# Devcon Combowear FC Hardener 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	ne Not Applicable	
Chemical Name		
Synonyms		
Proper shipping name  POLYAMINES, LIQUID, CORROSIVE, N.O.S. (contains N-aminoethylpiperazine); AMINES, LIQUID, CORROSIVE, N.O.S. (contains N-aminoethylpiperazine)		
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	Curing agent or Part B of a 2 pack epoxy system  Requires that the two parts be mixed by hand or mixer before use, in accordance with manufacturers directions. Mix only as much as is required. <b>Do not</b> return the mixed material to the original containers
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#### 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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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**

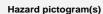
#### Classification of the substance or mixture

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

Poisons Schedule	S5
Classification <sup>[1]</sup>	Corrosive to Metals Category 1, Acute Toxicity (Oral) Category 4, Skin Corrosion/Irritation Category 1B, Sensitisation (Skin) Category 1, Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation Category 1, Reproductive Toxicity Category 2, Hazardous to the Aquatic Environment Long-Term Hazard Category 2
Legend:	1. Classified by Chemwatch; 2. Classification drawn from HCIS; 3. Classification drawn from Regulation (EU) No 1272/2008 - Annex VI

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Signal word

Danger

#### Hazard statement(s)

H290	May be corrosive to metals.	
H302	H302 Harmful if swallowed.	
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.	
H317	May cause an allergic skin reaction.	
H361fd	H361fd Suspected of damaging fertility. Suspected of damaging the unborn child.	
H411 Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.		

#### 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

P201	P201 Obtain special instructions before use.	
P260 Do not breathe mist/vapours/spray.		
P264 Wash all exposed external body areas thoroughly after handling.		
P280 Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, eye protection and face protection.		

## Precautionary statement(s) Response

P301+P330+P331	IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. If more than 15 mins from Doctor, INDUCE VOMITING (if conscious).
P303+P361+P353	IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water [or shower].
P305+P351+P338	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P308+P313	IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention.

#### Precautionary statement(s) Storage

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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.

## **SECTION 3 Composition / information on ingredients**

#### Substances

See section below for composition of Mixtures

#### **Mixtures**

CAS No	%[weight]	Name
140-31-8	10-30	<u>N-aminoethylpiperazine</u>
14808-60-7	10-30	silica crystalline - quartz
25154-52-3	<10	nonylphenol
80-05-7	<10 <u>bisphenol A</u>	
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		

## **SECTION 4 First aid measures**

#### Description of first aid measures

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Eye Contact	If this product comes in contact with the eyes:  Immediately hold eyelids apart and flush the eye continuously with 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.  Continue flushing until advised to stop by the Poisons Information Centre or a doctor, or for at least 15 minutes.  Transport to hospital or doctor without delay.  Removal of contact lenses after an eye injury should only be undertaken by skilled personnel.
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>If swallowed do NOT induce vomiting.</li> <li>If vomiting occurs, lean patient forward or place on left side (head-down position, if possible) to maintain open airway and prevent aspiration.</li> <li>Observe the patient carefully.</li> <li>Never give liquid to a person showing signs of being sleepy or with reduced awareness; i.e. becoming unconscious.</li> <li>Give water to rinse out mouth, then provide liquid slowly and as much as casualty can comfortably drink.</li> <li>Seek medical advice.</li> </ul>

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

Treat symptomatically.

For acute or short-term repeated exposures to highly alkaline materials:

- Respiratory stress is uncommon but present occasionally because of soft tissue edema.
- Unless endotracheal intubation can be accomplished under direct vision, cricothyroidotomy or tracheotomy may be necessary.
- Oxygen is given as indicated.
- The presence of shock suggests perforation and mandates an intravenous line and fluid administration.
- Damage due to alkaline corrosives occurs by liquefaction necrosis whereby the saponification of fats and solubilisation of proteins allow deep penetration into the tissue.

Alkalis continue to cause damage after exposure.

INGESTION:

▶ Milk and water are the preferred diluents

No more than 2 glasses of water should be given to an adult.

- ▶ Neutralising agents should never be given since exothermic heat reaction may compound injury.
- \* Catharsis and emesis are absolutely contra-indicated.
- \* Activated charcoal does not absorb alkali.
- \* Gastric lavage should not be used.

Supportive care involves the following:

- Withhold oral feedings initially.
- If endoscopy confirms transmucosal injury start steroids only within the first 48 hours.
- Carefully evaluate the amount of tissue necrosis before assessing the need for surgical intervention.
- Patients should be instructed to seek medical attention whenever they develop difficulty in swallowing (dysphagia).

SKIN AND EYE:

Injury should be irrigated for 20-30 minutes.

Eye injuries require saline. [Ellenhorn & Barceloux: Medical Toxicology]

#### **SECTION 5 Firefighting measures**

#### Extinguishing media

- ▶ Foam.
- Dry chemical powder.
- BCF (where regulations permit).
- Carbon dioxide.

#### Special hazards arising from the substrate or mixture

Fire Incompatibility

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

## Advice for firefighters

#### 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 fire fighting procedures suitable for surrounding area.

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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). Combustion products include: carbon dioxide (CO2) nitrogen oxides (NOx) silicon dioxide (SiO2) other pyrolysis products typical of burning organic material. May emit corrosive fumes.
HAZCHEM	2X

#### **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>Clear area of personnel and move upwind.</li> <li>Alert Fire Brigade and tell them location and nature of hazard.</li> <li>Wear full body protective clothing with breathing apparatus.</li> <li>Prevent, by any means available, spillage from entering drains or water course.</li> </ul>

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

## **SECTION 7 Handling and storage**

#### Precautions for safe handling

Safe handling	<ul> <li>DO NOT allow clothing wet with material to stay in contact with skin</li> <li>DO NOT USE brass or copper containers / stirrers</li> <li>Avoid all personal contact, including inhalation.</li> <li>Wear protective clothing when risk of exposure occurs.</li> <li>Use in a well-ventilated area.</li> <li>Avoid contact with moisture.</li> </ul>
Other information	<ul> <li>Store in original containers.</li> <li>Keep containers securely sealed.</li> <li>No smoking, naked lights or ignition sources.</li> <li>Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area.</li> </ul>

#### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Suitable container  Polyliner drum. Packing as recommended by manufacturer.  Avoid cross contamination between the two liquid parts of product (kit).
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▶ If two part products are mixed or allowed to mix in proportions other than manufacturer's recommendation, polymerisation
Storage incompatibility with gelation and evolution of heat (exotherm) may occur.
► This excess heat may generate toxic vapour
<ul> <li>Avoid oxidising agents, acids, acid chlorides, acid anhydrides, chloroformates.</li> </ul>
▶ Avoid contact with copper, aluminium and their alloys.

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

## **Control parameters**

Occupational Exposure Limits (OEL)

INGREDIENT DATA

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Source	Ingredient	Material name	TWA	STEL	Peak	Notes
Australia Exposure	silica crystalline -	Silica - Crystalline: Quartz (respirable dust)	0.05	Not	Not	Not
Standards	quartz		mg/m3	Available	Available	Available
Australia Exposure	silica crystalline -	Quartz (respirable dust)	0.05	Not	Not	Not
Standards	quartz		mg/m3	Available	Available	Available

Ingredient	Original IDLH	Revised IDLH
N-aminoethylpiperazine	Not Available	Not Available
silica crystalline - quartz	25 mg/m3 / 50 mg/m3	Not Available
nonylphenol	Not Available	Not Available
bisphenol A	Not Available	Not Available

#### Occupational Exposure Banding

Ingredient	Occupational Exposure Band Rating	Occupational Exposure Band Limit	
N-aminoethylpiperazine	D	> 0.1 to ≤ 1 ppm	
nonylphenol	E	≤ 0.1 ppm	
bisphenol A	E	≤ 0.01 mg/m³	
Notes:	Occupational exposure banding is a process of assigning chemicals into specific categories or bands based on a chemical's potency and the adverse health outcomes associated with exposure. The output of this process is an occupational exposure band (OEB), which corresponds to a range of exposure concentrations that are expected to protect worker health.		

#### **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.

Refer also to protective measures for the other component used with the product. Read both SDS before using; store and attach SDS together.

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









#### Eye and face protection

- Chemical goggles.
- $\blacksquare \ \, \text{Full face shield may be required for supplementary but never for primary protection of eyes}. \\$
- 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

- ▶ Wear chemical protective gloves, e.g. PVC.
- ▶ Wear safety footwear or safety gumboots, e.g. Rubber
- When handling corrosive liquids, wear trousers or overalls outside of boots, to avoid spills entering boots.

#### 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.

#### Hands/feet protection

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.

- Leather wear not recommended: Contaminated leather footwear, watch bands, should be destroyed, i.e. burnt, as they
  cannot be adequately decontaminated
- Neoprene rubber gloves

## Body protection

## See Other protection below • Overalls.

#### Other protection

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

#### Respiratory protection

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

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

## Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	White-cream paste with an amine odour; partly mixes with water.		
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Physical state	Liquid	Relative density (Water = 1)	2.25
Odour	Not Available	Partition coefficient n- octanol / water	Not Available
Odour threshold	Not Available	Auto-ignition temperature (°C)	Not Available
pH (as supplied)	Not Applicable	Decomposition temperature (°C)	Not Available
Melting point / freezing point (°C)	Not Available	Viscosity (cSt)	Not Available
Initial boiling point and boiling range (°C)	>232	Molecular weight (g/mol)	Not Applicable
Flash point (°C)	Not Available	Taste	Not Available
Evaporation rate	Not Applicable	Explosive properties	Not Available
Flammability	Not Available	Oxidising properties	Not Available
Upper Explosive Limit (%)	Not Available	Surface Tension (dyn/cm or mN/m)	Not Available
Lower Explosive Limit (%)	Not Available	Volatile Component (%vol)	Not Available
Vapour pressure (kPa)	Not Available	Gas group	Not Available
Solubility in water	Partly miscible	pH as a solution (1%)	9.75 conc. soln.
Vapour density (Air = 1)	Not Available	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

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Inhaled	Inhalation of aerosols (mists, fumes), generated by the material during the course of normal handling, may be damaging to the health of the individual.  Inhalation hazard is increased at higher temperatures.  Inhalation of amine vapours may cause irritation of the mucous membrane of the nose and throat, and lung irritation with respiratory distress and cough. Swelling and inflammation of the respiratory tract is seen in serious cases; with headache, nausea, faintness and anxiety.  Inhalation of epoxy resin amine hardeners (including polyamines and amine adducts) may produce bronchospasm and coughing episodes lasting several days after cessation of the exposure. Even faint traces of these vapours may trigger an intense reaction in individuals showing "amine asthma".
Ingestion	Accidental ingestion of the material may be harmful; animal experiments indicate that ingestion of less than 150 gram may be fatal or may produce serious damage to the health of the individual.  The material can produce chemical burns within the oral cavity and gastrointestinal tract following ingestion.  Amines without benzene rings when swallowed are absorbed throughout the gut. Corrosive action may cause damage throughout the gastrointestinal tract.  Ingestion of amine epoxy-curing agents (hardeners) may cause severe abdominal pain, nausea, vomiting or diarrhoea. The vomitus may contain blood and mucous.

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Skin contact with the material may be harmful; systemic effects may result following absorption. The material can produce chemical burns following direct contact with the skin. Volatile amine vapours produce irritation and inflammation of the skin. Direct contact can cause burns. Skin Contact 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. Amine epoxy-curing agents (hardeners) may produce primary skin irritation and sensitisation dermatitis in predisposed individuals. Cutaneous reactions include erythema, intolerable itching and severe facial swelling. The material can produce chemical burns to the eye following direct contact. Vapours or mists may be extremely irritating. Vapours of volatile amines irritate the eyes, causing excessive secretion of tears, inflammation of the conjunctiva and slight swelling of the cornea, resulting in "halos" around lights. This effect is temporary, lasting only for a few hours. However this condition can reduce the efficiency of undertaking skilled tasks, such as driving a car. Direct eye contact with liquid volatile amines may produce eye damage, permanent for the lighter species. The vapour when concentrated has pronounced eye irritation effects and this gives some warning of high vapour concentrations. If eve irritation occurs seek to reduce exposure with available control measures, or evacuate area. Skin contact with the material is more likely to cause a sensitisation reaction in some persons compared to the general population Ample evidence from experiments exists that there is a suspicion this material directly reduces fertility. Based on experience with animal studies, exposure to the material may result in toxic effects to the development of the foetus, at levels which do not cause significant toxic effects to the mother. Chronic Substance accumulation, in the human body, may occur and may cause some concern following repeated or long-term occupational exposure. There is some evidence that inhaling this product is more likely to cause a sensitisation reaction in some persons compared to the general population. There has been some concern that this material can cause cancer or mutations but there is not enough data to make an

evcon Combowear FC	TOXICITY	IRRITATION
Hardener	Not Available	Not Available
	TOXICITY	IRRITATION
	Dermal (rabbit) LD50: 880 mg/kg <sup>[2]</sup>	Eye (rabbit): 20 mg/24h - mod
	Oral (Rat) LD50: 2410 mg/kg <sup>[2]</sup>	Eye: adverse effect observed (irreversible damage) <sup>[1]</sup>
-aminoethylpiperazine		Skin (rabbit): 0.1 mg/24h - mild
		Skin (rabbit): 5 mg/24h - SEVERE
		Skin: adverse effect observed (corrosive) <sup>[1]</sup>
		Skin: adverse effect observed (irritating) <sup>[1]</sup>
	TOXICITY	IRRITATION
ica crystalline - quartz	Oral (Rat) LD50: 500 mg/kg <sup>[2]</sup>	Not Available
	TOXICITY	IRRITATION
	Dermal (rabbit) LD50: >2000 mg/kg <sup>[2]</sup>	Eye (rabbit): 0.5 mg (open)-SEVERE
nonylphenol	Oral (Rat) LD50: 1000-2500 mg/kg <sup>[2]</sup>	Eye: adverse effect observed (irritating) <sup>[1]</sup>
попунрисног		Skin (rabbit): 500 mg(open)-mod
		Skin(rabbit):10mg/24h(open)-SEVERE
		Skin: adverse effect observed (corrosive) <sup>[1]</sup>
	TOXICITY	IRRITATION
	Dermal (rabbit) LD50: 3000 mg/kg <sup>[2]</sup>	Eye (rabbit): 0.25 mg/24h-SEVERE
	Oral (Rat) LD50: 1200 mg/kg <sup>[2]</sup>	Eye: adverse effect observed (irritating) <sup>[1]</sup>
bisphenol A		Skin (rabbit): 250 mg open - mild
		Skin (rabbit): 500 mg/24h - mild
		Skin: adverse effect observed (irritating) <sup>[1]</sup>
		Skin: no adverse effect observed (not irritating) <sup>[1]</sup>

## **AMINOETHYL PIPER AZINE**

for piperazine:

Exposure to piperazine and its salts has clearly been demonstrated to cause asthma in occupational settings. No NOAEL can be estimated for respiratory sensitisation (asthma).

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

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Although the LD50 levels indicate a relatively low level of oral acute toxicity (LD50 1-5 g/kg bw), signs of neurotoxicity may appear in humans after exposure to lower doses. Based on exposure levels of up to 3.4 mg/kg/day piperazine base and a LOAEL of 110 mg/kg, there is no concern for acute toxicity

In pigs, piperazine is readily absorbed from the gastrointestinal tract, and the major part of the resorbed compound is excreted as

unchanged piperazine to readily absorbed from the gastrointestinal tract, and the major part of the resorbed compound is excreted as unchanged piperazine during the first 48 hours. The principal route of excretion of piperazine and its metabolites is via urine, with a minor fraction recovered from faeces (16%).

Ethyleneamines are very reactive and can cause chemical burns, skin rashes and asthma-like symptoms. It is readily absorbed through the skin and may cause eye blindness and irreparable damage. As such, they require careful handling. In general, the low-molecular weight polyamines have been positive in the Ames assay (for genetic damage); however, this is probably due to their ability to chelate copper.

The material may produce moderate eye irritation leading to inflammation. Repeated or prolonged exposure to irritants may produce conjunctivitis.

#### SILICA CRYSTALLINE -QUARTZ

WARNING: For inhalation exposure ONLY: This substance has been classified by the IARC as Group 1: CARCINOGENIC TO HUMANS

The International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) has classified occupational exposures to **respirable** (<5 um) crystalline silica as being carcinogenic to humans. This classification is based on what IARC considered sufficient evidence from epidemiological studies of humans for the carcinogenicity of inhaled silica in the forms of quartz and cristobalite. Crystalline silica is also known to cause silicosis, a non-cancerous lung disease.

Intermittent exposure produces; focal fibrosis, (pneumoconiosis), cough, dyspnoea, liver tumours.

\* Millions of particles per cubic foot (based on impinger samples counted by light field techniques).

NOTE: the physical nature of quartz in the product determines whether it is likely to present a chronic health problem. To be a hazard the material must enter the breathing zone as respirable particles.

## NONYLPHENOL

For nonylphenol and its compounds:

Alkylphenols like nonylphenol and bisphenol A have estrogenic effects in the body. They are known as xenoestrogens. Estrogenic substances and other endocrine disruptors are compounds that have hormone-like effects in both wildlife and humans. Xenoestrogens usually function by binding to estrogen receptors and acting competitively against natural estrogens. These substances are intravenous anaesthetic agents. They have a very low level of acute toxicity; they may cause skin irritation. Repeated exposure may irritate the stomach. There is no evidence of this group of substances causing mutation or adverse effects on reproduction.

For nonylphenol:

Animal testing suggests that repeated exposure to nonylphenol may cause liver changes and kidney dysfunction. Nonylphenol was not found to cause mutations or chromosomal aberrations.

The material may produce severe irritation to the eye causing pronounced inflammation. Repeated or prolonged exposure to irritants may produce conjunctivitis.

## BISPHENOL A

The chemical structure of hydroxylated diphenylalkanes or bisphenols consists of two phenolic rings joined together through a bridging carbon. This class of endocrine disruptors that mimic oestrogens is widely used in industry, particularly in plastics. Bisphenol A (BPA) and some related compounds exhibit oestrogenic activity in human breast cancer cell line MCF-7, but there were remarkable differences in activity. Several derivatives of BPA exhibited significant thyroid hormonal activity towards rat pituitary cell line GH3, which releases growth hormone in a thyroid hormone-dependent manner. However, BPA and several other derivatives did not show such activity.

For bisphenol A (BPA)

Following oral administration absorption of BPA is rapid and extensive while dermal absorption is limited. Extensive first pass metabolism occurs following absorption from the gastrointestinal tract with glucuronide conjugation being the major metabolic pathway. Bisphenol A is of low acute toxicity (rodent oral LD50 values from 3300-4100 mg/kg, a rabbit oral LD50 value 2230 mg/kg and a rat acute inhalation 6-hour LC50 value >170 mg/m3). Bisphenol A is not a skin irritant, however, it is severely irritating to the eyes.

The material may cause skin irritation after prolonged or repeated exposure and may produce on contact skin redness, swelling, the production of vesicles, scaling and thickening of the skin.

#### N-AMINOETHYLPIPERAZINE & BISPHENOL A

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

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.

## AMINOETHYLPIPERAZINE & NONYLPHENOL

The material may cause severe skin irritation after prolonged or repeated exposure and may produce on contact skin redness, swelling, the production of vesicles, scaling and thickening of the skin. Repeated exposures may produce severe ulceration.

### AMINOETHYLPIPERAZINE & NONYLPHENOL & BISPHENOL A

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	<b>→</b>	Carcinogenicity	×
Skin Irritation/Corrosion	~	Reproductivity	~
Serious Eye Damage/Irritation	<b>✓</b>	STOT - Single Exposure	×
Respiratory or Skin sensitisation	<b>✓</b>	STOT - Repeated Exposure	×

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Mutagenicity **Aspiration Hazard** 

> 🗶 – Data either not available or does not fill the criteria for classification Legend:

🛹 – Data available to make classification

#### **SECTION 12 Ecological information**

#### **Toxicity**

Davis an Cambawaan FC	Endpoint	Test Duration (hr)	Species	Value	Source
Devcon Combowear FC Hardener	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available
	Endpoint	Test Duration (hr)	Species	Value	Source
	EC50	72h	Algae or other aquatic plants	495mg/l	1
N-aminoethylpiperazine	EC50	48h	Crustacea	Crustacea 32mg/l	
	LC50	96h	Fish	>100mg/l	2
	NOEC(ECx)	48h	Crustacea	18mg/l	1
	Endpoint	Test Duration (hr)	Species	Value	Source
silica crystalline - quartz	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available
	Endpoint	Test Duration (hr)	Species	Value	Source
nonylphenol	LC50	96h	Fish	0.098- 0.187mg/L	4
	BCF	1344h	Fish	90-220	7
	EC50	72h	Algae or other aquatic plants	0.056mg/l	4
	EC50	48h	Crustacea	0.14mg/l	1
	NOEC(ECx)	672h	Crustacea	0.004mg/L	1
	EC50	96h	Algae or other aquatic plants	Algae or other aquatic plants 0.027mg/l	
	Endpoint	Test Duration (hr)	Species	Value	Source
	BCF	1008h	Fish	5.1-13.3	7
	ErC50	72h	Algae or other aquatic plants	2.7- 3.1mg/l	1
bisphenol A	EC50	72h	Algae or other aquatic plants	1.25- 1.89mg/l	4
	EC50	48h	Crustacea	Crustacea 10.2mg/	
	EC50	96h	Algae or other aquatic plants	Algae or other aquatic plants 1mg/l	
	NOEC(ECx)	96h	Crustacea	Crustacea 0.51mg/l	
	LC50	96h	Fish	3-5mg/l	2
Legend:	Extracted from 4. US EPA, Ed	1. IUCLID Toxicity Data 2. Europe	e ECHA Registered Substances - Ecotoxicologic Data 5. ECETOC Aquatic Hazard Assessment Da	al Information - Aqua	atic Toxic

Toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

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.

## Persistence and degradability

Ingredient	Persistence: Water/Soil	Persistence: Air	
N-aminoethylpiperazine	HIGH	HIGH	
nonylphenol	HIGH	HIGH	
bisphenol A	HIGH (Half-life = 360 days)	LOW (Half-life = 0.31 days)	

#### **Bioaccumulative potential**

Ingredient	Bioaccumulation
N-aminoethylpiperazine	LOW (LogKOW = -1.5677)
nonylphenol	LOW (BCF = 271)

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Ingredient	Bioaccumulation
bisphenol A	LOW (BCF = 100)

## Mobility in soil

Ingredient	Mobility
N-aminoethylpiperazine	LOW (Log KOC = 171.7)
nonylphenol	LOW (Log KOC = 56010)
bisphenol A	LOW (Log KOC = 75190)

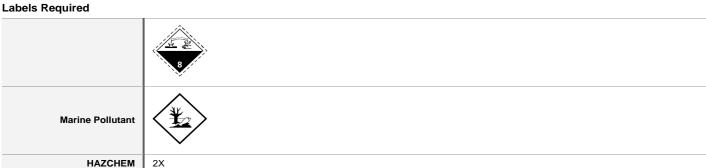
#### **SECTION 13 Disposal considerations**

#### Waste treatment methods

**Product / Packaging** disposal

- Recycle wherever possible or consult manufacturer for recycling options.
- Consult State Land Waste Management Authority for disposal.
- ▶ Material may be disposed of by controlled burning in an approved incinerator or buried in an approved landfill.
- Prior to disposal in a landfill the material should be mixed with the other component and reacted to render the material inert.

#### **SECTION 14 Transport information**



#### Land transport (ADG)

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14.1. UN number or ID number	2735	
14.2. UN proper shipping name	POLYAMINES, LIQUID, CORROSIVE, N.O.S. (contains N-aminoethylpiperazine); AMINES, LIQUID, CORROSIVE, N.O.S. (contains N-aminoethylpiperazine)	
14.3. Transport hazard class(es)	Class Subsidiary Hazard	8 Not Applicable
14.4. Packing group	III	
14.5. Environmental hazard	Environmentally hazardous	
14.6. Special precautions for user	Special provisions Limited quantity	223 274 5 L

## Air transport (ICAO-IATA / DGR)

14.1. UN number	2735		
14.2. UN proper shipping name	Polyamines, liquid, corrosive, n.o.s. * (contains N-aminoethylpiperazine); Amines, liquid, corrosive, n.o.s. * (contains N-aminoethylpiperazine)		
14.3. Transport hazard class(es)	ICAO/IATA Class ICAO / IATA Subsidiary Hazard ERG Code	8 Not Applicable 8L	
14.4. Packing group			
14.5. Environmental hazard	Environmentally hazardous		
14.6. Special precautions for user	Special provisions A3 A803		

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Cargo Only Packing Instructions	856
Cargo Only Maximum Qty / Pack	60 L
Passenger and Cargo Packing Instructions	852
Passenger and Cargo Maximum Qty / Pack	5 L
Passenger and Cargo Limited Quantity Packing Instructions	Y841
Passenger and Cargo Limited Maximum Qty / Pack	1 L

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

14.1. UN number	2735		
14.2. UN proper shipping name	POLYAMINES, LIQUID, CORROSIVE, N.O.S. (contains N-aminoethylpiperazine); AMINES, LIQUID, CORROSIVE, N.O.S. (contains N-aminoethylpiperazine)		
14.3. Transport hazard class(es)	IMDG Class IMDG Subsidiary Ha	8 lazard Not Applicable	
14.4. Packing group	III		
14.5 Environmental hazard	Marine Pollutant		
14.6. Special precautions for user	EMS Number Special provisions	F-A , S-B 223 274	
	Limited Quantities	5 L	

#### 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
N-aminoethylpiperazine	Not Available
silica crystalline - quartz	Not Available
nonylphenol	Not Available
bisphenol A	Not Available

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

Product name	Ship Type
N-aminoethylpiperazine	Not Available
silica crystalline - quartz	Not Available
nonylphenol	Not Available
bisphenol A	Not Available

### **SECTION 15 Regulatory information**

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

#### N-aminoethylpiperazine is found on the following regulatory lists

Australia Hazardous Chemical Information System (HCIS) - Hazardous Chemicals

Australia Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP) - Schedule 5

Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals (AIIC)

#### silica crystalline - quartz 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

Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals (AIIC)

Chemical Footprint Project - Chemicals of High Concern List

International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) - Agents Classified by the IARC Monographs - Group 1: Carcinogenic to humans

International Agency fsor Research on Cancer (IARC) - Agents Classified by the IARC Monographs

#### nonylphenol is found on the following regulatory lists

Australia Hazardous Chemical Information System (HCIS) - Hazardous Chemicals

Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals (AIIC)

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Chemical Footprint Project - Chemicals of High Concern List

#### bisphenol A is found on the following regulatory lists

Australia Hazardous Chemical Information System (HCIS) - Hazardous Chemicals

Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals (AIIC)

Chemical Footprint Project - Chemicals of High Concern List

International WHO List of Proposed Occupational Exposure Limit (OEL) Values for Manufactured Nanomaterials (MNMS)

#### **Additional Regulatory Information**

Not Applicable

#### **National Inventory Status**

National Inventory	Status		
Australia - AIIC / Australia Non-Industrial Use	Yes		
Canada - DSL	Yes		
Canada - NDSL	No (N-aminoethylpiperazine; silica crystalline - quartz; bisphenol A)		
China - IECSC	Yes		
Europe - EINEC / ELINCS / NLP	Yes		
Japan - ENCS	Yes		
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**

Revision Date	23/12/2022
Initial Date	28/01/2008

#### **SDS Version Summary**

Version	Date of Update	Sections Updated
4.1	01/11/2019	One-off system update. NOTE: This may or may not change the GHS classification
5.1	23/12/2022	Classification review due to GHS Revision change.

#### 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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