There are no changes to the Australian Dangerous Goods (ADG) code - it will continue as normal.

Tips to get on top of the GHS

- 1. Identify deadlines and plan ahead.
- 2. Conduct an inventory of all your chemicals, identify inactive products and look for GHS compliant products now or reconsider the quantities you purchase to avoid re-labelling later.
- 3. Assess your readiness by checking your labels and stock and decide whether to keep and re-label, safely dispose of, or sell your chemicals.
- 4. Start transitioning by contacting the supplier or manufacturer of chemicals you want to keep and re-label. Don't forget you need to update your current SDS or prepare a new SDS too.

If you are disposing of chemicals, contact an authorised chemical waste collector or recycler for safe disposal.

If you would like to know more, visit www.workcover.nsw.gov.au.



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The end of the transition to the Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals is approaching and after 31 December 2016, all hazardous chemicals must be GHS compliant.



Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals

The new classification system replaces the Approved Criteria for Classifying Hazardous Substances. Make sure vou are on board with changes to classifications as well as:

Pictograms











Compressed

Corrosive



Environmental





Explosive



Acute toxicity



Health hazard



Chronic health hazard

Safety Data Sheet (SDS)

SAFETY DATA SHEET Flammosol

1. IDENTIFICATION

Product identifiers

Product name: **Product Number:** 1000000 Brand: Madeup Chemical Co. Index-No.: 000-000-00-01

CAS-No.: 001-01-0

Recommended use of the chemical and restriction on use

Company Details

Madeup Chemical Company 999 Chemical Street Chemical Town, My State Tel No.: 1300 000 000 Email: info@madeupchemical.gov.au

Website: www.madeupchemicalcompany.com.au

Emergency telephone number Emergency Tel No.: 1300 000 001

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification of the substance or mixture

Flammable liquids (Category 2). Acute Toxicity - Oral (Category 3) Skin corrosion / irritation (Category 2)

Label elements Pictograms:





Signal word: Danger Hazard statement(s):

H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapour

H301 Toxic if swallowed H302 Harmful if swallowed

H315 Causes skin irritation

Precautionary statement(s):

P210 Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking.

P233 Keep container tightly closed

P241 Use explosion proof electrical equipment

P242 use only non sparking tools

P243 Take precautionary measures against static discharge

P264 Wash hands thoroughly after handling

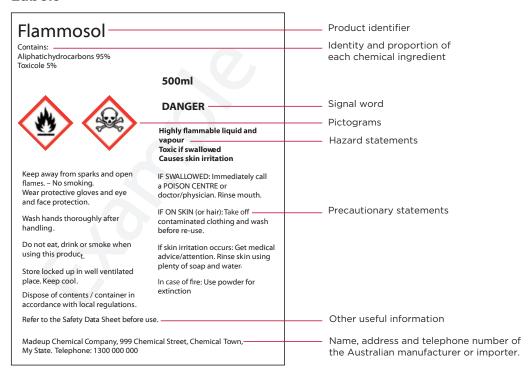
P270 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product

P281 Use personal protective equipment as required

IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.

Labels



If you manufacture, sell or import chemicals you need to start implementing the new codes of practice now.

If you buy and use chemicals in your workplace you need to ensure that all your labels and SDS are GHS compliant by 31 December 2016.

Up to 31 December 2016	From 1 January 2017
Approved Criteria for Classifying Hazardous Substances NOHSC:1008(2004) OR the GHS	Workplace chemical classification, labels and SDS under <i>Third Edition GHS</i> ONLY
National Code of Practice for the Preparation of Material Safety Data Sheets	Code of Practice for the Preparation of Safety Data Sheets for Hazardous Chemicals
The National Code of Practice for the Labelling of Workplace Substances NOHSC:2012 (1994)	Code of Practice for the Labelling of Workplace Hazardous Chemicals
ADG Code for chemicals in transit	ADG Code for chemicals in transit