

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

SECTION I - MATERIAL IDENTIFICATION AND USE

Part Number(s): 7500F

Material Name Identifier:

7500 Ink

Supplier Name: Sterling Marking Products Inc.

Street Address: 349 Ridout St. N., P.O. Box 5055

City and Province: London, Ontario Postal Code: N6A 5S4

Telephone Numbers: (519) 434-5785

Emergency Telephone Number: Poison Control Centre _____

Material Use: Ink

WHMIS Classification:

- Class D, Division 1B - Acutely Toxic Material
- Class D, Division 2A - Very Chronically Toxic (Reproductive)
- Class D, Division 2B - Skin/Eye Irritant
- Class B, Division 2 - Flammable Liquid

SECTION II - HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS

Component	CAS Registry	Toxicology	Concentration % (w/w)
Ethanol glycol monobutyl ether	111-73-2	L _D 50: 530 – 1480 mg/kg (oral, rat) L _C 50: 225 ppm, 1 hr (inhalation, rat)	15-40
Diethylene Glycol	111-46-6	L _D 50: 14.8 g/kg (oral, rat) L _C 50: 130 mg/m ³ 2hrs (inhalation, rat)	10-40

SECTION III - PHYSICAL DATA

Physical State: Liquid	% Volatile (by volume): 96
Specific Gravity: 1.04	Boiling Point (°C): 100
Colour: Various	Odour: Almost none
Viscosity: As water	Solubility in Water (20 °C): Miscible
pH: 2.8-7.5	Flash Point (°C): 94

SECTION IV - FIRE AND EXPLOSION DATA

Flammability: Flammable under sources of ignition	Flash Point (°C TCC): 94
LEL (% vol) lowest value of components: Not available	
UEL (% vol) highest value of components: Not available	
Hazardous Combustion Products: Oxides of carbon, smoke	
Means of Extinction: Dry chemical, foam, carbon dioxide	

SECTION V - REACTIVITY DATA

Stability: Stable
Incompatibility: Oxidizing agents, caustics, acids
Hazardous Decomposition Products: Oxides of carbon, smoke

SECTION VI - TOXICOLOGICAL PROPERTIES

Route of Entry: Eye, Skin, Skin Absorption, Inhalation, Ingestion

Effects of Acute Exposure:

Eye: Severe eye irritant

Skin: Prolonged contact may cause irritation and dermatitis

Inhalation: None expected at ambient (normal, outdoor) temperatures. May cause pain or discomfort in the abdomen.

Ingestion: Harmful if swallowed. May cause pain or discomfort in the abdomen, pain in the lumbar region. Nausea, vomiting, dizziness, drowsiness, decreased urine production, malaise, and loss of consciousness. Severe kidney damage may occur, which can be fatal if not promptly and adequately treated. Liver injury may also occur.

Effects of Chronic Exposure:

Prolonged exposure to diethylene glycol may cause injury to lungs, liver and kidneys. Also, diethylene glycol vapours can cause headache, dizziness, nausea and central nervous system depression.

This product contains: 2-Butoxy ethanol – Animal studies have shown that this ingredient is a Hemolytic agent characterized by a reduction in blood cells and blood in urine. 2-Butoxy ethanol has been found to produce toxic effects in pregnant rats at about 200 ppm with no apparent increase in congenital defects among the young.

Irritancy: Hazardous by WHMIS criteria

Respiratory Tract Sensitization: Insufficient data available

Carcinogenicity: None known

Synergistic Materials: None known

Reproductive Effects: None known

Teratogenicity: None known

Mutagenicity: None known

SECTION VII - PREVENTATIVE MEASURES

Gloves: Latex or rubber gloves if skin contact is likely.

Eye Protection: Wear safety glasses meeting the specification of ANSI Z87.1 where no contact with the eye is anticipated.

Chemical safety goggles meeting the specifications of ANSI Z87.1 should be worn whenever there is a possibility of splashing or other contact with the eyes.

Respiratory Protection: Proper selection of respiratory protection depends upon many factors, including duration and level of exposure and conditions of use. In general, exposure to organic chemicals, such as those contained in this product, may not require the use of respiratory protection, if used in a well-ventilated area. In areas of restricted ventilation, a NIOSH approved organic vapour respirator may be required. Under certain conditions, such as spraying, a mechanical pre-filter may also be required. In confined areas, or in high exposure situations, a NIOSH/MSHA approved air-supplied respirator may be required. If the TLV's listed in Section II are exceeded, use a properly fitted NIOSH/MSHA approved respirator with an appropriate protection factor.

Other Protective Equipment: Safety shower and eye wash fountain in the immediate work area.

Engineering Controls: Use general dilution and local exhaust in sufficient volume, and pattern to keep concentrations of hazardous ingredients listed in Section II below the lowest exposure limit stated. Fumes emitted while baking this product must be properly vented.

Leak and Spill Procedure: Before attempting clean-up, refer to hazard data given above. Keep spectators away. Eliminate all ignition sources. Dike and contain small spills with an inert material and placed in suitable, covered labeled containers. Prevent large spills from entering sewers or waterways. Contact emergency services and supplier for advice.

Waste Disposal: Review federal, provincial and local government requirements prior to disposal.

Storage Requirements: Store in a tightly closed container. Store away from incompatible materials. Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area. Ensure storage area has adequate ventilation, and no source of open flame or sparks. Limit quantity of the material in storage. Ensure all bottles are properly labeled.

SECTION VIII - FIRST AID

Eye: Flush eyes with water for 15 minutes, Seek medical attention if necessary.

Skin: Wash with soap and water.

Inhalation: Remove person to fresh air.

Ingestion: Drink 2 or 3 glasses of water. Contact a physician immediately.

SECTION IX - PREPARATION AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

TDG Shipping Name: Not Regulated

Product Identification Number:

Class: PG:

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