

# Safety Data Sheet



## 1. Identification

**Name on Label:** Varathane Total Control Gel Stain

**Product Name:** VARA 2X946ML GEL STAIN KONA WB      **Revision Date:** 1/16/2025

**Product Identifier:** 398135      **Supersedes Date:** New SDS

**Recommended Use:** Woodstain/Waterborne

**Supplier:** Rust-Oleum Canada (ROCA)  
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Canada      **Manufacturer:** Rust-Oleum Canada (ROCA)  
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**Preparer:** Regulatory Department

**Emergency Telephone:** 24 Hour Hotline: 847-367-7700

## 2. Hazards Identification

### Classification

#### Symbol(s) of Product



#### Signal Word

Warning

#### Possible Hazards

3% of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown acute toxicity.

#### GHS Hazard Statements

Skin Sensitizer, category 1      H317      May cause an allergic skin reaction.

#### GHS Label Precautionary Statements

P261      Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.

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.

P321      Specific treatment (see notice on this label).

P333+P313      If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

P501      Dispose of contents and container in accordance with local, regional and national regulations.

#### GHS SDS Precautionary Statements

P363      Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

#### Hazards Not Otherwise Classified

SC009      Spontaneous combustion (fire) may result from oil soaked materials such as rags, steel wool, paper, and clothing. Follow proper disposal instructions.

### 3. Composition / Information on Ingredients

#### HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES

| <u>Chemical Name</u>   | <u>CAS-No.</u> | <u>Wt.%<br/>Range</u> | <u>GHS Symbols</u>          | <u>GHS Statements</u>     |
|--|----------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------|
| Tripropylene Glycol Monomethyl Ether   | 25498-49-1     | 0.5-1.5               | Not Available               | Not Available             |
| Propylene Glycol   | 57-55-6        | 0.5-1.5               | Not Available               | Not Available             |
| Carbon Black   | 1333-86-4      | 0.1-1.0               | Not Available               | Not Available             |
| Dipropylene Glycol Monobutyl Ether   | 29911-28-2     | 0.1-1.0               | Not Available               | Not Available             |
| Triethylamine  | 121-44-8       | 0.1-1.0               | GHS02-GHS05-<br>GHS06-GHS07 | H225-302-311+H331-314-335 |
| 5-Chloro-2-Methyl-4-Isothiazolin-3-one Mixture with<br>2-Methyl-4-Isothiazolin-3-one | 55965-84-9     | <0.1                  | GHS05-GHS06-<br>GHS07       | H301-310+H330-314-317     |

### 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:** Wash skin with soap and water. Remove contaminated clothing. Get medical attention if irritation develops or persists. 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.

### 5. Fire-Fighting Measures

**EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:** Aqueous Film Forming Foam, Carbon Dioxide, Dry Chemical, Dry Sand, Water Fog

**Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards:** Keep containers tightly closed. No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted. Spontaneous combustion (fire) may result from oil soaked materials such as rags, steel wool, paper, and clothing. Place soaked materials in a sealed metal container filled with water to prevent this.

**Special Fire Fighting Procedures:** Water may be used to cool closed containers to prevent buildup of steam. If water is used, fog nozzles are preferred.

**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:** 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. Do not incinerate closed containers. Absorb with non-combustible liquid-binding material (sand, diatomaceous earth (clay), acid binders, universal binders). To avoid spontaneous combustion, soak rags and other clean-up materials in a closed, water-filled metal container.

### 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. Avoid breathing fumes, vapors, or mist. Avoid prolonged or repeated contact with skin. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Rags, steel wool, or waste contaminated with this product may spontaneously catch fire if improperly discarded. Immediately after use, place contaminated materials in a sealed, water-filled metal container.

**Storage:** Store in a dry, well ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed when not in use.

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

## 8. Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

| Chemical Name  | CAS-No.    | Weight %<br>Less Than | ACGIH TLV-<br>TWA | ACGIH TLV-<br>STEL | OSHA PEL-TWA | OSHA PEL-<br>CEILING |
|--|------------|-----------------------|-------------------|--------------------|--------------|----------------------|
| Tripropylene Glycol Monomethyl Ether   | 25498-49-1 | 5.0                   | N.E.              | N.E.               | N.E.         | N.E.                 |
| Propylene Glycol   | 57-55-6    | 5.0                   | N.E.              | N.E.               | N.E.         | N.E.                 |
| Carbon Black   | 1333-86-4  | 1.0                   | 3 mg/m3           | N.E.               | 3.5 mg/m3    | N.E.                 |
| Dipropylene Glycol Monobutyl Ether   | 29911-28-2 | 1.0                   | N.E.              | N.E.               | N.E.         | N.E.                 |
| Triethylamine  | 121-44-8   | 1.0                   | 0.5 ppm           | 1 ppm              | 25 ppm       | N.E.                 |
| 5-Chloro-2-Methyl-4-<br>Isothiazolin-3-one Mixture with<br>2-Methyl-4-Isothiazolin-3-one | 55965-84-9 | 0.1                   | N.E.              | N.E.               | N.E.         | 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 (U.S.) and/or SOR/86-304 Part XII 12.13 and CSA Standard Z180.1 (Canada) 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

|                                    |                             |  |                   |
|------------------------------------|-----------------------------|--|-------------------|
| Physical State                     | Liquid                      | Decomposition Temperature, °C          | N.D.              |
| Color                              | Not Yet Specified           | pH                                     | N.A.              |
| Odor                               | Mild                        | Kinematic Viscosity                    | N.D.              |
| Odor Threshold                     | Threshold N.E.              | Solubility in Water                    | Miscible          |
| Freezing Point / Melting Point, °C | N.D.                        | Partition Coefficient, n-octanol/water | N.D.              |
| Boiling Range, °C                  | -18 - 243                   | Vapor Pressure                         | N.D.              |
| Flammability                       | Does not Support Combustion | Evaporation Rate                       | Slower than Ether |
| Lower Explosive Limit, vol%        | 1.5                         | Specific Gravity                       | 0.990             |
| Upper Explosive Limit, vol%        | 10.9                        | Vapor Density                          | Heavier than Air  |
| Flash Point, °C                    | 121                         | Particle Characteristics               | N.A.              |
| Auto-Ignition Temperature, °C      | N.D.                        |  |                   |

(See "Other information" Section for abbreviation legend)

## 10. Stability and Reactivity

**Conditions to Avoid:** Avoid excess heat.

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

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

**Hazardous Polymerization:** Will not occur under normal conditions. High surface area exposure to oxygen via soiled materials can result in polymerization and release of heat. Spontaneous combustion may occur when exposed to oxygen, excessive heat, sparks, or open flames.

**Stability:** This product is stable under normal storage conditions. Stable, but polymerizes gradually on exposure to air.

## 11. Toxicological Information

**Effects of Overexposure - Eye Contact:** Irritating, and may injure eye tissue if not removed promptly.

**Effects of Overexposure - Skin Contact:** Prolonged or repeated skin contact may cause irritation. 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). Low hazard for usual industrial handling or commercial handling by trained personnel.

**Effects of Overexposure - Inhalation:** High gas, vapor, mist or dust concentrations may be harmful if inhaled. Avoid breathing fumes, spray, vapors, or mist.

**Effects of Overexposure - Ingestion:** Substance may be harmful if swallowed.

**Effects of Overexposure - Chronic Hazards:** Contains carbon black. Chronic inflammation, lung fibrosis, and lung tumors have been observed in some rats experimentally exposed for long periods of time to excessive concentrations of carbon black and several insoluble fine dust particles. Tumors have not been observed in other animal species (i.e., mouse and hamster) under similar circumstances and study conditions. Epidemiological studies of North American workers show no evidence of clinically significant adverse health effects due to occupational exposure to carbon black.

Carbon black is listed as a Group 2B-"Possibly carcinogenic to humans" by IARC and is proposed to be listed as A4- "not classified as a human carcinogen" by the American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists. Significant exposure is not anticipated during brush application or drying. Risk of overexposure depends on duration and level of exposure to dust from repeated sanding of surfaces or spray mist and the actual concentration of carbon black in the formula. 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> |
|----------------|--|------------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| 25498-49-1     | Tripropylene Glycol Monomethyl Ether   | 3200 mg/kg Rat   | 15440 mg/kg Rabbit | N.E.              |
| 57-55-6        | Propylene Glycol   | 20000 mg/kg Rat  | 20800 mg/kg Rabbit | >20 mg/L          |
| 1333-86-4      | Carbon Black   | >10000 mg/kg Rat | >2000 mg/kg Rabbit | N.E.              |
| 29911-28-2     | Dipropylene Glycol Monobutyl Ether   | N.E.             | N.E.               | 25                |
| 121-44-8       | Triethylamine  | 730 mg/kg Rat    | 415 mg/kg Rabbit   | 14.5 mg/L Rat     |
| 55965-84-9     | 5-Chloro-2-Methyl-4-Isothiazolin-3-one<br>Mixture with 2-Methyl-4-Isothiazolin-3-one | 53 mg/kg Rat     | 87.12 mg/kg Rabbit | N.E.              |

N.E. - Not Established

## 12. Ecological Information

**Ecological Information:** No ecotoxicity data was found for this product.

## 13. Disposal Information

**Disposal:** Dispose of material in accordance to local, state, and federal regulations and ordinances. Immediately after use place rags, steel wool, or waste in a closed, water-filled metal container. Air oxidation of the product may cause it to spontaneously combust.

**14. Transport Information**

|                       | <u>Domestic (USDOT)</u> | <u>International (IMDG)</u> | <u>Air (IATA)</u> | <u>TDG (Canada)</u> |
|-----------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------|---------------------|
| UN Number:            | N.A.                    | N.A.                        | N.A.              | N.A.                |
| Proper Shipping Name: | Not Regulated           | Not Regulated               | Not Regulated     | Not Regulated       |
| Hazard Class:         | N.A.                    | N.A.                        | N.A.              | N.A.                |
| Packing Group:        | N.A.                    | N.A.                        | N.A.              | N.A.                |
| Limited Quantity:     | No                      | No                          | No                | No                  |

**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:

Respiratory or Skin Sensitization

**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> |
|--------------------------------------|----------------|
| Tripropylene Glycol Monomethyl Ether | 25498-49-1     |
| Triethylamine                        | 121-44-8       |

**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:** 2\*      **Flammability:** 1      **Physical Hazard:** 0      **Personal Protection:** X

**NFPA RATINGS**

**Health:** 2      **Flammability:** 1      **Instability:** 0

**Volatile Organic Compounds:** 184 g/L

**SDS REVISION DATE:** 1/16/2025

**REASON FOR REVISION:**

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

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