Chemical Hazard Bulletin

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N-METHYL-2-PYRROLIDONE

INGREDIENTS

N-methyl-2-pyrrolidone

CAS No 872-50-4

% ------ 8hr OEL

NFPA RATING



NFPA Rating: 0: Minimum, 1: Low, 2: Moderate, 3: High, 4: Extreme

UN No: Not Applicable
Hazchem Code: Not Applicable
DG Class: Not Applicable
Subsidiary Risk: Not Applicable
Packing Group: Not Applicable
Poisons Schedule: Not Available

PROPERTIES

Liquid.Mixes with water.Combustible.

HEALTH HAZARD INFORMATION







ACUTE HEALTH EFFECTS:

Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin.

CHRONIC HEALTH EFFECTS:

May cause harm to the unborn child.

SAFE STORAGE WITH OTHER CLASSIFIED CHEMICALS







Radioactive X



Oxidizing X

X: Must not be stored together

PRECAUTIONS FOR USE











APPROPRIATE ENGINEERING CONTROLS:

General Exhaust Ventilation adequate.

GLASSES:

Consider chemical goggles.

GLOVES:

1.BUTYL 2.PE/EVAL/PE 3.PVA

RESPIRATOR:

Type K Filter of sufficient capacity. (AS/NZS 1716 & 1715, EN 143:2000 &

149:2001, ANSI Z88 or national equivalent)

STORAGE AND TRANSPORTATION:

Store in cool, dry, protected area.

FIRE/EXPLOSION HAZARD:

Vapours/gas heavier than air. Toxic smoke/fumes in a fire.

EMERGENCY







FIRST AID

SWALLOWED:

Give water (if conscious). Seek medical advice.

EYE:

Wash with running water.

SKIN:

Remove contaminated clothing. Wash with soap & water.

INHALED:

Fresh air. Rest, keep warm.

ADVICE TO DOCTOR:

Treat symptomatically.

FIRE FIGHTING:

Water spray/ fog.

SPILLS AND DISPOSAL:

Eliminate ignition sources.

Absorb with dry agent.

Stop leak if safe to do so.

For further information call Environmental Protection: 880-9714 (DH) or 427-0158 (JID)

For proper disposal methods and locations for the chemical or chemical contaminated material, contact the Environmental Engineering Division on 880-9767