

SAFETY DATA SHEET

PRESERVATIVE (PHENOXYETHANOL, CAPRYLYL GLYCOL, SORBIC ACID)

1. PRODUCT INFORMATION AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name: Preservative (Phenoxyethanol, Caprylyl Glycol, Sorbic Acid)

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2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

Emergency Overview

Appearance: liquid, colorless

WARNING! CAUSES EYE IRRITATION. MAY CAUSE SKIN AND RESPIRATORY TRACT IRRITATION. MAY BE HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED.

Potential Health Effects

Exposure routes

Inhalation, Skin absorption, Skin contact, Eye Contact, Ingestion

Eye contact

Can cause severe eye irritation. Symptoms include stinging, tearing, redness, and swelling of eyes. Can injure eye tissue.

Skin contact

Can cause skin irritation. Symptoms may include redness and burning of skin, and other skin damage.

Ingestion

Swallowing small amounts of this material during normal handling is not likely to cause harmful effects. Swallowing large amounts may be harmful.

Inhalation

Breathing of vapor or mist is possible. Breathing small amounts of this material during normal handling is not likely to cause harmful effects. Breathing large amounts may be harmful.

Symptoms are not expected at air concentrations below the recommended exposure limits, if applicable (see Section 8.).

Aggravated Medical Condition

No data

Symptoms

Signs and symptoms of exposure to this material through breathing, swallowing, and/or passage of the material through the skin may include: stomach or intestinal upset (nausea, vomiting, diarrhea), irritation (nose, throat, airways), pain in the abdomen and lower back, blood abnormalities (breakage of red blood cells), acute kidney failure (sudden slowing or stopping of urine production)

Target Organs

Overexposure to this material (or its components) has been suggested as a cause of the following effects in laboratory animals: thyroid effects, effects on kidney function, liver abnormalities

Carcinogenicity

This material is not listed as a carcinogen by the International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC), the National Toxicology Program (NTP), or the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA).

Reproductive hazard

This material (or a component) has been shown to cause harm to the fetus in laboratory animal studies. Harm to the fetus occurs only at exposure levels that harm the pregnant animal. The relevance of these findings to humans is uncertain.

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

This information is proprietary and confidential information to Natural Bulk Supplies.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Eyes

If symptoms develop, immediately move individual away from exposure and into fresh air. Flush eyes gently with water for at least 15 minutes while holding eyelids apart; seek immediate medical attention.

Skin

Remove contaminated clothing. Flush exposed area with large amounts of water. If skin is damaged, seek immediate medical attention. If skin is not damaged and symptoms persist, seek medical attention. Launder clothing before reuse.

Ingestion

Seek medical attention. If individual is drowsy or unconscious, do not give anything by mouth; place individual on the left side with the head down. Contact a physician, medical facility, or

poison control center for advice about whether to induce vomiting. If possible, do not leave individual unattended.

Inhalation

If symptoms develop, move individual away from exposure and into fresh air. If symptoms persist, seek medical attention. If breathing is difficult, administer oxygen. Keep person warm and quiet; seek immediate medical attention.

Notes to physician

Hazards:

No information available.

Treatment:

No information available.

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media

Dry chemical, Carbon dioxide (CO₂), Water spray

Hazardous combustion products

No data

Precautions for fire-fighting

Wear full firefighting turn-out gear (full Bunker gear), and respiratory protection (SCBA). DO NOT direct a solid stream of water or foam into hot, burning pools of liquid since this may cause frothing and increase fire intensity. Frothing can be violent and possibly endanger any firefighter standing too close to the burning liquid. Use water spray to cool fire exposed containers and structures until fire is out if it can be done with minimal risk. Avoid spreading burning material with water used for cooling purposes.

NFPA Flammable and Combustible Liquids Classification

Combustible Liquid Class IIIB

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions

For personal protection see section 8. Persons not wearing protective equipment should be excluded from area of spill until clean-up has been completed.

Environmental precautions

Prevent spreading over a wide area (e.g. by containment or oil barriers). Do not let product enter drains. Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system.

Methods for cleaning up

Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal. Soak up with inert absorbent material (e.g. sand, silica gel, acid binder, universal binder, sawdust).

Other information

Comply with all applicable federal, state, and local regulations.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling

Containers of this material may be hazardous when emptied. Since emptied containers retain product residues (vapor, liquid, and/or solid), all hazard precautions given in the data sheet must be observed.

Storage

Store in a cool, dry, ventilated area.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Exposure Guidelines

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

General advice

These recommendations provide general guidance for handling this product. Personal protective equipment should be selected for individual applications and should consider factors which affect exposure potential, such as handling practices, chemical concentrations and ventilation. It is ultimately the responsibility of the employer to follow regulatory guidelines established by local authorities.

Exposure controls

Provide sufficient mechanical (general and/or local exhaust) ventilation to maintain exposure below exposure guidelines (if applicable) or below levels that cause known, suspected or apparent adverse effects.

Eye protection

Wear chemical splash goggles when there is the potential for exposure of the eyes to liquid, vapor or mist. Maintain eye wash station near work area.

Skin and body protection

Wear normal work clothing including long pants, long-sleeved shirts and foot covering to prevent direct contact of the product with the skin. Launder clothing before reuse. If skin irritation develops, contact your facility health and safety professional or your local safety equipment supplier to determine the proper personal protective equipment for your use. Wear resistant gloves (consult your safety equipment supplier).

Discard gloves that show tears, pinholes, or signs of wear.

Respiratory protection

A NIOSH-approved air-purifying respirator with an appropriate cartridge and/or filter may be permissible under certain circumstances where airborne concentrations are expected to exceed exposure limits (if applicable) or if overexposure has otherwise been determined. Protection provided by air-purifying respirators is limited. Use a positive pressure, air-supplied respirator if there is any potential for uncontrolled release, exposure levels are not known or any other circumstances where an air-purifying respirator may not provide adequate protection.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical state	Liquid
Colour	Colourless, light yellow
Flash point	261.0 – 262.0°F / 127.2 – 127.8°C
Density	1.0126- 1.0217 g/cm ³ @ 77°F / 25°C

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability

Stable.

Conditions to avoid

None known.

Incompatible products

None known.

Hazardous decomposition products

No data

Hazardous reactions

Product will not undergo hazardous polymerization.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on likely routes of exposure:

Inhalation
Skin absorption
Skin contact
Eye Contact
Ingestion

Product

Acute oral toxicity:

No data available

Acute inhalation toxicity:

No data available

Acute dermal toxicity:

No data available

Skin corrosion/irritation:

No data available

Serious eye damage/eye irritation:

No data available

Respiratory or skin sensitization:

No data available

Target Organ Systemic Toxicant - Repeated exposure:

Target Organs: Overexposure to this material (or its components) has been suggested as a cause of the following effects in laboratory animals: thyroid effects, effects on kidney function, liver abnormalities

Components:

2-PHENOXYETHANOL:

Acute oral toxicity:

LD 50 Rat: 1,850 mg/kg

Method: OECD Test Guideline 401

1,2-OCTANEDIOL:

Acute oral toxicity:

LD 50 Rat: > 2,240 mg/kg

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

Product:

No data available

Components:

1,2-OCTANEDIOL:

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates:

EC 50 (Water flea (*Daphnia magna*)): 176 mg/l Exposure time: 48 h

Method: OECD Test Guideline 202

Toxicity to algae:

EC 50 (*Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata* (green algae)): 46 mg/l Exposure time: 72 h Method:

OECD Test Guideline 201

Persistence and degradability

Product:

No data available

Components:

1,2-OCTANEDIOL:

Biodegradability:

Biodegradation: 75 % Exposure time: 28 d

Method: OECD Test Guideline 301D Readily biodegradable

Bioaccumulative potential

Product:

No data available

Components:

2-PHENOXYETHANOL:

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water: log Pow: 1.16

1,2-OCTANEDIOL:

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water: log Pow: 1.0

Mobility in soil Product:

No data available

Components:

No data available

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste disposal methods

Dispose of in accordance with all applicable local, state and federal regulations.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Regulation

ID NUMBER	PROPER SHIPPING NAME	*HAZARD CLASS	SUBSIDIARY HAZARDS	PACKING GROUP	MARINE POLLUTANT/ LTD. QTY.
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MEXICAN REGULATION FOR THE LAND TRANSPORT OF HAZARDOUS MATERIALS AND WASTES

Not dangerous goods

INTERNATIONAL AIR TRANSPORT ASSOCIATION - PASSENGER

Not dangerous goods

INTERNATIONAL AIR TRANSPORT ASSOCIATION - CARGO

Not dangerous goods

INTERNATIONAL MARITIME DANGEROUS GOODS

Not dangerous goods

TRANSPORT CANADA - INLAND WATERWAYS

Not dangerous goods

TRANSPORT CANADA - RAIL

Not dangerous goods

TRANSPORT CANADA - ROAD

Not dangerous goods

U.S. DOT - INLAND WATERWAYS

Not dangerous goods

U.S. DOT - RAIL

Not dangerous goods

U.S. DOT - ROAD

Not dangerous goods

***ORM = ORM-D, CBL = COMBUSTIBLE LIQUID**

Dangerous goods descriptions (if indicated above) may not reflect quantity, end-use or region-specific exceptions that can be applied. Consult shipping documents for descriptions that are specific to the shipment.

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

California Prop. 65

This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.

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SARA Hazard Classification
SARA 311/312 Classification
Acute Health Hazard

SARA 313 Component(s)
2- PHENOXYETHANOL 58.00 %

Notification status

US. Toxic Substances Control Act	y (positive listing)
Canada. Canadian Environmental Protection Act (CEPA). Domestic Substances List (DSL). (Can. Gaz. Part II, Vol. 133)	y (positive listing)
Australia. Industrial Chemical (Notification and Assessment) Act	y (positive listing)
New Zealand. Inventory of Chemicals (NZIoC), as published by ERMA NewZealand	y (positive listing)
Japan. Kashin-Hou Law List	y (positive listing)
Korea. Toxic Chemical Control Law (TCCL) List	y (positive listing)
Philippines. The Toxic Substances and Hazardous and Nuclear Waste Control Act	n (Negative listing)
China. Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances	y (positive listing)

	HMIS	NFPA
Health	2	2
Flammability	1	1
Physical hazards	0	
Instability		0
Specific Hazard	-	-

16. OTHER INFORMATION

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