

# Material Safety Data Sheet

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## Section 1 - Chemical Product / Company Information

Product Name: Epoxy Activator (w/o tremolite)      Revision Date: 12/07/2005  
Identification Number: 238377  
Product Use/Class: Activator/Epoxy  
Supplier: Rust-Oleum Corporation      Manufacturer: Rust-Oleum Corporation  
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USA      USA  
Preparer: Regulatory Department

## Section 2 - Composition / Information On Ingredients

Chemical Name	CAS Number	Weight % Less Than	ACGIH TLV-TWA	ACGIH TLV-STEL	OSHA PEL-TWA	OSHA PEL-CEILING
Polyamide Resin	PROPRIETARY	30.0	N.E.	N.E.	N.E.	N.E.
Xylene	1330-20-7	10.0	100 PPM	150 PPM	100 PPM	N.E.
Isopropyl Alcohol	67-63-0	5.0	400 PPM	500 PPM	400 PPM	N.E.
Ethylbenzene	100-41-4	5.0	100 PPM	125 PPM	100 PPM	N.E.

## Section 3 - Hazards Identification

\*\*\* Emergency Overview \*\*\*: Harmful if swallowed. Causes eye burns. Causes skin irritation. May cause allergic skin reaction.

Effects Of Overexposure - Eye Contact: Causes eye burns.

Effects Of Overexposure - Skin Contact: May cause skin sensitization, an allergic reaction, which becomes evident on re-exposure to this material. Contact causes skin irritation.

Effects Of Overexposure - Inhalation: High vapor concentrations are irritating to the eyes, nose, throat and lungs.

Effects Of Overexposure - Ingestion: Aspiration hazard if swallowed; can enter lungs and cause damage. Can burn mouth, throat and stomach.

Effects Of Overexposure - Chronic Hazards: IARC lists Ethylbenzene as a possible human carcinogen (group 2B). High concentrations may lead to central nervous system effects (drowsiness, dizziness, nausea, headaches, paralysis, and blurred vision) and/or 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.

Primary Route(s) Of Entry: Skin Contact, Skin Absorption, Inhalation, Eye Contact

## Section 4 - First Aid Measures

First Aid - Eye Contact: Hold eyelids apart and flush with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention.

First Aid - Skin Contact: Remove contaminated clothing. Wash skin with soap and water. Get medical attention.

First Aid - Inhalation: Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get immediate medical attention.

First Aid - Ingestion: If swallowed, do not induce vomiting. Give victim a glass of water or milk. Call a physician or poison control center immediately. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

## **Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures**

Flash Point: 80 F  
(Setaflash)

Lower Explosive Limit: 1.0 %  
Upper Explosive Limit : 12.0 %

Extinguishing Media: Dry Chemical, Foam, Water Fog

Unusual Fire And Explosion Hazards: Combustion generates toxic fumes of carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide and other gases.

Special Firefighting Procedures: Evacuate area and fight fire from a safe distance.

## **Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures**

Steps To Be Taken If Material Is Released Or Spilled: Contain spilled liquid with sand or earth. DO NOT use combustible materials such as sawdust. Isolate the hazard area and deny entry to unnecessary and unprotected personnel.

## **Section 7 - Handling And Storage**

Handling: Wash thoroughly after handling. Use with adequate ventilation. Avoid prolonged or repeated contact with skin.

Storage: Keep containers tightly closed. Isolate from heat, electrical equipment, sparks and open flame.

## **Section 8 - Exposure Controls / 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: Nitrile or Neoprene gloves may afford adequate 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 information regarding

personal protective equipment and its application.

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

## Section 9 - Physical And Chemical Properties

Boiling Range:	180 - 572 F	Vapor Density:	Heavier than Air
Odor:	Slight Amine	Odor Threshold:	ND
Appearance:	Liquid	Evaporation Rate:	Slower than Ether
Solubility in H <sub>2</sub> O:	Slight		
Freeze Point:	ND	Specific Gravity:	1.447
Vapor Pressure:	ND	PH:	NE
Physical State:	Liquid		

(See section 16 for abbreviation legend)

## Section 10 - Stability And Reactivity

Conditions To Avoid: Avoid all possible sources of ignition.

Incompatibility: Incompatible with strong oxidizing agents, strong acids and strong alkalies.

Hazardous Decomposition: By open flame, carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide. 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.

## Section 11 - Toxicological Information

Product LD50: ND

Product LC50: ND

<b><u>Chemical Name</u></b>	<b><u>LD50</u></b>	<b><u>LC50</u></b>
Polyamide Resin	>8.0g/kg (rat)	N.D.
Xylene	N.D.	N.D.
Isopropyl Alcohol	5840 mg/kg (ORAL, RAT)	N.D.
Ethylbenzene	3500 mg/kg (ORAL, RAT)	N.D.

## Section 12 - Ecological Information

Ecological Information: Product is a mixture of listed components.

## Section 13 - Disposal Information

Disposal Information: Dispose of material in accordance to local, state and federal regulations and ordinances. Do not allow to enter storm drains or sewer systems.

## Section 14 - Transportation Information

DOT Proper Shipping Name:	Flammable liquids, corrosive, n.o.s.	Packing Group:	III
DOT Technical Name:	---	Hazard Subclass:	8
DOT Hazard Class:	3	Resp. Guide Page:	127
DOT UN/NA Number:	UN2924		

## Section 15 - Regulatory Information

### 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:

IMMEDIATE HEALTH HAZARD, CHRONIC HEALTH HAZARD, FIRE HAZARD

### SARA Section 313:

Listed below are the substances (if any) contained in this product that are 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 Number</u>
Xylene	1330-20-7
Ethylbenzene	100-41-4

### Toxic Substances Control Act:

Listed below are the substances (if any) contained in this product that are subject to the reporting requirements of TSCA 12(B) if exported from the United States:

### U.S. State Regulations: As follows -

#### New Jersey Right-to-Know:

The following materials are non-hazardous, but are among the top five components in this product.

<u>Chemical Name</u>	<u>CAS Number</u>
Potassium Aluminosilicate	37244-96-5
Calcium Carbonate	1317-65-3
Water	7732-18-5

#### Pennsylvania Right-to-Know:

The following non-hazardous ingredients are present in the product at greater than 3%.

<u>Chemical Name</u>	<u>CAS Number</u>
Potassium Aluminosilicate	37244-96-5
Calcium Carbonate	1317-65-3
Water	7732-18-5

**California Proposition 65:**

WARNING! This product contains a chemical(s) known by the State of California to cause cancer.

WARNING! This product contains a chemical(s) known to the state of California to cause birth defects or other reproductive harm.

**International Regulations: As follows -****CANADIAN WHMIS:**

This MSDS has been prepared in compliance with Controlled Product Regulations except for the use of the 16 headings.

**CANADIAN WHMIS CLASS:** B2 D2B

<b>Section 16 - Other Information</b>
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**HMIS Ratings:**

Health: 2\*

Flammability: 3

Reactivity: 1

Personal Protection: X

**VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS, g/l:** 195

**REASON FOR REVISION:** Regulatory Update

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

The information contained on this MSDS has been checked and should be accurate. However, it is the responsibility of the user to comply with all Federal, State, and Local laws and regulations.