

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

SECTION 1 - MATERIAL IDENTIFICATION

100668

PRODUCT NAME VERSATHANE* SME-80A URETHANE PREPOLYMER
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EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

HMIS/NFPA HEALTH 2 FLAMMABILITY 1 REACTIVITY 1
PHYSICAL FORM waxy solid
at processing temperature Liquid

COLOR White
at processing temperature Straw yellow / Amber

ODOR Pungent

HAZARDS Severe respiratory tract irritant. Moderate eye irritant. Moderate skin irritant. May cause respiratory sensitization. May cause skin sensitization.

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA Ignition will give rise to a Class B fire. In case of large fire use: alcohol foam. In case of small fire use: carbon dioxide (CO2), dry chemical, dry sand or limestone.

C.A.S. CHEMICAL NAME Mixture

SYNONYMS None

CHEMICAL FAMILY Isocyanate Prepolymer

EMPIRICAL FORMULA Mixture

INTENDED USE

Prepolymer

REVISION NOTES

Updated health hazard info
AND SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE (.
Updated Reactivity Informa
respiratory protection inf

SECTION 2 - INGREDIENTS

#	%	CAS Number and Chemical Name
1.	89.00 - 94.00	9048-58-2 MDI/PTMEG POLYMER
2.	6.00 - 11.00	101-68-8 BENZENE, 1,1'-METHYLENEBIS(4-I

OSHA (ACGIH) EXPOSURE LIMITS

	TWA ppm	mg/m3	STEL ppm	mg/m3	CEI ppm
1. OSHA	N/E	N/E	N/E	N/E	N/E
ACGIH	N/E	N/E	N/E	N/E	N/E
2. OSHA	N/E	N/E	N/E	N/E	0.0
ACGIH	0.0050	0.0510	N/E	N/E	N/E

N/E = Not Established.

SECTION 3 - HEALTH HAZARDS

ROUTES OF EXPOSURE

- Eye Contact
- Skin Contact
- Ingestion

EXPOSURE STANDARDS

See Section 2 for exposure standards on ingredient
contaminant concentrations in the workplace at the
feasible levels.

HEALTH HAZARDS

- Severe respiratory tract irritant.
- Moderate eye irritant.
- Moderate skin irritant.
- May cause respiratory sensitization.
- May cause skin sensitization.

Skin

Respiratory system

SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE (Acute effects)

Inhalation of mists may cause irritation in the respiratory tract. Inhalation of vapors may cause irritation in the respiratory tract. Contact with the skin or eyes causes moderate eye and skin irritation, redness and discomfort which is transient. Coughing and chest pain may result.

SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE (Possible Longer Term Effects)

This substance may cause respiratory sensitization and chronic lung toxicity to exposed workers.

Repeated and/or prolonged exposure may cause allergic reaction/sensitization.

Repeated and/or prolonged exposures may result in: adverse respiratory effects (such as cough, tightness of chest or shortness of breath), adverse eye effects (such as conjunctivitis or corneal damage), adverse skin effects (such as rash, irritation or corrosion).

MEDICAL CONDITIONS GENERALLY AGGRAVATED BY EXPOSURE

Asthma

Chronic respiratory disease (e.g. Bronchitis, Emphysema)

Eye disease

Skin disorders and Allergies

MUTAGENICITY DATA (OSHA, ACGIH, NTP, IARC, OTHER)

This product contains no carcinogens in concentrations of 0.1 percent or greater.

ACTION 4 - FIRST AID

EYE CONTACT

Hold eyelids apart and immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Seek medical advice.

SKIN CONTACT

Remove product and immediately flush affected area with water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Seek medical advice.

RESPIRATION

Move patient to fresh air. If breathing has stopped or is labored, give assisted respiration (e.g. mouth-to-mouth). Supplemental oxygen may be indicated. Prevent aspiration of vomit. Turn victim's head to the side. Seek medical advice.

INGESTION

If swallowed, call a physician immediately. Remove stomach contents by gastric suction or induce vomiting only as directed by medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an

SECTION 5 - FIRE AND EXPLOSION DATA

FLASH POINT (closed cup) >110.00 C (>230.00 F)

UPPER EXPLOSION LIMIT (UEL) No Data

LOWER EXPLOSION LIMIT (LEL) No Data

IGNITION TEMPERATURE No Data

HAZARD CLASSIFICATION (OSHA/NFPA)

Class III B

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA

Ignition will give rise to a Class B fire. Do not add water or other liquids to this product. In case of large fire use: foam. In case of small fire use: carbon dioxide (CO₂), dry chemical, dry sand or limestone.

SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES

Firefighters should wear butyl rubber boots, gloves, and helmet and a self-contained breathing apparatus.

Retain expended liquids from fire fighting for later disposal.

USUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS

May generate toxic or irritating combustion products.

Sudden reaction and fire may result if product is mixed with oxidizing agent.

May generate carbon monoxide gas. May generate hydrogen cyanide gas.

Personnel in vicinity and downwind should be evacuated.

SECTION 6 - ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

CONTAINMENT TECHNIQUES (Removal of ignition sources, diking and stopping the leak, if possible. Shut off or remove all ignition sources. Construct a dike to prevent spreading (includes preventing liquids until they freeze).

CLEAN-UP PROCEDURES

If recovery is not feasible, admix with dry soil, sand or non-reactive absorbent and place in an appropriate chemical container. Transfer to containers by suction, preparatory to later disposal. Place in metal containers for recovery or disposal. Clean-up personnel must be equipped with self-contained breathing apparatus and butyl rubber protective clothing. For large spills, recover spilled material with a vacuum truck. Prepare a decontamination solution of 0.2-5% liquid detergent-8% concentrated ammonium hydroxide in water. Treat spill with decontamination solution, using about 10 parts of the solution for each part of the spill and allow it to react.

10 minutes for trace amounts and 48 hours for large spills. Neutralize the waste. Carbon dioxide will evolve, leaving insoluble polyureas. Insulated gloves such as thermal lined gloves when handling hot material.

EMERGENCY ADVICE

Wear protective clothing, boots, gloves, and eye protection.

- HANDLING AND STORAGE

Keep away from: oxidizers, moisture. Keep in cool, dry, ventilated storage and in closed containers. Store under inert atmosphere. Store under a nitrogen atmosphere.

Avoid contact with skin or eyes. Avoid breathing of vapors. Work in well ventilated work space. Handle under inert gas atmosphere in dry equipment. Maintain a nitrogen atmosphere in head space of the drum. Do not use air pressure to remove contents. When handling, do not eat, drink, or smoke. Avoid using spray application without strict conformance to all applicable electrical codes and the OSHA limit for maximum allowable airborne concentrations. To prepare for unloading, the 2 inch bung vent inserted should be placed in a warm room, warmer or meltdown oven for period of time sufficient to release the desired amount of prepolymer. Liquid prepolymer can then be removed from the drum by inserting a drum spigot or ball valve 2 inch bung, positioning on a drum tilter, tilting and pouring out the required amount.

SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

Emergency showers and eye wash stations should be readily available. Adhere to work practice rules established by government regulations (e.g. OSHA).

- PERSONAL PROTECTION / EXPOSURE CONTROLS

PERSONAL PROTECTION

Wear heat resistant eye goggles. In emergency situations, use eye goggles with a full face shield. Full face shield with goggles required when molten material is being handled.

EXPOSURE CONTROLS

Wear heat resistant gloves. Polyvinyl alcohol gloves. Insulated gloves such as thermal lined rubber when handling hot material.

WORK AREA PROTECTION

Work should be carried out under normal conditions in a well-ventilated area. Under the following conditions a respirator may be required:

required: when product vapor concentration exceeds the limits listed in section 2, during repair and cleaning of equipment, during transfer or discharge of the product, sampling, spray applications. Types of respirators that may be used include the following: Chemical Cartridge Respirator with face piece to protect against the organic vapor, Supplied air respirator with full face piece, Self-contained breathing apparatus in pressure demand mode. In emergency conditions use a self-contained breathing apparatus in pressure demand mode.

PROTECTIVE CLOTHING

Long sleeved clothing.

ENGINEERING CONTROLS

Maintain air concentrations in work spaces in accord with standards outlined in Sections 2 and 3.

WORK AND HYGIENIC PRACTICES

Provide readily accessible eye wash stations and safety shower. Wash at the end of each workshift and before eating, smoking or using the toilet.

SECTION 9 - TYPICAL PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

PHYSICAL FORM	waxy solid
COLOR	White
ODOR	Pungent
DENSITY	No Data
VAPOR PRESSURE (mm Hg at 21C (70F))	<1.00000
VAPOR DENSITY (Air = 1)	No Data
BOILING POINT	>149.00 C (>300.20 F)
MELTING POINT	No Data
SOLUBILITY IN WATER	Reacts with water
SPECIFIC GRAVITY (Water = 1)	1.08
MOLECULAR WEIGHT	Mixture

SECTION 10 - STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

CHEMICAL STABILITY

Stable

CONDITIONS TO AVOID (if unstable)

Not applicable

INCOMPATIBILITY (Materials to Avoid)

Oxidizing Agents (i.e. perchlorates, nitrates etc.). Sodium or Calcium Hypochlorite. Alcohols. Reaction with peroxides may result in violent decomposition of peroxide possibly creating explosion. Product reacts slowly with water which results in the liberation of carbon dioxide.

COMPOSITION PRODUCTS (from burning, heating, or reaction materials).

oxide in a fire. Carbon Dioxide in a fire. Irritating fumes at elevated temperatures. nitriles. cyanic acid. es. cyanogens. amides. carbamates. toxic cyanates.

POLYMERIZATION

occur

AVOID (if polymerization may occur)
cable

TOXICOLOGICAL PROPERTIES

TOXICITY (LD50, RAT)

mg/kg (No deaths) (Estimate)

TOXICITY (LD50, RABBIT)

mg/kg (No deaths) (Estimate)

ACUTE TOXICITY (LC50, RAT)

ppm/L / 4 hr (No deaths)

EFFECTS

EFFECTS DATA

1 data based on estimates.

CHRONIC DATA

1, subchronic or chronic test data are known.

ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

1.

Observe all Federal, State and Local Regulations.

TRANSPORT INFORMATION

SHIPPING NAME Chemicals, N.O.I. - Not DOT Regulated

SHIPING NAME Refer to Bill of Lading.

SECTION 15 - REGULATORY INFORMATION

US FEDERAL REGULATIONS

TOXIC SUBSTANCES CONTROL ACT (TSCA) -

All components are included in the EPA Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Chemical Substance Inventory.

OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29CFR1910.1200) hazard class(es)
Irritant. Sensitizer.

EPA SARA Title III Section 312 (40CFR370) hazard class
Immediate Health Hazard. Delayed Health Hazard.

EPA SARA Title III Section 313 (40CFR372) toxic chemicals above "de minimis" level are

BENZENE, 1,1'-METHYLENEBIS(4-ISOCYANTO-

STATE REGULATIONS

PROPOSITION 65 SUBSTANCES (component(s) known to the State of California to cause cancer and/or reproductive toxicity and subject to warning and discharge requirements under the "Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986")

None

NEW JERSEY TRADE SECRET REGISTRY NUMBER(S)

None

SECTION 16 - INTERNATIONAL REGULATIONS

CANADA

DSL

Included on Inventory.

WHMIS HAZARD CLASSIFICATION

Class D Division 2A, Class D Division 2B,

WHMIS TRADE SECRET REGISTRY NUMBER(S)

None

WHMIS SYMBOLS

Stylized T,

EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COMMUNITY (EEC)

EINECS/ELINCS MASTER INVENTORY

Included on Inventory.

EEC SYMBOL

HARMFUL (Xn)

EEC RISK (R) PHRASES

May cause sensitization by inhalation (R42). Irritates eyes, respiratory system and skin (R36/37/38).

EEC SAFETY PHRASES

In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice (S26). After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of soap and water (S28). In case of insufficient ventilation wear suitable respiratory equipment (S38). In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label where possible) (S45).

EEC SPECIAL PHRASES

Contains Isocyanates. See information supplied by the manufacturer.

AUSTRALIA

AICS

Included on Inventory.

PRODUCT CODE

SME80A

END OF DOCUMENT