Section 1 - CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

PRODUCT NAME

SIKKENS CETOL TS INTERIOR

PRODUCT USE

Solvent borne coating for interior use.

SUPPLIER

Company: Tenaru Timber & Finishes (Akzo Nobel) Address: 184- 186 Campbell Street Surry Hills NSW, 2010 AUS Telephone: +61 2 9360 4500 Fax: +61 2 9360 1924

Section 2 - HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

STATEMENT OF HAZARDOUS NATURE HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE. NON-DANGEROUS GOODS. According to the Criteria of NOHSC, and the ADG Code.

COMBUSTIBLE LIQUID, regulated under AS1940 for Bulk Storage purposes only.



POISONS SCHEDULE

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RISK

Risk Codes	Risk Phrases
R65	HARMFUL - May cause lung damage if swallowed.

SAFETY

Safety Codes	Safety Phrases
S23	Do not breathe gas/ fumes/ vapour/ spray.
S25	Avoid contact with eyes.
S36	Wear suitable protective clothing.
S51	Use only in well ventilated areas.
S09	Keep container in a well ventilated place.
S401	To clean the floor and all objects contaminated by this material use water and detergent.
S07	Keep container tightly closed.
S13	Keep away from food drink and animal feeding stuffs.
S27	Take off immediately all contaminated clothing.
S26	In case of contact with eyes rinse with plenty of water and

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contact Doctor or Poisons Information Centre. If swallowed IMMEDIATELY contact Doctor or Poisons Information Centre (show this container or label).

Section 3 - COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

NAME	CAS RN	%
distillates, petroleum, light, hydrotreated	64742-47-8	25-50
naphtha petroleum, heavy, hydrotreated	64742-48-9.	10-25
naphtha petroleum, heavy, hydrotreated	64742-48-9.	1-2.5
methyl ethyl ketoxime	96-29-7	NotSpec
cobalt(II) octoate	136-52-7	NotSpec

Section 4 - FIRST AID MEASURES

SWALLOWED

- If swallowed do NOT induce vomiting.
- If vomiting occurs, lean patient forward or place on left side (head-down position, if possible) to maintain open airway and prevent aspiration.
- Observe the patient carefully.
- Never give liquid to a person showing signs of being sleepy or with reduced awareness;
- i.e. becoming unconscious.
- Give water to rinse out mouth, then provide liquid slowly and as much as casualty can comfortably drink.

- Seek medical advice.

Avoid giving milk or oils.

Avoid giving alcohol.

- If spontaneous vomiting appears imminent or occurs, hold patient's head down, lower than their hips to help avoid possible aspiration of vomitus.

EYE

- If this product comes in contact with the eyes:
- Wash out immediately with fresh running water.

- 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.

- If pain persists or recurs seek medical attention.

- Removal of contact lenses after an eye injury should only be undertaken by skilled personnel.

SKIN

- If skin contact occurs:
- 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.

INHALED

- If fumes or combustion products are inhaled remove from contaminated area.
- Lay patient down. Keep warm and rested.
- Prostheses such as false teeth, which may block airway, should be removed, where possible, prior to initiating first aid procedures.
- Apply artificial respiration if not breathing, preferably with a demand valve
- resuscitator, bag-valve mask device, or pocket mask as trained. Perform CPR if necessary.
- Transport to hospital, or doctor.

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NOTES TO PHYSICIAN

Any material aspirated during vomiting may produce lung injury. Therefore emesis should not be induced mechanically or pharmacologically. Mechanical means should be used if it is considered necessary to evacuate the stomach contents; these include gastric lavage after endotracheal intubation. If spontaneous vomiting has occurred after ingestion, the patient should be monitored for difficult breathing, as adverse effects of aspiration into the lungs may be delayed up to 48 hours.

For acute or short term repeated exposures to petroleum distillates or related hydrocarbons:

- Primary threat to life, from pure petroleum distillate ingestion and/or inhalation, is respiratory failure.

- Patients should be quickly evaluated for signs of respiratory distress (e.g. cyanosis, tachypnoea, intercostal retraction, obtundation) and given oxygen. Patients with inadequate tidal volumes or poor arterial blood gases (pO2 50 mm Hg) should be intubated.

- Arrhythmias complicate some hydrocarbon ingestion and/or inhalation and electrocardiographic evidence of myocardial injury has been reported; intravenous lines and cardiac monitors should be established in obviously symptomatic patients. The lungs excrete inhaled solvents, so that hyperventilation improves clearance.

- A chest x-ray should be taken immediately after stabilisation of breathing and circulation to document aspiration and detect the presence of pneumothorax.

- Epinephrine (adrenalin) is not recommended for treatment of bronchospasm because of potential myocardial sensitisation to catecholamines. Inhaled cardioselective bronchodilators (e.g. Alupent, Salbutamol) are the preferred agents, with aminophylline a second choice.

- Lavage is indicated in patients who require decontamination; ensure use of cuffed endotracheal tube in adult patients. [Ellenhorn and Barceloux: Medical Toxicology].

Section 5 - FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA

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

FIRE FIGHTING

- Alert Fire Brigade and tell them location and nature of hazard.
- Wear full body protective clothing with breathing apparatus.
- Prevent, by any means available, spillage from entering drains or water course.
- Use water delivered as a fine spray to control fire and cool adjacent area.
- Avoid spraying water onto liquid pools.
- DO NOT approach containers suspected to be hot.
- Cool fire exposed containers with water spray from a protected location.
- If safe to do so, remove containers from path of fire.

FIRE/EXPLOSION HAZARD

- Combustible.
- Slight fire hazard when exposed to heat or flame.
- Heating may cause expansion or decomposition leading to violent rupture of containers.
- On combustion, may emit toxic fumes of carbon monoxide (CO).
- May emit acrid smoke.
- Mists containing combustible materials may be explosive.
- Combustion products include: carbon dioxide (CO2), nitrogen oxides (NOx), other pyrolysis products typical of burning organic material.

May emit poisonous fumes.

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FIRE INCOMPATIBILITY

Avoid contamination with oxidising agents i.e. nitrates, oxidising acids, chlorine bleaches, pool chlorine etc. as ignition may result.

HAZCHEM: None

Personal Protective Equipment

Gas tight chemical resistant suit.

Section 6 - ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

EMERGENCY PROCEDURES

MINOR SPILLS

- Remove all ignition sources.
- Clean up all spills immediately.
- Avoid breathing vapours and contact with skin and eyes.
- Control personal contact 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

Chemical Class: aliphatic hydrocarbons

For release onto land: recommended sorbents listed in order of priority.

SORBEN	T TYPE	RANK	APPLICATION	COLLECTION	LIMITATIONS
LAI	ND SPILL - SN	MALL			
cross- lini polymer -	ked	1	shovel	shovel	R, W, SS
cross- lini	ked pillow	1	throw	pitchfork	R, DGC, RT
wood fibe	r -	2	throw	pitchfork	R, P, DGC, RT
treated we	bod	2	throw	pitchfork	DGC, RT
sorbent cl	ay -	3	shovel	shovel	R, I, P
foamed g pillow	ass -	3	throw	pitchfork	R, P, DGC, RT

LAND SPILL - MEDIUM

cross- linked	1	blower	skiploader	R, W, SS
polymer - particulate				

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cross- linked	2	throw	skiploader	R, DGC, RT
sorbent clay -	3	blower	skiploader	R, I, P
polypropylene -	3	blower	skiploader	W, SS, DGC
expanded mineral	4	blower	skiploader	R, I, W, P, DGC
polypropylene -	4	throw	skiploader	DGC, RT

Legend

DGC: Not effective where ground cover is dense R; Not reusable I: Not incinerable P: Effectiveness reduced when rainy RT:Not effective where terrain is rugged

SS: Not for use within environmentally sensitive sites

W: Effectiveness reduced when windy

Reference: Sorbents for Liquid Hazardous Substance Cleanup and Control;

R.W Melvold et al: Pollution Technology Review No. 150: Noyes Data Corporation 1988. 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.

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

Section 7 - HANDLING AND STORAGE

PROCEDURE FOR HANDLING

- Containers, even those that have been emptied, may contain explosive vapours.
- Do NOT cut, drill, grind, weld or perform similar operations on or near containers.
- DO NOT allow clothing wet with material to stay in contact with skin.
- Electrostatic discharge may be generated during pumping this may result in fire.
- Ensure electrical continuity by bonding and grounding (earthing) all equipment.
- Restrict line velocity during pumping in order to avoid generation of electrostatic

discharge (<=1 m/sec until fill pipe submerged to twice its diameter, then <= 7 m/sec). - Avoid splash filling.

- Do NOT use compressed air for filling discharging or handling operations.
- Avoid all personal contact, including inhalation.
- Wear protective clothing when risk of exposure occurs.
- Use in a well-ventilated area.

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- 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 storing and handling recommendations.

- Atmosphere should be regularly checked against established exposure standards to ensure safe working conditions.

SUITABLE CONTAINER

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

STORAGE INCOMPATIBILITY

- Avoid reaction with oxidising agents. strong acids. strong alkalis.

STORAGE REQUIREMENTS

- Store in original containers.
- Keep containers securely sealed.
- No smoking, naked lights or ignition sources.
- 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 storing and handling recommendations.

Section 8 - EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

EXPOSURE CONTROLS

The following materials had no OELs on our records

distillates, petroleum, light, hydrotreated:
naphtha petroleum, heavy, hydrotreated:
methyl ethyl ketoxime:
cobalt(II) octoate:
CAS:64742- 47- 8
CAS:64742- 48- 9
CAS:96- 29- 7
CAS:136- 52- 7 CAS:13586- 82- 8

MATERIAL DATA

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- 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.

INGREDIENT DATA

DISTILLATES, PETROLEUM, LIGHT, HYDROTREATED:

NAPHTHA PETROLEUM, HEAVY, HYDROTREATED:

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DISTILLATES, PETROLEUM, LIGHT, HYDROTREATED:

for petroleum distillates:

CEL TWA: 500 ppm, 2000 mg/m3 (compare OSHA TWA).

ES TWA: 5 mg/m3 refined mineral oil mist

Human exposure to oil mist alone has not been demonstrated to cause health effects except at levels above 5 mg/m3 (this applies to particulates sampled by a method that does not collect vapour). It is not advisable to apply this standard to oils containing unknown concentrations and types of additive.

CEL TWA: 300 ppm, 2100 mg/m3

NAPHTHA PETROLEUM, HEAVY, HYDROTREATED:

Odour threshold: 0.25 ppm.

The TLV-TWA is protective against ocular and upper respiratory tract irritation and is recommended for bulk handling of gasoline based on calculations of hydrocarbon content of gasoline vapour. A STEL is recommended to prevent mucous membrane and ocular irritation and prevention of acute depression of the central nervous system. Because of the wide variation in molecular weights of its components, the conversion of ppm to mg/m3 is approximate. Sweden recommends hexane type limits of 100 ppm and heptane and octane type limits of 300 ppm. Germany does not assign a value because of the widely differing

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compositions and resultant differences in toxic properties. Odour Safety Factor(OSF) OSF=0.042 (gasoline). REL TWA: 300 ppm as VM & P naphtha TLV TWA: 300 ppm, 1370 mg/m3

[EXXON]

METHYL ETHYL KETOXIME:

No exposure limits set by NOHSC or ACGIH.

CAUTION: This substance is classified by the NOHSC as Category 3 Suspected of having carcinogenic potential.

CEL TWA: 10 ppm, 36 mg/m3 (compare WEEL-TWA)

OEL-TWA: 0.28 ppm, 1 mg/m3 ORICA Australia quoting DSM Chemicals Saturated vapour concentration: 1395 ppm at 20 deg. C.

MEKO produces haemolytic anaemia in animals regardless of the route of exposure. Higher doses produce transient central nervous system depression. In the absence of chronic data and because minimal effects were seen at 25 mg/kg in a 13-week oral study in rats, a workplace environmental exposure level (WEEL) of 10 ppm has been proposed by the AIHA. One industrial hygiene study indicated that MEKO exposures during

use of alkyd paints are less than 1 ppm, although they may reach 2 ppm when using a roller. With brush application and some ventilation, the average level was 0.3-0.4 ppm: with spraying it was 0.3 to 0.8 ppm.

Mice and rats show destruction to nasal tissues at 15 ppm ; these effects are thought to be irreversible at 75 ppm.

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In view of the serious effects seen in experimental animals after a relatively short exposure period at 0.1 mg/m3 the recommended TLV-TWA is thought to reduce the significant risk of material impairment of health posed by respiratory disease and pulmonary sensitization which have been shown to occur at higher levels of exposure. The value does not apply generally to cobalt compounds.

A significant increase in the risk of lung cancer was reported among workers involved in cobalt production (with concomitant exposure to nickel and arsenic) and hard-metal workers with documented exposure to cobalt-containing dusts. A significant increase in lung cancer risk has been observed in workers whose exposure began more than 20 years previously. A number of single cases of malignant tumours, mostly sarcomas, have been reported at the site, following implant of cobalt-containing orthopedic implants.

PERSONAL PROTECTION

EYE

- Safety glasses with side shields.

- Chemical goggles.

- Contact lenses may pose a special hazard; soft contact lenses may absorb and concentrate irritants. A written policy document, describing the wearing of lens 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].

HANDS/FEET

- Wear chemical protective gloves, eg. PVC.

- Wear safety footwear or safety gumboots, eg. Rubber.

- 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.

- Suitability and durability of glove type is dependent on usage. Factors such as:
- frequency and duration of contact,
- chemical resistance of glove material,
- glove thickness and
- dexterity,

are important in the selection of gloves.

OTHER

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

The local concentration of material, quantity and conditions of use determine the type of personal protective equipment required. For further information consult site specific CHEMWATCH data (if available), or your Occupational Health and Safety Advisor.

ENGINEERING CONTROLS

Local exhaust ventilation usually required. If risk of overexposure exists, wear approved respirator. Correct fit is essential to obtain adequate protection. Supplied-air type respirator may be required in special circumstances. Correct fit is essential to ensure adequate protection.

An approved self contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) may be required in some situations. Provide adequate ventilation in warehouse or closed storage area. Air contaminants generated in the workplace possess 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.,	0.25- 0.5 m/s (50- 100 f/min.)
evaporating from tank (in still air).	
aerosols, tumes from pouring operations,	0.5- 1 m/s (100- 200 f/min.)
intermittent container filling, low speed	
conveyer transfers, welding, spray drift,	
plating acid fumes, pickling (released at	
low velocity into zone of active generation)	
direct spray, spray painting in shallow	1- 2.5 m/s (200- 500 f/min.)
booths, drum filling, conveyer loading,	
crusher dusts, gas discharge (active	
generation into zone of rapid air motion)	
grinding, abrasive blasting, tumbling, high	2.5- 10 m/s (500- 2000 f/min.)
speed wheel generated dusts (released at	
high initial velocity into zone of very high	
rapid air motion).	

Within each range the appropriate value depends on:

Lower end of the range 1: Room air currents minimal or favourable	Upper end of the range 1: Disturbing room air currents
to capture	3 1 1 1
2: Contaminants of low toxicity or of	2: Contaminants of high toxicity
nuisance value only.	- · ·

3: Intermittent, low production.

4: Large hood or large air mass in motion

3: High production, heavy use 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.

Section 9 - PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

APPEARANCE

Combustible liquid with a hydrocarbon odour; not miscible with water.

PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

Liquid. Does not mix with water. Floats on water.

Molecular Weight: Not Available Melting Range ($^{\circ}$ C): Not Available Solubility in water (g/L): Immiscible pH (1% solution): Not Available Volatile Component (%vol): Not Available Relative Vapour Density (air=1): Not Available Lower Explosive Limit (%): Not Available Autoignition Temp ($^{\circ}$ C): Not Available State: Liquid Boiling Range (\mathfrak{C}): Not Ava ilable Specific Gravity (water= 1): 0.903 pH (as supplied): Not Available Vapour Pressure (kPa): Not Available Evaporation Rate: Not Available Flash Point (\mathfrak{C}): 62 (C C)

Upper Explosive Limit (%): Not Available Decomposition Temp (\mathfrak{C}): Not Available Viscosity: 221 cSt@20 \mathfrak{C}

Section 10 - CHEMICAL STABILITY AND REACTIVITY INFORMATION

CONDITIONS CONTRIBUTING TO INSTABILITY

- Presence of incompatible materials.
- Product is considered stable.
- Hazardous polymerisation will not occur.

Section 11 - TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS

ACUTE HEALTH EFFECTS

SWALLOWED

Accidental ingestion of the material may be damaging to the health of the individual. Ingestion of petroleum hydrocarbons can irritate the pharynx, oesophagus, stomach and small intestine, and cause swellings and ulcers of the mucous. Symptoms include a burning

mouth and throat; larger amounts can cause nausea and vomiting, narcosis, weakness, dizziness, slow and shallow breathing, abdominal swelling, unconsciousness and convulsions. Damage to the heart muscle can produce heart beat irregularities, ventricular fibrillation (fatal) and ECG changes. The central nervous system can be depressed. Light species can cause a sharp tingling of the tongue and cause loss of sensation there. Aspiration can cause cough, gagging, pneumonia with swelling and bleeding.

Considered an unlikely route of entry in commercial/industrial environments. The liquid may produce gastrointestinal discomfort and may be harmful if swallowed. Ingestion may result in nausea, pain and vomiting. Vomit entering the lungs by aspiration may cause potentially lethal chemical pneumonitis.

EYE

There is some evidence to suggest that this material can cause eye irritation and damage in some persons.

Direct eye contact with petroleum hydrocarbons can be painful, and the corneal epithelium may be temporarily damaged. Aromatic species can cause irritation and excessive tear secretion.

SKIN

Skin contact with the material may damage the health of the individual; systemic effects may result following absorption.

There is some evidence to suggest that this material can cause inflammation of the skin on contact in some persons.

The material may accentuate any pre-existing dermatitis condition.

Entry into the blood-stream, through, for example, cuts, abrasions 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.

INHALED

Inhalation of vapours or aerosols (mists, fumes), generated by the material during the course of normal handling, may be damaging to the health of the individual.

There is some evidence to suggest that the material can cause respiratory irritation in some persons. The body's response to such irritation can cause further lung damage. Inhalation hazard is increased at higher temperatures.

Inhalation of oil droplets or aerosols may cause discomfort and may produce chemical inflammation of the lungs.

Inhalation of high concentrations of gas/vapour causes lung irritation with coughing and nausea, central nervous depression with headache and dizziness, slowing of reflexes, fatigue and inco-ordination.

If exposure to highly concentrated solvent atmosphere is prolonged this may lead to narcosis, unconsciousness, even coma and possible death.

CHRONIC HEALTH EFFECTS

There has been some concern that this material can cause cancer or mutations but there is not enough data to make an assessment.

Substance accumulation, in the human body, may occur and may cause some concern following repeated or long-term occupational exposure.

There is limited evidence that, skin contact with this product is more likely to cause a sensitisation reaction in some persons compared to the general population.

Chronic solvent inhalation exposures may result in nervous system impairment and liver and blood changes. [PATTYS].

Constant or exposure over long periods to mixed hydrocarbons may produce stupor with dizziness, weakness and visual disturbance, weight loss and anaemia, and reduced liver and kidney function. Skin exposure may result in drying and cracking and redness of the skin. Chronic exposure to lighter hydrocarbons can cause nerve damage, peripheral neuropathy, bone marrow dysfunction and psychiatric disorders as well as damage the liver and kidneys.

IRRITATION

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TOXICITY AND IRRITATION

Not available. Refer to individual constituents.

DISTILLATES, PETROLEUM, LIGHT, HYDROTREATED: No significant acute toxicological data identified in literature search.

NAPHTHA PETROLEUM, HEAVY, HYDROTREATED: unless otherwise specified data extracted from RTECS - Register of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances.

TOXICITY

Inhalation (rat) LC50: 3400 ppm/4h None reported Dermal (rat) LD50: >4000 mg/kg [EXXON] Dermal (rat) LC50: >11 mg/l [CCINFO- Shell]

Oral (rat) LD50: >8000 mg/kg

Lifetime exposure of rodents to gasoline produces carcinogenicity although the relevance to humans has been questioned. Gasoline induces kidney cancer in male rats as a consequence of accumulation of the alpha2-microglobulin protein in hyaline droplets in the male (but not female) rat kidney. Such abnormal accumulation represents lysosomal overload and leads to chronic renal tubular cell degeneration, accumulation of cell debris, mineralisation of renal medullary tubules and necrosis. A sustained regenerative proliferation occurs in epithelial cells with subsequent neoplastic transformation with continued exposure. The alpha2-microglobulin is produced under the influence of hormonal controls in male rats but not in females and, more importantly, not in humans.

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TOXICITY

Oral (rat) LD50: 930 mg/kg Subcutaneous (rat) LD50: 2702 mg/kg Inhalation (rat) LC50: >4.83 mg/l * Intraperitoneal (mouse) LD50: 200 mg/kg Dermal (rabbit) LD50: >1000 mg/kg * Oral (Rat) LD50: >2400 mg/kg ** Inhalation (Rat) LC50: 20 mg/l/4h ** IRRITATION Eye (rabbit): 0.1 ml - SEVERE

ation (Rat) LC50: 20 mg/l/4h ** Contact allergies quickly manifest themselves as contact eczema, more rarely as urticaria or Quincke's oedema. 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. Mammalian lymphocyte mutagen *Huls Canada

** Merck

COBALT(II) OCTOATE:

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Section 12 - ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

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Some of the material will become associated with benthic sediments, and it is likely to be spread over a fairly wide area of sea floor. Marine sediments may be either aerobic or anaerobic. The material, in probability, is biodegradable, under aerobic conditions (isomerised olefins and alkenes show variable results). Evidence also suggests that the hydrocarbons may be degradable under anaerobic conditions although such degradation in benthic sediments may be a relatively slow process.

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METHYL ETHYL KETOXIME:

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.

DO NOT discharge into sewer or waterways. Fish LC50 (48 h): Oryzias latipes (Medeka) 560 mg/l Fish LC50 (96 h): fathead minnows (Pimephales promelas) 10-840 mg/l EC50 (0.1 h): Vibrio (Photobacterium) phosphoreum 950 ppm Biodegradable Toxicity invertebrate: tox bac 0.63g/l, protozoa 2.5g/l Effects on algae and plankton: tox to algae at 1g/l Fish LC50 (96 h): >560 mg/l Daphnia EC50 (48 h): 750 mg/l

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Easily biodegradable.

COBALT(II) OCTOATE: DO NOT discharge into sewer or waterways.

Section 13 - DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

- 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.

Section 14 - TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION



Labels Required: COMBUSTIBLE LIQUID, regulated under AS1940 for Bulk Storage purposes only. HAZCHEM: None

NOT REGULATED FOR TRANSPORT OF DANGEROUS GOODS:UN, IATA, IMDG

Section 15 - REGULATORY INFORMATION

POISONS SCHEDULE: S5

REGULATIONS

Sikkens Cetol TS Interior (CAS: None): No regulations applicable

distillates, petroleum, light, hydrotreated (CAS: 64742-47-8) is found on the following regulatory lists;

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OECD Representative List of High Production Volume (HPV) Chemicals cobalt(II) octoate (CAS: 13586-82-8) is found on the following regulatory lists; Australia Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS) Australia National Pollutant Inventory

Section 16 - OTHER INFORMATION

INGREDIENTS WITH MULTIPLE CAS NUMBERS

Ingredient Name cobalt(II) octoate

CAS 136- 52- 7, 13586- 82- 8

EXPOSURE STANDARD FOR MIXTURES

"Worst Case" computer-aided prediction of vapour components/concentrations: Composite Exposure Standard for Mixture (TWA) (mg/m3): 2048.0339 mg/m³ If the breathing zone concentration of ANY of the components listed below is exceeded, "Worst Case" considerations deem the individual to be overexposed. Component Breathing Zone ppm Breathing Zone mg/m3 Mixture Conc: (%).

Component	Breathing zone	Breathing Zone	Mixture Conc
	(ppm)	(mg/m³)	(%)
naphtha petroleum, heavy, hydrotreated	21.36	97.5254	2.5
distillates, petroleum, light, hydrotreated	278.64	1950.5085	50.0

Classification of the preparation and its individual components has drawn on official and authoritative sources as well as independent review by the Chemwatch Classification committee using available literature references.

A list of reference resources used to assist the committee may be found at: www.chemwatch.net/references.

The (M)SDS is a Hazard Communication tool and should be used to assist in the Risk Assessment. Many factors determine whether the reported Hazards are Risks in the workplace or other settings. Risks may be determined by reference to Exposures Scenarios. Scale of use, frequency of use and current or available engineering controls must be considered.

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