# Devcon Flexane Primer for Rubber (FL-20) ITW POLYMERS & FLUIDS

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Safety Data Sheet according to Work Health and Safety Regulations (Hazardous Chemicals) 2023 and ADG requirements

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## SECTION 1 Identification of the substance / mixture and of the company / undertaking

### **Product Identifier**

Product name	Devcon Flexane Primer for Rubber (FL-20)	
Chemical Name	Not Applicable	
Synonyms	Not Available	
Proper shipping name	COATING SOLUTION (includes surface treatments or coatings used for industrial or other purposes such as vehicle undercoating, drum or barrel lining)	
Chemical formula	Not Applicable	
Other means of identification	Not Available	

### Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Relevant identified uses	Primer of two part polyurethane system.  The use of a quantity of material in an unventilated or confined space may result in increased exposure and an irritating atmosphere developing. Before starting consider control of exposure by mechanical ventilation.  Persons with a history of asthma or other respiratory problems or are known to be sensitised, should not be engaged in any work involving the handling of isocyanates.  The chemistry of reaction of isocyanates, as evidenced by MDI, in biological milieu is such that in the event of a true exposure of small MDI doses to the mouth, reactions will commence at once with biological macromolecules in the buccal region and will
	continue along the digestive tract prior to reaching the stomach.

### Details of the manufacturer or supplier of the safety data sheet

Registered company name	ITW POLYMERS & FLUIDS	ITW Polymers & Fluids (NZ)	
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Telephone	+61 2 9757 8800	0800 476 265	
Fax +61 2 9757 3855		+64 9 273 6489	
Website	www.itwpf.com.au	www.itwpf.co.nz	
Email	Not Available	Not Available	

### **Emergency telephone number**

Association / Organisation	CHEMWATCH EMERGENCY RESPONSE (24/7)	ITW Polymers & Fluids (NZ)	CHEMWATCH EMERGENCY RESPONSE (24/7)
Emergency telephone numbers	+61 1800 951 288	0800 2436 2255	+61 1800 951 288
Other emergency telephone numbers	+61 3 9573 3188	Not Available	+61 3 9573 3188

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### **SECTION 2 Hazards identification**

### Classification of the substance or mixture

HAZARDOUS CHEMICAL. DANGEROUS GOODS. According to the WHS Regulations and the ADG Code.

Poisons Schedule	S5
Classification [1]  Flammable Liquids Category 2, Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation Category 2A, Sensitisation (Respiratory) Category  Target Organ Toxicity - Single Exposure (Narcotic Effects) Category 3, Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Repeated Exportance Category 2	
Legend:	1. Classified by Chemwatch; 2. Classification drawn from HCIS; 3. Classification drawn from Regulation (EU) No 1272/2008 -

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Annex VI

### Label elements

Hazard pictogram(s)







Signal word

Danger

### Hazard statement(s)

H225	Highly flammable liquid and vapour.	
H319	Causes serious eye irritation.	
H334	lay cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.	
H336	May cause drowsiness or dizziness.	
H373	May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.	
AUH066	AUH066 Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness and cracking.	

### Precautionary statement(s) General

P101	If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.	
P102	Keep out of reach of children.	
P103	Read carefully and follow all instructions.	

## Precautionary statement(s) Prevention

P210	P210 Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.	
P260 Do not breathe mist/vapours/spray.		
P271 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.		
P284 [In case of inadequate ventilation] wear respiratory protection.		

## Precautionary statement(s) Response

P304+P340 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.		
	P342+P311 If experiencing respiratory symptoms: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor/physician/first aider.	
P370+P378 In case of fire: Use alcohol resistant foam or normal protein foam to extinguish.		In case of fire: Use alcohol resistant foam or normal protein foam to extinguish.
P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue		

### Precautionary statement(s) Storage

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

### Precautionary statement(s) Disposal

P501 Dispose of contents/container	to authorised hazardous or special waste collection point in accordance with any local regulation.
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### **SECTION 3 Composition / information on ingredients**

### **Substances**

See section below for composition of Mixtures

## **Mixtures**

CAS No	%[weight]	Name
141-78-6	60-100 ethyl acetate	
5124-30-1	<1	methylene bis(4-cyclohexylisocyanate)
Legend: 1. Classified by Chemwatch; 2. Classification drawn from HCIS; 3. Classification drawn from Regulation (EU) No 1272/2008 - Annex VI; 4. Classification drawn from C&L * EU IOELVs available		

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### **SECTION 4 First aid measures**

Eye Contact	<ul> <li>If this product comes in contact with the eyes:</li> <li>Wash out immediately with fresh running water.</li> <li>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.</li> <li>Seek medical attention without delay; if pain persists or recurs seek medical attention.</li> <li>Removal of contact lenses after an eye injury should only be undertaken by skilled personnel.</li> </ul>
Skin Contact	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.
Inhalation	<ul> <li>If fumes or combustion products are inhaled remove from contaminated area.</li> <li>Lay patient down. Keep warm and rested.</li> <li>Prostheses such as false teeth, which may block airway, should be removed, where possible, prior to initiating first aid procedures.</li> <li>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.</li> <li>Transport to hospital, or doctor.</li> </ul>
Ingestion	<ul> <li>Immediately give a glass of water.</li> <li>First aid is not generally required. If in doubt, contact a Poisons Information Centre or a doctor.</li> <li>If spontaneous vomiting appears imminent or occurs, hold patient's head down, lower than their hips to help avoid possib</li> </ul>

### Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

aspiration of vomitus.

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 layage 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 simple esters:

### BASIC TREATMENT

Establish a patent airway with suction where necessary.

- Watch for signs of respiratory insufficiency and assist ventilation as necessary.
- Administer oxygen by non-rebreather mask at 10 to 15 l/min.
- Monitor and treat, where necessary, for pulmonary oedema.
- Monitor and treat, where necessary, for shock.
- DO NOT use emetics. Where ingestion is suspected rinse mouth and give up to 200 ml water (5 ml/kg recommended) for dilution where patient is able to swallow, has a strong gag reflex and does not drool.
- Give activated charcoal.

ADVANCED TREATMENT

- ▶ Consider orotracheal or nasotracheal intubation for airway control in unconscious patient or where respiratory arrest has occurred.
- Positive-pressure ventilation using a bag-valve mask might be of use.
- Monitor and treat, where necessary, for arrhythmias.
- Start an IV D5W TKO. If signs of hypovolaemia are present use lactated Ringers solution. Fluid overload might create complications.
- Drug therapy should be considered for pulmonary oedema.
- Hypotension with signs of hypovolaemia requires the cautious administration of fluids. Fluid overload might create complications.
- Treat seizures with diazepam.
- Proparacaine hydrochloride should be used to assist eye irrigation.

## **EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT**

Laboratory analysis of complete blood count, serum electrolytes, BUN, creatinine, glucose, urinalysis, baseline for serum aminotransferases (ALT and AST), calcium, phosphorus and magnesium, may assist in establishing a treatment regime. Other useful analyses include anion and osmolar gaps, arterial blood gases (ABGs), chest radiographs and electrocardiograph.

- Positive end-expiratory pressure (PEEP)-assisted ventilation may be required for acute parenchymal injury or adult respiratory distress syndrome.
- Consult a toxicologist as necessary.

BRONSTEIN, A.C. and CURRANCE, P.L. EMERGENCY CARE FOR HAZARDOUS MATERIALS EXPOSURE: 2nd Ed. 1994

For sub-chronic and chronic exposures to isocyanates:

- This material may be a potent pulmonary sensitiser which causes bronchospasm even in patients without prior airway hyperreactivity.
- Clinical symptoms of exposure involve mucosal irritation of respiratory and gastrointestinal tracts.
- · Conjunctival irritation, skin inflammation (erythema, pain vesiculation) and gastrointestinal disturbances occur soon after exposure.
- Pulmonary symptoms include cough, burning, substernal pain and dyspnoea.
- Some cross-sensitivity occurs between different isocyanates.
- Noncardiogenic pulmonary oedema and bronchospasm are the most serious consequences of exposure. Markedly symptomatic patients should receive oxygen, ventilatory support and an intravenous line.
- Treatment for asthma includes inhaled sympathomimetics (epinephrine [adrenalin], terbutaline) and steroids.
- · Activated charcoal (1 g/kg) and a cathartic (sorbitol, magnesium citrate) may be useful for ingestion.

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- Mydriatics, systemic analgesics and topical antibiotics (Sulamyd) may be used for corneal abrasions.
- There is no effective therapy for sensitised workers.

[Ellenhorn and Barceloux; Medical Toxicology]

**NOTE:** Isocyanates cause airway restriction in naive individuals with the degree of response dependant on the concentration and duration of exposure. They induce smooth muscle contraction which leads to bronchoconstrictive episodes. Acute changes in lung function, such as decreased FEV1, may not represent sensitivity.

[Karol & Jin, Frontiers in Molecular Toxicology, pp 56-61, 1992]

Personnel who work with isocyanates, isocyanate prepolymers or polyisocyanates should have a pre-placement medical examination and periodic examinations thereafter, including a pulmonary function test. Anyone with a medical history of chronic respiratory disease, asthmatic or bronchial attacks, indications of allergic responses, recurrent eczema or sensitisation conditions of the skin should not handle or work with isocyanates. Anyone who develops chronic respiratory distress when working with isocyanates should be removed from exposure and examined by a physician. Further exposure must be avoided if a sensitivity to isocyanates or polyisocyanates has developed.

### **SECTION 5 Firefighting measures**

### **Extinguishing media**

- Water spray or fog.
- Alcohol stable foam.
- Dry chemical powder.
- Carbon dioxide.

Do not use a water jet to fight fire.

### Special hazards arising from the substrate or mixture

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

### Advice for firefighters

Fire Fighting	<ul> <li>Alert Fire Brigade and tell them location and nature of hazard.</li> <li>May be violently or explosively reactive.</li> <li>Wear breathing apparatus plus protective gloves in the event of a fire.</li> <li>Prevent, by any means available, spillage from entering drains or water course.</li> </ul>
Fire/Explosion Hazard	<ul> <li>Liquid and vapour are highly flammable.</li> <li>Severe fire hazard when exposed to heat, flame and/or oxidisers.</li> <li>Vapour may travel a considerable distance to source of ignition.</li> <li>Heating may cause expansion or decomposition leading to violent rupture of containers.</li> <li>Combustion products include:         <ul> <li>carbon dioxide (CO2)</li> <li>isocyanates</li> <li>and minor amounts of</li> <li>hydrogen cyanide</li> <li>nitrogen oxides (NOx)</li> <li>other pyrolysis products typical of burning organic material.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Contains low boiling substance: Closed containers may rupture due to pressure buildup under fire conditions.</li> <li>When heated at high temperatures many isocyanates decompose rapidly generating a vapour which pressurises containers, possibly to the point of rupture. Release of toxic and/or flammable isocyanate vapours may then occur</li> <li>Burns with acrid black smoke.</li> </ul>
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### **SECTION 6 Accidental release measures**

### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

See section 8

### **Environmental precautions**

See section 12

### Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Minor Spills	<ul> <li>Remove all ignition sources.</li> <li>Clean up all spills immediately.</li> <li>Avoid breathing vapours and contact with skin and eyes.</li> <li>Control personal contact with the substance, by using protective equipment.</li> </ul>
Major Spills	<ul> <li>Liquid Isocyanates and high isocyanate vapour concentrations will penetrate seals on self contained breathing apparatus - SCBA should be used inside encapsulating suit where this exposure may occur.</li> <li>For isocyanate spills of less than 40 litres (2 m2):</li> <li>Evacuate area from everybody not dealing with the emergency, keep them upwind and prevent further access, remove ignition sources and, if inside building, ventilate area as well as possible.</li> <li>Notify supervision and others as necessary.</li> </ul>

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- Put on personal protective equipment (suitable respiratory protection, face and eye protection, protective suit, gloves and
- ▶ Control source of leakage (where applicable).
- Avoid contamination with water, alkalies and detergent solutions.
- ▶ Material reacts with water and generates gas, pressurises containers with even drum rupture resulting.
- DO NOT reseal container if contamination is suspected.
- Open all containers with care.
- Clear area of personnel and move upwind.
- ▶ Alert Fire Brigade and tell them location and nature of hazard.
- May be violently or explosively reactive.
- Wear breathing apparatus plus protective gloves.

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

### SECTION 7 Handling and storage

### Precautions for safe 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.

### Contains low boiling substance:

Storage in sealed containers may result in pressure buildup causing violent rupture of containers not rated appropriately.

- Check for bulging containers.
- Vent periodically Safe handling
  - ▶ Always release caps or seals slowly to ensure slow dissipation of vapours
  - DO NOT allow clothing wet with material to stay in contact with skin
  - Avoid all personal contact, including inhalation.
  - Wear protective clothing when risk of exposure occurs.
  - Use in a well-ventilated area.
  - Prevent concentration in hollows and sumps.

## Other information

for commercial quantities of isocyanates: · Isocyanates should be stored in adequately bunded areas. Nothing else should be kept within the same bunding. Pre-polymers need not be segregated. Drums of isocyanates should be stored under cover, out of direct sunlight, protected from rain,

- protected from physical damage and well away from moisture, acids and alkalis.
- Store in original containers in approved flame-proof area. No smoking, naked lights, heat or ignition sources.
- ▶ DO NOT store in pits, depression, basement or areas where vapours may be trapped.
- ▶ Keep containers securely sealed.

### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

### Suitable container

- Packing as supplied by manufacturer.
- Plastic containers may only be used if approved for flammable liquid.
- Check that containers are clearly labelled and free from leaks.
- For low viscosity materials (i): Drums and jerry cans must be of the non-removable head type. (ii): Where a can is to be used as an inner package, the can must have a screwed enclosure.
- ▶ For materials with a viscosity of at least 2680 cSt. (23 deg. C)
- ▶ For manufactured product having a viscosity of at least 250 cSt.

## Storage incompatibility

· Avoid reaction with water, alcohols and detergent solutions. Isocyanates are electrophiles, and as such they are reactive toward a variety of nucleophiles including alcohols, amines, and even water. Upon treatment with an alcohol, an isocyanate forms a urethane linkage. If a di-isocyanate is treated with a compound containing two or more hydroxyl groups, such as a diol or a polyol, polymer chains are formed, which are known as polyurethanes.

A range of exothermic decomposition energies for isocyanates is given as 20-30 kJ/mol.

▶ The relationship between energy of decomposition and processing hazards has been the subject of discussion; it is suggested that values of energy released per unit of mass, rather than on a molar basis (J/g) be used in the assessment.

For example, in "open vessel processes" (with man-hole size openings, in an industrial setting), substances with exothermic decomposition energies below 500 J/g are unlikely to present a danger, whilst those in "closed vessel processes" (opening is a safety valve or bursting disk) present some danger where the decomposition energy exceeds 150 J/g.

BRETHERICK: Handbook of Reactive Chemical Hazards, 4th Edition

### **SECTION 8 Exposure controls / personal protection**

### Control parameters

### Occupational Exposure Limits (OEL)

### INGREDIENT DATA

Source	Ingredient	Material name	TWA	STEL	Peak	Notes
Australia Exposure Standards	ethyl acetate	Ethyl acetate	200 ppm / 720 mg/m3	1440 mg/m3 / 400 ppm	Not Available	Not Available
Australia Exposure Standards	methylene bis(4- cyclohexylisocyanate)	Methylene bis(4-cyclo- hexylisocyanate)	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available

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Ingredient	Original IDLH	Revised IDLH
ethyl acetate	Not Available	Not Available
methylene bis(4- cyclohexylisocyanate)	Not Available	Not Available

### **Exposure controls**

## Appropriate engineering controls

Engineering controls are used to remove a hazard or place a barrier between the worker and the hazard. Well-designed engineering controls can be highly effective in protecting workers and will typically be independent of worker interactions to provide this high level of protection.

The basic types of engineering controls are:

Process controls which involve changing the way a job activity or process is done to reduce the risk.

Enclosure and/or isolation of emission source which keeps a selected hazard "physically" away from the worker and ventilation that strategically "adds" and "removes" air in the work environment.

### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment











### Eye and face protection

- Safety glasses with side shields.
- Chemical goggles. [AS/NZS 1337.1, EN166 or national equivalent]
- Contact lenses may pose a special hazard; soft contact lenses may absorb and concentrate irritants. A written policy document, describing the wearing of lenses or restrictions on use, should be created for each workplace or task.

### Skin protection

### See Hand protection below

### 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.
- ▶ Contaminated leather items, such as shoes, belts and watch-bands should be removed and destroyed.

## The selection of suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality which vary from manufacturer to manufacturer. Where the chemical is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material can not be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application.

The exact break through time for substances has to be obtained from the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed when making a final choice.

Personal hygiene is a key element of effective hand care.

- ▶ Isocyanate resistant materials include Teflon, Viton, nitrile rubber and some PVA gloves.
- ▶ Protective gloves and overalls should be worn as specified in the appropriate national standard.
- Contaminated garments should be removed promptly and should not be re-used until they have been decontaminated.
- ▶ NOTE: Natural rubber, neoprene, PVC can be affected by isocyanates

### **Body protection**

## See Other protection below

### Overalls.

- ▶ PVC Apron.
- ▶ PVC protective suit may be required if exposure severe.
- Eyewash unit.

## Other protection

- Some plastic personal protective equipment (PPE) (e.g. gloves, aprons, overshoes) are not recommended as they may produce static electricity.
- ▶ For large scale or continuous use wear tight-weave non-static clothing (no metallic fasteners, cuffs or pockets).
- Non sparking safety or conductive footwear should be considered. Conductive footwear describes a boot or shoe with a sole made from a conductive compound chemically bound to the bottom components, for permanent control to electrically ground the foot an shall dissipate static electricity from the body to reduce the possibility of ignition of volatile compounds.

### Respiratory protection

Type A Filter of sufficient capacity. (AS/NZS 1716 & 1715, EN 143:2000 & 149:2001, ANSI Z88 or national equivalent)

- In certain circumstances, personal protection of the individual employee is necessary. Personal protective devices should be regarded as being supplementary to substitution and engineering control and should not be used in preference to them as they do nothing to eliminate the hazard.
- However, in some situations, minimising exposure to isocyanates by enclosure and ventilation is not possible, and occupational exposure standards may be exceeded, particularly during on-site mixing of paints, spray-painting, foaming and maintenance of machine and ventilation systems. In these situations, airline respirators or self-contained breathing apparatus complying with the appropriate nationals standard must be used.
- Organic vapour respirators with particulate pre- filters and powered, air-purifying respirators are NOT suitable
- Personal protective equipment must be appropriately selected, individually fitted and workers trained in their correct use and maintenance. Personal protective equipment must be regularly checked and maintained to ensure that the worker is being protected.
- Air- line respirators or self-contained breathing apparatus complying with the appropriate national standard should be used during the clean-up of spills and the repair or clean-up of contaminated equipment and similar situations which cause emergency exposures to hazardous atmospheric concentrations of isocyanate.

## **SECTION 9 Physical and chemical properties**

### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance Mobile orange highly

Mobile orange highly flammable liquid with solvent odour; not miscible with water. Will react with water to release carbon dioxide.

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Physical state	Liquid	Relative density (Water = 1)	0.9
Odour	Not Available	Partition coefficient n- octanol / water	Not Available
Odour threshold	Not Available	Auto-ignition temperature (°C)	Not Available
pH (as supplied)	7	Decomposition temperature (°C)	Not Available
Melting point / freezing point (°C)	Not Available	Viscosity (cSt)	Not Available
Initial boiling point and boiling range (°C)	>77.7	Molecular weight (g/mol)	Not Applicable
Flash point (°C)	-4 (TCC)	Taste	Not Available
Evaporation rate	4.1 BuAc=1	Explosive properties	Not Available
Flammability	HIGHLY FLAMMABLE.	Oxidising properties	Not Available
Upper Explosive Limit (%)	11	Surface Tension (dyn/cm or mN/m)	Not Available
Lower Explosive Limit (%)	2	Volatile Component (%vol)	Not Available
Vapour pressure (kPa)	Not Available	Gas group	Not Available
Solubility in water	Partly miscible	pH as a solution (1%)	Not Available
Vapour density (Air = 1)	>1	VOC g/L	Not Available
Heat of Combustion (kJ/g)	Not Available	Ignition Distance (cm)	Not Available
Flame Height (cm)	Not Available	Flame Duration (s)	Not Available
Enclosed Space Ignition Time Equivalent (s/m3)	Not Available	Enclosed Space Ignition Deflagration Density (g/m3)	Not Available

## **SECTION 10 Stability and reactivity**

Reactivity	See section 7
Chemical stability	<ul> <li>Unstable in the presence of incompatible materials.</li> <li>Product is considered stable.</li> <li>Hazardous polymerisation will not occur.</li> </ul>
Possibility of hazardous reactions	See section 7
Conditions to avoid	See section 7
Incompatible materials	See section 7
Hazardous decomposition products	See section 5

## **SECTION 11 Toxicological information**

## Information on toxicological effects

Inhaled	Inhalation of aerosols (mists, fumes), generated by the material during the course of normal handling, may be harmful.  Inhalation of vapours may cause drowsiness and dizziness. This may be accompanied by sleepiness, reduced alertness, loss of reflexes, lack of co-ordination, and vertigo.  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.  The main effects of simple esters are irritation, stupor and insensibility. Headache, drowsiness, dizziness, coma and behavioural changes may occur.  The use of a quantity of material in an unventilated or confined space may result in increased exposure and an irritating atmosphere developing. Before starting consider control of exposure by mechanical ventilation.
Ingestion	Swallowing of the liquid may cause aspiration into the lungs with the risk of chemical pneumonitis; serious consequences may result. (ICSC13733)  Accidental ingestion of the material may be damaging to the health of the individual.
Skin Contact	Repeated exposure may cause skin cracking, flaking or drying following normal handling and use.  Skin contact with the material may damage the health of the individual; systemic effects may result following absorption.  Open cuts, abraded or irritated skin should not be exposed to this material  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.
Еуе	This material can cause eye irritation and damage in some persons.  The liquid produces a high level of eye discomfort and is capable of causing pain and severe conjunctivitis. Corneal injury may develop, with possible permanent impairment of vision, if not promptly and adequately treated.

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Inhaling this product is more likely to cause a sensitisation reaction in some persons compared to the general population. Skin contact with the material is more likely to cause a sensitisation reaction in some persons compared to the general population.

Prolonged or repeated skin contact may cause drying with cracking, irritation and possible dermatitis following. Substance accumulation, in the human body, may occur and may cause some concern following repeated or long-term occupational exposure.

Chronic Persons with a history of asthma or other respiratory problems or are known to be sensitised, should not be engaged in any work involving the handling of isocyanates.

The chemistry of reaction of isocyanates, as evidenced by MDI, in biological milieu is such that in the event of a true exposure of small MDI doses to the mouth, reactions will commence at once with biological macromolecules in the buccal region and will continue along the digestive tract prior to reaching the stomach. Reaction products will be a variety of polyureas and macromolecular conjugates with for example mucus, proteins and cell components.

This is corroborated by the results from an MDI inhalation study.

con Flexane Primer for	TOXICITY	IRRITATION	
Rubber (FL-20)	Not Available	Not Available	
	TOXICITY	IRRITATION	
	Dermal (rabbit) LD50: >18000 mg/kg <sup>[2]</sup>	Eye (human): 400 ppm	
ethyl acetate	Inhalation (Mouse) LC50: >18 mg/l4h <sup>[1]</sup>	Eye: no adverse effect observed (not irritating) <sup>[1]</sup>	
	Oral (Mouse) LD50; 4100 mg/kg <sup>[2]</sup>	Skin: no adverse effect observed (not irritating) <sup>[1]</sup>	
	TOXICITY	IRRITATION	
	Dermal (rabbit) LD50: >10000 mg/kg <sup>[2]</sup>	Eye (rabbit): slight irritant*	
methylene bis(4-	Inhalation (Rat) LC50: 0.295 mg/L4h <sup>[1]</sup>	Eye: adverse effect observed (irritating) <sup>[1]</sup>	
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methylene bis(4- cyclohexylisocyanate)	Oral (Rat) LD50: 9900 mg/kg <sup>[2]</sup>	Skin (guinea pig): sensitiser* *[Bayer]	

### METHYLENE BIS(4-CYCLOHEXYLISOCYANATE)

Inhalation (Rat, adult female) LC50: 307 mg/m3/4h \* Inhalation (Rat, adult male) LC50: 295 mg/m3/4h \* \* Vendor MSDS Isocyanate vapours are irritating to the airways and can cause their inflammation, with wheezing, gasping, severe distress, even loss of consciousness and fluid in the lungs. Nervous system symptoms that may occur include headache, sleep disturbance, euphoria, inco-ordination, anxiety, depression and paranoia.

The material may be irritating to the eye, with prolonged contact causing inflammation. Repeated or prolonged exposure to irritants may produce conjunctivitis.

Aromatic and aliphatic diisocyanates may cause airway toxicity and skin sensitization. Monomers and prepolymers exhibit similar respiratory effect. Of the several members of diisocyanates tested on experimental animals by inhalation and oral exposure, some caused cancer while others produced a harmless outcome. This group of compounds has therefore been classified as cancer-causing.

### Devcon Flexane Primer for Rubber (FL-20) & METHYLENE BIS(4-CYCLOHEXYLISOCYANATE)

The following information refers to contact allergens as a group and may not be specific to this product.

Unless otherwise specified data extracted from RTECS - Register of Toxic Effect of chemical Substances

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.

Allergic reactions involving the respiratory tract are usually due to interactions between IgE antibodies and allergens and occur rapidly. Allergic potential of the allergen and period of exposure often determine the severity of symptoms. Some people may be genetically more prone than others, and exposure to other irritants may aggravate symptoms. Allergy causing activity is due to interactions with proteins.

Attention should be paid to atopic diathesis, characterised by increased susceptibility to nasal inflammation, asthma and eczema.

Exogenous allergic alveolitis is induced essentially by allergen specific immune-complexes of the IgG type; cell-mediated reactions (T lymphocytes) may be involved. Such allergy is of the delayed type with onset up to four hours following exposure.

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Asthma-like symptoms may continue for months or even years after exposure to the material ends. This may be due to a non-allergic condition known as reactive airways dysfunction syndrome (RADS) which can occur after exposure to high levels of highly irritating compound. Main criteria for diagnosing RADS include the absence of previous airways disease in a non-atopic individual, with sudden onset of persistent asthma-like symptoms within minutes to hours of a documented exposure to the irritant. Other criteria for diagnosis of RADS include a reversible airflow pattern on lung function tests, moderate to severe bronchial hyperreactivity on methacholine challenge testing, and the lack of minimal lymphocytic inflammation, without eosinophilia.

Acute Toxicity	×	Carcinogenicity	×
Skin Irritation/Corrosion	×	Reproductivity	×
Serious Eye Damage/Irritation	<b>✓</b>	STOT - Single Exposure	<b>~</b>

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Respiratory or Skin sensitisation

Mutagenicity

X

STOT - Repeated Exposure

Aspiration Hazard

Legend: X − Data either not available or does not fill the criteria for classification

✓ − Data available to make classification

### **SECTION 12 Ecological information**

### Toxicity

Devcon Flexane Primer for Rubber (FL-20)	Endpoint	Test Duration (hr)	Species	Value	Source
	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available
	Endpoint	Test Duration (hr)	Species	Value	Source
	EC50	72h	Algae or other aquatic plants	1800- 3200mg/L	4
ethyl acetate	EC50	48h	Crustacea	164mg/l	1
	LC50	96h	Fish	>75.6mg/l	2
	NOEC(ECx)	72h	Algae or other aquatic plants	>100mg/l	1
	EC50	96h	Algae or other aquatic plants	2500mg/L	4
	Endpoint	Test Duration (hr)	Species	Value	Source
methylene bis(4-	EC50	72h	Algae or other aquatic plants	>5mg/l	2
cyclohexylisocyanate)	LC50	96h	Fish	0.69mg/l	1
	NOEC(ECx)	72h	Algae or other aquatic plants	0.31mg/l	2
Legend:	4. US EPA, Ec		ECHA Registered Substances - Ecotoxicologica ata 5. ECETOC Aquatic Hazard Assessment Data	•	

### DO NOT discharge into sewer or waterways.

### Persistence and degradability

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Ingredient	Persistence: Water/Soil	Persistence: Air
ethyl acetate	LOW (Half-life = 14 days)	LOW (Half-life = 14.71 days)
methylene bis(4- cyclohexylisocyanate)	HIGH	HIGH

## **Bioaccumulative potential**

Ingredient	Bioaccumulation
ethyl acetate	HIGH (BCF = 3300)
methylene bis(4- cyclohexylisocyanate)	HIGH (LogKOW = 6.1145)

### Mobility in soil

Ingredient	Mobility
ethyl acetate	LOW (Log KOC = 6.131)
methylene bis(4- cyclohexylisocyanate)	LOW (Log KOC = 376200)

### **SECTION 13 Disposal considerations**

## Waste treatment methods

## Product / Packaging disposal

- ► Containers may still present a chemical hazard/ danger when empty.
- ▶ Return to supplier for reuse/ recycling if possible.

### Otherwise:

- If container can not be cleaned sufficiently well to ensure that residuals do not remain or if the container cannot be used to store the same product, then puncture containers, to prevent re-use, and bury at an authorised landfill.
- ▶ Where possible retain label warnings and SDS and observe all notices pertaining to the product.

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Legislation addressing waste disposal requirements may differ by country, state and/ or territory. Each user must refer to laws operating in their area. In some areas, certain wastes must be tracked.

A Hierarchy of Controls seems to be common - the user should investigate:

- Reduction
- Reuse
- Recycling
- Disposal (if all else fails)

This material may be recycled if unused, or if it has not been contaminated so as to make it unsuitable for its intended use.

- ▶ DO NOT allow wash water from cleaning or process equipment to enter drains.
- It may be necessary to collect all wash water for treatment before disposal.
- ▶ In all cases disposal to sewer may be subject to local laws and regulations and these should be considered first.
- ▶ Where in doubt contact the responsible authority.
- ▶ Recycle wherever possible.
- ▶ Consult manufacturer for recycling options or consult local or regional waste management authority for disposal if no suitable treatment or disposal facility can be identified.
- Dispose of by: burial in a land-fill specifically licensed to accept chemical and / or pharmaceutical wastes or Incineration in a licensed apparatus (after admixture with suitable combustible material).
- Decontaminate empty containers.

### **SECTION 14 Transport information**

### Labels Required

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Marine Pollutant	NO
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### Land transport (ADG)

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14.1. UN number or ID number	1139	
14.2. UN proper shipping name	COATING SOLUTION (includes surface treatments or coatings used for industrial or other purposes such as vehicle undercoating, drum or barrel lining)	
14.3. Transport hazard class(es)	Class 3 Subsidiary Hazard Not Applicable	
14.4. Packing group	II .	
14.5. Environmental hazard	Not Applicable	
14.6. Special precautions for user	Special provisions Not Applicable  Limited quantity 5 L	

## Air transport (ICAO-IATA / DGR)

14.1. UN number	1139			
14.2. UN proper shipping name	Coating solution (includes surface treatments or coatings used for industrial or other purposes such as vehicle undercoating, drum or barrel lining)			
	ICAO/IATA Class	3		
14.3. Transport hazard class(es)	ICAO / IATA Subsidiary Hazard	Not Applicable		
01000(00)	ERG Code	3L		
14.4. Packing group	II .			
14.5. Environmental hazard	Not Applicable			
14.6. Special precautions for user	Special provisions		A3	
	Cargo Only Packing Instructions		364	
	Cargo Only Maximum Qty / Pack		60 L	
	Passenger and Cargo Packing Instructions		353	
	Passenger and Cargo Maximum	Qty / Pack	5 L	
	Passenger and Cargo Limited Qu	iantity Packing Instructions	Y341	

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Passenger and Cargo Limited Maximum Qty / Pack 1 L

### Sea transport (IMDG-Code / GGVSee)

14.1. UN number	1139	
14.2. UN proper shipping name	COATING SOLUTION (includes surface treatments or coatings used for industrial or other purposes such as vehicle under- coating, drum or barrel lining)	
14.3. Transport hazard class(es)	IMDG Class IMDG Subsidiary Ha	azard Not Applicable
14.4. Packing group	Ш	
14.5 Environmental hazard	Not Applicable	
14.6. Special precautions for user	EMS Number  Special provisions	F-E , S-E  Not Applicable
	Limited Quantities	5L

### 14.7.1. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL and the IBC code

Not Applicable

### 14.7.2. Transport in bulk in accordance with MARPOL Annex V and the IMSBC Code

Product name	Group
ethyl acetate	Not Available
methylene bis(4- cyclohexylisocyanate)	Not Available

### 14.7.3. Transport in bulk in accordance with the IGC Code

Product name	Ship Type
ethyl acetate	Not Available
methylene bis(4- cyclohexylisocyanate)	Not Available

### **SECTION 15 Regulatory information**

### Safety, health and environmental regulations / legislation specific for the substance or mixture

### ethyl acetate is found on the following regulatory lists

Australia Hazardous Chemical Information System (HCIS) - Hazardous Chemicals

Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals (AIIC)

### methylene bis(4-cyclohexylisocyanate) is found on the following regulatory lists

Australia Hazardous Chemical Information System (HCIS) - Hazardous Chemicals

Australia Model Work Health and Safety Regulations - Hazardous chemicals (other than lead) requiring health monitoring

Australia Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP) - Schedule  $\bf 6$ 

Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals (AIIC)

## Additional Regulatory Information

Not Applicable

### **National Inventory Status**

National Inventory	Status
Australia - AIIC / Australia Non-Industrial Use	Yes
Canada - DSL	Yes
Canada - NDSL	No (ethyl acetate)
China - IECSC	Yes
Europe - EINEC / ELINCS / NLP	Yes
Japan - ENCS	Yes

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National Inventory	Status
Korea - KECI	Yes
New Zealand - NZIoC	Yes
Philippines - PICCS	Yes
USA - TSCA	Yes
Taiwan - TCSI	Yes
Mexico - INSQ	Yes
Vietnam - NCI	Yes
Russia - FBEPH	Yes
Legend:	Yes = All CAS declared ingredients are on the inventory  No = One or more of the CAS listed ingredients are not on the inventory. These ingredients may be exempt or will require registration.

### **SECTION 16 Other information**

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Initial Date	21/01/2003

### **SDS Version Summary**

Version	Date of Update	Sections Updated
7.1	01/11/2019	One-off system update. NOTE: This may or may not change the GHS classification
8.1	10/03/2023	Classification change due to full database hazard calculation/update.

### Other information

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.

The 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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