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# WATER SOLUBLE FLEXOGRAPHIC INK

# 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE MATERIAL AND SUPPLIER

Product Name: WATER SOLUBLE FLEXOGRAPHIC INK

Manufacturer's Product Code: TP/TC

Use: Flexographic printing ink water soluble.

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# 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

NOT CLASSIFIED AS HAZARDOUS ACCORDING TO ASCC/NOHSC/EU CRITERIA

Hazard Category: None allocated

Hazard Classification: NON-HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, NON-DANGEROUS GOODS

RISK PHRASES
None allocated

#### **SAFETY PHRASES**

S24/25 Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

Road Transport (ADR/RID): UN Number: None allocated

**Proper Shipping Name:** NONE ALLOCATED **Dangerous Goods Class:** None allocated

Packing Group: None allocated

Poison Schedule: None allocated [Aust].

# 3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

SUBSTANCE NAME	Proportion	CAS Number
ORGANIC PIGMENTS	10 to 30 %	Mixture
ACRYLATE/STYRENE COPOLYMER	10 to 30 %	Mixture
ISOPROPANOL	10 to < 15%	67-63-0
WATER AND OTHER NON-HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES	Balance	Mixture

All other ingredients not hazardous according to ASCC/NOHSC/EU Criteria.

# 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

#### **Swallowed:**

If swallowed, **<u>DO NOT</u>** induce vomiting. If conscious, give 1 to 2 glasses of water to drink. Seek immediate medical assistance.

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# 4. FIRST AID MEASURES (continued)

### Eye:

If material is splashed into eyes, immediately, flush with plenty of water for 15 minutes, ensuring eye lids are held open. If irritation persists transport to hospital or doctor.

#### Skin:

If material is splashed onto the skin, remove any contaminated clothing and wash skin thoroughly with soap and water. If irritation persists transport to hospital or doctor.

#### Inhaled:

Move victim to fresh air. Apply resuscitation if victim is not breathing.

### **First Aid Facilities:**

Eye wash fountain, safety shower and normal wash room facilities.

### **Advice to Doctor:**

Treat symptomatically.

In case of poisoning, contact Poisons Information Centre

In Australia call Tel: 131126 In New Zealand Tel: 034747000

# 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

### Fire/Explosion Hazard

If safe to do so, move undamaged containers from fire area.

Suitable Extinguishing Media: Use extinguishing media suitable for surrounding fire situation.

**Hazards From Combustion Products:** Decomposes on heating emitting oxides of carbon and noxious smoke. **Precautions for Fire Fighters and Special Protective Equipment:** Fire fighters to wear Self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) in confined spaces, in oxygen deficient atmospheres or if exposed to products of decomposition. Full protective clothing is also recommended.

**HAZCHEM CODE:** None allocated [Aust]

#### **FLAMMABILITY**

This material is not a flammable or combustible liquid.

# 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

## **Emergency Procedures:**

Keep unnecessary people away; Isolate hazard area and deny entry. If product spills onto floors it will represent a slip hazard, walk cautiously. Wear protective equipment to prevent skin and eye contact, as outlined under personal protection in this MSDS.

### Methods and Materials for Containment and Clean Up Procedures:

Dike area using with an absorbent such as diatomaceous earth - to prevent run off into drains and waterways. Throw further absorbent (diatomaceous earth or other inert material) on top of spill, <u>ALLOW TO ABSORB</u>, then shovel up and seal in properly labeled containers for disposal.

# 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### **Precautions for Safe Handling:**

Store away from all high temperatures. Store away from oxidizing agents. For further information please refer to the Engineering Controls of this MSDS.

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# 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE (continued)

#### **Conditions for Safe Storage:**

Keep containers tightly closed, when not using this product. Store in a cool place and out of direct sunlight. Store in original packages as approved by manufacturer.

# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

## **Exposure Standards**

No exposure standards are available for this product, however, the following exposure standards have been assigned by [ASCC/NOHSC] to the following components of the product:

#### **ISOPROPANOL**

[ASCC/NOHSC]

[TWA] 400 ppm 983 mg/m<sup>3</sup> [STEL] 500 ppm 1,230 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

References: H;R

### **Engineering Controls**

Maintain adequate ventilation at all times. In most circumstances natural ventilation systems are adequate.

## **Personal Protection Equipment**

**GLOVES:** The use of neoprene or nitrile is recommended.

EYES: Chemical goggles or spectacles with side shields to protect eyes.

**RESPIRATORY PROTECTION:** Avoid breathing of mists. The use of a respirator is not normally required.

# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

**Appearance:** Various coloure liquid with mild odour.

**Boiling Point:** 100°C

 Vapour Pressure:
 24 mmHg @ 25°C

 Specific Gravity:
 1.050 @ 25°C

**Flash Point:** Not applicable, water content interferes with flash point.

Flammability Limits: Not applicable.
Solubility in Water: Dispersible.

**Other Properties** 

**pH:** 8.0 - 8.5

# 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

## **CHEMICAL STABILITY:**

Stable under normal conditions of use.

#### CONDITIONS TO AVOID:

High temperatures leading to decomposition and mixing with incompatibles.

## **INCOMPATIBLE MATERIALS:**

Strong mineral acids (sulfuric, nitric and hydrochloric), and oxidizing agents.

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# 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY (continued)

#### **HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS:**

Decomposes on heating emitting oxides of carbon and noxious smoke.

#### **HAZARDOUS REACTIONS:**

Will not occur.

# 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

No adverse health effects are expected, if the product is handled in accordance with this Material Safety Data Sheet and the product label. Symptoms and effects that may arise if the product is mishandled and overexposure occurs are:

#### **ACUTE HEALTH EFFECTS:**

#### **Swallowed:**

May cause irritation to mouth, throat and stomach with effects including pains in the stomach, which may lead to nausea, vomiting and diarrhoea.

#### Eve

May cause irritation to the eyes, with effects including: tearing, pain, stinging and blurred vision.

#### Skins

May cause irritation to the skin, with effects including; Redness and itchiness.

#### Inhaled

Mists from the product may cause irritation to the nose, throat and respiratory system with effects including: Cough, discomfort, difficulty breathing and shortness of breath.

#### Chronic

Prolonged or repeated skin contact may lead to dermatitis.

## **Isopropanol:**

Inhalation LC50(rat): 16,000 ppm/8H Oral LD50(rat): 5,045 mg/kg

# 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

There is no ecological information available for this product, do not dispose of large quantities to drains, sewers or waterways.

# 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Refer to appropriate authority in your State. Dispose of material through a licensed waste contractor.

# 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

**Road Transport** 

UN Number: None allocated

Proper Shipping Name: NONE ALLOCATED Dangerous Goods Class: None allocated

Packing Group: None allocated

Label: None allocated

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# 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION (continued)

Air Transport

**UN Number:** None allocated

**Proper Shipping Name:** NONE ALLOCATED **Dangerous Goods Class:** None allocated

Packing Group: None allocated

Label: None allocated

Sea Transport

UN Number: None allocated

Proper Shipping Name: NONE ALLOCATED Dangerous Goods Class: None allocated Packing Group: None allocated

Label: None allocated

# 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Poison Schedule: None allocated [Aust]

**Inventory Status:** 

Australia (AICS) Y
United States (TSCA) Y
Europe (EINECS/ELINCS) Y

Y = all ingredients are on the inventory.

# 16. OTHER INFORMATION

## **Date of Preparation:**

**Issue date:** August 08, 2011 **Supercedes:** January 18, 2007

## **Reasons for Update:**

1. Alignment with the 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition of National Code of Practice for the Preparation of Material Safety Data Sheets [NOHSC:2001(2003)].

2. Additions made to Sections 2,3,15 & 16

## **Key Legend Information:**

NOHSC - National Occupational Health & Safety Commission {Formerly Worksafe}[Aust]

ASCC - Australian Safety and Compensation Council [Aust]

SUSDP - Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Drugs and Poisons [Aust]

TWA - Time Weighted Average [Int]

STEL - Short Term Exposure Limit [Int]

AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

Dangerous Goods - Initial Emergency Response Guide (SAA/SNZ HB76:1997) [Aust]

EPA - Environmental Protection Agency [Int]

NIOSH - National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health [US]

TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act [US]

OSHA - Occupational Safety and Health Administration [US]

AS/NZS 1715 - Selection, use and maintenance of respiratory protective devices. [Aust/NZ]

AS/NZS 1716 - Respiratory protective devices. [Aust/NZ]

Hazchem Code - Fire fighters designation [Aust]

IATA - International Aviation Transport Authority [Int]

ICAO - International Civil Aviation Organization [Int]

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# 16. OTHER INFORMATION (continued)

IMO - International Maritime Organisation. [Int]

IMDG - International Maritime Dangerous Goods [Int]

United Nations Recommendations for the Transport of Dangerous Goods and Globally Harmonized System for the classification and labelling of Chemicals. [Int]

EINECS - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances. [Int]

ELINCS - European List of Notified Chemical Substances. [Int]

EU - European Union [Int]

**EU Directives:** The classification criteria used, are adopted from the European Community's (EC) legislation for classifying dangerous substances. The criteria are taken from:

EC Council Directive 67/548/EEC EC Council Directive 1999/45/EC

[Aust/NZ] = Australian New Zealand [Int] = International [US] = United States of America

#### Disclaimer

This MSDS summarises our best knowledge of the health and safety hazard information available on the product and the measures to be used to handle and use the product safely. Each user should read this MSDS and consider the information in connection with the way the product is intended to be handled or used.

#### **Principal References:**

Information supplied by manufacturer, reference sources including the public domain.

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