US. NIOSH: Pocket Guide to Chemical Hazards Recommended Exposure Limits (REL)

 Components
 Type
 Value

 TWA
 50 mg/m3

 10 ppm
 10 ppm

 Solvent naphtha (petroleum), heavy arom. (CAS 64742-94-5)
 TWA
 400 mg/m3

 100 ppm
 100 ppm

Biological limit values No biological exposure limits noted for the ingredient(s).

**Exposure guidelines** 

US - California OELs: Skin designation

NAPHTHALENE (CAS 91-20-3)

Can be absorbed through the skin.

**US ACGIH Threshold Limit Values: Skin designation** 

NAPHTHALENE (CAS 91-20-3) Danger of cutaneous absorption

Appropriate engineering

controls

Use adequate ventilation to control airborne concentrations below the exposure limits/guidelines. If user operations generate a vapor, dust and/or mist, use process enclosure, appropriate local

exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to control airborne levels below the

recommended exposure limits/guidelines.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

**Eye/face protection** Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles).

Skin protection

**Hand protection** Suitable chemical protective gloves should be worn when the potential exists for skin exposure.

The choice of an appropriate glove does not only depend on its material but also on other quality features and is different from one producer to the other. Nitrile gloves are recommended.

**Other** Wear appropriate chemical resistant clothing if applicable.

**Respiratory protection** If engineering controls do not maintain airborne concentrations to a level which is adequate to

protect worker health, an approved respirator must be worn. Respirator selection, use and maintenance should be in accordance with the requirements of OSHA Respiratory Protection

Standard 29 CFR 1910.134 and/or Canadian Standard CSA Z94.4.

**Thermal hazards** Wear appropriate thermal protective clothing, when necessary.

General hygiene considerations

Observe any medical surveillance requirements. When using do not smoke. Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing after handling the material and before eating,

drinking, and/or smoking. Routinely wash work clothing and protective equipment to remove contaminants.

9. Physical and chemical properties

**Appearance** 

Physical state Liquid. Form Liquid.

**Color** Light yellow to dark yellow.

Odor Amine-like.
Odor threshold Not available.
pH Not available.
Melting point/freezing point Not available.
Initial boiling point and boiling Not available.

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Flash point > 170.0 - < 190.0 °F (> 76.7 - < 87.8 °C)

Evaporation rate Not available.

Flammability (solid, gas) Not applicable.

Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits

Explosive limit - lower (%) 0.6 %

Explosive limit - upper (%) 5.5 %

Vapor pressure Not available.
Vapor density 4.5 @20°C (Air=1)

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