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# 1. Product and Company Identification

Use: Product for construction chemicals

Company
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<u>24 Hour Emergency Response Information</u> CHEMTREC: 1-800-424-9300

BASF HOTLINE: 1-800-832-HELP

### 2. Hazards Identification

### **Emergency overview**

WARNING:

FLAMMABLE LIQUID AND VAPOR.

MAY CAUSE EYE, SKIN AND RESPIRATORY TRACT IRRITATION.

MAY BE HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED.

REPORTS HAVE ASSOCIATED REPEATED AND PROLONGED OCCUPATIONAL OVEREXPOSURE TO SOLVENTS WITH PERMANENT BRAIN AND NERVOUS SYSTEM DAMAGE.

Overexposure may cause CNS depression including headache, dizziness, nausea and loss of consciousness.

Contains a suspect teratogen. Keep container tightly closed.

Avoid all sources of ignition: heat, sparks, open flame.

State of matter: liquid Colour: pigmented Odour: solvent-like

#### Potential health effects

#### Primary routes of exposure:

Routes of entry for solids and liquids include eye and skin contact, ingestion and inhalation. Routes of entry for gases include inhalation and eye contact. Skin contact may be a route of entry for liquified gases.

#### Acute toxicity:

Vapours may cause drowsiness and dizziness.

# Irritation / corrosion:

Irritating to eyes. Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or cracking.

#### Sensitization:

There is no evidence of a skin-sensitizing potential.

#### **Chronic toxicity:**

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**Repeated dose toxicity:** Overexposure may cause CNS depression including headache, dizziness, nausea and loss of consciousness.

#### Potential environmental effects

#### Aquatic toxicity:

No data available concerning aquatic toxicity.

# 3. Composition / Information on Ingredients

CAS Number	Content (W/W)	Chemical name
108-88-3	>= 30.0 - <= 60.0 %	Toluene
67-63-0	>= 3.0 - <= 7.0 %	2-Propanol
112945-52-5	>= 1.0 - <= 5.0 %	Silica

### 4. First-Aid Measures

#### General advice:

First aid personnel should pay attention to their own safety. Remove contaminated clothing.

#### If inhaled

If difficulties occur after vapour/aerosol has been inhaled, remove to fresh air and seek medical attention.

#### If on skin:

After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of water and soap. Under no circumstances should organic solvent be used. If irritation develops, seek medical attention.

#### If in eyes:

Wash affected eyes for at least 15 minutes under running water with eyelids held open, consult an eye specialist.

#### If swallowed:

Rinse mouth immediately and then drink plenty of water, seek medical attention. Do not induce vomiting unless told to by a poison control center or doctor.

Never induce vomiting or give anything by mouth if the victim is unconscious or having convulsions.

# 5. Fire-Fighting Measures

Flash point: 4 °C (ASTM D93)

Lower explosion limit: 1.2 %(V)
Upper explosion limit: 12.7 %(V)

## Suitable extinguishing media:

foam, water spray, dry powder, carbon dioxide

#### Unsuitable extinguishing media for safety reasons:

water jet

# Hazards during fire-fighting:

carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, harmful vapours, nitrogen oxides, fumes/smoke, carbon black

#### Protective equipment for fire-fighting:

Wear a self-contained breathing apparatus.

#### Further information:

Contaminated extinguishing water must be disposed of in accordance with official regulations.

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#### 6. Accidental release measures

#### Personal precautions:

Use personal protective clothing. Do not breathe vapour/aerosol/spray mists. Sources of ignition should be kept well clear. Handle in accordance with good building materials hygiene and safety practice.

#### **Environmental precautions:**

Contain contaminated water/firefighting water. Do not discharge into drains/surface waters/groundwater.

#### Cleanup:

For small amounts: Pick up with inert absorbent material (e.g. sand, earth etc.). Dispose of contaminated material as prescribed.

For large amounts: Pump off product.

# 7. Handling and Storage

#### **Handling**

#### General advice:

Avoid aerosol formation. Avoid inhalation of mists/vapours. Avoid skin contact. No special measures necessary provided product is used correctly.

#### Protection against fire and explosion:

Keep away from heat. Prevent electrostatic charge - sources of ignition should be kept well clear - fire extinguishers should be kept handy.

#### **Storage**

#### General advice:

Keep only in the original container in a cool, well-ventilated place. Protect from direct sunlight.

#### Storage incompatibility:

General advice: Segregate from metals. Segregate from lyes. Segregate from oxidants. Segregate from foods and animal feeds.

#### Temperature tolerance

Protect from temperatures below: 0 °C

The packed product must be protected from temperatures below the indicated one.

# 8. Exposure Controls and Personal Protection

#### Components with workplace control parameters

2-Propanol	OSHA	PEL 400 ppm 980 mg/m3 ;
	ACGIH	TWA value 200 ppm ; STEL value 400 ppm ;
Toluene	OSHA	TWA value 200 ppm ; CLV 300 ppm ; max. conc. 500 ppm ;
	ACGIH	TWA value 20 ppm ;

#### Personal protective equipment

#### Respiratory protection:

When workers are facing concentrations above the occupational exposure limits they must use appropriate certified respirators.

#### Hand protection:

Wear chemical resistant protective gloves., Manufacturer's directions for use should be observed because of great diversity of types.

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#### Eye protection:

Tightly fitting safety goggles (chemical goggles).

#### **Body protection:**

Body protection must be chosen based on level of activity and exposure.

# General safety and hygiene measures:

Avoid contact with the skin, eyes and clothing. In order to prevent contamination while handling, closed working clothes and working gloves should be used. Handle in accordance with good building materials hygiene and safety practice. When using, do not eat, drink or smoke. Hands and/or face should be washed before breaks and at the end of the shift. At the end of the shift the skin should be cleaned and skin-care agents applied. Gloves must be inspected regularly and prior to each use. Replace if necessary (e.g. pinhole leaks).

# 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Form: liquid
Odour: solvent-like
Colour: pigmented

pH value: not applicable

Boiling point: 80 °C

Density: approx. 1.0 g/cm3 (20 °C)

Vapour density: Heavier than air.
Partitioning coefficient not applicable

n-octanol/water (log Pow):

# 10. Stability and Reactivity

#### Substances to avoid:

strong acids, strong bases, strong oxidizing agents

# Hazardous reactions:

The product is stable if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

#### **Decomposition products:**

Thermal decomposition products: carbon oxides

### Oxidizing properties:

Based on its structural properties the product is not classified as oxidizing.

# 11. Toxicological information

#### Irritation / corrosion

Information on: Toluene Assessment of irritating effects:

Skin contact causes irritation. May cause slight irritation to the eyes.

Information on: 2-Propanol Assessment of irritating effects:

Not irritating to the skin. Eye contact causes irritation.

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#### Repeated dose toxicity

Information on: Toluene

Assessment of repeated dose toxicity:

The substance may cause damage to the central nervous system after repeated ingestion of high doses. The substance may cause deafness after repeated inhalation.

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#### **Development:**

Information on: Toluene

Indications of possible developmental toxicity/teratogenicity were seen in animal studies.

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#### **Aspiration Hazard:**

May also damage the lung at swallowing (aspiration hazard).

#### **Experiences in humans:**

According to experience, the product is considered to be harmless to health if used in the correct manner. Has degreasing effect on the skin.

#### Other Information:

The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

# 12. Ecological Information

### **Aquatic toxicity**

Information on: Toluene Assessment of aquatic toxicity:

Acutely toxic for aquatic organisms. Depending on local conditions and existing concentrations, disturbances in

the nitrification process of activated sludge are possible.

Readily biodegradable (according to OECD criteria).

#### Other adverse effects:

Do not allow to enter soil, waterways or waste water channels.

# 13. Disposal considerations

### Waste disposal of substance:

Recommendations: Use excess product in an alternate beneficial application. Dispose of in accordance with national, state and local regulations.

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#### Container disposal:

Contaminated packaging should be emptied as far as possible; then it can be passed on for recycling after being thoroughly cleaned.

### 14. Transport Information

#### Land transport

**USDOT** 

Hazard class: 3 Packing group: II

ID number: UN 1993

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Hazard label:

Proper shipping name: FLAMMABLE LIQUID, N.O.S. (contains TOLUENE)

Sea transport

**IMDG** 

Hazard class: 3
Packing group: II
ID number: UN 1993

Hazard label: 3
Marine pollutant: NO

Proper shipping name: FLAMMABLE LIQUID, N.O.S. (contains TOLUENE)

Air transport

IATA/ICAO

Hazard class: 3
Packing group: II

ID number: UN 1993

Hazard label: 3

Proper shipping name: FLAMMABLE LIQUID, N.O.S. (contains TOLUENE)

# 15. Regulatory Information

### **Federal Regulations**

Registration status:

Chemical TSCA, US released / listed

OSHA hazard category: Chronic target organ effects reported; OSHA PEL established; ACGIH TLV

established; Flammable Liquid

EPCRA 311/312 (Hazard categories): Acute; Chronic; Fire

**EPCRA 313:** 

CAS NumberChemical name108-88-3Toluene67-63-02-Propanol

 CERCLA RQ
 CAS Number
 Chemical name

 5000 LBS
 62-53-3
 Aniline

 1000 LBS
 108-88-3
 Toluene

1000 LBS 108-88-3 Toluene 100 LBS 7440-02-0; 67-63-0 Nickel; 2-Propanol 10 LBS 7439-92-1; lead; Cadmium

7440-43-9

1 LBS 7439-97-6; mercury; arsenic

7440-38-2

#### State regulations

State RTK	CAS Number	Chemical name	
MA, NJ, PA	108-88-3	Toluene	
MA, NJ, PA	67-63-0	2-Propanol	
MA, NJ, PA	112945-52-5	Silica	

#### CA Prop. 65:

THIS PRODUCT CONTAINS A CHEMICAL(S) KNOWN TO THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA TO CAUSE CANCER AND BIRTH DEFECTS OR OTHER REPRODUCTIVE HARM.

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#### 16. Other Information

**HMIS III rating** 

Health: 3<sup>m</sup> Flammability: 3 Physical hazard: 0

NFPA and HMIS use a numbering scale ranging from 0 to 4 to indicate the degree of hazard. A value of zero means that the substance possesses essentially no hazard; a rating of four indicates extreme danger. Although similar, the two rating systems are intended for different purposes, and use different criteria. The NFPA system was developed to provide an on-the-spot alert to the hazards of a material, and their severity, to emergency responders. The HMIS system was designed to communicate workplace hazard information to employees who handle hazardous chemicals.

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