## **Technical Data**



# LEC-KLENE HIGH FLASH POINT SOLVENT FOR CLEANING ELECTRICAL AND AEROSPACE EQUIPMENT



**LEC-KLENE** is a highly refined, low aromatic solvent cleaner, which has been specifically formulated to satisfy the exact requirements of DEF STAN 68-148 issue 2, for the safe and effective cleaning of Electrical and Aerospace equipment. The high flash point and low aromatic content enable it to be safely used in confined areas where fire or health risks are to be minimised.

**LEC-KLENE** is a powerful, low odour solvent which contains no CFC's or chlorinated solvents. It is an ideal alternative to 1.1.1 Trichloroethane.

**LEC-KLENE'S** controlled evaporation provides superior cleaning by fully dissolving greases and resins which bind soil to surfaces. Compare **LEC-KLENE** with quicker drying solvents which may not allow sufficient time to dissolve and flush away grease residues.

#### **APPLICATIONS**

A highly effective cold cleaning and degreasing solvent for use in all Military and Defence related industries including:

**LEC-KLENE** is ideal for removing oils, greases, waxes, tar, bitumen, brake block dust, carbon and other general soiling. It has no detrimental effect on painted surfaces, ferrous and non-ferrous metals, composite materials, rubbers and plastics. It totally evaporates to leave surfaces clean and dry, ready for any post cleaning treatments.

#### **CHEMICAL COMPATIBILITY**

**LEC-KLENE** has no detrimental effect on the following materials:-

Epoxy based composites commonly used in aircraft Aluminium structures

Acrylic Sheet - (Polymethyl Methacrylate) - DTD 5592A Magnesium Alloy

Nitrile Rubber Copper

Fluorocarbon Rubber Steel (BS1449 Part 1)

Polyurethane Paint Films Cadmium Plated

Steel

Acrylic Paint Films

Meets ASTM F519-97 - Standard test method for mechanical hydrogen

embrittlement evaluation of plating processes and

service environment.

Meets ASTM F1110 -. Sandwich corrosion

#### **TECHNICAL DATA - SOLVENT PURITY**

Specification/Approval : Meets DEF STAN 68-148 Issue 2

Aromatic Content : Less than 10ppm Sulphur : Less than 5ppm

Copper Corrosion : TBA

Aluminium

Magnesium Alloy : Meets the requirements of DEF-STAN 68-148

Steel : Issue 2

Cadmium Plated Steel

Residue on Evaporation : Nil

**PROPERTIES** 

Appearance : Clear, Colourless Liquid

SG @ 25°C : 0.760 Odour : Faint Freezing Point : TBA

Boiling Point Range (typical) : 180°C to 215°C

Evaporation Rate : TBA
Auto-Ignition Temperature : > 200°C
Flash Point : > 62°C

Flammability : Bulk material is not classified as flammable for

supply under current EU regulations. Aerosol sprays classified as extremely flammable under

current EU regulations

Toxicity : Classified as harmful under current EU

regulations

Kb Value : 28

Packaging : 5 ltr drums (in outers of 4 x 5 ltr) and 25 ltr

drums 200 ltr drums available on request.

400ml aerosol (12 per carton)

#### STORAGE

The product may be stored at normal ambient temperatures and has a shelf life of not less than 72 months with correct storage. Aerosols should always be stored below  $50^{\circ}$ C, away from direct heat and naked flame.

### **HEALTH AND SAFETY**

Health and Safety sheet available separately.

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