

**Handpiece Lubricant MSDS****DENTSPLY Professional**

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**SECTION 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION**

*Product Name:* Midwest Plus  
*Product Use:* Synthetic Hydrocarbon Precision Lubricating Oil  
This oil is also H-1 listed by the U.S. Dept. of Agriculture.  
*Manufacturer:* DENTSPLY Professional  
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**SECTION 2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

*Reportable Ingredients:* Product formulation is Proprietary. No ingredients are known to be hazardous under normal usage.

**SECTION 3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

*Emergency Overview:* May irritate eyes. Prolonged or repeated skin contact may cause irritation. Inhalation of oil mist vapors from material at high temperatures may irritate respiratory passages.

*Potential Health Effects:*

*Eye Contact:* May cause irritation.  
*Skin Contact:* Repeated or prolonged skin contact may cause irritation.  
*Inhalation:* Oil mists vapors at high temperatures may irritate respiratory passages.  
*Ingestion:* May cause gastrointestinal irritation.  
*Primary Route(s) of Entry:* Inhalation at high temperatures, eye contact, skin contact.  
*Target Organs:* Respiratory passages at high temperatures, eyes, skin.  
*Medical Conditions Aggravated by Long-Term Exposure:* None known.  
*Carcinogenicity:* IARC, NTP, and OSHA do not list Synthetic Oil 179C or its ingredients as carcinogens.

**SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES**

*Eye Contact:* Flush thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes. Get immediate medical attention.  
*Skin Contact:* Remove contaminated clothing. Wash exposed area with soap and water. Get medical attention if symptoms persists.  
*Inhalation:* If symptoms develop, remove affected person from source of exposure into fresh air. Get medical attention. If person is not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, administer oxygen if available.  
*Ingestion:* Get immediate medical attention. Do not induce vomiting unless instructed to do so by a physician.

**SECTION 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

*Flash Point:* over 400°F (204°C)  
*Flash Point Method:* CC, ASTM D93  
*Lower Flammable Limit (LFL):* N/A  
*Upper Flammable Limit (UFL):* N/A  
*Extinguishing Media:* CO<sub>2</sub>, Foam, Dry Chemical, Water Spray  
*Unusual Fire or Explosion Hazards:* None  
*Hazardous Combustion Products:* Carbon Monoxide and small amount of other toxic fumes.  
*Fire-Fighting Instructions:* Wear a NIOSH approved positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus with full protective clothing. Do not release runoff from fire control methods to sewers or waterways.

**SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

*Spill Response:* Observe precautions from other sections. Contain any spill with dikes or absorbents to prevent migration and entry into drains, sewers or bodies of water. Take up small spills with absorbent. Large spills may be taken up with pump or vacuum and finished off with absorbent. Wipe or scrape up saturated absorbent and place it in a proper container for disposal. Wash walking surfaces thoroughly to reduce slipping hazard. Follow applicable OSHA (29 CFR 1910.120), state and local regulations.

**SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

*Handling Precautions:* Exercise ordinary care in handling industrial lubricants. Avoid contamination of cigarettes or other tobacco products. Wash hands thoroughly before eating or smoking. Remove contaminated clothing and clean before reuse. Users should be alert to the possibility that very small percentages of the population may display unexpected allergic reactions to otherwise innocuous industrial lubricants and raw materials.  
*Storage Requirements:* Do not store in open or unlabeled containers. Store away from incompatibles.

## SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

*Eye Protection:* Avoid eye contact. Wear safety glasses or chemical goggles in accordance with OSHA 29 CFR 1910.133.

*Skin Protection:* Avoid skin contact. Wear chemical protective gloves. Depending upon conditions of use, additional protection may be necessary such as a face shield, apron, etc.

*Ventilation:* Local ventilation is generally not necessary under normal conditions of use with adequate general ventilation. Ventilation and other forms of engineering controls are the preferred means for controlling chemical exposures.

*Respiratory Protection:* Avoid breathing oil mist. Respiratory protection is generally not necessary under normal conditions of use with adequate general ventilation.

*Safety Stations:* Make emergency eyewash stations, safety/quick-drench showers, and washing facilities available in work area.

*Other Precautionary Information:* Never eat, drink, or smoke in work areas. Practice good personal hygiene after using this material, especially before eating, drinking, smoking, using the toilet, or applying cosmetics.

## SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

<i>Appearance and Odor:</i>	Clear oil with slight odor
<i>Vapor Pressure:</i>	Negligible
<i>Vapor Density:</i>	Not Determined
<i>Formula Weight:</i>	Not calculated
<i>Specific Gravity (H<sub>2</sub>O=1, at 4°C):</i>	0.83 at 60°F
<i>pH:</i>	Not Determined
<i>Water Solubility:</i>	Insoluble
<i>Boiling Point:</i>	Not volatile
<i>Pour Point:</i>	-60°C
<i>% Volatile:</i>	None
<i>Evaporation Rate:</i>	Not Determined

## SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

*Stability:* Synthetic Oil 179C is stable at room temperature in closed containers under normal storage and handling conditions.

*Polymerization:* This product will not undergo hazardous polymerization.

*Chemical Incompatibilities:* Strong oxidizing materials.

*Conditions to Avoid:* Pyrolysis.

*Hazardous Decomposition Products:* Thermal oxidative decomposition of Synthetic Oil 179C can produce carbon monoxide as well as small amounts of other toxic fumes.

## SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

*Toxicity Data:* None available.

## SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

*Environmental Fate and Effects:* No data has been established for this product.

## SECTION 13. DISPOSABLE CONSIDERATIONS

*Disposal:* Contact a licensed waste-disposal contractor for detailed recommendations.

*Disposal Regulatory Requirements:* Many states classify waste lubricants as "hazardous", which means disposal only by a licensed firm. Follow applicable Federal, state, and local regulations.

## SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

*DOT Transportation Data (49 CFR 172.101):* Not Regulated

## SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

*TSCA:* All components of this product are listed on the TSCA inventory.

*EPA Regulations:*

SARA 311/312 Hazard Class (40 CFR 370):

Immediate (Acute) Health Hazard: No

Delayed (Chronic) Health Hazard: No

Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard: No

Fire Hazard: No

Reactive Hazard: No

SARA 313 Toxic Chemicals (40 CFR 372): No ingredients listed.

SARA Extremely Hazardous Substances (40 CFR 355): No ingredients listed.

CERCLA Hazardous Substances (40 CFR 302): No ingredients listed.

## SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

*Disclaimer:* While the information and recommendations set forth herein are believed to be accurate as of the date hereof, DENTSPLY Professional, makes no warranty with respect thereto and disclaims all liability with respect thereon.

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