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### 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

**Product information** 

**Trade name** : SIGMATHERM 540

**Recommended use** : solvent based, coating

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### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Symbol(s):

Harmful

Hazardous components :

xylene

R-phrase(s):

FLAMMABLE.

HARMFUL BY INHALATION AND IN CONTACT WITH SKIN.

HARMFUL TO AQUATIC ORGANISMS, MAY CAUSE LONG-TERM ADVERSE EFFECTS IN THE AQUATIC ENVIRONMENT.

HARMFUL: MAY CAUSE LUNG DAMAGE IF SWALLOWED.

## 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Components	EC No.	CAS-No.	DSD	Note	Classification	Concentration
methanol	200-659-6	67-56-1	28th		F; R11 T; R23/24/25, R39/23/24/25	>=0.10 - <1.00%
toluene	203-625-9	108-88-3	29th		F; R11 Repr.Cat.3; R63 Xn; R48/20, R65 Xi; R38 R67	>=1.00 - <2.50%
xylene	215-535-7	1330-20-7	25th	Nota C	R10 Xn; R20/21 Xi; R38	>=12.50 - <20.00%
ethylbenzene	202-849-4	100-41-4	19th		F; R11 Xn; R20	>=2.50 - <10.00%

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1-methoxy-2-propanol	203-539-1	107-98-2	19th		R10	>=2.50 - <10.00%
butylpolytitanate		9022-96-2			Xi; R36	>=2.50 - <10.00%
aluminium	231-072-3	7429-90-5	28th		F; R15 R10	>=10.00 - <25.00%
Stoddard solvent	232-489-3	8052-41-3	22nd	Nota H, Nota J	R10 N; R51/53 Xn; R65 R66	>=10.00 - <20.00%

For components with an occupational threshold limit value see chapter 8.

If multiple components with identical identifiers appear, these have different hazardous properties, e.g. flashpoint.

#### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

General advice : When symptoms persist or in all cases of doubt seek medical advice. Never

give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

Eye contact : Irrigate copiously with clean, fresh water for at least 10 minutes, holding the

eyelids apart. Remove contact lenses. Seek medical advice.

Skin contact : Take off all contaminated clothing immediately. Wash skin thoroughly with

soap and water or use recognized skin cleanser. Do NOT use solvents or

thinners.

Inhalation : Remove to fresh air. Keep patient warm and at rest. If breathing is irregular

or stopped, administer artificial respiration. If unconscious place in recovery

position and seek medical advice.

Ingestion : If accidently swallowed obtain immediate medical attention. Keep at rest. Do

not induce vomiting.

**Burns** : If spills on clothing catch fire, wash with plenty of water. Remove loose

clothing. Do not remove clothing that has melted to the skin. Obtain medical

attention.

#### 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Specific hazards during fire

fighting

: As the product contains combustible organic components, fire will produce dense black smoke containing hazardous products of combustion (see section 10). Exposure to decomposition products may be a hazard to health. Cool closed containers exposed to fire with water spray. Do not allow run-off from

fire fighting to enter drains or water courses.

Special protective equipment

for fire-fighters

Suitable extinguishing media

In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

Keep containers and surroundings cool with water spray.

Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety

reasons

Do NOT use water jet.

### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**Personal precautions** : Use personal protective equipment. Ventilate the area. Refer to protective

measures listed in sections 7 and 8. Wear respiratory protection. Beware of vapours accumulating to form explosive concentrations. Vapours can

accumulate in low areas. Remove all sources of ignition.

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**Environmental precautions**: Try to prevent the material from entering drains or water ways. If the product

contaminates rivers and lakes or drains inform respective authorities.

Methods for cleaning up : Clean with detergents. Avoid solvents. Contain and collect spillage with non-

combustible absorbent material, (e.g. sand, earth, diatomaceous earth, vermiculite) and place in container for disposal according to local / national

regulations (see section 13).

**Additional advice** : Refer to section 15 for specific national regulation.

#### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling

**Safe handling advice** : Avoid exceeding of the given occupational exposure limits (see section 8).

Use only in area provided with appropriate exhaust ventilation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Smoking, eating and drinking should be prohibited in the application area. Avoid inhalation of vapour or mist. For

personal protection see section 8.

Advice on protection against

fire and explosion

Prevent the creation of flammable or explosive concentrations of vapour in air and avoid vapour concentration higher than the occupational exposure limits. When transferring from one container to another apply earthing measures and use conductive hose material. No sparking tools should be used. Take necessary action to avoid static electricity discharge (which might cause ignition of organic vapours). The product should only be used in areas from which all naked lights and other sources of ignition have been excluded. No smoking. The accumulation of contaminated rags and dry overspray, particularly in spray booth filters, may result in spontaneous combustion. Good housekeeping standards, regular safe removal of waste materials and regular maintenance of spray booth filters will minimise the risks of

spontaneous combustion and other fire hazards.

Storage

 ${\bf Requirements\ for\ storage\ areas}$ 

and containers

Observe label precautions. Prevent unauthorized access. Containers which are opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Store between 5 and 25°C (41 - 77 F) in a dry, well ventilated place away from sources of heat, ignition and direct sunlight. Solvent vapours are heavier than air and may spread along floors. Vapours may form explosive mixtures with air. Electrical installations / working materials must comply with the technological safety standards. Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking. Store in accordance with the particular national regulations (see

section 15).

**Advice on common storage** : Keep away from oxidising agents and strongly acid or alkaline materials.

### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

 $\label{eq:minimum} \mbox{Minimum ventilated air quantity for 1 liter of product}$ 

**TO REACH 10 % LEL** : 63 m3/l

Components on the national list and/or the European TLV list (98/24/EC):

Components	CAS-No.	Value	Value	Basis
		[mg/m <sup>3</sup> ]	[ppm]	



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toluene	108-88-3	192 384	50 100	EU ELV TWA EU ELV STEL
can be absorbed through skin		364	100	EU ELV STEL
xylene	1330-20-7	221	50	EU ELV TWA
can be absorbed through skin		442	100	EU ELV STEL
ethylbenzene	100-41-4	442	100	EU ELV TWA
can be absorbed through skin		884	200	EU ELV STEL
1-methoxy-2-propanol	107-98-2	375	100	EU ELV TWA
can be absorbed through skin		568	150	EU ELV STEL

### Personal protective equipment

General advice

**Respiratory protection** : Apply technical measures to comply with the occupational exposure limits.

This should be achieved by a good general extraction and "if practically feasible" by the use of local exhaust ventilation. If the occupational exposure limits cannot be met, in exceptional cases suitable respiratory equipment

should be worn only for a short period of time.

**Hand protection** : For prolonged or repeated contact use protective gloves.

Barrier creams may help to protect the exposed areas of skin, they should

however not be applied once exposure has occurred.

Skin should be washed after contact.

Use chemical resistant gloves classified under Standard EN 374: Protective

gloves against chemicals and micro-organisms.

Recommended gloves: Viton

Minimum breakthrough time: 480 min

The recommended gloves are based on most common solvent in this product.

When prolonged or frequently repeated contact may occur, a glove with a protection class of 6 (breakthrough time greater than 480 minutes according to EN 374) is recommended. When only brief contact is expected, a glove with a protection class of 2 or higher (breakthrough time greater than 30

minutes according to EN 374) is recommended.

NOTICE: The selection of a specific glove for a particular application and duration of use in a workplace should also take into account all relevant workplace factors such as, but not limited to: Other chemicals which may be handled,physical requirements (cut/puncture protection, dexterity, thermal protection), potential body reactions to glovematerials, as wellas the

instructions/specifications provided by the glove supplier.

**Eye protection** : Chemical resistant goggles must be worn.

Skin and body protection : Personnel should wear protective clothing. Skin should be washed after

contact. Working clothes must not consist of textiles, which show a dangerous melting behaviour in case of fire. Workers should wear antistatic

footwear.

Additional advice

**Environmental protection**: Refer to national regulations in chapter 15 for regulations on environmental

protection.

Personal protection

**Protective equipment** : Enclosing glasses, safety gloves and P2A2 half-face combi mask

Please contact your personal protection equipment supplier for further advice

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#### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Form : viscous
Colour : various
Odour : slight aromatic
Flash point : 26.0 °C

Note: Calculated

**Autoignition temperature** 

 Upper explosion limit
 : 7.84 %(V)

 Lower explosion limit
 : 1.04 %(V)

 Density
 : 1.15 g/cm3

 at 20 °C

at 20 °C

Water solubility : hydrolyses

oH

Viscosity, dynamic : 68 mPa.s at 23 °C

Flow time :  $17 \text{ s at } 23 \text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ 

Method: DIN 53211 DIN 4 CUP

Flow time : 9 s

Transversal section: 6 mm

Method: ISO 2431 (EN 535) 6 mm CUP

Flow time : 63 s

Transversal section: 4 mm

Method: ISO 2431 (EN 535) 4 mm CUP

### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Conditions to avoid : Avoid temperatures above 60°C (140 F), direct sunlight and contact with

sources of heat.

**Hazardous reactions** : Keep away from oxidising agents, strongly alkaline and strongly acid

materials in order to avoid exothermic reactions. Avoid moisture. Preparation

reacts slowly with water resulting in evolution of hydrogen.

**Hazardous decomposition** 

products

In case of fire hazardous decomposition products may be produced such as: Carbon dioxide (CO2), carbon monoxide (CO), oxides of nitrogen (NOx),

dense black smoke.

#### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute oral toxicity : May cause nausea, abdominal spasms and irritation of the mucous

membranes.

Acute inhalation toxicity : Exposure to component solvent vapours concentration in excess of the stated

occupational exposure limit may result in adverse health effects. Such as: mucous membrane irritation, respiratory system irritation, adverse effects on kidney, liver and central nervous system. Symptoms and signs: headache, dizziness, fatigue, muscular weakness, drowsiness and in extreme cases loss

of consciousness.

**Skin irritation** : Repeated or prolonged contact with the preparation may cause removal of

natural fat from the skin resulting in desiccation of the skin. The product may

be absorbed through the skin.

**Eye contact** : The liquid splashed in the eyes may cause irritation and reversible damage.

**Further information** : There is no data available for this product.

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**Acute Toxicity Data for Components** 

toluene(108-88-3)

Acute oral toxicity : LD50: 636 mg/kg (rat)

butylpolytitanate(9022-96-2)

Acute oral toxicity : LD50: 790 mg/kg (rat)

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Further information**: The preparation has been assessed following the conventional method of the

Dangerous Preparations Directive 1999/45/EC and is classified for ecotoxicological properties accordingly. See sections 2 and 15 for details.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

**Product**: The product should not be allowed to enter drains, water courses or the soil.

Disposal together with normal waste is not allowed. Special disposal required

according to local regulations.

Waste key for the unused

product

The European Waste Catalogue classification of this product, when disposed

of as waste is:

08 01 11 Waste paint and varnish containing organic solvents or other

dangerous substances.

If this product is fully cured or mixed with other wastes, this code may no longer apply. If mixed with other wastes, the appropriate code should be assigned. For further information contact your local waste authority

### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Transport within user's premises: always transport in closed containers that are upright, labelled and secure. Ensure that persons transporting the product know what to do in the event of an accident or spillage.

Transport to be in accordance with ADR for road, IMDG for sea and IATA for air transport:

UN-No : 1263
Proper shipping name : PAINT
Class : 3
Packing group : III
Label : 3
Proper shipping name (ADR) : PAINT

Marine Pollutant (IMDG)(P,PP,-) : P EmS (IMDG) : F-E, S-E

Limited quantity (ADR) : Max. per inner pack. : 5.00 L

Max. per outer pack.: 30.00 KG

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#### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

The product is classified and labelled in accordance with Directive 1999/45/EC.



#### Hazardous components which must be listed on the label:

• xylene

**R-phrase**(s) : R10 Flammable.

R20/21 Harmful by inhalation and in contact with skin.
R52/53 Harmful to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

R65 Harmful: may cause lung damage if swallowed.

S-phrase(s) : S36/37 Wear suitable protective clothing and gloves.

Use only in well-ventilated areas.

S61 Avoid release to the environment. Refer to special

instructions/safety data sheets.

S62 If swallowed, do not induce vomiting: seek medical

advice immediately and show this container or label.

The information contained in this safety data sheet does not constitute the user's own assessment of workplace risks, as required by other health and safety legislation. The provisions of the national health and safety at work regulations apply to the use of this product at work.

### National legislation

# **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

This product contains a complex mixture of hydrocarbons. Detailed information can be obtained from the producer.

## Explanation of R-phrases mentioned in section 2

methanol R11 Highly flammable.

R23/24/25 Toxic by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed. R39/23/24/25 Toxic: danger of very serious irreversible effects through

inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed.

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toluene	R11	Highly flammable.
	R38	Irritating to skin.
	R48/20	Harmful: danger of serious damage to health by prolonger exposure through inhalation.
	R63	Possible risk of harm to the unborn child.
	R65	Harmful: may cause lung damage if swallowed.
	R67	Vapours may cause drowsiness and dizziness.
xylene	R10	Flammable.
	R20/21	Harmful by inhalation and in contact with skin.
	R38	Irritating to skin.
ethylbenzene	R11	Highly flammable.
Ž	R20	Harmful by inhalation.
1-methoxy-2-propanol	R10	Flammable.
butylpolytitanate	R36	Irritating to eyes.
aluminium	R10	Flammable.
	R15	Contact with water liberates extremely flammable gases.
Stoddard solvent	R65	Harmful: may cause lung damage if swallowed.
	R10	Flammable.
	R51/53	Toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.
	R66	Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or cracking.

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After all component(s) stated on the relevant Technical Data Sheet have been mixed the safety precautions mentioned on each of the component(s) safety data sheets and labels should be used in assessing the safety precautions of the mixed product.

For further information see technical data sheet number: 7564