## **ALKACLEAN HD/ PC CLEANER**

#### **APPLICATIONS**

ALKACLEAN HD/PC CLEANER is used for removal of Coal, Pet Coke, vegetable, Oily Residues, Sulfur, Concentrates and animal oil residues in cargo tanks. It is also used as a final treatment for cleaning tanks from black to white or grain. ALKACLEAN HD/PC CLEANER is suitable for use on ferrous metals, including stainless steel and epoxy tank coatings. ALKACLEAN HD/PC CLEANER is used for cleaning boiler furnace and as a neutralizing agent.

#### **DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

#### TANK CLEANING

Tankcleaning should, if possible, be carried out immediately after discharge of cargo. *ALKACLEAN HD/PC CLEANER* should be applied with water at a temperature above 60°C if possible. The cleaning should be done by circulation using tank cleaning machine, spray equipment or injected into the steam.

#### QUICK DRYING OILS

Use a 3% to 5% solution of ALKACLEAN HD/PC CLEANER with fresh water.

### SEMI-DRYING OILS

Use a 5% solution of *ALKACLEAN HD/PC CLEANER* with fresh water.

**NOTE:** fresh water solutions are recommended. If seawater solution is used, it is recommended that dosage amount be increased by 1.5 times the amount required for fresh water solutions.

#### **BOILER FURNACE CLEANING**

Use a 10% to 20% solution of ALKACLEAN HD/PC CLEANER with fresh water. A hot solution of more than 40°C is preferable as treatment is more effective when heated. Apply solution to surfaces to be cleaned by spraying. Depending on the nature, age and state of the deposits, repeat spraying as necessary. For deposits, which are very hard to remove a solution of up to 50% can be used.

# CLEANING OIL CONTAMINATION IN BOILERS & HEAT EXCHANGERS WATER SIDE

Generally the amount of *ALKACLEAN HD/PC CLEANER* required is 4% of the unit capacity depending on the degree of contamination. The above dosage may be increased to 5-10%.



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Heavy duty alkaline cleaner

- Removes hardened oxidized oil and grease deposits
- Effective liquid product for pet coke removal
- Cleaning of boiler furnace
- Removes vegetable, fish and animal oils
- Final treatment for cleaning cargo tanks from black to white or grain
- Safe on epoxy and polyurethane tank coatings
- IMO approved & biodegradable, minimizing environmental concerns.

#### PRODUCT CHARACTERISTICS

Appearance: clear amber liquid Corrosive action: avoid contact with

aluminum, zinc, tin and

their alloys

Specific gravity: 1,3 (20°C) pH: >13 Flash point: none

 IMO Class:
 8 / II

 UN Number:
 1824

 ADR:
 8.42b)



#### **PROCEDURE**

- 1. Blank off unit to be certain that it is isolated
- 2. Drain unit of all water
- 3. Connect steam hose, preferably to bottom of unit
- 4. Connect re-circulating pump, if possible. If not, use steam for agitation, vent unit at highest possible point to prevent pressure build-up and allow fumes to escape
- 5. Pour 4%of ALKACLEAN HD/PC CLEANER into the unit
- 6. Add fresh water to the top of tube bundle level or minimum water level for boilers
- 7. Heat solution to at least 60°C (140°F) and re-circulate for a minimum of 20 to 24 hours after this temperature is attained
- 8. After heating and re-circulation or agitation, dump the solution from the unit
- 9. For boilers, flush each tube with fresh water in order to remove oil residues

#### NATURE OF SPECIAL RISKS AND SAFETY ADVICE

In accordance with the latest EEC Council directives this product is subjected to:

R35 : Causes severe burns

S2 : Keep out of reach of children

S26 : In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical

advice

S27 : Immediately take off all contaminated clothing

S36/37/39 : Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye / face protection

S45 : In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately

(show the label if possible)