# Supplementary statement(s)

Not Applicable

# Precautionary statement(s) Prevention

P201	Obtain special instructions before use.
P280	Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
P261	Avoid breathing mist/vapours/spray.
P270	Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
P273	Avoid release to the environment.
P272	Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.

# Precautionary statement(s) Response

P305+P351+P338	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P308+P313	IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention.
P310	Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor/physician/first aider.
P302+P352	IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water and soap.
P333+P313	If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
P362+P364	Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.
P391	Collect spillage.
P301+P312	IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor/physician/first aider/if you feel unwell.
P330	Rinse mouth.

# Precautionary statement(s) Storage

P405 Store locked up.

# Precautionary statement(s) Disposal

P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local regulations.

# 2.3. Other hazards

REACh - Art.57-59: The mixture does not contain Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC) at the SDS print date.

# SECTION 3 COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

# 3.1.Substances

See 'Composition on ingredients' in Section 3.2

# 3.2.Mixtures

1.CAS No 2.EC No 3.Index No 4.REACH No	%[weight]	Name	Classification according to regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 [CLP]
1.68683-29-4 2.Not Available 3.Not Available 4.Not Available	23	acrylonitrile/ butadiene copolymer amine terminated	Not Applicable
1.21645-51-2 2.244-492-7 3.Not Available 4.01-2119529246-39-XXXX	22	aluminium hydroxide	Eye Irritation Category 2; H319, EUH066 <sup>[1]</sup>
1.68333-79-9 2.269-789-9 3.Not Available 4.01-2120090300-70-XXXX	20	ammonium polyphosphate	Chronic Aquatic Hazard Category 4; H413 <sup>[1]</sup>
1.68410-23-1 2.Not Available 3.Not Available 4.01-2119972323-38-XXXX	17	C18 fatty acid dimers/ tetraethylenepentamine polyamides	Skin Corrosion/Irritation Category 2, Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure Category 3 (respiratory tract irritation), Serious Eye Damage Category 1; H315, H335, H318 [1]
1.68082-29-1* 2.500-191-5 3.Not Available 4.01-2119972320-44-XXXX	7	tall oil/ triethylenetetramine polyamides	Eye Irritation Category 2; H319 <sup>[1]</sup>
1.12767-90-7 2.215-566-6 3.Not Available 4.01-0000016699-53- XXXX 01-2119691658-19- XXXX 01-2120773328-46-XXXX	6	zinc borate	Eye Irritation Category 2, Chronic Aquatic Hazard Category 1, Acute Aquatic Hazard Category 1, Reproductive Toxicity Category 2; H319, H410, H400, H361

1.112-24-3 2.203-950-6 3.612-059-00-5 4.Not Available	1	triethylenetetramine	Acute Toxicity (Dermal) Category 4, Chronic Aquatic Hazard Category 3, Skin Sensitizer Category 1, Skin Corrosion/Irritation Category 1B; H312, H412, H317, H314 [2]
1.140-31-8 2.205-411-0 3.612-105-00-4 4.01-2119471486-30-XXXX	1	N-aminoethylpiperazine	Acute Toxicity (Dermal) Category 4, Acute Toxicity (Oral) Category 4, Chronic Aquatic Hazard Category 3, Skin Sensitizer Category 1, Skin Corrosion/Irritation Category 1B; H312, H302, H412, H317, H314 [2]
Legend:	1. Classified by Chemwatch; 2. Classification drawn from Regulation (EU) No 1272/2008 - Annex VI; 3. Classification drawn from C&L * EU IOELVs available		

#### **SECTION 4 FIRST AID MEASURES**

#### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

	If this product comes in contact with the eyes:  Immediately hold eyelids apart and flush the eye continuously with running water.
Eye Contact	▶ Ensure complete irrigation of the eye by keeping eyelids apart and away from eye and moving the eyelids by occasionally lifting the upper and lower lids.
	<ul> <li>Continue flushing until advised to stop by the Poisons Information Centre or a doctor, or for at least 15 minutes.</li> <li>Transport to hospital or doctor without delay.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>► Removal of contact lenses after an eye injury should only be undertaken by skilled personnel.</li> </ul>
	If skin contact occurs:
Skin Contact	Immediately remove all contaminated clothing, including footwear.  Flush skin and hair with running water (and soap if available).
	► Seek medical attention in event of irritation.
Inhalation	▶ If fumes, aerosols or combustion products are inhaled remove from contaminated area.
	► Other measures are usually unnecessary.
	F IF SWALLOWED, REFER FOR MEDICAL ATTENTION, WHERE POSSIBLE, WITHOUT DELAY.
	<ul> <li>For advice, contact a Poisons Information Centre or a doctor.</li> <li>Urgent hospital treatment is likely to be needed.</li> </ul>
	In the mean time, qualified first-aid personnel should treat the patient following observation and employing supportive measures as indicated by the patient's condition.
	▶ If the services of a medical officer or medical doctor are readily available, the patient should be placed in his/her care and a copy of the SDS should be
	provided. Further action will be the responsibility of the medical specialist.  If medical attention is not available on the worksite or surroundings send the patient to a hospital together with a copy of the SDS.
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	Where medical attention is not immediately available or where the patient is more than 15 minutes from a hospital or unless instructed otherwise:
	► INDUCE vomiting with fingers down the back of the throat, ONLY IF CONSCIOUS. Lean patient forward or place on left side (head-down position, if
	possible) to maintain open airway and prevent aspiration.  NOTE: Wear a protective glove when inducing vomiting by mechanical means.

#### 4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

See Section 11

# 4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

As in all cases of suspected poisoning, follow the ABCDEs of emergency medicine (airway, breathing, circulation, disability, exposure), then the ABCDEs of toxicology (antidotes, basics, change absorption, change distribution, change elimination).

For poisons (where specific treatment regime is absent):

# BASIC TREATMENT

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- ▶ Establish a patent airway with suction where necessary.
- ▶ Watch for signs of respiratory insufficiency and assist ventilation as necessary.
- Administer oxygen by non-rebreather mask at 10 to 15 L/min.
- ▶ Monitor and treat, where necessary, for pulmonary oedema.
- ► Monitor and treat, where necessary, for shock.
- Anticipate seizures.
- DO NOT use emetics. Where ingestion is suspected rinse mouth and give up to 200 ml water (5 ml/kg recommended) for dilution where patient is able to swallow, has a strong gag reflex and does not drool.

# ADVANCED TREATMENT

- ► Consider orotracheal or nasotracheal intubation for airway control in unconscious patient or where respiratory arrest has occurred.
- ▶ Positive-pressure ventilation using a bag-valve mask might be of use.
- Monitor and treat, where necessary, for arrhythmias.
- Start an IV D5W TKO. If signs of hypovolaemia are present use lactated Ringers solution. Fluid overload might create complications.
- Drug therapy should be considered for pulmonary oedema.
- Hypotension with signs of hypovolaemia requires the cautious administration of fluids. Fluid overload might create complications.
- Treat seizures with diazepam.
- ▶ Proparacaine hydrochloride should be used to assist eye irrigation.

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for phosphate salts intoxication:

- All treatments should be based on observed signs and symptoms of distress in the patient. Consideration should be given to the possibility that overexposure to materials other than this product may have occurred.
- Ingestion of large quantities of phosphate salts (over 1.0 grams for an adult) may cause an osmotic catharsis resulting in diarrhoea and probable abdominal cramps. Larger doses such as 4-8 grams will almost certainly cause these effects in everyone. In healthy individuals most of the ingested salt will be excreted in the faeces with the diarrhoea and, thus, not cause any systemic toxicity. Doses greater than 10 grams hypothetically may cause systemic toxicity.
- Treatment should take into consideration both anionic and cation portion of the molecule.

• All phosphate salts, except calcium salts, have a hypothetical risk of hypocalcaemia, so calcium levels should be monitored.

Treat symptomatically.

# **SECTION 5 FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

# 5.1. Extinguishing media

- ► Foam.
- ▶ Dry chemical powder.
- BCF (where regulations permit).
- Carbon dioxide.
- Water spray or fog Large fires only.

# 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substrate or mixture

Fire Incompatibility	▶ Avoid contamination with oxidising agents i.e. nitrates, oxidising acids, chlorine bleaches, pool chlorine etc. as ignition may result
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# 5.3. Advice for firefighters

Fire Fighting	<ul> <li>Alert Fire Brigade and tell them location and nature of hazard.</li> <li>Wear full body protective clothing with breathing apparatus.</li> <li>Prevent, by any means available, spillage from entering drains or water course.</li> <li>Use water delivered as a fine spray to control fire and cool adjacent area.</li> <li>Avoid spraying water onto liquid pools.</li> <li>DO NOT approach containers suspected to be hot.</li> <li>Cool fire exposed containers with water spray from a protected location.</li> <li>If safe to do so, remove containers from path of fire.</li> </ul>
Fire/Explosion Hazard	<ul> <li>▶ Combustible.</li> <li>▶ Slight fire hazard when exposed to heat or flame.</li> <li>▶ Heating may cause expansion or decomposition leading to violent rupture of containers.</li> <li>▶ On combustion, may emit toxic fumes of carbon monoxide (CO).</li> <li>▶ May emit acrid smoke.</li> <li>▶ Mists containing combustible materials may be explosive.</li> <li>Combustion products include:</li> <li>carbon dioxide (CO2)</li> <li>nitrogen oxides (NOx)</li> <li>phosphorus oxides (POx)</li> <li>other pyrolysis products typical of burning organic material.</li> </ul>

# **SECTION 6 ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

# 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

See section 8

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

See section 12

# 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Minor Spills	Environmental hazard - contain spillage.  Clean up all spills immediately.  Avoid breathing vapours and contact with skin and eyes.  Control personal contact with the substance, by using protective equipment.  Contain and absorb spill with sand, earth, inert material or vermiculite.  Wipe up.  Place in a suitable, labelled container for waste disposal.
Major Spills	Environmental hazard - contain spillage.  Moderate hazard.  Clear area of personnel and move upwind.  Alert Fire Brigade and tell them location and nature of hazard.  Wear breathing apparatus plus protective gloves.  Prevent, by any means available, spillage from entering drains or water course.  No smoking, naked lights or ignition sources.  Increase ventilation.  Stop leak if safe to do so.  Contain spill with sand, earth or vermiculite.  Collect recoverable product into labelled containers for recycling.  Absorb remaining product with sand, earth or vermiculite.  Collect solid residues and seal in labelled drums for disposal.  Wash area and prevent runoff into drains.  If contamination of drains or waterways occurs, advise emergency services.

# 6.4. Reference to other sections

# **SECTION 7 HANDLING AND STORAGE**

Personal Protective Equipment advice is contained in Section 8 of the SDS.

# 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Safe handling

▶ Avoid all personal contact, including inhalation.

- Wear protective clothing when risk of exposure occurs.
   Use in a well-ventilated area.
   Prevent concentration in hollows and sumps.
   DO NOT enter confined spaces until atmosphere has been checked.
  - Avoid smoking, naked lights or ignition sources.
  - Avoid contact with incompatible materials.
  - When handling, DO NOT eat, drink or smoke.
  - ▶ Keep containers securely sealed when not in use.
  - Avoid physical damage to containers.
  - Always wash hands with soap and water after handling.
  - ▶ Work clothes should be laundered separately.
  - ▶ Use good occupational work practice.
  - ▶ Observe manufacturer's storage and handling recommendations contained within this SDS.
  - ► Atmosphere should be regularly checked against established exposure standards to ensure safe working conditions.
  - ▶ DO NOT allow clothing wet with material to stay in contact with skin

#### Fire and explosion protection

#### See section 5

#### Other information

- Store in original containers.
- Keep containers securely sealed.
- ▶ Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area.
- ▶ Store away from incompatible materials and foodstuff containers.
- ▶ Protect containers against physical damage and check regularly for leaks.
- ▶ Observe manufacturer's storage and handling recommendations contained within this SDS.

#### 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

# Suitable container

- Metal can or drum
- Packaging as recommended by manufacturer.
- ► Check all containers are clearly labelled and free from leaks.

# Storage incompatibility

- ▶ Phosphates are incompatible with oxidising and reducing agents.
- Phosphates are susceptible to formation of highly toxic and flammable phosphine gas in the presence of strong reducing agents such as hydrides.
- Partial oxidation of phosphates by oxidizing agents may result in the release of toxic phosphorus oxides.
- ► Avoid strong acids, acid chlorides, acid anhydrides and chloroformates.

#### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

See section 1.2

# **SECTION 8 EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION**

# 8.1. Control parameters

DERIVED NO EFFECT LEVEL (DNEL)

Not Available

# PREDICTED NO EFFECT LEVEL (PNEC)

Not Available

#### OCCUPATIONAL EXPOSURE LIMITS (OEL)

# INGREDIENT DATA

Source	Ingredient	Material name	TWA	STEL	Peak	Notes
Not Available						

# EMERGENCY LIMITS

Ingredient	Material name	TEEL-1	TEEL-2	TEEL-3
aluminium hydroxide	Aluminum hydroxide	8.7 mg/m3	73 mg/m3	440 mg/m3
C18 fatty acid dimers/ tetraethylenepentamine polyamides	C-18 Unsaturated fatty acid, dimers, reaction products with polyethylenepolyamines; (Versamid 140 polyamide resin; Versamid 125)	30 mg/m3	330 mg/m3	2,000 mg/m3
triethylenetetramine	Triethylenetetramine	3 ppm	14 ppm	83 ppm
N-aminoethylpiperazine	Aminoethylpiperazine, N-	6.4 mg/m3	71 mg/m3	420 mg/m3

Ingredient	Original IDLH	Revised IDLH
acrylonitrile/ butadiene copolymer amine terminated	Not Available	Not Available
aluminium hydroxide	Not Available	Not Available
ammonium polyphosphate	Not Available	Not Available
C18 fatty acid dimers/ tetraethylenepentamine polyamides	Not Available	Not Available
tall oil/ triethylenetetramine polyamides	Not Available	Not Available
zinc borate	Not Available	Not Available
triethylenetetramine	Not Available	Not Available
N-aminoethylpiperazine	Not Available	Not Available

Sensory irritants are chemicals that produce temporary and undesirable side-effects on the eyes, nose or throat. Historically occupational exposure standards for these irritants have been based on observation of workers' responses to various airborne concentrations. Present day expectations require that nearly every individual should be protected against even minor sensory irritation and exposure standards are established using uncertainty factors or safety factors of 5 to 10 or more. On occasion animal no-observable-effect-levels (NOEL) are used to determine these limits where human results are unavailable. An additional approach, typically used by the TLV committee (USA) in determining respiratory standards for this group of chemicals, has been to assign ceiling values (TLV C) to rapidly acting irritants and to assign short-term exposure limits (TLV STELs) when the weight of evidence from irritation, bioaccumulation and other endpoints combine to warrant such a limit. In contrast the MAK Commission (Germany) uses a five-category system based on intensive odour, local irritation, and elimination half-life. However this system is being replaced to be consistent with the European Union (EU) Scientific Committee for Occupational Exposure Limits (SCOEL); this is more closely allied to that of the USA. OSHA (USA) concluded that exposure to sensory irritants can:

- cause inflammation
- ▶ cause increased susceptibility to other irritants and infectious agents
- ▶ lead to permanent injury or dysfunction
- permit greater absorption of hazardous substances and
- acclimate the worker to the irritant warning properties of these substances thus increasing the risk of overexposure.

#### For 1.3-butadiene:

Odour Threshold Value: 0.45 ppm (detection), 1.1 ppm (recognition)

Exposure at or below the TLV-TWA is thought to provide significant protection for workers against systemic toxicity including cancer.

US rubber workers reached an accord in 1996 to limit exposure to 1 ppm with a 15-minute, short-term limit of 5 ppm. This TLV-TWA is currently under review in light of a report of animal carcinogenicity at 6.25 ppm.

Odour Safety Factor(OSF) OSF=1.3 ('1,3-BUTADIENE')

Polyamide hardeners have much reduced volatility, toxicity and are much less irritating to the skin and eyes than amine hardeners. However commercial polyamides may contain a percentage of residual unreacted amine and all unnecessary contact should be avoided.

#### 8.2. Exposure controls

Engineering controls are used to remove a hazard or place a barrier between the worker and the hazard. Well-designed engineering controls can be highly effective in protecting workers and will typically be independent of worker interactions to provide this high level of protection. The basic types of engineering controls are:

Process controls which involve changing the way a job activity or process is done to reduce the risk.

Enclosure and/or isolation of emission source which keeps a selected hazard 'physically' away from the worker and ventilation that strategically 'adds' and 'removes' air in the work environment. Ventilation can remove or dilute an air contaminant if designed properly. The design of a ventilation system must match the particular process and chemical or contaminant in use.

Employers may need to use multiple types of controls to prevent employee overexposure.

General exhaust is adequate under normal operating conditions. If risk of overexposure exists, wear SAA approved respirator. Correct fit is essential to obtain adequate protection. Provide adequate ventilation in warehouse or closed storage areas. Air contaminants generated in the workplace posses varying 'escape' velocities which, in turn, determine the 'capture velocities' of fresh circulating air required to effectively remove the contaminant.

Type of Contaminant:	Air Speed:
solvent, vapours, degreasing etc., evaporating from tank (in still air)	0.25-0.5 m/s (50-100 f/min)
aerosols, fumes from pouring operations, intermittent container filling, low speed conveyer transfers, welding, spray drift, plating acid fumes, pickling (released at low velocity into zone of active generation)	0.5-1 m/s (100-200 f/min.)
direct spray, spray painting in shallow booths, drum filling, conveyer loading, crusher dusts, gas discharge (active generation into zone of rapid air motion)	1-2.5 m/s (200-500 f/min)
grinding, abrasive blasting, tumbling, high speed wheel generated dusts (released at high initial velocity into zone of very high rapid air motion).	2.5-10 m/s (500-2000 f/min.)

#### 8.2.1. Appropriate engineering controls

Within each range the appropriate value depends on:

Lower end of the range	Upper end of the range
1: Room air currents minimal or favourable to capture	1: Disturbing room air currents
2: Contaminants of low toxicity or of nuisance value only	2: Contaminants of high toxicity
3: Intermittent, low production.	3: High production, heavy use
4: Large hood or large air mass in motion	4: Small hood - local control only

Simple theory shows that air velocity falls rapidly with distance away from the opening of a simple extraction pipe. Velocity generally decreases with the square of distance from the extraction point (in simple cases). Therefore the air speed at the extraction point should be adjusted, accordingly, after reference to distance from the contaminating source. The air velocity at the extraction fan, for example, should be a minimum of 1-2 m/s (200-400 f/min.) for extraction of solvents generated in a tank 2 meters distant from the extraction point. Other mechanical considerations, producing performance deficits within the extraction apparatus, make it essential that theoretical air velocities are multiplied by factors of 10 or more when extraction systems are installed or used.

#### 8.2.2. Personal protection











- Safety glasses with side shields
- Chemical goggles

# Eye and face protection

Contact lenses may pose a special hazard; soft contact lenses may absorb and concentrate irritants. A written policy document, describing the wearing of lenses or restrictions on use, should be created for each workplace or task. This should include a review of lens absorption and adsorption for the class of chemicals in use and an account of injury experience. Medical and first-aid personnel should be trained in their removal and suitable equipment should be readily available. In the event of chemical exposure, begin eye irrigation immediately and remove contact lens as soon as practicable. Lens should be removed at the first signs of eye redness or irritation - lens should be removed in a clean environment only after workers have washed hands thoroughly. [CDC NIOSH Current Intelligence Bulletin 59], [AS/NZS 1336 or national equivalent]

# Skin protection

See Hand protection below

#### NOTE:

- The material may produce skin sensitisation in predisposed individuals. Care must be taken, when removing gloves and other protective equipment, to avoid all possible skin contact.
- Contaminated leather items, such as shoes, belts and watch-bands should be removed and destroyed.

The selection of suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality which vary from manufacturer to manufacturer. Where the chemical is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material can not be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application.

The exact break through time for substances has to be obtained from the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed when making a final choice.

Personal hygiene is a key element of effective hand care. Gloves must only be worn on clean hands. After using gloves, hands should be washed and dried thoroughly. Application of a non-perfumed moisturiser is recommended.

Suitability and durability of glove type is dependent on usage. Important factors in the selection of gloves include:

- frequency and duration of contact.
- chemical resistance of glove material,
- glove thickness and
- dexterity

Select gloves tested to a relevant standard (e.g. Europe EN 374, US F739, AS/NZS 2161.1 or national equivalent).

- When prolonged or frequently repeated contact may occur, a glove with a protection class of 5 or higher (breakthrough time greater than 240 minutes according to EN 374, AS/NZS 2161.10.1 or national equivalent) is recommended.
- When only brief contact is expected, a glove with a protection class of 3 or higher (breakthrough time greater than 60 minutes according to EN 374, AS/NZS 2161.10.1 or national equivalent) is recommended.
- Some glove polymer types are less affected by movement and this should be taken into account when considering gloves for long-term use.
- Contaminated gloves should be replaced.

As defined in ASTM F-739-96 in any application, gloves are rated as:

- Excellent when breakthrough time > 480 min
- Good when breakthrough time > 20 min
- Fair when breakthrough time < 20 min
- Poor when glove material degrades

#### Hands/feet protection

For general applications, gloves with a thickness typically greater than 0.35 mm, are recommended.

It should be emphasised that glove thickness is not necessarily a good predictor of glove resistance to a specific chemical, as the permeation efficiency of the glove will be dependent on the exact composition of the glove material. Therefore, glove selection should also be based on consideration of the task requirements and knowledge of breakthrough times.

Glove thickness may also vary depending on the glove manufacturer, the glove type and the glove model. Therefore, the manufacturers' technical data should always be taken into account to ensure selection of the most appropriate glove for the task.

Note: Depending on the activity being conducted, gloves of varying thickness may be required for specific tasks. For example:

- Thinner gloves (down to 0.1 mm or less) may be required where a high degree of manual dexterity is needed. However, these gloves are only likely to give short duration protection and would normally be just for single use applications, then disposed of.
- Thicker gloves (up to 3 mm or more) may be required where there is a mechanical (as well as a chemical) risk i.e. where there is abrasion or puncture potential

Gloves must only be worn on clean hands. After using gloves, hands should be washed and dried thoroughly. Application of a non-perfumed moisturiser is

When handling liquid-grade epoxy resins wear chemically protective gloves, boots and aprons.

The performance, based on breakthrough times ,of:

- Ethyl Vinyl Alcohol (EVAL laminate) is generally excellent
- Butyl Rubber ranges from excellent to good
- Nitrile Butyl Rubber (NBR) from excellent to fair.
- Neoprene from excellent to fair
- Polyvinyl (PVC) from excellent to poor

As defined in ASTM F-739-96

- Excellent breakthrough time > 480 min
- Good breakthrough time > 20 min
- Fair breakthrough time < 20 min Poor glove material degradation

Gloves should be tested against each resin system prior to making a selection of the most suitable type. Systems include both the resin and any hardener, individually and collectively)

- DO NOT use cotton or leather (which absorb and concentrate the resin), natural rubber (latex), medical or polyethylene gloves (which absorb the resin)
- DO NOT use barrier creams containing emulsified fats and oils as these may absorb the resin; silicone-based barrier creams should be reviewed prior to use.

Replacement time should be considered when selecting the most appropriate glove. It may be more effective to select a glove with lower chemical resistance but which is replaced frequently than to select a more resistant glove which is reused many times

#### **Body protection**

See Other protection below

#### Other protection

- Overalls.
- P.V.C. apron. Barrier cream.
- Skin cleansing cream.
- Eye wash unit.

#### Recommended material(s)

#### GLOVE SELECTION INDEX

Glove selection is based on a modified presentation of the:

'Forsberg Clothing Performance Index'.

The effect(s) of the following substance(s) are taken into account in the computergenerated selection:

9200FR Flame Retardant Structural Epoxy Adhesive (Part B)

Material	СРІ
BUTYL	A
NEOPRENE	С
NITRILE	С
PE/EVAL/PE	С
VITON	С

## Respiratory protection

Type AK-P Filter of sufficient capacity. (AS/NZS 1716 & 1715, EN 143:2000 & 149:2001, ANSI Z88 or national equivalent)

Selection of the Class and Type of respirator will depend upon the level of breathing zone contaminant and the chemical nature of the contaminant. Protection Factors (defined as the ratio of contaminant outside and inside the mask) may also be important.

Required minimum protection factor	Maximum gas/vapour concentration present in air p.p.m. (by volume)	Half-face Respirator	Full-Face Respirator
up to 10	1000	AK-AUS / Class1 P2	-
up to 50	1000	-	AK-AUS / Class 1 P2
up to 50	5000	Airline *	-
up to 100	5000	-	AK-2 P2

\* CPI - Chemwatch Performance Index

A: Best Selection

B: Satisfactory; may degrade after 4 hours continuous immersion

C: Poor to Dangerous Choice for other than short term immersion

**NOTE**: As a series of factors will influence the actual performance of the glove, a final selection must be based on detailed observation. -

\* Where the glove is to be used on a short term, casual or infrequent basis, factors such as 'feel' or convenience (e.g. disposability), may dictate a choice of gloves which might otherwise be unsuitable following long-term or frequent use. A qualified practitioner should be consulted.

up to 100 10000 - AK-3 P2 100+ Airline\*\*

- \* Continuous Flow \*\* Continuous-flow or positive pressure demand A(All classes) = Organic vapours, B AUS or B1 = Acid gasses, B2 = Acid gas or hydrogen cyanide(HCN), B3 = Acid gas or hydrogen cyanide(HCN), E = Sulfur dioxide(SO2), G = Agricultural chemicals, K = Ammonia(NH3), Hg = Mercury, NO = Oxides of nitrogen, MB = Methyl bromide, AX = Low boiling point organic compounds(below 65 degC)
- Cartridge respirators should never be used for emergency ingress or in areas of unknown vapour concentrations or oxygen content.
- The wearer must be warned to leave the contaminated area immediately on detecting any odours through the respirator. The odour may indicate that the mask is not functioning properly, that the vapour concentration is too high, or that the mask is not properly fitted. Because of these limitations, only restricted use of cartridge respirators is considered appropriate.
- Cartridge performance is affected by humidity. Cartridges should be changed after 2 hr of continuous use unless it is determined that the humidity is less than 75%, in which case, cartridges can be used for 4 hr. Used cartridges should be discarded daily, regardless of the length of time used

#### 8.2.3. Environmental exposure controls

See section 12

#### **SECTION 9 PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

#### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	Light yellow		
Physical state	Liquid	Relative density (Water = 1)	1.27
Odour	Not Available	Partition coefficient n-octanol / water	Not Available
Odour threshold	Not Available	Auto-ignition temperature (°C)	Not Available
pH (as supplied)	Not Available	Decomposition temperature	Not Available
Melting point / freezing point (°C)	Not Available	Viscosity (cSt)	>20.5
Initial boiling point and boiling range (°C)	150	Molecular weight (g/mol)	Not Available
Flash point (°C)	122	Taste	Not Available
Evaporation rate	Not Available	Explosive properties	Not Available
Flammability	Not Applicable	Oxidising properties	Not Available
Upper Explosive Limit (%)	Not Available	Surface Tension (dyn/cm or mN/m)	Not Available
Lower Explosive Limit (%)	Not Available	Volatile Component (%vol)	Not Available
Vapour pressure (kPa)	<0.001	Gas group	Not Available
Solubility in water	Partly miscible	pH as a solution (1%)	Not Available
Vapour density (Air = 1)	Not Available	VOC g/L	Not Available

#### 9.2. Other information

Not Available

#### **SECTION 10 STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

10.1.Reactivity	See section 7.2
10.2. Chemical stability	<ul> <li>Unstable in the presence of incompatible materials.</li> <li>Product is considered stable.</li> <li>Hazardous polymerisation will not occur.</li> </ul>
10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions	See section 7.2
10.4. Conditions to avoid	See section 7.2
10.5. Incompatible materials	See section 7.2
10.6. Hazardous decomposition products	See section 5.3

# **SECTION 11 TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Inhaled

The material is not thought to produce either adverse health effects or irritation of the respiratory tract following inhalation (as classified by EC Directives using animal models). Nevertheless, adverse systemic effects have been produced following exposure of animals by at least one other route and good hygiene practice requires that exposure be kept to a minimum and that suitable control measures be used in an occupational setting.

Inhalation of epoxy resin amine hardener vapours (including polyamines and amine adducts) may produce bronchospasm and coughing episodes lasting days after cessation of the exposure. Even faint traces of these vapours may trigger an intense reaction in individuals showing 'amine asthma'. The literature records several instances of systemic intoxications following the use of amines in epoxy resin systems.

Excessive exposure to the vapours of epoxy amine curing agents may cause both respiratory irritation and central nervous system depression. Signs and symptoms of central nervous system depression, in order of increasing exposure, are

headache, dizziness, drowsiness, and incoordination. In short, a single prolonged (measured in hours) or excessive inhalation exposure may cause serious adverse effects, including death.

Exposure to toxic levels of butadiene has also produced chromosome damage. Human volunteers exposed at 2000-8000 ppm 1,3-butadiene for 6-8 hours showed slight smarting of the eyes, difficulty in focusing on instrument scales and a transient objection to butadiene odour. Characteristics of exposure include dry nose/mouth/throat, fatigue, headache, vertigo, nausea, narcosis, respiratory paralysis, and central nervous system depression. Very high concentrations may cause loss of consciousness or death. Repeated and prolonged exposure to 1,3-butadiene vapour may cause kidney and liver damage. Deep anaesthesia was induced in rabbits in 8 to 10 minutes at 200000 to 250000 ppm. Recovery from brief periods of anaesthesia occurred within two minutes of terminating the exposure.

Accidental ingestion of the material may be harmful; animal experiments indicate that ingestion of less than 150 gram may be fatal or may produce serious damage to the health of the individual.

Ingestion of amine epoxy-curing agents (hardeners) may cause severe abdominal pain, nausea, vomiting or diarrhoea. The vomitus may contain blood and mucous. If death does not occur within 24 hours there may be an improvement in the patients condition for 2-4 days only to be followed by the sudden onset of abdominal pain, board-like abdominal rigidity or hypo-tension; this indicates that delayed gastric or oesophageal corrosive damage has occurred. Inorganic polyphosphates are used extensively in domestic and industrial products. Rats fed 10% sodium trimetaphosphate for a month exhibited transient tubular necrosis:

those given 10% sodium metaphosphate exhibited growth retardation; 10% sodium hexametaphosphate produced pale and swollen kidneys.

Salts of this type appear to be hydrolysed in the bowel to produce phosphoric acid and systemic acidosis may result following absorption. Higher molecular weight species, absorbed from the alimentary canal, may produce hypocalcaemic tetany due to binding of ionised calcium by the absorbed phosphate. This is reported in at least one case following ingestion of sodium tripolyphosphate.

Symptoms of borate poisoning include nausea, vomiting, diarrhoea, epigastric pain. These may be accompanied headache, weakness and a distinctive red skin rash. In severe cases there may be shock, increased heart rate and the skin may appear blue. Vomiting (which may be violent) is often persistent and vomitus and faeces may contain blood. Weakness, lethargy, headache, restlessness, tremors and intermittent convulsions may also occur. Poisoning produces central nervous system stimulation followed by depression, gastrointestinal disturbance (haemorrhagic gastro-enteritis), erythematous skin eruptions (giving rise to a boiled lobster appearance) and may also involve kidneys (producing oliguria, albuminuria, anuria) and, rarely, liver (hepatomegaly, jaundice). Toxic symptoms may be delayed for several hours.

Ingested borates are readily absorbed and do not appear to be metabolised via the liver. Excretion occurs mainly through the kidneys in the urine with about half excreted in the first 12 hours and the remainder over 5-12 days. Borates are excreted primarily in the urine regardless of the route of administration. The borates (tetra-, di-, meta, or ortho- salts, in contrast to perborates) once solubilised in the acid of gastric juices, cannot be distinguished from each other on chemical or toxicological grounds. In humans acute gastroenteric (or percutaneous absorption of as little as 1 gm of sodium borate can result in severe gastrointestinal irritation, kidney damage. In adults the mean lethal dose of sodium borate or boric acid probably exceeds 30 gms (Gosselin) and death occurs due to vascular collapse in the early stages or to central nervous system depression in later stages.

Children are thought to be more susceptible to the effects of borate intoxication.

Evidence exists, or practical experience predicts, that the material either produces inflammation of the skin in a substantial number of individuals following direct contact, and/or produces significant inflammation when applied to the healthy intact skin of animals, for up to four hours, such inflammation being present twenty-four hours or more after the end of the exposure period. Skin irritation may also be present after prolonged or repeated exposure; this may result in a form of contact dermatitis (nonallergic). The dermatitis is often characterised by skin redness (erythema) and swelling (oedema) which may progress to blistering (vesiculation), scaling and thickening of the epidermis. At the microscopic level there may be intercellular oedema of the spongy layer of the skin (spongiosis) and intracellular oedema of the epidermis.

The material may accentuate any pre-existing dermatitis condition

Amine epoxy-curing agents (hardeners) may produce primary skin irritation and sensitisation dermatitis in predisposed individuals. Cutaneous reactions include erythema, intolerable itching and severe facial swelling. Blistering, with weeping of serious fluid, and crusting and scaling may also occur. Virtually all of the liquid amine curing agents can cause sensitisation or allergic skin reactions.

Individuals exhibiting 'amine dermatitis' may experience a dramatic reaction upon re-exposure to minute quantities. Highly sensitive persons may even react to cured resins containing trace amounts of unreacted amine hardener. Minute quantities of air-borne amine may precipitate intense dermatological symptoms in sensitive individuals. Prolonged or repeated exposure may produce tissue necrosis.

NOTE: Susceptibility to this sensitisation will vary from person to person. Also, allergic dermatitis may not appear until after several days or weeks of contact. However, once sensitisation has occurred, exposure of the skin to even very small amounts of the material may cause erythema (redness) and oedema (swelling) at the site. Thus, all skin contact with any epoxy curing agent should be avoided.

The diepoxide of butadiene (1,2:3,4-diepoxybutane), a probable metabolite, has been reported to be a mild skin tumourigen when applied topically to the skin of mice

Open cuts, abraded or irritated skin should not be exposed to this material

Entry into the blood-stream through, for example, cuts, abrasions, puncture wounds or lesions, may produce systemic injury with harmful effects. Examine the skin prior to the use of the material and ensure that any external damage is suitably protected.

When applied to the eye(s) of animals, the material produces severe ocular lesions which are present twenty-four hours or more after instillation.

Practical experience shows that skin contact with the material is capable either of inducing a sensitisation reaction in a substantial number of individuals, and/or of producing a positive response in experimental animals.

Exposure to the material may cause concerns for human fertility, generally on the basis that results in animal studies provide sufficient evidence to cause a strong suspicion of impaired fertility in the absence of toxic effects, or evidence of impaired fertility occurring at around the same dose levels as other toxic effects, but which are not a secondary non-specific consequence of other toxic effects.

Exposure to the material may cause concerns for humans owing to possible developmental toxic effects, generally on the basis that results in appropriate animal studies provide strong suspicion of developmental toxicity in the absence of signs of marked maternal toxicity, or at around the same dose levels as other toxic effects but which are not a secondary non-specific consequence of other toxic effects.

In chronic animal studies inorganic polyphosphates produced growth inhibition, increased kidney weights (with calcium deposition and desquamation), bone decalcification, parathyroid hypertrophy and hyperplasia, inorganic phosphaturia, hepatic focal necrosis and alterations to the size of muscle fibres. Inorganic phosphates are not genotoxic in bacterial systems nor are they carcinogenic in rats. No reproductive or developmental toxicity was seen in studies using rats excosed to sodium hexametaphosphate or sodium trimetaphosphate.

Amongst humans occupationally exposed to 1,3-butadiene several cancer sites with high statistically significant mortality ratios were identified. These included cancer of the testes, cancers of the digestive system (oesophagus, stomach, large intestine), larynx and Hodgkin's disease. Exposure by rats to 1,3-butadiene gas at 1000 ppm/6hrs/day, 5 days /week (105 weeks for females and 111 weeks for males) caused significant increases in the incidence of tumours at various sites; mammary gland adenomas and sarcomas; uterine sarcomas; Zymbal gland carcinomas; thyroid adenomas and pancreatic adenomas. A high incidence of malignant lymphoma was found amongst a group of exposed rats in a second study. There are reports of lung damage due to excessive inhalation of alumina dust. Ingestion of large amounts of aluminium hydroxide for prolonged periods may cause phosphate depletion, especially if phosphate intake is low. This may cause loss of appetite, muscle weakness, muscular disease and even softening of the bones. These effects have not been reported in people occupationally exposed to aluminium hydroxide.

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Ingestion

Skin Contact

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Chronic

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2200FR Flame Retardant	TOXICITY		IRRITATION	
ructural Epoxy Adhesive (Part B)	Not Available		Not Available	
	TOXICITY		IRRITATION	
	dermal (rat) LD50: >3000 mg/kg <sup>[2]</sup>		Eye (rabbit): irri	tant *
acrylonitrile/ butadiene blymer amine terminated	Inhalation (rat) LC50: 5.61 mg/l/4h*[2]		Skin: irritant, Dr	
	Oral (rat) LD50: >15380 mg/kg <sup>[2]</sup>		,	
	TOXICITY	IRRITATIO		741
aluminium hydroxide	Oral (rat) LD50: >2000 mg/kg <sup>[1]</sup>		verse effect observed (not	
		Skin: no ac	lverse effect observed (not	irritating) <sup>[1]</sup>
	TOXICITY			IRRITATION
monium polyphosphate	Dermal (rabbit) LD50: >3160 mg/kg <sup>[2]</sup>			Not Available
	Oral (rat) LD50: >=300-2000 mg/kg <sup>[1]</sup>			
	TOXICITY			IRRITATION
C18 fatty acid dimers/	dermal (rat) LD50: >2000 mg/kg <sup>[1]</sup>			Not Available
tetraethylenepentamine polyamides				Not Available
	Oral (rat) LD50: >2000 mg/kg <sup>[1]</sup>			
	TOXICITY			IRRITATION
oil/ triethylenetetramine polyamides	dermal (rat) LD50: >2000 mg/kg <sup>[1]</sup>			Not Available
. ,	Oral (rat) LD50: >2000 mg/kg <sup>[1]</sup>			
	TOXICITY	IRRI	TATION	
	Dermal (rabbit) LD50: >2000 mg/kg <sup>[1]</sup>	Eye	(rabbit): mild *	
zinc borate	Oral (rat) LD50: >5000 mg/kg <sup>[1]</sup>	Eye:	adverse effect observed (i	rritating) <sup>[1]</sup>
			no adverse effect observe	
			non-irritant *	
	TOXICITY		IRRITATION	
	Dermal (rabbit) LD50: =550 mg/kg <sup>[2]</sup>		Eye (rabbit):20 mg/24	h - moderate
triethylenetetramine	Oral (rat) LD50: 2500 mg/kg <sup>[2]</sup>		Eye (rabbit); 49 mg -	
	Orai (Iat) LD50. 2500 Ing/kg* -		Skin (rabbit): 490 mg	
			Skin (rabbit): 490 mg/24	·
			S.m. (.assir). O mg/24	
	TOXICITY		RRITATION	
	Dermal (rabbit) LD50: 866.8 mg/kg <sup>[2]</sup>		eye (rabbit): 20 mg/24h - m	
	Oral (rat) LD50: 2107.9 mg/kg <sup>[2]</sup>	F	ye: adverse effect observe	ed (irritating) <sup>[1]</sup>
N-aminoethylpiperazine	Ofai (fat) ED30. 2107.9 Hig/kg	-	.,	3/
N-aminoethylpiperazine	Olal (lat) EDS0. 2107.9 Hig/kg	5	Skin (rabbit): 0.1 mg/24h - ı Skin (rabbit): 5 mg/24h - SE	mild

Legend:

<sup>1.</sup> Value obtained from Europe ECHA Registered Substances - Acute toxicity 2.\* Value obtained from manufacturer's SDS. Unless otherwise specified data extracted from RTECS - Register of Toxic Effect of chemical Substances

# ACRYLONITRILE/ BUTADIENE COPOLYMER AMINE

**TERMINATED** 

The material may produce respiratory tract irritation. Symptoms of pulmonary irritation may include coughing, wheezing, laryngitis, shortness of breath, headache, nausea, and a burning sensation.

Unlike most organs, the lung can respond to a chemical insult or a chemical agent, by first removing or neutralising the irritant and then repairing the damage (inflammation of the lungs may be a consequence).

The repair process (which initially developed to protect mammalian lungs from foreign matter and antigens) may, however, cause further damage to the lungs (fibrosis for example) when activated by hazardous chemicals. Often, this results in an impairment of gas exchange, the primary function of the lungs. Therefore prolonged exposure to respiratory irritants may cause sustained breathing difficulties.

The material may cause skin irritation after prolonged or repeated exposure and may produce a contact dermatitis (nonallergic). This form of dermatitis is often characterised by skin redness (erythema) and swelling the epidermis. Histologically there may be intercellular oedema of the spongy layer (spongiosis) and intracellular oedema of the epidermis.

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#### ALUMINIUM HYDROXIDE

No significant acute toxicological data identified in literature search.

#### C18 FATTY ACID DIMERS/ TETRAETHYLENEPENTAMINE POLYAMIDES

\*\*[Valspar]

The material may produce severe irritation to the eye causing pronounced inflammation. Repeated or prolonged exposure to irritants may produce conjunctivitis.

#### For alkyl polyamines

The alkyl polyamines cluster consists of organic compounds containing two terminal primary amine groups and at least one secondary amine group. Typically these substances are derivatives of ethylenediamine, propylenediamine or hexanediamine. The molecular weight range for the entire cluster is relatively narrow, ranging from 103 to 232

Acute toxicity of the alkyl polyamines cluster is low to moderate via oral exposure and a moderate to high via dermal exposure. Cluster members have been shown to be eye irritants, skin irritants, and skin sensitisers in experimental animals. Repeated exposure in rats via the oral route indicates a range of toxicity from low to high hazard. Most cluster members gave positive results in tests for potential genotoxicity.

Limited carcinogenicity studies on several members of the cluster showed no evidence of carcinogenicity. Unlike aromatic amines, aliphatic amines are not expected to be potential carcinogens because they are not expected to undergo metabolic activation, nor would activated intermediates be stable enough to reach target macromolecules.

Polyamines potentiate NMDA induced whole-cell currents in cultured striatal neurons

Triethylenetetramine (TETA) is a severe irritant to skin and eyes and induces skin sensitisation.

#### TRIETHYLENETETRAMINE

TETA is of moderate acute toxicity: LD50(oral, rat) > 2000 mg/kg bw, LD50(dermal, rabbit) = 550 - 805 mg/kg bw. Acute exposure to saturated vapour via inhalation was tolerated without impairment. Exposure to to aerosol leads to reversible irritations of the mucous membranes in the respiratory tract. Following repeated oral dosing via drinking water only in mice but not in rats at concentration of 3000 ppm there were signs of impairment. The NOAEL is 600 ppm [92 mg/kg bw (oral, 90 days)]. Lifelong dermal application to mice (1.2 mg/mouse) did not result in tumour formation.

There are differing results of the genetic toxicity for TETA. The positive results of the in vitro tests may be the result of a direct genetic action as well as a result of an interference with essential metal ions. Due to this uncertainty of the in vitro tests, the genetic toxicity of TETA has to be assessed on the basis of in vivo tests.

The in vivo micronucleus tests (i.p. and oral) and the SLRL test showed negative results.

There are no human data on reproductive toxicity (fertility assessment). The analogue diethylenetriamine had no effects on reproduction. TETA shows developmental toxicity in animal studies if the chelating property of the substance is effective. The NOEL is 830 mg/kg bw (oral).

Experience with female patients suffering from Wilson's disease demonstrated that no miscarriages and no foetal abnormalities occur during treatment with TETA..

In rats, there are several studies concerning developmental toxicity. The oral treatment of rats with 75, 375 and 750 mg/kg resulted in no effects on dams and fetuses, except slight increased fetal body weight. After oral treatment of rats with 830 or 1670 mg/kg bw only in the highest dose group increased foetal abnormalities in 27/44 fetus (69,2%) were recorded, when simultaneously the copper content of the feed was reduced. Copper supplementation in the feed reduced significant the fetal abnormalities of the highest dose group to 3/51 (6,5% foetus. These findings suggest that the developmental toxicity is produced as a secondary consequence of the chelating properties of TETA.

Exposure to the material for prolonged periods may cause physical defects in the developing embryo (teratogenesis).

#### for piperazine

Exposure to piperazine and its salts has clearly been demonstrated to cause asthma in occupational settings. No NOAEL can be estimated for respiratory sensitisation (asthma).

Although the LD50 levels indicate a relatively low level of oral acute toxicity (LD50 1-5 g/kg bw), signs of neurotoxicity may appear in humans after exposure to lower doses. Based on exposure levels of up to 3.4 mg/kg/day piperazine base and a LOAEL of 110 mg/kg, there is no concern for acute toxicity In pigs, piperazine is readily absorbed from the gastrointestinal tract, and the major part of the resorbed compound is excreted as unchanged piperazine during the first 48 hours. The principal route of excretion of piperazine and its metabolites is via urine, with a minor fraction recovered from faeces (16%). In humans the kinetics of the uptake and excretion of piperazine and its metabolites with urine appear to be roughly similar to that in the pig, and the nature and extent of conversion to metabolites has not been determined.

Piperazine has demonstrated a low acute toxicity (LD50 = 1-5 g/kg bw) by the oral, dermal, and subcutaneous route of administration to rodents, whereas adequate inhalation toxicity data have not been found. However, there are findings of EEG (electroencephalogram) changes in 37% of 89 children administrated 90-130 mg/kg piperazine (two doses during one day), corroborated by a proposed GABA (gamma-aminobutyric acid) receptor agonism exerted by piperazine. Since clinical symptoms of neurotoxicity may occur after exposure to higher doses, a LOAEL of 110 mg/kg piperazine base for acute neurotoxicity in humans after acute exposure is proposed.

# N-AMINOETHYLPIPERAZINE

Piperazine, as concentrated aqueous solution, has strongly irritating properties with regard to skin, and should be regarded as corrosive with respect to the eye. Exposure to piperazine and it salts has been demonstrated to cause allergic dermatitis as well as respiratory sensitisation in humans. As shown by the LLNA, piperazine has a sensitising potential in animals. Although piperazine is clearly sensitising, no NOAEL can be set for this effect from the present database.

A NOAEL of 25 mg/kg/day of piperazine for liver toxicity in the beagle dog has been chosen after repeated exposure. A LOAEL of 30 mg/kg/day of piperazine for neurotoxicity is proposed based on documentation of (rare cases) of neurotoxicity from human clinical practice. Neurotoxicity also appears in other species (e.g., rabbits, dogs, cats, tigers, and horses), but not in rodents.

For reproductive effects of piperazine, there is a NOAEL of 125 mg/kg/day for effects on fertility, i.e., reduced pregnancy index, decreased number of implantation sites, and decreased litter sizes in rats. The teratogenic properties have been investigated in rats and rabbits in adequate studies. In rabbit, such effects may be elicited at a dose level that is also toxic to the dam. The LOAEL is 94 mg/kg/day, and the NOAEL 42 mg/kg/day piperazine base (maternal and embryotoxic). In the rat study, there were decreases in body weight of both dams and offspring at the top dose (2,100 mg/kg/day piperazine base), but there were no signs of any mailformations.

The genotoxic properties have been investigated both *in vitro* (in the Ames test, in a nonstandard study on Saccharomyces cervisiae and in Chinese hamster ovary cells) and *in vivo*, in a micronuclei assay on mice, all with negative results. There are no solid indications of a carcinogenic effect of piperazine, neither in animal studies, nor from the investigation on humans. In view of lack of genotoxic action, it appears unlikely that piperazine poses a carcinogenic risk.

There seems to be an additional cancer risk due to the formation of N-mononitrosopiperazine (NPZ) from piperazine. It is possible to calculate a hypothetical additional cancer risk posed by NPZ after exposure to piperazine, but the calculation would depend on several assumptions. We conclude that there seems to be an additional cancer risk due to the formation of NPZ from piperazine, and although it is difficult to estimate, it is probably small.

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N-AMINOETHYLPIPERAZINE

The following information refers to contact allergens as a group and may not be specific to this product.

Contact allergies quickly manifest themselves as contact eczema, more rarely as urticaria or Quincke's gedema. The pathogenesis of contact eczema involves a cell-mediated (T lymphocytes) immune reaction of the delayed type. Other allergic skin reactions, e.g. contact urticaria, involve antibody-mediated immune reactions. The significance of the contact allergen is not simply determined by its sensitisation potential: the distribution of the substance and the opportunities for contact with it are equally important. A weakly sensitising substance which is widely distributed can be a more important allergen than one with stronger sensitising potential with which few individuals come into contact. From a clinical point of view, substances are noteworthy if they produce an allergic test reaction in more than 1% of the persons tested.

For Fatty Nitrogen Derived (FND) Amides (including several high molecular weight alkyl amino acid amides)

The chemicals in the Fatty Nitrogen Derived (FND) Amides of surfactants are similar to the class in general as to physical/chemical properties, environmental fate and toxicity. Human exposure to these chemicals is substantially documented.

The Fatty nitrogen-derived amides (FND amides) comprise four categories:

Subcategory I: Substituted Amides

Subcategory II: Fatty Acid Reaction Products with Amino Compounds (Note: Subcategory II chemicals, in many cases, contain Subcategory I chemicals as major components)

Subcategory III: Imidazole Derivatives

Subcategory IV: FND Amphoterics

Acute Toxicity: The low acute oral toxicity of the FND Amides is well established across all Subcategories by the available data. The limited acute toxicity of these chemicals is also confirmed by four acute dermal and two acute inhalation studies.

Repeated Dose and Reproductive Toxicity: Two subchronic toxicity studies demonstrating low toxicity are available for Subcategory I chemicals. In addition, a 5-day repeated dose study for a third chemical confirmed the minimal toxicity of these chemicals. Since the Subcategory I chemicals are major components of many Subcategory II chemicals, and based on the low repeat-dose toxicity of the amino compounds (e.g. diethanolamine, triethanolamine) used for producing the Subcategory II derivatives, the Subcategory I repeat-dose toxicity studies adequately support Subcategory II.

Two subchronic toxicity studies in Subcategory III confirmed the low order of repeat dose toxicity for the FND Amides Imidazole derivatives. For Subcategory IV, two subchronic toxicity studies for one of the chemicals indicated a low order of repeat-dose toxicity for the FND amphoteric salts similar to that seen in the other categories

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Genetic Toxicity in vitro: Based on the lack of effect of one or more chemicals in each subcategory, adequate data for mutagenic activity as measured by the Salmonella reverse mutation assay exist for all of the subcategories.

Developmental Toxicity: A developmental toxicity study in Subcategory I and in Subcategory IV and a third study for a chemical in Subcategory III are available. The studies indicate these chemicals are not developmental toxicants, as expected based on their structures, molecular weights, physical properties and knowledge of similar chemicals. As above for repeat-dose toxicity, the data for Subcategory I are adequate to support Subcategory II. In evaluating potential toxicity of the FND Amides chemicals, it is also useful to review the available data for the related FND Cationic and FND Amines Category chemicals. Acute oral toxicity studies (approximately 80 studies for 40 chemicals in the three categories) provide LD50 values from approximately 400 to 10,000 mg/kg with no apparent organ specific toxicity. Similarly, repeated dose toxicity studies (approximately 35 studies for 15 chemicals) provide NOAELs between 10 and 100 mg/kg/day for rats and slightly lower for dogs. More than 60 genetic toxicity studies (in vitro bacterial and mammalian cells as well as in vivo studies) indicated no mutagenic activity among more than 30 chemicals tested. For reproductive evaluations, 14 studies evaluated reproductive endpoints and/or reproductive organs for 11 chemicals, and 15 studies evaluated developmental toxicity for 13 chemicals indicating no reproductive or developmental effects for the FND group as a whole.

Some typical applications of FND Amides are

masonry cement additive; curing agent for epoxy resins; closed hydrocarbon systems in oil field production, refineries and chemical plants; and slip and antiblocking additives for polymers.

The safety of the FND Amides to humans is recognised by the U.S. FDA, which has approved stearamide, oleamide and/or erucamide for adhesives; coatings for articles in food contact; coatings for polyolefin films; defoaming agents for manufacture of paper and paperboard; animal glue (defoamer in food packaging); in EVA copolymers for food packaging; lubricants for manufacture of metallic food packaging; irradiation of prepared foods; release agents in manufacture of food packaging materials, food contact surface of paper and paperboard; cellophane in food packaging; closure sealing gaskets; and release agents in polymeric resins and petroleum wax. The low order of toxicity indicates that the use of FND Amides does not pose a significant hazard to human health

The differences in chain length, degree of saturation of the carbon chains, source of the natural oils, or addition of an amino group in the chain would not be expected to have an impact on the toxicity profile. This conclusion is supported by a number of studies in the FND family of chemicals (amines, cationics, and amides as separate categories) that show no differences in the length or degree of saturation of the alkyl substituents and is also supported by the limited toxicity of these long-chain substituted chemicals.

ACRYLONITRILE/ BUTADIENE COPOLYMER AMINE **TERMINATED & C18 FATTY** ACID DIMERS/ **TETRAETHYLENEPENTAMINE POLYAMIDES &** N-AMINOETHYLPIPERAZINE

The material may produce moderate eye irritation leading to inflammation. Repeated or prolonged exposure to irritants may produce conjunctivitis.

ACRYLONITRILE/ BUTADIENE COPOLYMER AMINE **TERMINATED & C18 FATTY** ACID DIMERS/ **TETRAETHYLENEPENTAMINE POLYAMIDES &** TRIETHYLENETETRAMINE & N-AMINOETHYLPIPERAZINE

Asthma-like symptoms may continue for months or even years after exposure to the material ceases. This may be due to a non-allergenic condition known as reactive airways dysfunction syndrome (RADS) which can occur following exposure to high levels of highly irritating compound. Key criteria for the diagnosis of RADS include the absence of preceding respiratory disease, in a non-atopic individual, with abrupt onset of persistent asthma-like symptoms within minutes to hours of a documented exposure to the irritant. A reversible airflow pattern, on spirometry with the presence of moderate to severe bronchial hyperreactivity on methacholine challenge testing and the lack of minimal lymphocytic inflammation, without eosinophilia, have also been included in the criteria for diagnosis of RADS. RADS (or asthma) following an irritating inhalation is an infrequent disorder with rates related to the concentration of and duration of exposure to the irritating substance. Industrial bronchitis, on the other hand, is a disorder that occurs as result of exposure due to high concentrations of irritating substance (often particulate in nature) and is completely reversible after exposure ceases. The disorder is characterised by dyspnea, cough and mucus production.

TRIETHYLENETETRAMINE & N-AMINOETHYLPIPERAZINE Handling ethyleneamine products is complicated by their tendency to react with other chemicals, such as carbon dioxide in the air, which results in the formation of solid carbamates. Because of their ability to produce chemical burns, skin rashes, and asthma-like symptoms, ethyleneamines also require substantial care in handling. Higher molecular weight ethyleneamines are often handled at elevated temperatures further increasing the possibility of vapor exposure to these compounds

Because of the fragility of eye tissue, almost any eye contact with any ethyleneamine may cause irreparable damage, even blindness. A single, short exposure to ethyleneamines, may cause severe skin burns, while a single, prolonged exposure may result in the material being absorbed through the skin in harmful amounts. Exposures have caused allergic skin reactions in some individuals. Single dose oral toxicity of ethyleneamines is low. The oral LD50 for rats is in the range of 1000 to 4500 mg/kg for the ethyleneamines.

In general, the low-molecular weight polyamines have been positive in the Ames assay, increase sister chromatid exchange in Chinese hamster ovary (CHO) cells, and are positive for unscheduled DNA synthesis although they are negative in the mouse micronucleus assay. It is believed that the positive results are based on its ability to chelate copper

The material may produce severe skin irritation after prolonged or repeated exposure, and may produce a contact dermatitis (nonallergic). This form of dermatitis is often characterised by skin redness (erythema) thickening of the epidermis.

Histologically there may be intercellular oedema of the spongy layer (spongiosis) and intracellular oedema of the epidermis. Prolonged contact is unlikely, given the severity of response, but repeated exposures may produce severe ulceration.

Acute Toxicity

Carcinogenicity X



Skin Irritation/Corrosion	✓	Reproductivity	<b>✓</b>
Serious Eye Damage/Irritation	✓	STOT - Single Exposure	×
Respiratory or Skin sensitisation	<b>✓</b>	STOT - Repeated Exposure	×
Mutagenicity	×	Aspiration Hazard	×

Legend:

X − Data either not available or does not fill the criteria for classification
 ✓ − Data available to make classification

# **SECTION 12 ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

9200FR Flame Retardant	ENDPOINT	TEST DURATION (HR)		SPECIES	VALUE		SOURCE
Structural Epoxy Adhesive (Part B)	Not Available	Not Available		Not Available	Not Avai	lable	Not Available
acrylonitrile/ butadiene	ENDPOINT	TEST DURATION (HR)		SPECIES	VALUE		SOURCE
ppolymer amine terminated	Not Available	Not Available		Not Available Not Available		lable	Not Available
	ENDPOINT	TEST DURATION (HR)	SPECIES	<b>.</b>	V	ALUE	SOURCE
	LC50	96	Fish		0.	001-0.134mg/L	2
aluminium hydroxide	EC50	48	Crustace	a	0.7364mg/L		2
	EC50	72	Algae or	other aquatic plants	0.	001-0.05mg/L	2
	NOEC	168	Crustace	a	0.	001-mg/L	2
	ENDPOINT	TEST DURATION (HR)	SPEC	IES		VALUE	SOURCE
	LC50	96	Fish			70mg/L	4
ammonium polyphosphate	EC50	48	Crust	acea		>100mg/L	2
	EC50	72	Algae	or other aquatic plants	3	>97.1mg/L	2
	NOEC	72	Algae	or other aquatic plants	S	3.57mg/L	2
	ENDPOINT	TEST DURATION (HR)	SPE	CIES		VALUE	SOURCE
C18 fatty acid dimers/	LC50	96	Fish			7.07mg/L	2
tetraethylenepentamine	EC50	48	Crus	Crustacea		5.18mg/L	2
polyamides	EC50	72	Alga	e or other aquatic plan	ts	4.11mg/L	2
	NOEC	72	Alga	e or other aquatic plan	ts	1.25mg/L	2
	ENDPOINT	TEST DURATION (HR)	SPE	CIES		VALUE	SOURCE
	LC50	96	Fish			7.07mg/L	2
all oil/ triethylenetetramine	EC50	48	Crus	tacea		7.07mg/L	2
polyamides	EC50	72	Alga	e or other aquatic plan	ts	4.34mg/L	2
	EC10	72	Alga	e or other aquatic plan	ts	1.78mg/L	2
	NOEC	72	Alga	e or other aquatic plan	ts	0.5mg/L	2
	ENDPOINT	TEST DURATION (HR)	SPECIES		V	ALUE	SOURCE
	LC50	96	Fish		0.	001-0.65mg/L	2
zinc borate	EC50	48	Crustace	a	0.	001-0.014mg/L	2
	EC50	96	Algae or	other aquatic plants	15	5.4mg/L	2
	NOEC	72	Algae or	other aquatic plants	0.	000001mg/L	2
	ENDPOINT	TEST DURATION (HR)	SPE	CIES		VALUE	SOURCE
	LC50	96	Fish			180mg/L	1
triethylenetetramine	EC50	48	Crus	tacea		31.1mg/L	1
	EC50	72	Alga	e or other aquatic plant	ts	2.5mg/L	1
	NOEC	72	Algae	e or other aquatic plant	ts	<2.5mg/L	1
	ENDPOINT	TEST DURATION (HR)	SPEC	IIFS		VALUE	SOURCE
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EC50	48	Crustacea	32mg/L	2
EC50	72	Algae or other aquatic plants	>1-mg/L	2
EC100	48	Crustacea	100mg/L	2
NOEC	96	Fish	1-30mg/L	2

#### Legend:

Extracted from 1. IUCLID Toxicity Data 2. Europe ECHA Registered Substances - Ecotoxicological Information - Aquatic Toxicity 3. EPIWIN Suite V3.12 (QSAR) - Aquatic Toxicity Data (Estimated) 4. US EPA, Ecotox database - Aquatic Toxicity Data 5. ECETOC Aquatic Hazard Assessment Data 6. NITE (Japan) - Bioconcentration Data 7. METI (Japan) - Bioconcentration Data 8. Vendor Data

On the basis of available evidence concerning either toxicity, persistence, potential to accumulate and or observed environmental fate and behaviour, the material may present a danger, immediate or long-term and /or delayed, to the structure and/ or functioning of natural ecosystems.

Toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

Do NOT allow product to come in contact with surface waters or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Do not contaminate water when cleaning equipment or disposing of equipment wash-waters.

Wastes resulting from use of the product must be disposed of on site or at approved waste sites.

The alkali metal cyanides (and other metal cyanides) are very soluble in water. As a result, they readily dissociate into their respective anions and cations when released into water. Depending on the pH of the water, the resulting cyanide ion may then form hydrogen cyanide or react with various metals in natural water. The proportion of hydrogen cyanide formed from soluble cyanides increases as the water pH decreases. At pH <7, >99% of the cyanide ions in water are converted to hydrogen cyanide. As the pH increases, cyanide ions in the water may form complex metallocyanides in the presence of excess cyanides; however, if metals are prevalent, simple metal cyanides are formed. Volatilization is the dominant mechanism for the removal of free cyanide. At pH >9.2, most of the free cyanide should exist as HCN, a volatile form of cyanide. Wide variations in the rate of volatilization are expected since this process is affected by a number of parameters such as temperature, pH, wind speed, and cyanide concentration. Volatilization of free cyanide from concentrated solutions is most effective under conditions of high temperatures, high dissolved oxygen levels, and at increased concentrations of atmospheric carbon dioxide

Unlike water-soluble alkali metal cyanides, insoluble metal cyanides are not expected to degrade to hydrogen cyanide. Cyanide occurs most commonly as hydrogen cyanide in water, although it can also occur as the cyanide ion, alkali and alkaline earth metal cyanides (potassium cyanide, sodium cyanide), relatively stable metallocyanide complexes (ferricyanide complex [Fe(CN)6]-3), moderately stable metallocyanide complexes (complex nickel and copper cyanide), or easily decomposable metallocyanide complexes (zinc cyanide [Zan(CN)2], cadmium cyanide [Cd(CN)2]). Oxidation, hydrolysis, and photolysis (photodegradation) are the three predominant chemical processes that may cause loss of simple cyanides in aquatic media. Certain cyanides are oxidised to isocyanates by strong oxidising agents; the isocyanates may be further hydrolysed to ammonia and carbon dioxide. However, it has not yet been determined whether such oxidation and subsequent hydrolysis of isocyanate is a significant fate process in natural waters known to contain peroxy radicals. In water, hydrogen cyanide and cyanide on exist in equilibrium with their relative concentrations primarily dependent on pH and temperature. At pH <8, >93% of the free cyanide in water will exist as undissociated hydrogen cyanide. Hydrogen cyanide can be hydrolysed to formamide, which is subsequently hydrolysed to ammonium and formate ions. However, the relatively slow rates of hydrolysis reported for hydrogen cyanide in acidic solution and of cyanides under alkaline conditions indicate that hydrolysis is not competitive with volatilisation and biodegradation for removal of free cyanide from ambient waters. At pH <9.2, most of the free cyanide in solution should exist as hydrogen cyanide, a volatile cyanide form. On the basis of Henry's law constant, and the volatility characteristics associated with various ranges of Henry's law constant, volatilization is a significant and probably dominant fate process for hydrogen cyanide in surface water. The most common alkali metal cyanid

The significance of photolysis in the fate of cyanides in water has not been fully investigated. Hydrogen cyanide and cyanide ions in aqueous solution have been found to be very resistant to photolysis by natural sunlight, except under heterogeneous photocatalytic conditions. Photocatalytic oxidation may not be significant in natural waters, however, because of significant light reduction at increasingly greater depths. In clear water or at water surfaces, some metallocyanides, such as ferrocyanides and ferricyanides, may decompose to the cyanide ion by photodissociation and subsequently form hydrogen cyanide.

Biodegradation is an important transformation process for cyanide in natural surface waters, and is dependent on such factors as cyanide concentrations, pH, temperature, availability of nutrients, and acclimation of microbes. Although the cyanide ion is toxic to microorganisms at concentrations as low as 5-10 mg/L, acclimation increases tolerance to this compound. Mixed microorganisms in sewage sludge or activated sludge acclimated to cyanide also significantly biodegrade concentrations <=100 mg/L of most simple and complex cyanides. It is known that there is a natural attentuation of the cyanide ion and thiocyanide concentrations in waste waters, for example those obtained gold mill tails, that is due the acclimation of indigenous microflora in the tailings. A number of microorganisms have been identified that are capable of uptake, conversion, sorption, and/or precipitation of the cyanide ion, cyanate, and thiocyanate, including species of the genera, *Actinomyces, Alcaligenes, Arthrobacter, Bacillus, Micrococcus, Neisseria, Paracoccus, Pseudomonas*, and *Thiobacillus*. Some of these species, for example *Pseudomonas*, are capable of using the cyanide ion and thiocyanate as the sole source of carbon and nitrogen and therefore, are particularly effective at cyanide degradation. In fact, *Pseudomonas* is the basis of commercial applications for degrading the cyanide ion to ammonia and carbonate in waste waters generated in mining operations that use the cyanide ion to lead pold and other precious metals for low-grade ores. Sulfur transferases such as rhodanese are involved in substitution reactions that result in the conversion of the cyanide ion to the less toxic thiocyanate, whereas pyridoxal phosphate enzymes are involved in substitution/addition reactions that result in production of nitrile derivatives of a-amino acids. These organic nitriles may then be ultimately degraded via enzyme catalysed hydrolysis to either the corresponding amino acid and ammonia or the carboxylic acid and ammonia. The cyanide hyd

Cyanides are sorbed by various natural media, including clays, biological solids and sediments. Hydrogen cyanide and the alkali metal cyanides are not likely to be strongly sorbed onto sediments and suspended solids because of their high water solubilities. Soluble metal cyanides may show somewhat stronger sorption than hydrogen cyanide, with the extent of sorption increasing with decreasing pH and increasing iron oxide, clay, and organic material contents of sediment and suspended solids. However, sorption is probably insignificant even for metal cyanides when compared to volatilisation and biodegradation. Cyanides are fairly mobile in soil. Mobility is lowest in soils with low pH and high concentrations of free iron oxides, positively charged particles, and clays (e.g., chlorite, kaolin, gibbsite), and highest in soils with high pH, high concentrations of free CaCO3 and negatively charged particles, and low clay content. Although cyanide has a low soil sorption capability, it is usually not detected in groundwater, probably because of fixation by trace metals through complexation or transformation by soil microorganisms. In soils where cyanide levels are high enough to be toxic to microorganisms (i.e., landfills, spills), this compound may leach into groundwater. Leaching of cyanide into a shallow aquifer has been demonstrated. Volatilisation of hydrogen cyanide would be a significant loss mechanism for cyanides from soil surfaces at a pH <9.2.

Most cyanide in the atmosphere exists almost entirely as hydrogen cyanide gas, although small amounts of metal cyanides may be present as particulate matter in the air. Hydrogen cyanide is very resistant to photolysis at wavelengths of normal sunlight. The most important reaction of hydrogen cyanide in air is the reaction with photochemically-generated hydroxyl radicals and subsequent rapid oxidation to carbon monoxide (CO) and nitric oxide (NO); photolysis and reaction with ozone are not important transformation processes, and reaction with singlet oxygen is not a significant transformation process except at stratospheric altitudes where singlet oxygen is present in significant concentrations. The rate of hydroxyl radical reaction with hydrogen cyanide in the atmosphere depends on the altitude, and the rate of the reaction is at least an order of magnitude faster at lower tropospheric altitudes (0–8 km) than at upper tropospheric altitudes (10–12 km). Based on a reaction rate constant of 3x10-14 cm3/(molecule-sec) at 25 °C and assuming an average hydroxyl radical concentration of 5x105 molecules/cm3, the residence time for the reaction of hydrogen cyanide vapor with hydroxyl radicals in the atmosphere is approximately 2 years

There is some evidence that certain metal cyanide complexes bioaccumulate in aquatic organisms. Fish from water with soluble silver and copper cyanide complexes were found to have metal cyanides in their tissues at concentrations ranging up to 168 and 304 µg/g, respectively (wet or dry weight not specified). It is difficult to evaluate the toxicologic significance of bioaccumulation of metal cyanide complexes because these compounds are much less toxic than soluble hydrogen cyanide, sodium cyanide, or potassium cyanide. There is no evidence of biomagnification of cyanides in the food chain. Accumulation of cyanide in food webs is not expected, considering the rapid detoxification of cyanide by most species and the lethal effects of large doses of cyanide For butadiene:

Kow: 1.99 Koc : 72-228 Half-life (hr) air : 4.9 Henry's Pa m3 /mol: 2.57 Henry's atm m3 /mol: 7.24E-02

BCF : 19.1

# Environmental fate:

The high volatility of this compound suggests that it will partition predominantly to the atmospheric compartment, where it is not expected to be adsorbed to particulate matter to any significant extent.

Terrestrial Fate: If spilled on land, 1,3-butadiene will predominately volatilise very rapidly due to its very low boiling point. Dissolved in water, it may leach through soil into ground water due to its

high water solubility and low estimated soil adsorption coefficient. It will not appreciably hydrolyse but may be subject to biodegradation based on screening tests.

1,3-Butadiene is expected to volatilize rapidly from either moist or dry soil to the atmosphere. This follows from the estimated lack of any appreciable adsorption to soil, and consideration of

1,3-butadiene's calculated Henry's law constant for moist soil or its vapor pressure, 2,100 mm Hg at 25 C,for dry soil. Both values suggest a rapid rate of volatilisation from their respective media. The calculated soil adsorption coefficient of 288 suggests that 1,3-butadiene may display moderate mobility in soil. However, the expected rapid rate of volatilisation and the possibility of rapid degradation in soil suggest that there is little potential for 1,3-butadiene to leach into groundwater. Methane-utilizing bacteria isolated from the soil of an oil refinery epoxidised 1,3-butadiene under aerobic conditions

Aquatic Fate: When released into water, 1,3-butadiene will volatilise rapidly with a half-life estimated to be several hours. It will not hydrolyse appreciably, but may be subject to biodegradation, based on screening tests.

Atmospheric Fate: Butadiene is a reactive, electron-rich chemical that is expected to undergo rapid reactions with the electrophilic oxidants typically present in the atmosphere: ozone, photochemically produced hydroxyl radicals, nitrate radicals, and molecular oxygen. Among these, the most rapid reaction in the atmosphere is with photochemically produced hydroxyl radicals. The atmospheric destruction of 1,3-butadiene by photo-initiated processes has been established empirically by early studies There are four gas-phase pathways that can destroy 1,3-butadiene in the atmosphere. Depending on local conditions, any one or all of these reactions may occur. Destruction of atmospheric 1,3-butadiene by the gas-phase reaction with photochemically produced hydroxyl radicals is expected to be a significant night-time process in urban areas.

Reaction with hydroxyl radicals is the dominant removal mechanism, with an estimated half-life of several hours. Reaction with ozone and nitrate radicals may also contribute to the degradation of the chemical. Polluted urban atmospheres increase the rate of degradation somewhat during daylight hours as suggested by the detection of the highest atmospheric levels of the chemical in the early morning hours. Acetaldehyde and acrolein have been identified as products of photooxidation. Washout may contribute to removal of 1,3-butadiene from the atmosphere; however, evaporation from the rain may be rapid and the compound returned to the atmosphere relatively quickly unless it leaches into the soil.

**Biodegradation:** No data concerning the biodegradation of 1,3-butadiene in natural systems could be found in the literature. 1,3-Butadiene was listed in a group of chemicals which should be biodegraded by biological sewage treatment, as long as suitable acclimatization is achieved. Screening tests suggest that 1,3-butadiene may be biodegradable in the environment with 1,2-epoxybutene being a potential product.

Soil Adsorption/Mobility: The range of estimated adsorption coefficients for 1,3-butadiene from the soils and sediments is 72-228 based on its octanol/water partition coefficient or its water solubility and would therefore not be expected to appreciably adsorb in soils and sediments.

Volatilization from Water/Soil: Using the Henry's Law constant, the estimated half-life for evaporation of 1,3-butadiene from a river 1 m deep with a 1 m/sec current and a 3 m/sec wind is 3.8 hours. Due to its low boiling point, 1,3-butadiene would be expected to rapidly evaporate from soils.

#### **Ecotoxicity:**

Fish LC50 (24 h): 71.5 mg/L

1,3-Butadiene is moderately toxic to aquatic life in the short term and slightly toxic in the long term. There is not enough information to predict additional short or long-term effects of 1,3-butadiene on plants, birds, or other animals. 1,3-Butadiene is not expected to accumulate in fish. Animal studies have reported development effects such as skeletal abnormalities and decreased foetal weights, and reproductive effects, including an increased incidence of shrinkage of the ovaries and testicles. Animal studies have also reported tumours at a variety of sites from inhalation of 1.3-butadiene.

For boron and borates:

#### **Environmental fate:**

Boron is generally found in nature bound to oxygen and is never found as the free element. Atmospheric boron may be in the form of particulate matter or aerosols as borides, boron oxides, boranes, organoboron compounds, trihalide boron compounds, or borazines. Borates are relatively soluble in water, and will probably be removed from the atmosphere by precipitation and dry deposition. The half-life of airborne particles is usually on the order of days, depending on the size of the particle and atmospheric conditions.

Boron readily hydrolyses in water to form the electrically neutral, weak monobasic acid boric acid (H3BO3) and the monovalent ion, B(OH)4-. In concentrated solutions, boron may polymerise, leading to the formation of complex and diverse molecular arrangements. Because most environmentally relevant boron minerals are highly soluble in water, it is unlikely that mineral equilibria will control the fate of boron in water. Boron was found to not be significantly removed during the conventional treatment of waste water. Boron may, however, be co-precipitated with aluminum, silicon, or iron to form hydroxyborate compounds on the surfaces of minerals.

Waterborne boron may be adsorbed by soils and sediments. Adsorption-desorption reactions are expected to be the only significant mechanism that will influence the fate of boron in water. The extent of boron adsorption depends on the pH of the water and the chemical composition of the soil. The greatest adsorption is generally observed at pH 7.5-9.0. the single most important property of soil that will influence the mobility of boron is the abundance of amorphous aluminum oxide. The extent of boron adsorption has also been attributed to the levels of iron oxide, and to a lesser extent, the organic matter present in the soil, although other studies found that the amount of organic matter present was not important. The adsorption of boron may not be reversible in some soils. The lack of reversibility may be the result of solid-phase formation on mineral surfaces and/or the slow release of boron by diffusion from the interior of clay minerals.

It is unlikely that boron is bioconcentrated significantly by organisms from water. A bioconcentration factor (BCF) relates the concentration of a chemical in the tissues of aquatic and terrestrial animals or plants to the concentration of the chemical in water or soil. The BCFs of boron in marine and freshwater plants, fish, and invertebrates were estimated to be <100. Experimentally measured BCFs for fish have ranged from 52 to 198. These BCFs suggest that boron is not significantly bioconcentrated.

As an element, boron itself cannot be degraded in the environment; however, it may undergo various reactions that change the form of boron (e.g., precipitation, polymerization, and acid-base reactions) depending on conditions such as its concentration in water and pH. In nature, boron in generally found in its oxygenated form. In aqueous solution, boron is normally present as boric acid and borate ions, with the dominant form of inorganic boron in natural aqueous systems as undissociated boric acid. Boric acid acts as an electron acceptor in aqueous solution, accepting an hydroxide ion from water to form (B(OH)4)-ion. In dilute solution, the favored form of boron is B(OH)4. In more concentrated solutions (>0.1 M boric acid) and at neutral to alkaline pH (6–11), polymeric species are formed (e.g., B3O3(OH)4-, B5O6(OH)4-, B3O3(OH)52-, and B4O5(OH)42-)

Most boron compounds are transformed to borates in soil due to the presence of moisture. Borates themselves are not further degraded in soil. However, borates can exist in a variety of forms in soil. Borates are removed from soils by water leaching and by assimilation by plants.

The most appreciable boron exposure to the general population is likely to be ingestion of food and to a lesser extent in water. As boron is a natural component of the environment, individuals will have some exposure from foods and drinking water

Boron-containing salts (borates) are ubiquitous in the environment. Surface soil, unpolluted waterways and seawater all typically contain significant amounts of boron as borate. Boron is an essential micronutrient for healthy growth of plants, however, it can be harmful to boron sensitive plants in higher quantities. In some areas such as the American Southwest, boron occurs naturally in surface waters in concentrations that have been shown to be toxic to commercially important plants.

Based on the collected information regarding aquatic toxicity, boron is not regarded as dangerous to aquatic organisms. The concentration in treated municipal waste water is a factor 100 lower than the NOEC-value for *Daphnia magna*.

No quality criteria exist for the concentration of boron in soil and compost. Boron is added to farmland when sewage sludge is applied as a soil improving agent, but there is not sufficient data to evaluate its effect on soil organisms. Being an essential micro-nutrient, no adverse effects of boron are expected at low concentrations.

In aquatic environments low concentrations of borates generally promote the growth of algae, whereas higher concentrations inhibited algal growth. In a growth inhibition test with Scenedesmus subspicatus, an EC50 value of 34 mg B/I was determined. Boric acid toxicity in Daphnia 48 h-LC50 (static test) was found to be 95 mg B/I. In a separate study it was concluded that chronic effects of boron to Daphnia may occur at a concentration of > 10 mg/I.

The toxicity of boron in fish is often higher in soft water than in hard water. The acute toxicity of boron towards *Danio rerio* (96 h-LC50) has been determined to 14.2 mg B/l. In a fish early life stage test with rainbow trout NOEC levels of boron have been determined in the range between 0.009 and 0.103 mg B/l, whereas the EC50 ranged from 27 to 100 mg B/l dependent on the water hardness

In air ammonia is persistent whilst, in water, it biodegrades rapidly to nitrate, producing a high oxygen demand. Ammonia is strongly adsorbed to soil. Ammonia is non-persistent in water (half-life 2 days) and is moderately toxic to fish under normal temperature and pH conditions. Ammonia is harmful to aquatic life at low concentrations but does not concentrate in the food chain. Ammonium ions may be toxic to fish at 0.3 mg/l

Drinking Water Standards: 0.5 mg/l (UK max.) 1.5 mg/l (WHO Levels) Soil Guidelines: none available.

Air Quality Standards: none available.

The principal problems of phosphate contamination of the environment relates to eutrophication processes in lakes and ponds. Phosphorus is an essential plant nutrient and is usually the limiting nutrient for blue-green algae. A lake undergoing eutrophication shows a rapid growth of algae in surface waters. Planktonic algae cause turbidity and flotation films. Shore algae cause ugly muddying, films and damage to reeds. Decay of these algae causes oxygen depletion in the deep water and shallow water near the shore. The process is self-perpetuating because anoxic conditions at the sediment/water interface causes the release of more adsorbed phosphates from the sediment. The growth of algae produces undesirable effects on the treatment of water for dirinking purposes, on fisheries, and on the use of lakes for recreational purposes.

**DO NOT** discharge into sewer or waterways

# 12.2. Persistence and degradability

Ingredient	Persistence: Water/Soil	Persistence: Air
triethylenetetramine	LOW	LOW
N-aminoethylpiperazine	HIGH	HIGH

#### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Ingredient	Bioaccumulation
triethylenetetramine	LOW (LogKOW = -2.6464)
N-aminoethylpiperazine	LOW (LogKOW = -1.5677)

#### 12.4. Mobility in soil

Ingredient	Mobility
triethylenetetramine	LOW (KOC = 309.9)
N-aminoethylpiperazine	LOW (KOC = 171.7)

#### 12.5.Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

	P	В	Т
Relevant available data	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
PBT Criteria fulfilled?	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable

#### 12.6. Other adverse effects

No data available

#### **SECTION 13 DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

#### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

Product / Packaging disposal

- ▶ Containers may still present a chemical hazard/ danger when empty.
- ► Return to supplier for reuse/ recycling if possible.

#### Otherwise:

- If container can not be cleaned sufficiently well to ensure that residuals do not remain or if the container cannot be used to store the same product, then puncture containers, to prevent re-use, and bury at an authorised landfill.
- ▶ Where possible retain label warnings and SDS and observe all notices pertaining to the product.

Legislation addressing waste disposal requirements may differ by country, state and/ or territory. Each user must refer to laws operating in their area. In some areas, certain wastes must be tracked.

A Hierarchy of Controls seems to be common - the user should investigate:

- ▶ Reduction
  - Reuse
- ▶ Recycling
- Disposal (if all else fails)

This material may be recycled if unused, or if it has not been contaminated so as to make it unsuitable for its intended use. If it has been contaminated, it may be possible to reclaim the product by filtration, distillation or some other means. Shelf life considerations should also be applied in making decisions of this type. Note that properties of a material may change in use, and recycling or reuse may not always be appropriate.

- ▶ DO NOT allow wash water from cleaning or process equipment to enter drains
- ▶ It may be necessary to collect all wash water for treatment before disposal.
- ▶ In all cases disposal to sewer may be subject to local laws and regulations and these should be considered first.
- ► Where in doubt contact the responsible authority.
- Recycle wherever possible or consult manufacturer for recycling options.
- Consult State Land Waste Authority for disposal.
- ▶ Bury or incinerate residue at an approved site.
- Recycle containers if possible, or dispose of in an authorised landfill.

Waste treatment options

Not Available

Sewage disposal options

Not Available

# **SECTION 14 TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

#### **Labels Required**

For 9200FR-25ML, 9200FR-50ML

NOT REGULATED by Ground ADR Special Provision 375

NOT REGULATED by Air IATA Special Provision A107

NOT REGULATED by Air IATA Special Provision A197 NOT REGULATED by Sea IMDG per 2.10.2.7

NOT REGULATED by ADN Special Provision 274 (The provision of 3.1.2.8 apply)

#### Land transport (ADR)

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14.1. UN number	3082
14.2. UN proper shipping name	ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S. (contains C18 fatty acid dimers/ tetraethylenepentamine polyamides)
14.3. Transport hazard class(es)	Class 9 Subrisk Not Applicable
14.4. Packing group	Ш

14.5. Environmental hazard	Environmentally hazardous	
	Hazard identification (Kemler)	90
	Classification code	M6
14.6. Special precautions for user	Hazard Label	9
400.	Special provisions	274 335 375 601
	Limited quantity	5L

# Air transport (ICAO-IATA / DGR)

14.1. UN number	3082				
14.2. UN proper shipping name	Environmentally hazardous substance, liquid, n.o.s. * (contains C18 fatty acid dimers/ tetraethylenepentamine polyamides)				
14.3. Transport hazard	ICAO/IATA Class	9			
class(es)	ICAO / IATA Subrisk	Not Applicable			
	ERG Code	9L			
14.4. Packing group					
14.5. Environmental hazard	Environmentally hazardous				
	Special provisions		A97 A158 A197		
	Cargo Only Packing Instructions		964		
	Cargo Only Maximum Qty / Pack		450 L		
14.6. Special precautions for user	Passenger and Cargo Packing Instructions		964		
user	Passenger and Cargo Maximum Qty / Pack		450 L		
	Passenger and Cargo Limited Quantity Packing Instructions		Y964		
	Passenger and Cargo Limited Maximum Qty / Pack		30 kg G		

# Sea transport (IMDG-Code / GGVSee)

14.1. UN number	3082			
14.2. UN proper shipping name	ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S. (contains C18 fatty acid dimers/ tetraethylenepentamine polyamides)			
14.3. Transport hazard class(es)	IMDG Class 9 IMDG Subrisk Not Applicable			
14.4. Packing group	III			
14.5. Environmental hazard	Marine Pollutant			
14.6. Special precautions for user	EMS Number F-A , S-F Special provisions 274 335 969 Limited Quantities 5 L			

#### Inland waterways transport (ADN)

14.1. UN number	3082		
14.2. UN proper shipping name	ENVIRONMENTALLY F	HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S. (contains C18 fatty acid dimers/ tetraethylenepentamine polyamides)	
14.3. Transport hazard class(es)	9 Not Applicable		
14.4. Packing group	III		
14.5. Environmental hazard	Environmentally hazardous		
	Classification code	M6	
	Special provisions	274; 335; 375; 601	
14.6. Special precautions for user	Limited quantity	5L	
	Equipment required	PP	
	Fire cones number	0	

# 14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL and the IBC code

Not Applicable

# **SECTION 15 REGULATORY INFORMATION**

# 15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations / legislation specific for the substance or mixture

ACRYLONITRILE/ BUTADIENE COPOLYMER AMINE TERMINATED(68683-29-4) IS FOUND ON THE FOLLOWING REGULATORY LISTS

European Chemical Agency (ECHA) Classification & Labelling Inventory - Chemwatch Harmonised classification

#### ALUMINIUM HYDROXIDE(21645-51-2) IS FOUND ON THE FOLLOWING REGULATORY LISTS

Europe European Customs Inventory of Chemical Substances ECICS (Romanian) Furope FCHA Registered Substances - Classification and Labelling - DSD-DPD European Chemical Agency (ECHA) Classification & Labelling Inventory - Chemwatch Europe European Customs Inventory of Chemical Substances - ECICS (Slovak) Harmonised classification European Customs Inventory of Chemical Substances ECICS (English) Europe European Customs Inventory of Chemical Substances ECICS (Bulgarian) European Union - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS) Europe European Customs Inventory of Chemical Substances ECICS (Czech) (English)

# AMMONIUM POLYPHOSPHATE(68333-79-9) IS FOUND ON THE FOLLOWING REGULATORY LISTS

Europe EC Inventory European Union - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS) (English) Europe ECHA Registered Substances - Classification and Labelling - DSD-DPD European Chemical Agency (ECHA) Classification & Labelling Inventory - Chemwatch IMO IBC Code Chapter 17: Summary of minimum requirements Harmonised classification IMO MARPOL (Annex II) - List of Noxious Liquid Substances Carried in Bulk European Customs Inventory of Chemical Substances ECICS (English)

#### C18 FATTY ACID DIMERS/ TETRAETHYLENEPENTAMINE POLYAMIDES(68410-23-1) IS FOUND ON THE FOLLOWING REGULATORY LISTS

European Chemical Agency (ECHA) Classification & Labelling Inventory - Chemwatch Harmonised classification

Europe EC Inventory

#### TALL OIL/ TRIETHYLENETETRAMINE POLYAMIDES(68082-29-1\*) IS FOUND ON THE FOLLOWING REGULATORY LISTS

European Chemical Agency (ECHA) Classification & Labelling Inventory - Chemwatch Harmonised classification ZINC BORATE(12767-90-7) IS FOUND ON THE FOLLOWING REGULATORY LISTS ADN - European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by European Union - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS) Inland Waterways (English) Europe EC Inventory European Union (EU) Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road - Dangerous Goods List (English) Europe ECHA Registered Substances - Classification and Labelling - DSD-DPD International Air Transport Association (IATA) Dangerous Goods Regulations European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road International Maritime Dangerous Goods Requirements (IMDG Code) (ADR 2011, Spanish)

European Union (EU) No-Longer Polymers List (NLP) (67/548/EEC)

Regulations concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail - Table A: European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road (ADR 2017, English) Dangerous Goods List - RID 2019 (English)

European Chemical Agency (ECHA) Classification & Labelling Inventory - Chemwatch United Nations Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods Model Regulations Harmonised classification (English) European Customs Inventory of Chemical Substances ECICS (English)

#### TRIFTHYLENETETRAMINE(112-24-3) IS FOUND ON THE FOLLOWING REGULATORY LISTS

ADN - European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by European Union (EU) Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 on Classification, Labelling and Inland Waterways Packaging of Substances and Mixtures - Annex VI - Chemwatch Standard Format European Union (EU) Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road - Dangerous Goods List Europe EC Inventory (English) European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road GESAMP/EHS Composite List - GESAMP Hazard Profiles (ADR 2011, Spanish) European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road IMO IBC Code Chapter 17: Summary of minimum requirements (ADR 2017, English) IMO MARPOL (Annex II) - List of Noxious Liquid Substances Carried in Bulk European Chemical Agency (ECHA) Classification & Labelling Inventory - Chemwatch International Air Transport Association (IATA) Dangerous Goods Regulations Harmonised classification International Maritime Dangerous Goods Requirements (IMDG Code)

European Customs Inventory of Chemical Substances ECICS (English) Regulations concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail - Table A: European Trade Union Confederation (ETUC) Priority List for REACH Authorisation Dangerous Goods List - RID 2019 (English)

European Union - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS) United Nations Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods Model Regulations

(English) (English) European Union (EU) Annex I to Directive 67/548/EEC on Classification and Labelling of Dangerous Substances - updated by ATP: 31

#### N-AMINOETHYLPIPERAZINE(140-31-8) IS FOUND ON THE FOLLOWING REGULATORY LISTS

European Union (EU) Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 on Classification, Labelling and

Packaging of Substances and Mixtures - Annex VI

ADN - European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by European Union - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS) Inland Waterways (English) European Union (EU) Annex I to Directive 67/548/EEC on Classification and Labelling of Europe EC Inventory Europe ECHA Registered Substances - Classification and Labelling - DSD-DPD Dangerous Substances - updated by ATP: 31 European Union (EU) Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 on Classification, Labelling and Europe European Customs Inventory of Chemical Substances - ECICS (Slovak) Packaging of Substances and Mixtures - Annex VI Europe European Customs Inventory of Chemical Substances ECICS (Bulgarian) European Union (EU) Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 on Classification, Labelling and Europe European Customs Inventory of Chemical Substances ECICS (Czech) Packaging of Substances and Mixtures - Annex VI - Chemwatch Standard Format Europe European Customs Inventory of Chemical Substances ECICS (Romanian) European Union (EU) Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road - Dangerous Goods List European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road (English) (ADR 2011, Spanish) GESAMP/EHS Composite List - GESAMP Hazard Profiles European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road IMO IBC Code Chapter 17: Summary of minimum requirements (ADR 2017, English) IMO MARPOL (Annex II) - List of Noxious Liquid Substances Carried in Bulk European Chemical Agency (ECHA) Classification & Labelling Inventory - Chemwatch International Air Transport Association (IATA) Dangerous Goods Regulations Harmonised classification International Maritime Dangerous Goods Requirements (IMDG Code) European Customs Inventory of Chemical Substances ECICS (English) Regulations concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail - Table A: European Trade Union Confederation (ETUC) Priority List for REACH Authorisation Dangerous Goods List - RID 2019 (English) United Nations Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods Model Regulations (English)

This safety data sheet is in compliance with the following EU legislation and its adaptations - as far as applicable - : Directives 98/24/EC, - 92/85/EEC, - 94/33/EC, - 2008/98/EC, - 2010/75/EU; Commission Regulation (EU) 2015/830; Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 as updated through ATPs.

STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit

TEEL: Temporary Emergency Exposure Limit $_{\circ}$ 

IDLH: Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health Concentrations

OSF: Odour Safety Factor NOAEL: No Observed Adverse Effect Level LOAEL: Lowest Observed Adverse Effect Level

TLV: Threshold Limit Value LOD: Limit Of Detection OTV: Odour Threshold Value BCF: BioConcentration Factors BEI: Biological Exposure Index

# Reason For Change

A-2.01 - Update to the emergency phone number information.