



Material Safety Data Sheet

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1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Common name NO. 12 THINNER
Product code F041-0012
Trade name THINNER CLEAR
Product Class PAINT THINNER

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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Emergency Overview

DANGER!

FLAMMABLE LIQUID AND VAPOR.
HARMFUL IF INHALED.
HARMFUL OR FATAL IF SWALLOWED.
MAY AFFECT THE BRAIN OR NERVOUS SYSTEM CAUSING DIZZINESS, HEADACHE OR NAUSEA.
MAY CAUSE EYE, SKIN, NOSE, THROAT AND RESPIRATORY TRACT IRRITATION.
MAY BE HARMFUL IF ABSORBED THROUGH SKIN.

Potential health effects

Principle Routes of Exposure Eye contact, Inhalation, Skin contact.

Acute effects

Eyes	Moderately irritating to the eyes.
Skin	Irritating to skin.
Inhalation	Irritating to respiratory system.
Ingestion	May be harmful if swallowed. Do not induce vomiting: may contain petroleum distillates and/or aromatic solvents. Aspiration may cause pulmonary edema and pneumonitis.

Chronic effects

NOTICE: Reports have associated repeated and prolonged occupational overexposure to solvents with permanent brain and nervous system damage. Intentional misuse by deliberately concentrating and inhaling the contents may be harmful or fatal.

See Section 11 for additional Toxicological information.

Aggravated Medical Conditions Central nervous system. Kidney disorders. Liver disorders. Skin disorders. Respiratory disorders.

Interactive effects Use of alcoholic beverages may enhance toxic effects.

Potential environmental effects See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information

Target Organ Effects Central nervous system, Eyes, Kidney, Liver, Respiratory system, Skin

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Hazardous Components

Component	CAS-No	Weight %
TOLUENE	108-88-3	60 - 100

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Eye contact:	Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes.
Skin contact:	Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water.
Ingestion:	If swallowed, do not induce vomiting. Get medical attention immediately.
Inhalation:	Move to fresh air. Oxygen or artificial respiration if needed.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Flammable properties	Flammable.
Suitable extinguishing media	Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment. Contact with water may cause violent frothing. Use: Carbon dioxide (CO ₂) - Foam - Dry chemical
Hazardous decomposition products	Oxides of carbon, hydrocarbons.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapours. In the event of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes.

Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

Use water spray to cool unopened containers. In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus. Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. May cause heat and pressure build-up in closed containers. Solvent vapors are heavier than air and may spread along floors. Flash back possible over considerable distance.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions	Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Use personal protective equipment. Remove all sources of ignition.
Environmental precautions	Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system.
Methods for cleaning up	If spilled, contain spilled material and remove with inert absorbent. Dispose of contaminated absorbent, container and unused contents in accordance with local, state and federal regulations.
Other information	Not applicable

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling

Close container after each use. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. If splashes are likely to occur, wear goggles. Wear protective gloves/clothing. Do not burn, or use a cutting torch on, the empty drum. When used in a mixture, read the labels and safety data sheets of all components. Wash thoroughly after handling.

Storage

Keep away from heat, sparks and flame. VAPORS MAY CAUSE FLASH FIRE. Use only in an area containing flame proof equipment. Extinguish all flames and pilot lights, and turn off stoves, heaters, electric motors and other sources of ignition during use and until all vapors are gone. Prevent build-up of vapors by opening all windows and doors to achieve cross ventilation.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Exposure Guidelines

Component	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	Quebec TWAEV	Ontario TWAEV	Mexico OEL (TWA)
TOLUENE	: 20 ppm TWA	: 100 ppm TWA; 375 mg/m ³ TWA : 150 ppm STEL; 560 mg/m ³ STEL : 200 ppm TWA : 300 ppm Ceiling	TWA: 50 ppm TWAEV; 188 mg/m ³ TWAEV Skin	TWA: 20 ppm TWA	: 50 ppm TWA; 188 mg/m ³ TWA

Engineering measures

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas

Personal Protective Equipment**Skin protection**

Lightweight protective clothing, Apron, Impervious gloves

Eye/face protection

If splashes are likely to occur, wear Goggles.

Respiratory protection

Use only with adequate ventilation. Do not breathe dust, vapors or spray mist. Ensure fresh air entry during application and drying. If you experience eye watering, headache or dizziness or if air monitoring demonstrates vapor/mist levels are above applicable limits, wear an appropriate, properly fitted respirator (NIOSH approved) during and after application. Follow respirator manufacturer's directions for respirator use.

General hygiene considerations

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid breathing dust created by cutting, sanding, or grinding.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Flash point	6°C / 42.0°F
Method	Pensky Martens - Closed Cup
Boiling range	110 - 112°C / 230.0 - 233.0°F
Upper explosion limit	No information available
Lower explosion limit	No information available
Evaporation rate	No information available
Vapor pressure	No information available
Vapor density	No information available
Specific Gravity	.87124 g/cm ³
Density	7.25000 lbs/gal
Volatile organic compounds (VOC) content	7.250 lbs/gal
Volatile by weight	100.0000 %
Volatile by volume	100.0000 %

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Chemical stability	Stable.	Conditions to avoid	Heat, flames and sparks.
Incompatible products	Strong oxidizing agents.	Possibility of hazardous reactions	None under normal processing

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute toxicity

Component Information

Component	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
TOLUENE	636 mg/kg (Rat)	8390 mg/kg (Rabbit) 12124 mg/kg (Rat)	12.5 mg/L (Rat) 4 h 26700 ppm (Rat) 1 h

Irritation	No information available
Corrosivity	No information available
Sensitization	No information available

Chronic toxicity

Carcinogenicity The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen

Mutagenicity	No information available
Reproductive effects	No information available
Developmental effects	No information available
Teratogenicity	No information available
Target Organ Effects	Central nervous system, Eyes, Kidney, Liver, Respiratory system, Skin.
Endocrine Disruptor Information	No information available

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

Component	Toxicity to algae	Toxicity to fish	Toxicity to microorganisms	Toxicity to daphnia
TOLUENE	EC50 > 433 mg/L 96 h EC50 = 12.5 mg/L 72 h	LC50 11.0-15.0 mg/L Lepomis macrochirus 96 h LC50 14.1-17.16 mg/L Oncorhynchus mykiss 96 h LC50 15.22-19.05 mg/L Pimephales promelas 96 h LC50 5.89-7.81 mg/L Oncorhynchus mykiss 96 h LC50 50.87-70.34 mg/L Poecilia reticulata 96 h LC50= 12.6 mg/L Pimephales promelas 96 h LC50= 28.2 mg/L Poecilia reticulata 96 h LC50= 5.8 mg/L Oncorhynchus mykiss 96 h LC50= 54 mg/L Oryzias latipes 96 h	EC50 = 19.7 mg/L 30 min	EC50 5.46 - 9.83 mg/L 48 h EC50 = 11.5 mg/L 48 h

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste disposal methods	Keep container tightly closed. If spilled, contain spilled material and remove with inert absorbent. Dispose of contaminated absorbent, container and unused contents in accordance with local, state and federal regulations.
Contaminated packaging	Empty containers should be taken for local recycling, recovery or waste disposal

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT Ground Transportation Only. Call TNEMEC Traffic Department - 816-474-3400 for other modes of Transportation.

Proper shipping name UN1294,TOLUENE,3,PGII,ERG 130

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

International Inventories

TSCA	Complies
DSL/NDSL	Complies
EINECS/ELINCS	Complies
CHINA	Complies
ENCS	Complies
KECL	Complies
PICCS	Complies
AICS	Complies

The following chemical(s) are listed as HAP under the U.S. Clean Air Act, Section 12 (40 CFR 61):

Component
TOLUENE

United States of America Federal RegulationsSARA 313

Component	CAS-No	Weight %	SARA 313 - Threshold Values
TOLUENE	108-88-3	60 - 100	1.0 % de minimis concentration

SARA 311/312 Hazardous Categorization

Chronic Health Hazard	no
Acute Health Hazard	yes
Fire Hazard	yes
Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard	no
Reactive Hazard	no

Component	CWA - Reportable Quantities	CWA - Toxic Pollutants	CWA - Priority Pollutants	CWA - Hazardous Substances
TOLUENE	1000 lb RQ	X	X	X

CERCLAUnited States of America State Regulations**California Prop. 65**

This product contains the following Proposition 65 chemicals:

Component	CAS-No	California Prop. 65
TOLUENE	108-88-3	Developmental Female Reproductive

State Right-to-Know

Component	Massachusetts	New Jersey	Pennsylvania	Illinois	Rhode Island
TOLUENE	X	X	X	X	X

Other international regulations

Canada

This product has been classified according to the hazard criteria of the CPR and the MSDS contains all of the information required by the CPR.

WHMIS Classification

B2 Flammable liquid

D2A Very toxic materials



Component	NPRI
TOLUENE	Part 1, Group 1 Substance; Part 5 Substance

Legend

NPRI - National Pollutant Release Inventory

16. OTHER INFORMATION

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Revision Note No information available

HMIS (Hazardous Material Information System) Health 2 Flammability 3 Reactivity 1

Disclaimer

For specific information regarding occupational safety and health standards, please refer to the Code of Federal Regulations, Title 29, Part 1910.

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End of MSDS