

# SAFETY DATA SHEET Xylene

# **SECTION 1) IDENTIFICATION**

Product ID: Xylene

Product Name: Cleaning solution

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**Product/Recommended Uses:** 

# **SECTION 2) HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

#### Classification

Acute aquatic toxicity - Category 2

Acute toxicity Dermal - Category 4

Acute toxicity Inhalation - Category 4

Acute toxicity Oral - Category 4

Chronic aquatic toxicity - Category 2

Eye Irritation - Category 2A

Flammable Liquids - Category 3

Skin Irritation - Category 2

Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Repeated Exposure - Category 2

## **Pictograms**









Signal Word

Warning

## **Hazardous Statements - Health**

H312 - Harmful in contact with skin

H332 - Harmful if inhaled

H302 - Harmful if swallowed

H319 - Causes serious eye irritation

H361 - Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child

H315 - Causes skin irritation

H373 - May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

## **Hazardous Statements - Physical**

H226 - Flammable liquid and vapor

#### **Hazardous Statements - Environmental**

H411 - Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

#### **Precautionary Statements - General**

- P101 If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.
- P102 Keep out of reach of children.
- P103 Read label before use.

#### **Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

- P273 Avoid release to the environment.
- P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
- P271 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.
- P264 Wash thoroughly after handling.
- P270 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
- P210 Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.
- P233 Keep container tightly closed.
- P240 Ground/bond container and receiving equipment.
- P241 Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting equipment.
- P242 Use only non-sparking tools.
- P243 Take action to prevent static discharges.
- P201 Obtain special instructions before use.
- P202 Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.
- P260 Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.

#### **Precautionary Statements - Response**

- P302 + P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water.
- P312 Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell.
- P321 Specific treatment (see First-aid on this label).
- P362 + P364 Take off contaminated clothing. And wash it before reuse.
- P304 + P340 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
- P301 + P312 IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell.
- P330 Rinse mouth.
- P391 Collect spillage.
- P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
- P337 + P313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
- P303 + P361 + P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water or shower.
- P370 + P378 In case of fire: Use carbon-di oxide, alcohol foam, water spray or dry chemical to extinguish.
- P308 + P313 IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.
- P332 + P313 If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
- P314 Get Medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.

# **Precautionary Statements - Storage**

- P403 + P235 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.
- P405 Store locked up.

## **Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

P501 - Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/national/international regulations.

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#### Hazards Not Otherwise Classified (HNOC)

None.

| SECTION 3) COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS |               |             |  |
|---------------------------------------------------|---------------|-------------|--|
|                                                   |               |             |  |
| CAS                                               | Chemical Name | % By Weight |  |

## **SECTION 4) FIRST-AID MEASURES**

#### Inhalation

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Remove source of exposure or move person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. If breathing is difficult, trained personnel should administer emergency oxygen if advised to do so by the POISON CENTER/doctor. Eliminate all ignition sources if safe to do so. Get Medical advice/attention if you feel unwell. If exposed/lf you feel unwell/If concerned: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor.

85.00% - 100.00%

#### **Eye Contact**

If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention. Rinse eyes cautiously with lukewarm, gently flowing water for several minutes, while holding the eyelids open. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing for a duration of 15-20 minutes. Take care not to rinse contaminated water into the unaffected eye or onto the face.

#### **Skin Contact**

If skin irritation occurs or you feel unwell: Get medical advice/attention. Wash with plenty of lukewarm, gently flowing water for a duration of 15-20 minutes or until medical aid is available. Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell. Store contaminated clothing under water and wash before re-use or discard. IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention. Take off immediately all contaminated clothing, shoes and leather goods (e.g. watchbands, belts).

## Ingestion

Rinse mouth. If exposed/If you feel unwell/If concerned: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor.

#### Most Important Symptoms and Effects, Both acute and Delayed

No data available.

#### Indication of Any Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment Needed

Treat symptomatically. Contact poison treatment specialist immediately if large quantities have been ingested or inhaled. No specific treatment is required. No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training. It may be dangerous to the person providing aid to give mouth-to-mouth resuscitation.

# **SECTION 5) FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

# Suitable Extinguishing Media

Small Fire: Dry chemical, foam, carbon dioxide, water-spray or alcohol-resistant foam.

Carbon dioxide can displace oxygen. Use caution when applying carbon dioxide in confined spaces.

Large Fire: Water spray, fog or alcohol-resistant foam.

## **Unsuitable Extinguishing Media**

Do not use straight stream of water.

#### **Specific Hazards in Case of Fire**

Runoff may pollute waterways

Fire will produce irritating and toxic gases.

Most vapors are heavier than air.

Vapors may form explosive mixtures with air

Vapors will spread along ground and collect in low or confined areas (sewers, basements, tanks)

Vapors may travel to source of ignition and flash back.

Many liquids are lighter than water.

Containers may explode in fire.

May form an ignitable vapor/air mixture in closed tanks or containers.

#### **Fire-Fighting Procedures**

Isolate immediate hazard area and keep unauthorized personnel out.

Stop spill/release if it can be done safely.

Move undamaged containers from immediate hazard area if it can be done safely.

Cool containers with flooding quantities of water until well after fire is out.

Caution should be exercised when using water or foam as frothing may occur, especially if sprayed into containers of hot, burning liquid.

Dispose of fire debris and contaminated extinguishing water in accordance with official regulations.

#### **Special Protective Actions**

Wear protective pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) and full turnout gear.

#### **SECTION 6) ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

#### **Emergency Procedure**

Stay uphill and/or upstream. Ventilate closed spaces before entering. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled materials unless wearing appropriate protective clothing. ELIMINATE all ignition sources (no smoking, flares, sparks or flames in immediate area). All equipment used when handling the product must be grounded. Evacuate and isolate hazard area and keep unauthorized personnel away. A vapor-suppressing foam may be used to reduce vapors.

# **Recommended Equipment**

Breathing protection is required. Wear chemical protective clothing and positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA).

#### **Personal Precautions**

Do not breathe vapor or mist. Do not get on skin, eyes or clothing.

#### **Environmental Precautions**

Stop spill/release if it can be done safely. Prevent spilled material from entering sewers, storm drains, other unauthorized drainage systems and natural waterways by using sand, earth, or other appropriate barriers. Inform the relevant authorities if the product has caused environmental pollution (sewers, waterways, soil or air). Dike far ahead of liquid spill for later disposal.

# Methods and Materials for Containment and Cleaning Up

Ventilate area after clean-up is complete. Absorb or cover with dry earth, sand or other non-combustible material and transfer to containers. Use clean, non-sparking tools to collect absorbed material.

## **SECTION 7) HANDLING AND STORAGE**

## **General**

Wash hands after use. Use good personal hygiene practices. Eating, drinking and smoking in work areas is prohibited. Remove contaminated clothing and protective equipment before entering eating areas. All containers must be properly labelled. Eyewash stations and showers should be available in areas where this material is used and stored Do not breathe vapor or mist. ELIMINATE all ignition sources (no smoking, flares, sparks or flames in immediate area). Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.

## **Ventilation Requirements**

Use only with adequate ventilation to control air contaminants to their exposure limits. The use of local ventilation is recommended to control emissions near the source. Report ventilation failures immediately.

## **Storage Room Requirements**

Keep containers securely sealed when not in use. Containers that have been opened must be carefully resealed to prevent leakage. Indoor storage should meet OSHA standards and appropriate fire codes. Empty containers retain residue and may be dangerous. Store in cool, dry, well-ventilated areas away from heat, direct sunlight and strong oxidizers. Store in approved containers and protect against physical damage. Take precautionary measures against electrostatic discharge. To avoid fire or explosion, dissipate static electricity during transfer by ground and bonding containers and equipment before transferring material. Use non-sparking ventilation systems, approved explosion-proof equipment and intrinsically safe electrical systems in areas where this product is used and stored.

# **SECTION 8) EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

## **Eye Protection**

Wear eye protection with side shields or goggles. Wear indirect-vent, impact and splash resistant goggles when working with liquids.

## Skin Protection

Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Use of chemical resistant gloves classified under Standard EN374: Protective gloves against chemicals and microorganisms. Examples of preferred glove barrier materials include: Butyl rubber, Polyethylene, Chlorinated polyethylene, Ethyl vinyl alcohol laminate ("EVAL"). Examples of acceptable glove barrier materials include: Viton, Neoprene, Polyvinyl chloride ("PVC" or "vinyl"), Nitrile/butadiene rubber ("nitrile" or "NBR").

Full contact Material: butyl-rubber Minimum layer thickness: 0.3 mm Break through time: 480 min

Material tested: Butoject® (KCL 897 / Aldrich Z677647, Size M).

Splash contact Material: Nitrile rubber Minimum layer thickness: 0.4 mm Break through time: 30 min

Material tested:Camatril® (KCL 730 / Aldrich Z677442, Size M).

Suitability and durability of a glove is dependent on usage, e.g. frequency and duration of contact, chemical resistance of glove material, glove thickness, dexterity. When prolonged or frequently repeated contact may occur, a glove with a protection class of 5 or higher (breakthrough time greater than 240 minutes according to EN 374) is recommended. When only brief contact is expected, a glove with a protection class of 3 or higher (breakthrough time greater than 60 minutes according to EN 374) is recommended. It should be noted that the time to breakthrough for any glove material may be different for different glove manufacturers. Use of gloves approved to relevant standards made from the following materials may provide suitable chemical protection: PVC, neoprene or nitrile rubber gloves. Suitability and durability of a glove is dependent on usage, e.g. frequency and duration of contact, chemical resistance of glove material, glove thickness, dexterity. Always seek advice from glove suppliers. Contaminated gloves should be replaced. Use of an apron and over-boots of chemically impervious materials such as neoprene or nitrile rubber. Launder soiled clothes or properly disposed of contaminated material, which cannot be decontaminated.

## **Respiratory Protection**

If engineering controls do not maintain airborne concentrations to a level which is adequate to protect worker, a respiratory protection program that meets or is equivalent to OSHA 29 CFR 1910.134 should be followed. Check with respiratory protective equipment suppliers.

#### **Appropriate Engineering Controls**

Provide exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls to keep the airborne concentrations of vapors below their respective threshold limit value.

| Chemical<br>Name | ACGIH TWA<br>(mg/m3) | ACGIH TWA (ppm) | ACGIH STEL (mg/m3) | ACGIH STEL (ppm) | ACGIH<br>Carcinogen | ACGIH<br>TLV Basis           | ACGIH<br>Notations | OSHA TWA<br>(mg/m3) |
|------------------|----------------------|-----------------|--------------------|------------------|---------------------|------------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| XYLENE           |                      | 100             |                    | 150              | A4                  | URT & eye irr;<br>CNS imapir | A4; BEI            | 435                 |

| Chemical | OSHA TWA | OSHA STEL | OSHA STEL | OSHA       | OSHA Skin designation | OSHA Tables  | NIOSH TWA | NIOSH TWA |
|----------|----------|-----------|-----------|------------|-----------------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|
| Name     | (ppm)    | (mg/m3)   | (ppm)     | Carcinogen |                       | (Z1, Z2, Z3) | (mg/m3)   | (ppm)     |
| XYLENE   | 100      |           |           |            |                       | 1            | 435       | 100       |

| Chemical<br>Name | NIOSH STEL (mg/m3) | NIOSH STEL (ppm) | NIOSH<br>Carcinogen |
|------------------|--------------------|------------------|---------------------|
| XYLENE           | 655                | 150              |                     |

(C) - Ceiling limit, A4 - Not Classifiable as a Human Carcinogen, BEI - Substances for which there is a Biological Exposure Index or Indices, CNS - Central nervous system, irr - Irritation, URT - Upper respiratory tract

## **SECTION 9) PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

#### **Physical and Chemical Properties**

| Density Specific Gravity % Solids By Weight | 7.17683 lb/gal<br>0.85998<br>0.00000% |
|---------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| <br>Appearance                              | N/A                                   |
| Odor Description                            | N/A                                   |
| рН                                          | N/A                                   |
| Water Solubility                            | N/A                                   |
| Flammability                                | N/A                                   |
| Flash Point                                 | N/A                                   |
| Viscosity                                   | N/A                                   |
| Lower Explosion Level                       | N/A                                   |
| Upper Explosion Level                       | N/A                                   |
|                                             |                                       |

| Vapor Density         | N/A |
|-----------------------|-----|
| Freezing Point        | N/A |
| Melting Point         | N/A |
| Low Boiling Point     | N/A |
| Evaporation Rate      | N/A |
| Coefficient Water/Oil | N/A |
|                       |     |

# **SECTION 10) STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

# **Stability**

Stable under normal storage and handling conditions.

#### **Conditions To Avoid**

Avoid all possible sources of ignition, heat, sparks, flame, build up of static electricity and contact with incompatible materials.

## **Hazardous Reactions/Polymerization**

Will not occur.

## **Incompatible Materials**

Strong bases, acids, and oxidizing agents.

## **Hazardous Decomposition Products**

Oxides of carbon.

# **SECTION 11) TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

# **Acute Toxicity**

Harmful in contact with skin

Harmful if inhaled

Harmful if swallowed

The Acute Toxicity Estimate (ATE) for an oral exposure to this mixture is 500 mg/kg body weight

The Acute Toxicity Estimate (ATE) for a dermal exposure to this mixture is 1100 mg/kg body weight

The Acute Toxicity Estimate (ATE) for an inhalation (vapour) exposure to this mixture is 11 mg/l

## **Aspiration Hazard**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

## Carcinogenicity

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

## **Germ Cell Mutagenicity**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

## **Reproductive Toxicity**

Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child

## **Respiratory/Skin Sensitization**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

## **Serious Eye Damage/Irritation**

Causes serious eye irritation

## **Skin Corrosion/Irritation**

Causes skin irritation

#### **Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Repeated Exposure**

May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

## **Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Single Exposure**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

#### **Likely Routes of Exposure**

Inhalation, Ingestion, Skin contact, Eye contact

#### **Chronic Exposure**

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High exposure to Xylenes in some animal studies have been reported to cause health effects on the developing embryo/fetus.

Xylene in high concentrations has caused embryotoxic effects in laboratory animals.

#### Potential Health Effects - Miscellaneous

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Increased susceptibility to the effects of this material may be observed in people with preexisting disease of any of the following: bone marrow, cardiovascular system, central nervous system, kidneys, liver, lungs. Recurrent overexposure may result in liver and kidney injury. High exposures may produce irregular heart beats. Canada classifies Xylene as a developmental toxin as high exposures to xylenes in some animal studies have been reported to cause health effects on the developing fetus/embryo. These effects were often at levels toxic to the adult animal. The significance of these effects to humans is not known. Repeated or prolonged skin contact may cause any of the following: irritation, dryness, cracking of the skin.

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LC50 (rat): 6350 ppm (4-hour exposure) (unspecified isomers and ethylbenzene) (1)LC50 (rat): 6700 ppm (4-hour exposure) (65% m-xylene,

7.6% o-xylene, 7.8% p-xylene, 19.3% ethylbenzene) (2) ethylbenzene) (1)

LC50 (rat): 6700 ppm (4-hour exposure) (65% m-xylene, 7.6% o-xylene, 7.8% p-xylene, 19.3% ethylbenzene)(2)

LD50 (oral, rat): 5400 mg/kg (52% m-, 19% o-, 24% p-) (1)LD50 (oral, female mouse): 5251 mg/kg (60.2% m-, 9.1% o-, 14.6% p-, 17.0% ethylbenzene) (4)

LD50 (oral, male mouse): 5627 mg/kg (60.2% m-, 9.1% o-, 14.6% p-, 17.0% ethylbenzene) (4)

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# **SECTION 12) ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### **Toxicity**

Toxic to aquatic life

Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

## **Mobility in Soil**

No data available.

#### **Bioaccumulative Potential**

No data available.

#### **Persistence and Degradability**

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50% of applied radiolabelled o-xylene was mineralised in 23 days, and 50% p-xylene was mineralised in 13 days.

## **Other Adverse Effects**

No data available.

# **SECTION 13) DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

## **Waste Disposal**

It is the responsibility of the user of the product to determine at the time of disposal whether the product meets local criteria for hazardous waste. Waste management should be in full compliance with national, state and local laws. Empty Containers retain product residue which may exhibit hazards of material, therefore do not pressurize, cut, glaze, weld or use for any other purposes.

# **SECTION 14) Transport Information**

|                              | U.S. DOT Information                                                                                                                                                                  | IMDG Information                                                                                                                                                                      | IATA Information                                                                                                                                                                      |
|------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| UN number:                   | UN1139                                                                                                                                                                                | UN1139                                                                                                                                                                                | UN1139                                                                                                                                                                                |
| Proper shipping name:        | Coating solution<br>(includes surface<br>treatments or<br>coatings used for<br>industrial or other<br>purposes such as<br>vehicle undercoating,<br>drum or barrel lining)<br>(XYLENE) | Coating solution<br>(includes surface<br>treatments or<br>coatings used for<br>industrial or other<br>purposes such as<br>vehicle undercoating,<br>drum or barrel lining)<br>(XYLENE) | Coating solution<br>(includes surface<br>treatments or<br>coatings used for<br>industrial or other<br>purposes such as<br>vehicle undercoating,<br>drum or barrel lining)<br>(XYLENE) |
| Hazard class:                | 3                                                                                                                                                                                     | 3                                                                                                                                                                                     | 3                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| Packaging group:             | III                                                                                                                                                                                   | III                                                                                                                                                                                   | III                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| Hazardous substance (RQ):    | No Data Available                                                                                                                                                                     |                                                                                                                                                                                       |                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| Marine Pollutant:            | No Data Available                                                                                                                                                                     | No Data Available                                                                                                                                                                     |                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| Note / Special<br>Provision: | No Data Available                                                                                                                                                                     | No Data Available                                                                                                                                                                     | No Data Available                                                                                                                                                                     |
| Toxic-Inhalation Hazard:     | No Data Available                                                                                                                                                                     |                                                                                                                                                                                       |                                                                                                                                                                                       |

# **SECTION 15) REGULATORY INFORMATION**

# Safety, health and environmental regulations

The product has been evaluated against the following relevant regulations: U.S.A Toxic Substance Control Act (TSCA) California Proposition 65 Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 Title III (Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act of 1986) Sections 311 and 312 Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 Title III (Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act of 1986) Section 313 Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980 (CERCLA) Section 103

| CAS          | Chemical Name | % By Weight      | Regulation List              |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|------------------------------|
| 0001330-20-7 | XYLENE        | 85.00% - 100.00% | SARA313, CERCLA,SARA312,TSCA |

# **SECTION 16) OTHER INFORMATION**

## **Glossary**

ACGIH - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists; CAS - Chemical Abstracts Service; Chemtrec - Chemical Transportation Emergency Center; DSL - Domestic Substances List; ESL- Effects screening levels; GHS - "Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals" developed by the United Nations; HMIS - Hazardous Material Information Service; IATA - Dangerous Goods Regulations (DGR) for the air transport (IATA); IMDG - International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code; LC - Lethal Concentration; LD - Lethal Dose; NFPA - National Fire Protection Association; OEL - Occupational Exposure Limits; OSHA- Occupational Safety and Health Administration, US Department of Labor; PEL - Permissible Exposure Limit; SARA 313 - Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act, Section 313; SCBA - Self Contained Breathing Apparatus; ppm - parts per million; STEL - Short-term exposure limit; TLV - Threshold Limit Value; TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act Public Law 94-469; TWA - Time-weighted average; US DOT- US Department of Transportation.

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