

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

COMPANY DETAILS			
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IDENTIFICATION:		NON - HAZARDOUS	
Trade Name:	ABS – PSA Pressure Sensitive Adhesive	Proper Shipping Name:	n/app
		U.N. Number:	n/app
Other Names:		Dangerous Goods Class:	-
		And Subsidiary Risk:	-
Manufacturers Product Code:	12-ABS	Hazchem No:	-
		Packaging Group:	-
		Toxic Substances Schedule:	-
		Other:	-
PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION / PROPERTIES:			
Appearance:	White liquid	Specific Gravity: (Water = 1)	~ 1.05
Boiling Point: (°C)	100°	Flash Point:	N/App
Melting Point: (°C)	-	(method used) (ABEL CC) °C	
Vapour Pressure: (mm Hg) at 20°C	as water	Flammable Limits: Lower Limit (%)	nil
		Upper Limit	
		Solubility in Water:	Soluble
OTHER PROPERTIES:			
Percent Volatile by Volume: (%)	50	Vapour Density: (Air = 1)	as water
Percent Non-Volatile by weight: (%)	50	Odour:	Ammoniacal
Evaporation Rate (BAC = 1)	as water	pH:	8.5-9.5
INGREDIENTS:			
Chemical Name:	Cas No:	Proportion %	Synonyms
Nonhazardous		>99%	
HEALTH HAZARD INFORMATION:			
Health Effects Swallowed:	Small quantities are unlikely to cause more than temporary discomfort.		
Eye:	Slight irritant, may cause irritation or redness		
Skin:	Slight irritant, may cause rash. Persons known to have history of dermatitis, skin sensitisation should not work in direct contact with product.		
Inhalation:	Toxicity hazard is low. Spray must not be inhaled.		
Supplementary Information:	Not expected to be a skin sensitiser.		
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FIRST AID:	
In all cases of suspected poisoning seek Medical Aid at once. In the interim, the following first aid measures are appropriate. NZ Poisons and Hazardous Chemicals Information Centre: for 24 hour URGENT information, telephone 0800 764 766.	
Swallowed:	For less than 25mls drink water, should only be temporary discomfort, seek medical attention. For larger amounts induce vomiting, drink plenty of water, seek medical attention immediately.
Eye:	Flush eye with water for at least 15 minutes. If persistent irritation occurs, obtain medical attention.
Skin:	Remove contaminated clothing. Wash skin with water using soap if available. If persistent irritation occurs, obtain medical attention.
Inhalation:	Remove to fresh air. If rapid recovery does not occur, obtain medical attention.
ADVICE TO DOCTOR:	
Treat symptomatically.	
PRECAUTIONS FOR USE:	
Exposure Limits:	TLV/TWA (ACGIH 1992) is 100ppm due to residual monomer.
Engineering Controls:	Use only in well ventilated areas.
Ventilation:	Local Exhaust - Good Natural Draught. Mechanical (General) Exhaust Blowers to Remove Fumes.
Personal Protection:	Respiratory Protection (Specify Type): Use a half mask respirator with organic vapour (NPF20) cartridge (NIOSH Approved) should be worn to avoid breathing spray mist or vapours arising from spraying or using product. Use the full face Air-Fed Respirator in confined spaces. Protective Gloves: Viton or Nitrile Rubber Gloves. Eye Protection: Chemical Safety Goggles. Other: As required to prevent skin contact eg. overalls, rubber or plastic apron. Use barrier creams to protect exposed skin.
SAFE HANDLING INFORMATION:	
Storage & Transport:	Store at ambient temperatures, protect from frost. Keep containers tightly closed and in a well-ventilated place. keep away from direct sunlight.
Spills & Disposal:	Steps should be taken in case material is Released or Spilled. Absorb onto inert chemical spill absorbent, earth, sand or sawdust. Place this material into a suitable container for disposal. (Should limit liquid run off).
Waste Disposal Method:	Place in approved landfill in accordance with local and government codes, bylaws and regulations.
Precautions:	Use personal protection equipment - see 'Precautions for use'.

FIRE / EXPLOSION HAZARD			
Stability:	Unstable		Conditions to avoid: Do not heat above 250°C
	Stable	X	
Incompatibility (Materials to avoid):		Unknown	
Hazardous Decomposition Products:		Under severe thermal degradation, Carbon Monoxide, Carbon Dioxide and Nitrogen Oxides.	
Hazardous Polymerisation	May Occur		Conditions to Avoid - Above 250°C.
	Will not Occur	X	
Flammability		Non - flammable	Hazchem Code
Extinguishing Media		Carbon Dioxide, Dry Chemical Powder / foam / sand or earth in general most types of extinguishers would be suitable. Do not use water jet.	
Special Fire Fighting Procedures		Fire Fighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus to avoid inhalation of smoke or vapours. Do not enter fire area without proper protection.	
Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards		Liquid is miscible with water.	
OTHER INFORMATION:			
Environmental Precautions		Prevent contamination of soil and water. If product enters soil, it will be mobile and may contaminate groundwater. Toxic to aquatic organisms, but non-toxic to organisms in sewage treatment plants.	
Contact Point		Technical Director	(09) 579 1460
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