage if swallowed.
		R66 Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or cracking.
EC Safety Phrases	:	S62 If swallowed, do not induce vomiting: seek medical advice
		immediately and show this container or label.

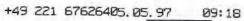
Chemical Inventory Status EINECS TSCA Classification triggering components	:	All components listed or polymer exempt. All components listed. Contains alkyl benzene derivatives.
Other Information	:	Environmental Protection Act 1990 (as amended). Health and Safety at Work Act 1974. Consumers Protection Act 1987. Control of Pollution Act 1974. Environmental Act 1995. Factories Act 1961. Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail (Classification, Packaging and Labelling) Regulations. Chemicals (Hazard Information and Packaging for Supply) Regulations 2002. Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations 1994 (as amended). Road Traffic (Carriage of Dangerous Substances in Packages) Regulations. Merchant Shipping (Dangerous Goods and Marine Pollutants) Regulations. Road Traffic (Carriage of Dangerous Substances in Road Tankers in Tank Containers) Regulations. Road Traffic (Training of Drivers of Vehicles Carrying Dangerous Goods) Regulations. Reporting of Injuries, Diseases and Dangerous Occurrences Regulations. Health and Safety (First Aid) Regulations 1981. Personal Protective Equipment (EC Directive) Regulations 1992. Personal Protective Equipment at Work Regulations 1992.

## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

R-phrase(s)

R65 R66	Harmful: may cause lung damage if swallowed. Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or cracking.		
MSDS Version	Number	:	1.0
MSDS Effective	e Date	:	16.09.2010
MSDS Revision			A vertical bar ( ) in the left margin indicates an amendment from the previous version.
MSDS Regulat MSDS Distribu			Regulation 1907/2006/EC The information in this document should be made available to all who may handle the product.
Disclaimer		:	This information is based on our current knowledge and is intended to describe the product for the purposes of health, safety and environmental requirements only. It should not therefore be construed as guaranteeing any specific property of the product.

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1.	Identification of Substance/Preparation and Company Product name:				
	Masse 106				
	Supplier:				
	FELTEN & GUILLEAUME Energietechnik AG				
	Schanzenstraße 24-30				
-	51063 Köln				
	Emergency telephone number: 0221/676-3333				
2.	Composition/Information on Ingredients				
	Blend of highly refined mineral oils and additives.				
	On the basis of available information, the components of this preparation are not expected to				
	impart hazardous properties to this product.				
3.	Hazards Identifikation				
	Human Health Hazards				
	If swallowed, aspiration into the lungs may cause chemical pneumonitis.				
	Prolonged or repeated exposure may give rise to dermatitis.				
	No specific hazards under normal use conditions.				
	Safety hazards				
	The preparation contains mineral oil, for which an exposure limit for oil mist applies.				
	Enviromental hazards				
	Av d spillage.				
	The poduct is not readily biodegradable.				
4.	First Aid Measures				
	Inhaiation				
	Remove to fresh air.				
	If oreathing but unconscious, place in the recovery position. If breathing has stopped, apply artificial respiration.				
	Medical attention is to be obtained immediately.				
	Skin				
	Remove contaminated clothing and wash affected skin with soap and water.				
	If high pressure injection injuries occur, obtain medical attention immediately.				
	Eye				
	Riuse immediately with plenty of water for ar least 10 minutes and seek medical advice.				
	Ingestion				
	Do not induce vomiting.				
	Aspiration into the lungs may occur directly or following ingestion. This can cause chemical oneumonitis				
	which may be fatal.				
	It oreathing but unconscious, place in the recovery position.				
	If breathing has stopped, apply artificial respiration.				
	Medical attention is to be obtained immediately.				
	Advice to physicians				
	Treat symptomatically				
5.	Fire Fighting Measures				
	Extinguishing media				
	Foam, dry chemical powder, carbon dioxide, sand or earth.				

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5.	Fire Fighting Measures (continued)							
	Unsuitable extinguishing media							
	Do not use water in a jet							
	Specific hazards Combustion is likely to give rise to a complex mixture of gases and airborne particulates, including carbon monoxide, oxides of sulphur and unidentified organic and inorganic compounds.							
6.	Accidental Release Measures							
	Personal precautions							
	Ventilate contaminated area thoroughly.							
	Minimise contact with Environmental precau							
	Prevent further leakage		vent from entering du	mins				
				by using sand, earth or other appropriate				
	barriers.							
	Clean-up methods							
	Absorb or contain liquid with sand, earth or spill control material.							
	Shovel into a suitable, clearly marked container for disposal or reclamation in accordance with local regulations.							
7.								
1.	Handling and Storag	e						
		or drink	Handling					
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9	Physical and Chemical Properties				
	form	liquid			
	colour	yellow			
	pourpoint	<-60'C	DIN ISO 3016		
	flashpeint	145°C	DIN 51758		
	flamm: bility - lower limit (vol%)	0,6			
	flammability - upper limit (vol%)	6,5			
	vapour pressure (20°C)	< 0,01 hPa			
	density (15°C)	888 kg/m3	DIN 51757		
	solubili y in water (20°C)	negligible			
	n-octano./water partition coeff.	na			
	kinematic viscosity (40°C)	8,5 mm <sup>2</sup> /s	DIN 51562		
	stable under normal use conditions Materials to avoid string oxidising agents Haza: dous decomposition product Ha: ardous decomposition products		huring normal storage		
11.	Toxicological Information Toxicological Data: Acute toxicity - oral				

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12.	Ecological Information				
	Basis for assessment				
	Information given is based on data on the components and the ecotoxicology of similar products.				
	Mobility				
-	Product floats on water. It is liquid under most environmental conditions.				
	If it enters soil, it will be adsorbed to soil particles and will not be mobile. Product has the potential to bioaccumulate.				
	Ecotoxicity Product is expected to be practically non-toxic to aquatic organisms, LC/EC50 > 100 mg/L.				
13.	Disposal Considerations				
	Product				
	Precautions: Dispose to licensed disposal contractor. Waste disposal Nr. (D): 54106				
	Container disposal				
	Drain container thoroughly.				
	Dispose to licensed disposal contractor.				
	Recomanded cleaning procedure				
	Cleaning by disposal contractor				
14.	Transport Information				
	Produ . is not dangerous for conveyance under UN, IMO, ADR/RID and IATA/ICAO codes. (According				
	ADR/D regulations from 1.1.1995)				
15.	Regulatory Information				
	Classification				
	The Product is not classified as dangerous under EC criteria.				
16.	Other Information				
	Additional informations				
	Concawe Report 5/87 Health Aspects of Lubricants.				
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	This information is based on our current knowledge and is intended to describe the product for				
	the purposes of health, safety and environmental requirements only. It should therefore not be				

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