

SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

INHALATION: Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Seek medical attention if symptoms persist or if unconscious.

INGESTION: Should actual ingestion occur, do not induce vomiting! Drink a glass of water or milk to dilute. Call a physician or poison control center immediately. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

EYE CONTACT: Immediately flush with plenty of clear water for at least 15 minutes. Make sure to flush under the eyelids. Consult a physician for definitive treatment.

SKIN CONTACT: Remove with soap and water. Continue flushing with water for several minutes. Use skin cream to counter resulting dryness. Consult a physician if irritation continues or if large skin area is affected.

SECTION 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

CONDITIONS OF FLAMMABILITY: Heat, sparks, flame, red hot metal.

MEANS OF EXTINCTION: Use water spray, foam, carbon dioxide.

SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES: Firemen should wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS: Forms flammable vapor-air mixtures. Lower temperatures increase the difficulty of getting it to ignite.

FLASH POINT / DETERMINATION: None / TCC

UPPER FLAMMABLE LIMIT: 19%

LOWER FLAMMABLE LIMIT: 12%

AUTO-IGNITION TEMPERATURE: 1033 °F (556°C)

HAZARDOUS COMBUSTION PRODUCTS: N/Av

EXPLOSION DATA - SENSITIVITY TO MECHANICAL IMPACT: N/Av

EXPLOSION DATA - SENSITIVITY TO STATIC DISCHARGE: N/Av

SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

LEAK / SPILL RESPONSE: In case of rupture, released content should be contained as any other solvent spill. In case of actual rupture, avoid breathing vapors and ventilate area well. Remove all sources of ignition and use non-sparking equipment. Soak up material with inert absorbent and place in safety containers for proper disposal.

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS: In case of rupture contents are generally evacuated from the can rapidly. Area should be ventilated immediately and continuous ventilation provided until all fumes and vapors have been removed. See Section 13 for disposal considerations.

SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

HANDLING PROCEDURES / EQUIPMENT: Avoid prolonged or repeated skin contact. Avoid breathing vapors.

STORAGE REQUIREMENTS: Store in area below 120°F (49°C). Do not incinerate (burn) containers. Assure can is in a secure place to prevent knocking over and accidental rupture. Always replace overcap when not in use. For store of pallet quantities, compliance with ANSI/NFPA 30B is recommended.

SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

EYE PROTECTION: Safety glasses with side shields are recommended as a minimum for any type of industrial chemical handling. Where eye contact could occur, chemical splash proof goggles are recommended.

SKIN PROTECTION: For brief contact, no precautions other than clean body-covering clothing should be needed. When prolonged or repeated contact could occur, use protective clothing such as Sol-Vex® gloves or other clothing impervious to the ingredient listed in Section 2.

ENGINEERING CONTROLS: General ventilation (typically 10 air changes for hour) should be used. Ventilation rates should be matched to conditions. Local exhaust ventilation or an enclosed handling system, may be needed to control air contamination below that of the lowest TLV/PEL rated ingredient from Section 2.

EXPOSURE GUIDELINE LEVELS: Since this product is a mixture, an OSHA or ACGIH exposure value is not available. In determination of any exposure procedures, protection or testing use the lowest rated ingredient in Section 2.

SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

PHYSICAL STATE	: Liquid
ODOR AND APPEARANCE	: White powder coating with paint-like odor
ODOR THRESHOLD	: N/Av
SPECIFIC GRAVITY (H ₂ O=1)	: 1.32
VAPOUR PRESSURE (mm HG)	: 350 mm Hg @ 20°C
VAPOUR DENSITY (AIR=1)	: 2.9
EVAPORATION RATE (BA=1)	: N/Av
BOILING POINT (°F)	: 104°F (40°C)
FREEZING POINT (°F)	: N/Av
pH	: N/Av
COEFFICIENT OF WATER/OIL DISTRIBUTION	: N/Av
DENSITY	: N/Av
SOLUBILITY IN WATER	: 1.3g/100g @25°C
% VOLATILE BY VOLUME	: 100%
VOC'S	: N/Av

SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

STABILITY: Stable.

CONDITIONS TO AVOID: Heat, sparks, flame, red hot metal.

MATERIALS TO AVOID (INCOMPATIBILITIES): Amines, aluminum, possibly sodium, potassium, and magnesium.

CONDITIONS OF REACTIVITY: N/Av

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION BYPRODUCTS: Open flames and welding arcs can cause thermal degradation with the evolution of hydrogen chloride and very small amounts of phosgene and chlorine.

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION: Will not occur.

SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

LD50: 1600 mg/kg (oral/rat)

LC50: N/Av

ROUTES OF ENTRY: INHALATION[Y] EYE CONTACT[Y] SKIN CONTACT[Y] SKIN ABSORPTION[Y] INGESTION[N]

EXPOSURE LIMITS: Since this product is a mixture, an OSHA or ACGIH exposure value is not available. In determination of any exposure procedures, protection or testing use the lowest rated ingredient in Section 2.

IRRITANCY OF PRODUCT: N/Av

SENSITIZATION TO PRODUCT / MEDICAL CONDITIONS AGGRAVATED: N/Av

CARCINOGENICITY: Listed with IARC as being possible human carcinogenic.

TERATOGENICITY / MUTAGENICITY / REPRODUCTIVE TOXICITY: N/Av

TOXICOLOGICAL DATA: N/Av

SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

ENVIRONMENTAL EFFECTS: This product has not been tested for environmental effects.

IMPORTANT ENVIRONMENTAL CHARACTERISTICS: N/Av

AQUATIC TOXICITY: N/Av

SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

If containers are to be disposed of (not recycled) it must be managed under all applicable RCRA and state regulations.

SECTION 14. TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

SPECIAL SHIPPING INFORMATION : N/Av

DOT HM-181 SHIPPING INFORMATION

PROPER SHIPPING NAME : Dichloromethane

HAZARD CLASS OR DIVISION : 6.1

UN NUMBER : 1593

PACKAGING GROUP : III

LABEL(S) REQUIRED : 6.1

TDG SHIPPING INFORMATION

TDG SHIPPING NAME : Dichloromethane

TDG CLASSIFICATION : 6.1

UN NUMBER : 1593

PACKING GROUP : III

LABEL(S) REQUIRED : 6.1

NAERG : 160

EMERGENCY TELEPHONE NUMBER : (613) 996-6666

INTERNATIONAL TRANSPORT INFORMATION

PROPER SHIPPING NAME : Dichloromethane

CLASS OR DIVISION : 6.1

SUBSIDIARY RISK : none

HAZARDOUS LABEL(S) : 6 Toxic

PACKAGING GROUP : III

UN OR ID NUMBER : 1593

SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

TOXIC SUBSTANCES CONTROL ACT (TSCA): The product on this MSDS, or all of its components, is listed under TSCA.

SARA TITLE III, SECTION 313: The following ingredients are subject to the reporting requirements of section 313 of Title III of the Superfund and Reauthorization Act of 1986 and 40 CFR Part 372: Methylene Chloride

CLEAN AIR ACT (CAA): The following ingredients appear on the List of Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAP – 42 USC 7412, Title I, Part A, p112): None

CLEAN WATER ACT (CWA):The following ingredients appear on the CWA List of Hazardous Substances (40 CFR 116.4): None

CALIFORNIA PROPOSITION 65: The following ingredients appear on the Proposition 65 list(s): None

CANADIAN WORKPLACE HAZARDOUS MATERIALS INFORMATION SYSTEM (WHMIS): This MSDS has been prepared according to the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations (CPR) and the MSDS contains all of the information required by the CPR.

DOMESTIC SUBSTANCES LIST (DSL): The product on this MSDS, or all of its components, is included in the DSL.

SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

N/E Not Established
N/Av Not Available
N/Ap Not Applicable
IARC International Agency for Research on Cancer
ACGIH American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists
NIOSH National Institute for Occupational Health and Safety
TLV-TWA Threshold Limit Values, Time Weighted Average
NAERG North American Emergency Response Guidebook
WHMIS Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System

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