

# NICKEL GRADE EZ BREAK®

LA-CO Industries, Inc.

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according to Canadian Hazardous Products Regulations (HPR)  
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## SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

### 1.1. Product identifier

Product form : Mixture  
Trade name : NICKEL GRADE EZ BREAK®

### 1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Use of the substance/mixture : Lubricant

### 1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : 24-hour emergency: CHEMTREC- U.S. : 1-800-424-9300 International: +1-703-527-3887

## SECTION 2: Hazards identification

### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

#### Classification in accordance with the Globally Harmonized Standard

Skin Sens. 1 H317  
Carc. 2 H351  
STOT RE 1 H372

Full text of classification categories and H statements : see section 16

### 2.2. Label elements

#### GHS-US labelling

Hazard pictograms (GHS-US) :



GHS07

GHS08

Signal word (GHS-US) :

Danger

Hazard statements (GHS-US) :

H317 - May cause an allergic skin reaction  
H351 - Suspected of causing cancer  
H372 - Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure

Precautionary statements (GHS-US) :

P201 - Obtain special instructions before use  
P202 - Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood  
P260 - Do not breathe dust, fume  
P264 - Wash hands thoroughly after handling  
P270 - Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product  
P272 - Contaminated work clothing must not be allowed out of the workplace  
P280 - Wear eye protection, protective gloves  
P302+P352 - If on skin: Wash with plenty of water  
P308+P313 - If exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention  
P314 - Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell  
P321 - Specific treatment (see First aid measures on this label)  
P333+P313 - If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention  
P363 - Wash contaminated clothing before reuse  
P405 - Store locked up  
P501 - Dispose of contents/container to an authorised waste collection point

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### 2.3. Other hazards

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

0.58 percent of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown acute toxicity (Dermal)

0.58 percent of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown acute toxicity (Inhalation (Dust/Mist))

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.1. Substance

Not applicable

### 3.2. Mixture

Name	Product identifier	% (w/w)	GHS-US classification
nickel	(CAS No) 7440-02-0	19.43 - 19.47	Skin Sens. 1, H317 Carc. 2, H351 STOT RE 1, H372
aluminium powder (pyrophoric)	(CAS No) 7429-90-5	1.21 - 1.616	Pyr. Sol. 1, H250 Water-react. 2, H261
Phosphorodithioic acid, O,O-di-C1-14-alkyl esters, zinc salts	(CAS No) 68649-42-3	0 - 0.58	Eye Irrit. 2A, H319 Aquatic Acute 1, H400 Aquatic Chronic 3, H412

Full text of H-statements: see section 16

## SECTION 4: First aid measures

### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures general	: Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible).
First-aid measures after inhalation	: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice.
First-aid measures after skin contact	: Wash with plenty of soap and water. If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.
First-aid measures after eye contact	: In case of contact, immediately flush eyes with plenty of water.
First-aid measures after ingestion	: Induce vomiting. Get medical advice/attention.

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

Symptoms/injuries	: Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.
Symptoms/injuries after inhalation	: Inhalation of vapours may cause respiratory irritation.
Symptoms/injuries after skin contact	: May cause an allergic skin reaction. May cause slight irritation.
Symptoms/injuries after ingestion	: Diarrhea. Nausea.

### 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	: Water fog. Dry chemical. Carbon dioxide. Foam.
Unsuitable extinguishing media	: None known.

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

Fire hazard	: Burning produces irritating, toxic and noxious fumes.
Explosion hazard	: Product is not explosive.
Reactivity	: No dangerous reactions known.

### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

Firefighting instructions	: Keep upwind.
Protection during firefighting	: Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection. Use self-contained breathing apparatus.

## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

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

General measures	: Avoid contact with skin and eyes.
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### 6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Protective equipment : Chemical goggles or safety glasses. Wear suitable gloves.  
Emergency procedures : Evacuate unnecessary personnel.

### 6.1.2. For emergency responders

Protective equipment : Chemical goggles or safety glasses. Wear suitable gloves.  
Emergency procedures : Ventilate area. Stop leak if safe to do so.

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Avoid release to the environment.

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

For containment : Do not allow minor leaks or spills to accumulate on walking surfaces. Sweep or shovel into suitable containers.  
Methods for cleaning up : Following recovery, flush area with water. Clean surface thoroughly to remove residual contamination.

### 6.4. Reference to other sections

Section 13: disposal information. Section 7: safe handling. Section 8: personal protective equipment.

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling : Obtain special instructions before use. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Do not breathe dust, fume. Avoid contact with skin and eyes.  
Hygiene measures : Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Always wash your hands immediately after handling this product, and once again before leaving the workplace.

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

Storage conditions : Keep container closed when not in use.  
Incompatible products : Oxidizer. Strong acids.  
Incompatible materials : Heat sources.  
Prohibitions on mixed storage : Incompatible materials.  
Storage area : Store in dry, cool, well-ventilated area.

### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

Lubricant.

## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1. Control parameters

NICKEL GRADE EZ BREAK®		
ACGIH	Not applicable	
OSHA	Not applicable	
nickel (7440-02-0)		
ACGIH	ACGIH TWA (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	0.2 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (inhalable) 0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (soluble) 1.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (inhalable fraction)
OSHA	Not applicable	
Canada (Quebec)	VEMP (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Canada (Quebec)	Notations and remarks	(Métal)
aluminium powder (pyrophoric) (7429-90-5)		
ACGIH	ACGIH TWA (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
ACGIH	Remark (ACGIH)	Pneumoconiosis; LRT irr
OSHA	OSHA PEL (TWA) (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	15 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (total dust) 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (respirable dust)
Canada (Quebec)	VEMP (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Canada (Quebec)	Notations and remarks	(Métal)
Phosphorodithioic acid, O,O-di-C1-14-alkyl esters, zinc salts (68649-42-3)		
ACGIH	Not applicable	

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OSHA	Not applicable
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#### 8.2. Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls	: Ensure good ventilation of the work station. Eyewash stations.
Personal protective equipment	: Avoid all unnecessary exposure.
Hand protection	: Use rubber gloves.
Eye protection	: Chemical goggles or safety glasses.
Respiratory protection	: None under normal use.
Other information	: Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

### SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

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

Physical state	: Solid
Appearance	: Paste.
Colour	: Silver. Gray.
Odour	: Oily.
Odour threshold	: No data available
pH	: No data available
Relative evaporation rate (butyl acetate=1)	: No data available
Melting point	: No data available
Freezing point	: No data available
Boiling point	: No data available
Flash point	: 193 °C
Auto-ignition temperature	: No data available
Decomposition temperature	: No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	: No data available
Vapour pressure	: No data available
Relative vapour density at 20 °C	: No data available
Relative density	: 1.27
Solubility	: insoluble in water.
Log Pow	: No data available
Log Kow	: No data available
Viscosity, kinematic	: No data available
Viscosity, dynamic	: No data available
Explosive properties	: No data available
Oxidising properties	: No data available
Explosive limits	: No data available

#### 9.2. Other information

VOC content	: 0 %
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### SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

#### 10.1. Reactivity

No dangerous reactions known.

#### 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

#### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous polymerization will not occur.

#### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

Heat.

#### 10.5. Incompatible materials

Oxidizer. Strong acids.

#### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Burning produces irritating, toxic and noxious fumes.

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### SECTION 11: Toxicological information

#### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

**Acute toxicity** : Not classified

NICKEL GRADE EZ BREAK®	
LD50 oral rat	> 5 ml/kg
nickel (7440-02-0)	
LD50 oral rat	> 9000 mg/kg OECD Guideline 401
LC50 inhalation rat (mg/l)	> 10.2 mg/l/4h No effects observed
aluminium powder (pyrophoric) (7429-90-5)	
LD50 oral rat	> 15900 mg/kg bodyweight
Phosphorodithioic acid, O,O-di-C1-14-alkyl esters, zinc salts (68649-42-3)	
LD50 oral rat	26100 mg/kg
ATE CLP (oral)	26100.000 mg/kg bodyweight

**Skin corrosion/irritation** : Not classified  
(Slightly irritant but not relevant for classification)

**Serious eye damage/irritation** : Not classified  
(Not irritating to rabbits on ocular application)

**Respiratory or skin sensitisation** : May cause an allergic skin reaction.

**Germ cell mutagenicity** : Not classified

**Carcinogenicity** : Suspected of causing cancer.

nickel (7440-02-0)	
NOAEL (chronic, oral, animal/male, 2 years)	0.4 mg/kg bodyweight OECD 451 (Carcinogenicity Studies). Adrenal gland pheochromocytomas (benign and malignant) were significantly increased in exposed male.
NOAEL (chronic, oral, animal/female, 2 years)	0.4 mg/kg bodyweight OECD 451 (Carcinogenicity Studies). The incidence of combined (adenoma and carcinoma) cortical tumors among 0.4 mg Ni/m <sup>3</sup> females, although statistically higher compared to the concurrent controls, falls within the historical control range; therefore, in the present study, this tumor is of uncertain relationship to nickel metal exposure.
IARC group	2B - Possibly carcinogenic to humans
National Toxicology Program (NTP) Status	3 - Reasonably anticipated to be Human Carcinogen

**Reproductive toxicity** : Not classified

**Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)** : Not classified

**Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure)** : Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

nickel (7440-02-0)	
LOAEL (inhalation, rat, dust/mist/fume, 90 days)	0.1 mg/l/6h/day OECD Guideline 451
NOAEL (oral, rat, 90 days)	< 4 mg/kg bodyweight/day OECD Guideline 412. increased incidence of granulomatous inflammation and mucoid exudate.
NOAEL (inhalation, rat, dust/mist/fume, 90 days)	> 10.2 mg/l/6h/day

**Aspiration hazard** : Not classified

#### Potential adverse human health effects and symptoms

Symptoms/injuries after inhalation : Inhalation of vapours may cause respiratory irritation.

Symptoms/injuries after skin contact : May cause an allergic skin reaction. May cause slight irritation.

Symptoms/injuries after ingestion : Diarrhea. Nausea.

Likely routes of exposure : Ingestion; Skin and eye contact

### SECTION 12: Ecological information

#### 12.1 Toxicity

nickel (7440-02-0)	
LC50 fish 1	15.3 mg/l Oncorhynchus mykiss (as nickel chloride)
LOEC (chronic)	0.12 mg/l as Nickel(II) chloride hexahydrate
NOEC (chronic)	0.057 mg/l as Nickel(II) chloride hexahydrate
Phosphorodithioic acid, O,O-di-C1-14-alkyl esters, zinc salts (68649-42-3)	
LC50 fish 1	10 (10 - 35) mg/l Pimephales promelas OECD GDL 203 (water accommodated fraction)

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EC50 Daphnia 1	1 (1 - 1.5) mg/l OECD GDL 202 (water accomodated fraction)
NOEC (acute)	10 mg/l Pimephales promelas OECD GDL 203 (water accomodated fraction)
NOEC chronic crustacea	< 1 mg/l

#### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

##### nickel (7440-02-0)

Persistence and degradability	Not established.
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#### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

##### nickel (7440-02-0)

Bioconcentration factor (BCF REACH)	> 600
Bioaccumulative potential	Expected to bioaccumulate. Not established.

#### 12.4. Mobility in soil

No additional information available

#### 12.5. Other adverse effects

No additional information available

### SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

#### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

Sewage disposal recommendations	: Do not dispose of waste into sewer.
Waste disposal recommendations	: Dispose in a safe manner in accordance with local/national regulations.
Ecology - waste materials	: Avoid release to the environment.

### SECTION 14: Transport information

In accordance with DOT and TDG

Not considered a dangerous good for transport regulations

Proper Shipping Name (ADR) : Not applicable

#### Transport by sea

No additional information available

#### Air transport

No additional information available

### SECTION 15: Regulatory information

#### 15.1. US Federal regulations

##### nickel (7440-02-0)

Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory  
Subject to reporting requirements of United States SARA Section 313

##### aluminium powder (pyrophoric) (7429-90-5)

Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory

##### Phosphorodithioic acid, O,O-di-C1-14-alkyl esters, zinc salts (68649-42-3)

Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory

#### 15.2. International regulations

##### CANADA

##### nickel (7440-02-0)

Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List) inventory.

##### aluminium powder (pyrophoric) (7429-90-5)

Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List) inventory.

##### Phosphorodithioic acid, O,O-di-C1-14-alkyl esters, zinc salts (68649-42-3)

Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List) inventory.

#### EU-Regulations

##### nickel (7440-02-0)

Listed on the EEC inventory EINECS (European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances)

##### aluminium powder (pyrophoric) (7429-90-5)

Listed on the EEC inventory EINECS (European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances)

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### Phosphorodithioic acid, O,O-di-C1-14-alkyl esters, zinc salts (68649-42-3)

Listed on the EEC inventory EINECS (European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances)- Directive 79/831/EEC, sixth Amendment of Directive 67/548/EEC (dangerous substances)

### National regulations

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All components are listed on the EEC inventory European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS).  
All ingredients are listed on the Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL) or Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL).  
All ingredients are listed in the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA).

### 15.3. US State regulations

#### nickel (7440-02-0)

U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Carcinogens List	U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Developmental Toxicity	U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Reproductive Toxicity - Female	U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Reproductive Toxicity - Male	Non-significant risk level (NSRL)
Yes	No	No	No	

#### nickel (7440-02-0)

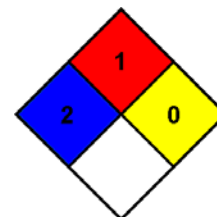
U.S. - Minnesota - Hazardous Substance List  
U.S. - New Jersey - Right to Know Hazardous Substance List  
U.S. - New York - Right to Know List of Hazardous Chemicals  
U.S. - Pennsylvania - List of Hazardous Substances

#### aluminium powder (pyrophoric) (7429-90-5)

U.S. - New Jersey - Right to Know Hazardous Substance List

## SECTION 16: Other information

Indication of changes	: Original Document.
Data sources	: ACGIH (American Conference of Government Industrial Hygienists). European Chemicals Agency (ECHA) C&L Inventory database. Accessed at <a href="http://echa.europa.eu/web/guest/information-on-chemicals/cl-inventory-database">http://echa.europa.eu/web/guest/information-on-chemicals/cl-inventory-database</a> . Kristen Forsberg and S.Z. Mansdorf, "Quick Selection Guide to Chemical Protective Clothing", Fifth Edition. National Fire Protection Association. Fire Protection Guide to Hazardous Materials; 10th edition. OSHA 29CFR 1910.1200 Hazard Communication Standard. TSCA Chemical Substance Inventory. Accessed at <a href="http://www.epa.gov/oppt/existingchemicals/pubs/tscainventory/howto.html">http://www.epa.gov/oppt/existingchemicals/pubs/tscainventory/howto.html</a> .
Abbreviations and acronyms	: ATE: Acute Toxicity Estimate. CAS (Chemical Abstracts Service) number. CLP: Classification, Labelling, Packaging. EC50: Environmental Concentration associated with a response by 50% of the test population. GHS: Globally Harmonized System (of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals). LD50: Lethal Dose for 50% of the test population. OSHA: Occupational Safety & Health Administration. PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative, Toxic. TWA: Time Weight Average. TSCA: Toxic Substances Control Act.
Other information	: None.
NFPA health hazard	: 2 - Intense or continued exposure could cause temporary incapacitation or possible residual injury unless prompt medical attention is given.
NFPA fire hazard	: 1 - Must be preheated before ignition can occur.
NFPA reactivity	: 0 - Normally stable, even under fire exposure conditions, and not reactive with water.



### Full text of H-statements:

Aquatic Acute 1	Hazardous to the aquatic environment — Acute Hazard, Category 1
Aquatic Chronic 3	Hazardous to the aquatic environment — Chronic Hazard, Category 3
Carc. 2	Carcinogenicity, Category 2

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Eye Irrit. 2A	Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Category 2A
Pyr. Sol. 1	Pyrophoric Solids, Category 1
Skin Sens. 1	Sensitisation — Skin, category 1
STOT RE 1	Specific target organ toxicity — Repeated exposure, Category 1
Water-react. 2	Substances and Mixtures which, in contact with water, emit flammable gases, Category 2
H250	Catches fire spontaneously if exposed to air
H261	In contact with water releases flammable gases
H317	May cause an allergic skin reaction
H319	Causes serious eye irritation
H351	Suspected of causing cancer
H372	Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure
H400	Very toxic to aquatic life
H412	Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects

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