

WARDS NATURAL SCIENCE ESTABLISHMENT INC -- N-HEXANE,39-1515 -- 6810-00-312-7109
===== Product Identification =====

Product ID:N-HEXANE,39-1515
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=== Responsible Party ===
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===== Composition/Information on Ingredients =====

Ingred Name:HEXANE (N-HEXANE) (CERCLA)
CAS:110-54-3
RTECS #:MN9275000
Fraction by Wt: 99- 100%
Other REC Li

imits:NONE RECOMMENDED
OSHA PEL:500 PPM
ACGIH TLV:50 PPM; 9596
EPA Rpt Qty:1 LB
DOT Rpt Qty:1 LB

Ingred Name:CYCLOHEXANE (SARA 313) (CERCLA)
CAS:110-82-7
RTECS #:GU6300000
Fraction by Wt: 0 - 1%
Other REC Limits:NONE RECOMMENDED
OSHA PEL:300 PPM
ACGIH TLV:300 PPM, 9596
EPA Rpt Qty:1000 LBS
DOT Rpt Qty:1000 LBS

===== Hazards Identification =====

LD50 LC50 Mixture:LD50(ORAL,RAT) HEXANE 28710 MG/KG(RTECS)

Routes of Entry: Inhalation:YES Skin:YES Ingestion:NO

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ports of Carcinogenicity:NTP:NO IARC:NO OSHA:NO

Health Hazards Acute and Chronic:TARGET ORGANS:EYES, SKIN, CNS,
RESPIRATOR & GI TRACTS. ACUTE- CAUSES SEVERE EYE IRRITATION.
PROLONGED/REPEATED SKIN CONTACT CAN CAUSE IRRITATION, DERMATITIS.
MAY BE ABSORBED THROUGH SKIN. INHALATION C AN CAUSE IRRITATION, CNS
EFFECTS. INGESTION CAN CAUSE GI TRACT IRRITATION. ASPIRATION
HAZARD. CHRONIC- NERVE DAMAGE.

Explanation of Carcinogenicity:NONE

Effects of Overexposure:IRRITATION, DRY SK

IN, TEARING, BLURRED VISION,

REDNESS, DEFATTING, DERMATITIS, HEADACHE, DIZZINESS, WEAKNESS,
FATIGUE, NAUSEA, VOMITING, DIARRHEA, UNCONSCIOUSNESS

Medical Cond Aggravated by Exposure:INDIVIDUALS WITH PRE-EXISTING
DISEASES OF THE EYE, SKIN, RESPIRATORY TRACT, CNS MAY HAVE
INCREASED SUSCEPTIBILITY TO THE TOXICITY OF EXCESSIVE EXPOSURES.

===== First Aid Measures =====

First Aid:GET MEDICAL HELP IF SYMPTOMS PERSIST. INHALED:REMOVE TO FRESH
AI

R. PROVIDE CPR/OXYGEN IF NEEDED. EYES/SKIN:FLUSH WITH WATER FOR 15 MINUTES. HOLD EYELIDS OPEN. REMOVE CONTAMINATED CLOTHING. WASH BEFORE REUSE. ORAL:DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING. IF CONSCIOUS, RINSE MOUTH WITH WATER. GET MEDICAL ATTENTION.

===== Fire Fighting Measures =====

Flash Point Method:TOC

Flash Point:-7F,-22C

Autoignition Temp:Autoignition Temp Text:437F

Lower Limits:1.08%

Upper Limits:8.0%

Extinguishing Media:DRY CHEMICAL, CARBON DIOXIDE, FOAM.

WATER MAY BE

INEFFECTIVE, BUT SHOULD BE USED TO COOL FIRE-EXPOSED CONTAINERS.

Fire Fighting Procedures:WEAR PROTECTIVE CLOTHING AND NIOSH-APPROVED SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS. SEE 1993 EMERGENCY RESPONSE GUIDEBOOK, DOT P 5800.6, GUIDE NO 27.

Unusual Fire/Explosion Hazard:VAPOR IS HEAVIER THAN AIR AND CAN TRAVEL CONSIDERABLE DISTANCE TO A SOURCE OF IGNITION AND FLASH BACK. CONTAINERS MAY RUPTURE DUE TO VAPOR PRESSURE BUILDUP.

===== Accidental Release Measures =====

Spill Release Procedures:WEAR PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT. ELIMINATE SOURCES OF IGNITION. VENTILATE AREA. REMOVE SPILL WITH NON-FLAMMABLE ABSORBENT SUCH AS SAND/CLAY. PLACE IN CONTAINER FOR DISPOSAL. WASH SPILL SITE AFTER PICK UP IS COMPLETE. PREVENT LIQUID FROM ENTERING SEWER

Neutralizing Agent:NOT RELEVANT

===== Handling and Storage =====

Handling and Storage Precautions:STORE IN TIGHTLY CLOSED CONTAINERS IN VENTILATED AREA AWAY FROM IGNITION SOURCES & INCOMPATIBLES. KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.

Other Precautions:HIGHLY FLAMMABLE. USE IN WELL VENTILATED AREA/HOOD. AVOID BREATHING VAPORS. DO NOT GET IN EYES, ON SKIN/ON CLOTHING. WASH THOROUGHLY AFTER HANDLING AND BEFORE EATING OR DRINKING. REMOVE CONTAMINATED CLOTHING PROMPTLY. LAUNDRY BEFORE REUSE.

===== Exposure Controls/Personal Protection =====

Respiratory Protection:IF TLV IS EXCEEDED OR FOR SYMPTOMS OF OVER EXPOSURE

SURE, WEAR NIOSH-APPROVED ORGANIC VAPOR RESPIRATOR OR
AIR-SUPPLIED RESPIRATOR. IN EMERGENCY, WEAR A NIOSH-APPROVED
POSITIVE-PRESSURE SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS.
Ventilation:MECHANICAL (GENERAL AND/OR LOCAL EXHAUST, EXPLOSION-PROOF)
VENTILATION TO MAINTAIN EXPOSURE BELOW TLV(S).
Protective Gloves:NITRILE RUBBER
Eye Protection:SAFETY GLASSES/CHEMICAL SPLASH GOGGLES
Other Protective Equipment:EYE WASH STATION & SAFETY SHOWERS SHOULD BE
AVAILABLE IN THE IMMEDIATE VICINITY OF
ANY POTENTIAL EXPOSURE. LAB
COAT
Work Hygienic Practices:OBSERVE GOOD INDUSTRIAL HYGIENE PRACTICES AND
RECOMMENDED PROCEDURES.
Supplemental Safety and Health

===== Physical/Chemical Properties =====

HCC:F2
NRC/State Lic Num:NOT RELEVANT
Boiling Pt:=68.C, 154.4F
Melt/Freeze Pt:=-94.C, -137.2F
Vapor Pres:100 @60.4F
Vapor Density:3.0
Spec Gravity:0.660
Evaporation Rate & Reference: