# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

## Complies with OSHA Hazard Communication Standard 29 CFR 1910.1200

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**SECTION 1** 

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FOR INFORMATION:

Product Class: Trade Name: Mixed Solvents

PREMIUM LACQUER THINNER 478

Manufacturer's Code: NPCA HMIS:

478 Health: 2

Flammability: 3 Reactivity: 1

Product Appearance and Odor: Clear, colorless liquid; mild solvent odor.

#### SECTION 2 -- HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS

OCCUPATIONAL EVENSUES LIMITS

| OCCUPATIONAL EXPOSURE LIMITS       |                    |            |  |                        |                              |                       |   |  |
|------------------------------------|--------------------|------------|--|------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|---|--|
| INGREDIENT                         | CAS#               | PERCENT    | ACGIH<br>TLV<br>(TWA)                              | ACGIH<br>TLV<br>(STEL) | OSHA<br>PEL<br>(TWA)         | OSHA<br>PEL<br>(STEL) | VAPOR PRESSURE                            |  |
| Acetone<br>Methanol                | 67-64-1<br>67-56-1 | 23%<br>10% | 500 PPM<br>200<br>(SKIN)                           | 750 PPM<br>250 PPM     | 750 PPM<br>200 PPM<br>(SKIN) | 1000 PPM<br>250 PPM   | 213 MM Hg @ 75º F.<br>96.0 MM Hg @ 20º C. |  |
| Light Aliphatic<br>Solvent Naphtha | 64742-89-8         | 25%        | 300 PPM<br>(For VM&P Naphtha -<br>CAS # 8032-32-4) |                        | 300 PPM                      | 400 PPM               | Approx. 60 MM Hg @ 25° C.                 |  |
| Toluene                            | 108-88-3           | 40%        | 20 PPM<br>*(SKIN, A4)                              |                        | 100 PPM                      | 150 PPM               | Approx. 54 MM Hg @ 25° C.                 |  |
| 2-Butoxyethanol                    | 111-76-2           | 2%         | 20 PPM   |                        | 20 PPM                       |                       | 0.6 MM Hg @ 20° C.                        |  |

<sup>\*</sup>Not classifiable as a Human Carcinogen: Agents which cause concern that they could be carcinogenic for humans but which cannot be assessed conclusively because of a lack of data.

### SECTION 3 -- EMERGENCY AND FIRST AID PROCEDURES

Eye Contact: Move victim away from exposure and into fresh air. Flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while

holding eyelids open. In case of irritation from airborne exposure, move to fresh air. Get prompt medical attention.

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Skin Contact: Remove contaminated shoes and clothing. Flush skin with water. Follow by washing with soap and water. If

irritation or redness develops, get medical attention. Do not reuse clothing until cleaned.

Inhalation: Using proper respiratory protection, immediately remove the affected victim from source of exposure and into fresh

air. If respiratory symptoms or other symptoms persist seek immediate medical attention. If victim is not breathing, immediately begin artificial respiration. If breathing difficulties develop, oxygen should be administered by qualified

personnel. Seek immediate medical attention.

Ingestion: Do not induce vomiting. Call a physician, hospital emergency room or Poison Control Center immediately. Transport

to medical attention immediately. Prompt action is essential.

Emergency Medical Treatment Procedures: This product contains methanol which can cause intoxication and central nervous system depression. Methanol is metabolized to formic acid and formaldehyde. These metabolites can cause metabolized to formic acid and formaldehyde. These metabolites can cause metabolized to formic acid and formaldehyde.

metabolized to formic acid and formaldehyde. These metabolites can cause metabolic acidosis, visual disturbances and blindness. Since metabolism is required for these toxic symptoms, their onset may be delayed from 6 to 30 hours following ingestion. Ethanol competes for the same metabolic pathway and has been used to prevent methanol metabolism. Ethanol administration is indicated in symptomatic patients or at blood methanol concentrations above 20 ug/dl. Methanol is effectively removed by hemodialysis. Preexisting disorders of the following organs (or organ systems) may be aggravated by exposure to this material: skin, lung (for example, asthma-like conditions), liver, kidney, central nervous system, pancreas, heart. Exposure to this material may aggravate any preexisting condition sensitive to a decrease in available oxygen, such as chronic lung disease,

coronary artery disease or anemias.

Trade Name:

Solubility in Water:

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#### SECTION 4 -- PHYSICAL DATA

The following data represent approximate or typical values. They do not constitute product specifications.

Boiling Range: 133-336º F. **Evaporation Rate:** Slower than ether Weight Per Gallon: 6.81 lbs. VOC 5.29 lbs./gal.

Vapor Density: Heavier than air % Volatile By Volume: 100%

### SECTION 5 -- FIRE AND EXPLOSION DATA

Flammability Classification: Flammable liquid - Class IB. Flash Point: 0° F. (Tag.Closed Cup)

Moderate

Autoignition Temperature: 460° (F) minimum (approximate)

Lower Explosive Limit: 2.6% @ 77(F

Extinguishing Media: Either allow fire to burn under controlled conditions or extinguish with alcohol type foam and dry chemical. Try to

cover liquid spills with foam.

Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards: Extremely flammable. Vapors may cause a flash fire or ignite explosively. Vapors may travel considerable distance

to a source of ignition and flash back. Prevent buildup of vapors or gases to explosive concentrations.

Special Fire Fighting Procedures: Use water spray to cool fire exposed surfaces and to protect personnel. Shut off "fuel" to fire. If a leak or spill has not

ignited, use water spray to disperse the vapors.

#### SECTION 6 -- HEALTH HAZARD DATA

THRESHOLD LIMIT VALUE: EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE: See Section 2

Severely irritating. If not removed promptly, will injure eye tissue, which may result in permanent damage. Eye Contact:

Skin Contact: Skin irritant. Prolonged or repeated skin contact can cause dermatitis, drying, cracking or irritation of the skin.

Inhalation: Breathing high vapor concentrations may result in respiratory tract irritation, central nervous system depression, liver

and kidney damage, may cause headaches and dizziness, drowsiness and unconsciousness. Brain cell damage

may result from long-term vapor inhalation.

Ingestion: Swallowing as little as one to four ounces of Methanol has been reported to cause death or serious irreversible injury

such as blindness in humans. Studies in experimental animals indicate that the metabolism of Methanol to formic acid results in metabolic acidosis and reversible or irreversible damage to the optic nerve. Ingestion of this product, even in small amounts can cause blindness and death. Onset of symptoms may be delayed for 18-24 hours. Treatment prior to onset of obvious symptoms may be lifesaving. Methanol is rapidly absorbed and emesis should be initiated early to be effective, within 30 minutes of ingestion, if possible. Administer syrup of ipecac. After the dose is given, encourage patient to take 6-8 ounces of clear, non-carbonated fluid. Dose may be repeated once if emesis does not occur within 20-30 minutes. Administration of an aqueous slurry of activated charcoal with magnesium citrate or sorbitol as a cathartic has been reported helpful.

Ethanol inhibits the formation of toxic metabolites. Ethanol therapy may prove beneficial. Maintain contact with a

poison control center during all aspects of diagnosis and treatment.

Carcinogenicity: There is inadequate data available to evaluate the risk of developing cancer from exposure to the Toluene present in

this product. However, none of the solvents in this product are listed as carcinogens or potential carcinogens by the

NTP, IARC, or OSHA.

Target Organs: There is a potential hazard (from Toluene) to the central nervous system, kidney, liver and sense of hearing.

Developmental: Potential hazard to the fetus.

Chronic Effects: WARNING: Concentrated, prolonged or deliberate inhalation of this product may cause brain and nervous system

damage. Prolonged and repeated exposure of pregnant animals to Toluene (levels greater than approximately 1500

ppm) has been reported to cause adverse fetal developmental effects.

Medical Conditions Aggravated by Exposure: Conditions aggravated by exposure may include skin disorders, respiratory (asthma-like) conditions, kidney disorders

and liver disorders.

Studies in experimental animals with 2-Butoxyethanol have produced damage to the red blood cell by inhalation; skin absorption and ingestion. Toxic liver effects in male rats were also observed.

#### SECTION 7 -- REACTIVITY DATA

Stableity: Stable (2-Butoxyethanol, however, forms peroxides of unknown stability). Inhibitor not been added to mitigate

peroxide hazard.

Conditions to Avoid: Heat, sparks, and flame.

Incompatibility (Materials to Avoid): Hazardous Decomposition Products: Hazardous Polymerization: Strong oxidizing agents like liquid chlorine or concentrated oxygen. Maybe corrosive to lead and aluminum.

Thermal decomposition may yield carbon dioxide and carbon monoxide.

Will not occur.

#### SECTION 8 -- SPILL OR LEAK PROCEDURES

Steps to be taken in case material is spilled or released: Remove ignition sources, evacuate area, avoid breathing vapors or contact with liquid. Use non-sparking tools and explosion proof equipment. Recover free liquid or stop leak if possible. Dike large spills and use absorbent material for small spills. Keep spilled material out of sewers, ditches and bodies of water. Warn occupants and shipping in surrounding and downwind areas of fire and explosion hazard and request all to stay clear.

Waste disposal method: Send to a licensed reclaimer or incinerator. Dispose of in accordance with local, state and federal regulations.

#### SECTION 9 -- SAFE HANDLING AND USE INFORMATION

Respiratory Protection: Appropriate vapor canister, self-contained breathing apparatus or supplied-air hose mask, if needed.

Ventilation: It is not recommended that this product be used in confined spaces or in a manner that will allow accumulation of

high vapor concentrations. However, for controlled industrial uses when this product is used in confined spaces, heated above ambient temperatures or agitated, the use of explosion proof ventilation is necessary to maintain

exposure levels below applicable exposure limits - see Section 2.

Protective Gloves: For operations where prolonged or repeated skin contact may occur, impervious gloves should be worn.

Eye Protection: Chemical safety goggles

Other Protective Equipment: Impervious clothing or boots, if needed.

#### SECTION 10 -- SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS

Dept. of Labor Storage Category: Flammable liquid - Class IB.

Hygienic Practices: Keep away from heat, sparks and flame. Keep containers closed when not in use. Avoid eye contact. Avoid

prolonged contact with skin. Wash skin with soap and water after contact.

Additional Precautions: Ground containers when transferring liquid to prevent static accumulation and discharge. Additional information

regarding safe handling of products with static accumulation potential can be ordered by contacting the American Petroleum Institute (API) for API Recommended Practice 2003, entitled "Protection Against Ignitions Arising Out of Static, Lighting, and Stray Currents" (American Petroleum Institute, 1720 L Street Northwest, Washington, DC 20005), or the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) for NFPA 77 entitled "Static Electricity" (National Fire Protection

Association, 1 Batterymarch Park, P.O. Box 9101, Quincy, MA 02269-9101).

Empty Container Warning: "Empty" containers retain residue (liquid and/or vapor) and can be dangerous. Do not pressurize, cut, weld, braze,

solder, drill, grind or expose such containers to heat, flame, sparks or other sources of ignition. They may explode and cause injury or death. Do not attempt to clean since residue is difficult to remove. "Empty" drums should be completely drained, properly bunged and promptly returned to supplier or disposed of in an environmentally safe

manner and in accordance with governmental regulations.

## SECTION 11 -- ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

This product contains the following toxic chemical(s) which are subject to the reporting requirements of Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 and 40 CFR Part 372:

TOXIC CHEMICAL CAS # APPROXIMATE % BY WEIGHT

 Toluene
 108-88-3
 43.30%

 Glycol Ethers
 111-76-2
 2.24%

(Ethylene Glycol Monobutyl Ether)

Methanol 67-56-1 9.38%

SARA Title III Hazard Categories: Immediate (Acute) Health, Delayed (Chronic)

Health, Fire.

Common Names: Lacquer reducer, solvent mixture

California Proposition 65: This product contains Toluene and may

contain trace amounts of Benzene and Ethyl Benzene- which are known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects or other reproductive harm and may be subject to the requirements of California Proposition

65.

TRANSPORTATION\* (U.S.D.O.T. land transportation in packages of 119 gallons or less)

Proper Shipping Name: Paint related material

Hazard Class: 3
Packing Group: II

Identification Number: UN 1263

U.S. D.O.T. Hazardous Substance: Acetone RQ 5000 lbs.

Methanol RQ 5000 lbs. Toluene RQ 1000 lbs.