

#### **IMMERSION CLEANER: AGI-LIFTS AND SOAK TANKS**

## **MET-KLEEN 118**

### **Multi-Purpose Metal Cleaner**

#### **Light to Moderate Duty**

MET-KLEEN 118 is a mild alkaline metal cleaner that can be used as a universal cleaner to consolidate to one product in most plants. This premium cleaner is formulated with a lower pH and alkalinity than most metal cleaners making it very user friendly for operators and non-staining to sensitive alloys. MET-KLEEN 118 can be used in all types of industrial spray wash applications from single stage washer to multi-stage washer and intensive flood washers. This versatile cleaner can also be used in soak tanks, agi-lifts, and in manual cleaning. MET-KLEEN 118 will clean most all industrial soils and leaves the part with a very light film for rust protection. This product is designed for use on both ferrous and non-ferrous metals.

#### **Performance Benefits**

- · Saves energy dollars due to ambient temperature operation
- Superior in-process corrosion protection
- · Low foaming surfactants to prevent pump cavitations and foam-outs
- · Very operator friendly due to low pH and mild alkalinity
- May also be used in spray wash and ultrasonic cleaning applications

#### **Recommended Dilutions**

Recirculating tanks, dip tanks, agi-lifts, soak tanks: 4-9%
Spray washers, cabinet washers: 3-5%
Ultrasonic: 3-6%

#### **Concentration Control**

Use a QualiChem Alkalinity Test Kit (QAT001) or equivalent with 1.0N sulfuric acid. Determine the number of drops necessary to cause the color change. Multiply the number of drops by the titration conversion factor below to determine the percent concentration: Drops x Factor = % Concentration.

Titration conversion factor: 0.67

#### **Packaging**

MET-KLEEN 118 is packaged in IBCs, drums and pails.

Disclaimer: Recommendations are for guidance only, and the suitability of a material for a specific application can be confirmed only when we know the actual service conditions. Continuous development may necessitate changes in technical data without notice.

CHEMISTRY <sup>1</sup>	Oil-dispersing
APPEARANCE OF CONCENTRATE	Clear, pale yellow liquid
DENSITY	8.84 lbs/gal
pH OF CONCENTRATE	9.5-10.0
pH OF SOLUTION @ 3%	8.8-9.2
OPERATING TEMP. RANGE <sup>2</sup>	100°-140°F (38°-60°C)
METAL SAFETY	Al     Fe     Yellow metals
SOILS REMOVED	<ul><li> Cutting fluids</li><li> Oil</li><li> Carbon</li><li> Organic materials</li></ul>

MET-KLEEN 118 does not contain as an ingredient: nitrites, phosphates or silicates.

- Oil-rejecting cleaners split oils to the top for easy skimming. Oil-dispersing cleaners break up the soil into fine particles, which are then suspended and flushed off the surface. Emulsifying cleaners break up and suspend loosened dirt to keep it from settling back on the cleaned surface.
- <sup>2</sup> Higher temperatures generally provide better cleaning.





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**CONCENTRATION RANGE\*** 

3-9%

DATE / TIME	DROPS	FACTOR	% CONC.	COMMENTS / CORRECTIVE ACTION TAKEN
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#### **ALKALINE TITRATION PROCEDURE & DOCUMENTATION**

- 1. Use a QualiChem Alkalinity Test Kit (QAT001). Rinse the vial three times with sample to be tested. With the syringe, fill vial to 5mL.
- 2. Add 3 drops of Total Alkalinity Indicator (Al6925) and swirl to mix. The sample should turn green.
- Add Sulfuric Acid 1.0N (SA9625) one drop at a time while swirling. Count the number of drops until the sample color changes from green to red.

#### 4. DROPS x FACTOR = % CONCENTRATION

Multiply the drops by the titration conversion factor to determine the percent concentration. The conversion factor for this product is listed above and can be found on the Product Data Sheet.

5. Log your results and note any corrective action taken.



