

SAFETY DATA SHEET

SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE MATERIAL AND SUPPLIER

Product Name: RAPC GUNWASH THINNER

Other Names:

Recommended Use: Thinner

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New Zealand Poisons Centre: 0800 764 766

Australia

1800 738 383

Australian Poisons Centre: 131 126

SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Hazard Classification HAZARDOUS according to NZ HSNO Regulations
Regulated under NZS5433 for land transportation

Risk Phrases

Safety Phrases

Substance Classification 3.1B 6.1D 6.3A 6.4A 6.8B 6.9B 9.1D 9.3B

Hazard Statements Highly flammable liquid and vapour
Harmful if swallowed
Causes skin irritation
Causes eye irritation
Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child.
May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.
May cause long lasting harmful effects to aquatic life
Toxic to terrestrial vertebrates

SECTION 3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Ingredients	%	CAS No	TWA	
Dimethylbenzene	<60	1330-20-7	217 mg/m ³	NZ OSH (WES) 2002
Methyl Isobutyl Ketone	<60	108-10-1	205 mg/m ³	NZ OSH (WES) 2002
Methyl Ethyl Ketone	<60	78-93-3	445 mg/m ³	NZ OSH (WES) 2002

SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Eyes Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do so. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists get medical attention/advice.

Swallowed: Call a POISON CENTRE (NZ 0800 764766) or Australia (131 126) or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

Skin IF ON SKIN: Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower. IF skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

Inhaled Remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.

Aggravated medical conditions caused by exposure

Chronic Health Effects

SECTION 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Extinguisher Foam, Carbon Dioxide, Dry Chemical

Hazards from combustion products

Special protective precautions and equipment for firefighters

Fire/Explosion Hazard Auto Ignition Temperature Lower Explosion Limit Upper Explosion Limit

Hazchem Code Flash Point

3[Y]E

-7°C

SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Emergency Procedures

Keep spectators away and avoid breathing dust or vapours

Methods and materials for containment and clean up

Minor Spills Clean up spills immediately.

Wear protective clothing and breathing apparatus.

Use absorbent clean up materials, such as fire retardant treated sawdust or diatomaceous earth.

Keep spills (and as much as possible cleaning runoffs) out of municipal sewers and waterways.

Sweep up.

Place in separate container for disposal or recovery.

Major Spills Dike and contain spill with inert materials (eg. Sand).

Keep spills (and as much as possible cleaning runoffs) out of municipal sewers and open bodies of water.

Restrict access to area. No smoking or naked lights.

Clear area of personnel and move upwind.

Alert Fire Brigade and tell them location and nature of hazard.

Consider evacuation (or protect in place).

Stop leak if safe to do so.

Collect recoverable product into labelled containers for recycling.

SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling Avoid damaging containers. Keep lids on containers when not in use

Conditions for safe storage including any incompatibilities

Storage Temperatures Min 1°C Max 40°C

SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

National exposure standards for mixture No exposure standards has been established for this product

Component Breathing Zone ppm Breathing Zone mg/m³

Personal Protection

Eye: Safety eyewear with splash guards or side shields to prevent eye contact is recommended when using any paint.

Hands/Feet Protective clothing. Gloves of neoprene or nitrile rubber - Industrial weight lined gauntlet recommended.

Other Overalls, impervious clothing, barrier cream, eyewash unit, skin cleansing cream.

Practice good caution and personal cleanliness to avoid skin contact. Avoid breathing vapours of heated materials. Wash hands thoroughly before handling food.

Respirator

SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance Clear liquid

Odour pH Vapour Pressure Vapour Density Boiling Point Melt Freeze Solubility Volatile by Weight
Immiscible 100

SECTION 10. STABILITY AND ACTIVITY

Chemical Stability Product is considered stable under normal storage and handling conditions.

Conditions to Avoid Freezing, excessive heat and changes in temperature

Incompatible Material

Hazardous decomposition product Oxides of carbon and nitrogen

Hazardous reactions Hazardous polymerisation will not occur.

SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

No data available for this product

Refer to individual raw materials

Component	Oral: LD50 mg/kg	Dermal: LD50 mg/kg	Inhale: LC50 ppm
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SECTION 12. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

No data available for this product

Do not allow the product to enter the environment

Component	Fish: Lc50 mg/Lt	BCF: < 100 Kow
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SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Special precautions for landfill or incineration

Consult manufacturer for recycling options and recycle where possible

Decontaminate empty containers. Observe all label safeguards until containers are cleaned and destroyed

SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

UN Number 1263

UN Proper shipping Paint related material

Subsidiary risk

Poison Schedule HAZCHEM Code 3[Y]E

Packing Group: II Class 3

Special precautions for user**SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

Group Standard HSR002662 Surface Coatings & Colourants - Flammable

Approved Handler Class 3.1B required for quantities greater than 250Lt (containers greater than 5lt capacity) or greater than 500Lt (containers less than 5Lt capacity)

SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

Date of Preparation 28/07/2009

Literature references MSDS's for individual raw material

Abbreviations:

NOHSC National Occupational Health and Safety Commission

TWA Time weighted average

STEL Short term exposure limit

CAS Numbe Chemical Abstract Service registry number

Threshold limit value

Marine Pollutant Marine Pollutant **Safety data sheets are updated frequently. Please ensure that you have a current copy**

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