

# Safety Data Sheet



## 1. Identification

<b>Product Name:</b>	Activator	<b>Revision Date:</b>	1/9/2024
<b>Product Identifier:</b>	205813A	<b>Supersedes Date:</b>	1/5/2018
<b>Recommended Use:</b>	Activator/Epoxy Shield		
<b>Supplier:</b>	Rust-Oleum Corporation 11 Hawthorn Parkway Vernon Hills, IL 60061 USA	<b>Manufacturer:</b>	Rust-Oleum Corporation 11 Hawthorn Parkway Vernon Hills, IL 60061 USA
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## 2. Hazards Identification

### Classification

#### Symbol(s) of Product



#### Signal Word

Danger

#### Possible Hazards

7% of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown acute toxicity.

#### GHS HAZARD STATEMENTS

Carcinogenicity, category 2	H351	Suspected of causing cancer.
Flammable Liquid, category 3	H226	Flammable liquid and vapour.
Serious Eye Damage, category 1	H318	Causes serious eye damage.
Skin Irritation, category 2	H315	Causes skin irritation.
Skin Sensitizer, category 1	H317	May cause an allergic skin reaction.
STOT, Repeated Exposure, category 2	H373	May cause damage to organs.

#### GHS LABEL PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

P201	Obtain special instructions before use.
P210	Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.
P233	Keep container tightly closed.
P260	Do not breathe dust/fumes/gas/mist/vapours/spray.

P264	Wash thoroughly after handling.
P272	Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.
P280	Wear protective gloves / protective clothing / eye protection / face protection.
P302+P352	IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.
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.
P316	Get emergency medical help immediately.
P319	Get medical help if you feel unwell.
P321	Specific treatment (see notice on this label).
P332+P317	If skin irritation occurs: Get medical help.
P333+P317	If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical help.
P362+P364	Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.
P370+P378	In case of fire: Extinguish using suitable extinguishing media.
P403+P235	Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.
P405	Store locked up.
P501	Dispose of contents and container in accordance with local, regional and national regulations.

**GHS SDS PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS**

P240	Ground and bond container and receiving equipment.
P241	Use explosion-proof electrical, ventilating, lighting, or pouring equipment.
P242	Use non-sparking tools.
P243	Take action to prevent static discharges.

### 3. Composition / Information on Ingredients

**HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES**

<u>Chemical Name</u>	<u>CAS-No.</u>	<u>Wt.% Range</u>	<u>GHS Symbols</u>	<u>GHS Statements</u>
Xylenes (o-, m-, p- Isomers)	1330-20-7	10-25	GHS02-GHS07	H226-315-319-332
n-Butanol	71-36-3	2.5-10	GHS02-GHS05-GHS07	H226-302+H332-315-318-335-336
Ethylbenzene	100-41-4	2.5-10	GHS02-GHS07-GHS08	H225-304-332-351-373
Triethylenetetramine	112-24-3	0.1-1.0	GHS05-GHS07	H312-314-317
Hydrogenated Castor Oil	8001-78-3	0.1-1.0	Not Available	Not Available
Crystalline Silica / Quartz	14808-60-7	0.1-1.0	Not Available	Not Available

### 4. First-Aid Measures

**FIRST AID - EYE CONTACT:** Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes holding eyelids open. Get medical attention. Do NOT allow rubbing of eyes or keeping eyes closed. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

**FIRST AID - SKIN CONTACT:** Immediately flush skin with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing clothing. Get medical attention immediately. Wash clothing separately before reuse. Wash contaminated clothing and decontaminate footwear before reuse.

**FIRST AID - INHALATION:** Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get immediate medical attention. Do NOT use mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. If you experience difficulty in breathing, leave the area to obtain fresh air. If continued difficulty is experienced, get medical assistance immediately.

**FIRST AID - INGESTION:** If swallowed, do not induce vomiting. If victim is conscious and alert, give 2 to 4 cupfuls of water or milk. Call a physician or poison control center immediately. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Treat symptomatically and supportively. If swallowed, get medical attention. Do not induce vomiting unless advised by a physician. Call nearest Poison Control Center or Physician immediately.

## 5. Fire-Fighting Measures

**EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:** Carbon Dioxide, Dry Chemical, Dry Sand, Water Fog

**UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS:** Closed containers may explode when exposed to extreme heat due to buildup of steam. Vapors can travel to a source of ignition and flash back. Keep containers tightly closed. Combustible liquid and vapor.

**SPECIAL FIREFIGHTING PROCEDURES:** Water may be used to cool closed containers to prevent pressure buildup and possible autoignition or explosion. Water may be used to cool closed containers to prevent buildup of steam. If water is used, fog nozzles are preferred. Evacuate area and fight fire from a safe distance. Containers can rupture and release highly toxic material if exposed to heat. Use water spray to keep fire-exposed containers cool. Containers may explode when heated.

**Special Fire and Explosion Hazard (Combustible Dust):** Not a combustible dust.

## 6. Accidental Release Measures

**STEPS TO BE TAKEN IF MATERIAL IS RELEASED OR SPILLED:** Avoid runoff into sewers and waterways. Provide ventilation and approach spill from upwind using proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8. Contain spilled liquid with sand or earth. DO NOT use combustible materials such as sawdust. Eliminate all ignition sources; use explosion-proof equipment. Place material in a container and dispose of according to local, provincial, state and federal regulations. Remove all sources of ignition, ventilate area and remove with inert absorbent and non-sparking tools.

## 7. Handling and Storage

**HANDLING:** Wash thoroughly after handling. Wash hands before eating. Remove contaminated clothing and launder before reuse. Use only with adequate ventilation. Follow all SDS and label precautions even after container is emptied because it may retain product residues. Ground and bond containers when transferring material from one vessel to another. Vapor can be ignited by static discharge. Avoid breathing fumes, vapors, or mist. Avoid prolonged or repeated contact with skin. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing.

**STORAGE:** Store in a dry, well ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed when not in use. Keep away from heat, sparks, flame and sources of ignition. Avoid excess heat.

**Advice on Safe Handling of Combustible Dust:** No Information

## 8. Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

Chemical Name	CAS-No.	Weight % Less Than	ACGIH TLV-TWA	ACGIH TLV-STEL	OSHA PEL-TWA	OSHA PEL-CEILING
Xylenes (o-, m-, p- Isomers)	1330-20-7	15.0	20 ppm	N.E.	100 ppm	N.E.
n-Butanol	71-36-3	10.0	20 ppm	N.E.	100 ppm	N.E.
Ethylbenzene	100-41-4	5.0	20 ppm	N.E.	100 ppm	N.E.
Triethylenetetramine	112-24-3	1.0	N.E.	N.E.	N.E.	N.E.
Hydrogenated Castor Oil	8001-78-3	1.0	N.E.	N.E.	N.E.	N.E.
Crystalline Silica / Quartz	14808-60-7	1.0	0.025 mg/m3	N.E.	50 µg/m3	N.E.

### PERSONAL PROTECTION

**ENGINEERING CONTROLS:** Use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to control airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. Prevent build-up of vapors by opening all doors and windows to achieve cross-ventilation.

**RESPIRATORY PROTECTION:** A respiratory protection program that meets OSHA 1910.134 and ANSI Z88.2 requirements must be followed whenever workplace conditions warrant a respirator's use.

**SKIN PROTECTION:** Use impervious gloves to prevent skin contact and absorption of this material through the skin.

**EYE PROTECTION:** Use safety eyewear designed to protect against splash of liquids.

**OTHER PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT:** Refer to safety supervisor or industrial hygienist for further guidance regarding types of personal protective equipment and their applications.

**HYGIENIC PRACTICES:** Wash thoroughly with soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking. Remove contaminated clothing immediately and launder before reuse.

**Engineering Measures for Combustible Dust:** No Information

## 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

<b>Appearance:</b>	Liquid	<b>Physical State:</b>	Liquid
<b>Odor:</b>	Solvent Like	<b>Odor Threshold:</b>	N.E.
<b>Specific Gravity:</b>	1.450	<b>pH:</b>	N.D.
<b>Freeze Point, °C:</b>	N.D.	<b>Viscosity:</b>	N.D.
<b>Solubility in Water:</b>	Insoluble	<b>Partition Coefficient, n-octanol/water:</b>	N.D.
<b>Decomposition Temp., °C:</b>	N.D.	<b>Explosive Limits, vol%:</b>	1.2 - 6.8
<b>Boiling Range, °C:</b>	100 - 537	<b>Flash Point, °C:</b>	27
<b>Flammability:</b>	Supports Combustion	<b>Auto-Ignition Temp., °C:</b>	N.D.
<b>Evaporation Rate:</b>	Slower than Ether	<b>Vapor Pressure:</b>	N.D.
<b>Vapor Density:</b>	Heavier than air		

(See "Other information" Section for abbreviation legend)

## 10. Stability and Reactivity

**Conditions to Avoid:** Avoid temperatures above 120°F (49°C). Avoid all possible sources of ignition. Avoid contact with metals. Avoid excess heat.

**Incompatibility:** Incompatible with strong oxidizing agents, strong acids and strong alkalies. Product slowly corrodes copper, aluminum, zinc, and galvanized surfaces.

**Hazardous Decomposition:** When heated to decomposition, it emits acrid smoke and irritating fumes.

**Hazardous Polymerization:** Will not occur under normal conditions.

**Stability:** This product is stable under normal storage conditions.

## 11. Toxicological Information

**EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE - EYE CONTACT:** Causes eye burns. Irritating, and may injure eye tissue if not removed promptly. High vapor concentrations can irritate eyes, nose and respiratory passages.

**EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE - SKIN CONTACT:** Prolonged or repeated skin contact may cause irritation. Substance is corrosive. Causes severe skin burns. Causes skin irritation. Allergic reactions are possible. May cause skin sensitization, an allergic reaction, which becomes evident upon re-exposure to this material. Frequent or prolonged contact may irritate the skin and cause a skin rash (dermatitis). Severely irritating; may cause permanent skin damage.

**EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE - INHALATION:** High gas, vapor, mist or dust concentrations may be harmful if inhaled. Avoid breathing fumes, spray, vapors, or mist. High vapor concentrations are irritating to the eyes, nose, throat and lungs. Constituents of this product include crystalline silica dust which, if inhalable, may cause silicosis, a form of progressive pulmonary fibrosis. Inhalable crystalline silica is listed by IARC as a group I carcinogen (lung) based on sufficient evidence in occupationally exposed humans and sufficient evidence in animals. Crystalline silica is also listed by the NTP as a known human carcinogen. Constituents may also contain asbestiform or non-asbestiform tremolite or other silicates as impurities, and above de minimus exposure to these impurities in inhalable form may be carcinogenic or cause other serious lung problems.

**EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE - INGESTION:** Corrosive and may cause severe and permanent damage to mouth, throat and stomach. Harmful if swallowed.

**EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE - CHRONIC HAZARDS:** High concentrations may lead to central nervous system effects (drowsiness, dizziness, nausea, headaches, paralysis, and blurred vision) and/or damage. Reports have associated repeated and prolonged occupational overexposure to solvents with permanent brain and nervous system damage. Overexposure to xylene in laboratory animals has been associated with liver abnormalities, kidney, lung, spleen, eye and blood damage as well as reproductive disorders. Effects in humans, due to chronic overexposure, have included liver, cardiac abnormalities and nervous system damage. IARC lists Ethylbenzene as a possible human carcinogen (group 2B). Prolonged or repeated skin contact may cause dermatitis.

**PRIMARY ROUTE(S) OF ENTRY:** Eye Contact, Ingestion, Inhalation, Skin Absorption, Skin Contact

### ACUTE TOXICITY VALUES

The acute effects of this product have not been tested. Data on individual components are tabulated below:

<u>CAS-No.</u>	<u>Chemical Name</u>	<u>Oral LD50</u>	<u>Dermal LD50</u>	<u>Vapor LC50</u>
1330-20-7	Xylenes (o-, m-, p- Isomers)	3500 mg/kg Rat	>4350 mg/kg Rabbit	29.08 mg/L Rat
71-36-3	n-Butanol	700 mg/kg Rat	3402 mg/kg Rabbit	N.E.
100-41-4	Ethylbenzene	3500 mg/kg Rat	15400 mg/kg Rabbit	17.4 mg/L Rat
112-24-3	Triethylenetetramine	2500 mg/kg Rat	1,465 mg/kg Rabbit	N.E.
8001-78-3	Hydrogenated Castor Oil	10000 mg/kg Rat	N.E.	N.E.
14808-60-7	Crystalline Silica / Quartz	5500 mg/kg Rat	5500	100 mg/L

N.E. - Not Established

**12. Ecological Information**

**ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION:** Product is a mixture of listed components. No ecotoxicity data was found for this product.

**13. Disposal Information**

**DISPOSAL:** Do not incinerate closed containers. Dispose of material in accordance to local, state, and federal regulations and ordinances. RCRA Hazardous Waste: This material, when discarded or disposed of, could be a hazardous waste according to federal regulations (40 CFR 261) due to the characteristic of corrosivity (D002). Check state and local regulations for disposal requirements. Chemical additions, processing or otherwise altering this material may make the waste management information presented in this SDS incomplete, inaccurate, or otherwise inappropriate.

**14. Transport Information**

	<u>Domestic (USDOT)</u>	<u>International (IMDG)</u>	<u>Air (IATA)</u>	<u>TDG (Canada)</u>
UN Number:	N.A.	1263	1263	N.A.
Proper Shipping Name:	Paint Products in Limited Quantities	Paint	Paint	Paint Products in Limited Quantities
Hazard Class:	N.A.	3	3	N.A.
Packing Group:	N.A.	III	III	N.A.
Limited Quantity:	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

**15. Regulatory Information****U.S. Federal Regulations:****CERCLA - SARA Hazard Category**

This product has been reviewed according to the EPA 'Hazard Categories' promulgated under Sections 311 and 312 of the Superfund Amendment and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA Title III) and is considered, under applicable definitions, to meet the following categories:

Flammable (gases, aerosols, liquids, or solids), Carcinogenicity, Skin Corrosion or Irritation, Respiratory or Skin Sensitization, Serious eye damage or eye irritation, Specific target organ toxicity (single or repeated exposure)

**SARA Section 313**

This product contains the following substances subject to the reporting requirements of Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendment and Reauthorization Act of 1986 and 40 CFR part 372:

<u>Chemical Name</u>	<u>CAS-No.</u>
Xylenes (o-, m-, p- Isomers)	1330-20-7
n-Butanol	71-36-3
Ethylbenzene	100-41-4

**Toxic Substances Control Act**

This product contains the following chemical substances subject to the reporting requirements of TSCA 12(b) if exported from the United States:

No TSCA 12(b) components exist in this product.

**U.S. State Regulations:****California Proposition 65****WARNING:**

Cancer and Reproductive Harm - [www.P65Warnings.ca.gov](http://www.P65Warnings.ca.gov).

**16. Other Information****HMIS RATINGS**

Health: 3\*      Flammability: 3      Physical Hazard: 1      Personal Protection: X

**NFPA RATINGS**

Health: 2      Flammability: 3      Instability: 0

Volatile Organic Compounds: 333 g/L

SDS REVISION DATE: 1/9/2024

REASON FOR REVISION: Product Composition Changed  
Substance Regulatory CAS Number Changed  
Substance Hazardous Flag Changed  
Substance Hazard Threshold % Changed  
Substance and/or Product Properties Changed in  
Section(s):  
01 - Identification  
02 - Hazard Identification  
03 - Composition / Information on Ingredients  
08 - Exposure Controls / Personal Protection  
09 - Physical & Chemical Properties  
11 - Toxicological Information  
15 - Regulatory Information  
16 - Other Information  
Revision Statement(s) Changed

**Legend:** N.A. - Not Applicable, N.D. - Not Determined, N.E. - Not Established

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