MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

Prepared to U.S. OSHA, CMA, ANSI and Canadian WHMIS Standards

PART I

What is the material and what do I need to know in an emergency?

1. PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION

TRADE NAME (AS LABELED):

PRODUCT #: CHEMICAL NAME/CLASS:

PRODUCT USE:

MANUFACTURER'S NAME:

ADDRESS:

EMERGENCY PHONE:

BUSINESS PHONE:

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2. COMPOSITION and INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

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	CAS#	% w/w	EXPOSURE LIMITS IN AIR							
CHEMICAL NAME	CAS#	70 VV/ VV	ACC	GIH	OSHA		NIOSH	OTHER		
			TLV	STEL	PEL	STEL	IDLH			
			ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm		
Dipropylene Glycol Methyl Ether	34590-94-8	1.0-2.0%	100 (Skin)	NE	100 (Skin)	150 (Vacate d 1989 PEL)	600	NIOSH REL: TWA = 100 STEL = 150 DFG MAK: TWA = 50 PEAK = 2•MAK 5 minutes, momentary value		
Water, and other components buffering agents and other or present in less than 1% concerning concentration for carcinoger toxins, or respiratory sensitizer)	ntration (or 0.1%	Balance	hazards. the requi	All pertine rements of	nt hazard in the Federa	formation had all Occupation had been seen all occupation to the community of the companies of the community	as been pro onal Safety e equivalent	ute any significant additional vided in this document, per and Health Administration Standards, and Canadian andards (CPR 4).		

See Section 14 for Definitions of Terms Used.

NOTE: ALL WHMIS required information is included in appropriate sections based on the ANSI Z400.1-1998 format. This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the CPR and the MSDS contains all the information required by the CPR.

3. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

EMERGENCY OVERVIEW: This is a clear, colorless liquid with a pleasant, lemon-like odor. The main health hazard associated with exposure to this product is the potential for moderate irritation of skin and other contaminated tissue. Contact with the eyes may result in tearing and moderate to severe irritation due to the presence of Dipropylene Glycol Methyl Ether. Inhalation exposure may result in moderate irritation to the respiratory system. This solution is not flammable or reactive. If involved in a fire, products of thermal decomposition from this product may include oxides of carbon. Emergency responders must wear the personal protective equipment suitable for the situation to which they are responding.

SYMPTOMS OF OVEREXPOSURE BY ROUTE OF EXPOSURE: The most significant routes of occupational overexposure are inhalation and contact with skin and eyes. The symptoms of overexposure to this product are as follows:

INHALATION: Inhalation of vapors, mists, or sprays of this product may be moderately irritating to the respiratory system. Depending on the concentration and duration of contact, symptoms of inhalation overexposure can include coughing, sore throat, nasal congestion, and breathing difficulty.

3. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION (Continued)

CONTACT WITH SKIN or EYES: This product may be mildly irritating to contaminated skin when contact is short-lived. Prolonged skin contact may be moderately irritating and may result in dermatitis (dry, red, itchy skin). Contact with the eyes may cause moderate to irritation and symptoms of pain, redness, and watering. Prolonged eye contact may result in lacrymation and excessive tearing.

SKIN ABSORPTION: Although the Dipropylene Glycol Methyl Ether component of this product can be absorbed via intact skin, due to the low level of this compound in the product, no toxic effect is expected. If skin contact is prolonged, symptoms such as described under inhalation may occur.

<u>INGESTION</u>: Ingestion is not anticipated to be a significant route of exposure for any component of this product. If this product is swallowed, symptoms of such exposure may include nausea, vomiting, and diarrhea.

<u>INJECTION</u>: Injection of this product (as may occur if skin is punctured by a contaminated object) can result in pain, redness, and local swelling.

HEALTH EFFECTS OR RISKS FROM EXPOSURE: An Explanation in Lay Terms. In the event of overexposure, the following symptoms may be observed:

ACUTE: The primary acute health effect associated with this product is the potential for mild irritation of the skin and moderate irritation of contaminated eyes, or upon inhalation exposure. Ingestion may result in nausea and vomiting.

CHRONIC: Repeated skin contact can result in dermatitis. See Section 11 (Toxicology Information) for additional data.

TARGET ORGANS: ACUTE: Skin, eyes, respiratory system. CHRONIC: Skin.

HAZARDOUS MATERIAL INFORMATION SYSTEM										
HEALT	Ή	(BL	1							
FLAMMABILITY (RED)										
REACTIVITY (YELLOW)										
PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT C										
EYES	RESPIRATORY	HANDS	В	ODY						
	SEE SECTION 8		SEE SECTION 8							
For routine applications of solution.										

See Section 16 for Definition of Ratings

PART II What should I do if a hazardous situation occurs?

4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

Contaminated individuals must be taken for medical attention. Rescuers should be taken for medical attention, if necessary. Take a copy of label and MSDS to health professional with the contaminated individual.

SKIN EXPOSURE: If this product contaminates the skin, immediately begin decontamination with running water. Minimum flushing is for 15 minutes. Remove exposed or contaminated clothing, taking care not to contaminate eyes. The contaminated individual must seek immediate medical attention if any adverse health effect occurs.

EYE EXPOSURE: If this product's liquid or vapors enter the eyes, open the contaminated individual's eyes while under gently running water. Use sufficient force to open eyelids. Have the contaminated individual "roll" eyes. Minimum flushing is for 15 minutes. The contaminated individual must seek immediate medical attention.

<u>INHALATION</u>: If vapors, mists, or sprays of this product are inhaled, remove the contaminated individual to fresh air. If necessary, use artificial respiration to support vital functions. Remove or cover gross contamination to avoid exposure to rescuers.

INGESTION: If this product is swallowed, CALL PHYSICIAN OR POISON CONTROL CENTER FOR MOST CURRENT INFORMATION. If professional advice is not available, do not induce vomiting. Have victim rinse mouth with water or drink several cupfuls of water, if conscious. Never induce vomiting or give a diluent (e.g., water) to someone who is unconscious, having convulsions, or unable to swallow. If vomiting occurs, lean patient forward or place on left side (head-down position, if possible) to maintain an open airway and prevent aspiration.

MEDICAL CONDITIONS AGGRAVATED BY EXPOSURE: Preexisting respiratory problems, dermatitis, and other skin disorders can be aggravated by exposure to this product.

RECOMMENDATIONS TO PHYSICIANS: Treat symptoms and eliminate overexposure.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

FLASH POINT: Not applicable.

AUTOIGNITION TEMPERATURE: Not applicable.

FLAMMABLE LIMITS (in air by volume, %):

Lower (LEL): Not applicable. Upper (UEL): Not applicable.

FIRE EXTINGUISHING MATERIALS:

Water Spray: YES

Carbon Dioxide: YES Dry Chemical: YES

Foam: YES Halon: YES

Other: Any "ABC" Class.

UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS: When involved in a fire, this material may decompose and produce irritating vapors and toxic gases (e.g., carbon monoxides).

Explosion Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact: Not sensitive. Explosion Sensitivity to Static Discharge: Not sensitive.

SPECIAL FIRE-FIGHTING PROCEDURES: Incipient fire responders should

wear eye protection. Structural firefighters must wear Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus and full protective equipment. If possible, prevent runoff water from entering storm drains, bodies of water, or other environmentally sensitive areas. If necessary, clean contaminated fire response equipment with an acid neutralizing agent (e.g., sodium bicarbonate) and rinse thoroughly with water before returning such equipment to service.

NFPA RATING FLAMMABILITY 0 0 1 REACTIVITY HEALTH OTHER

See Section 16 for **Definition of Ratings**

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

RELEASE RESPONSE: In case of a release, clear the affected area and protect people. Uncontrolled releases should be responded to by appropriately trained personnel in proper personal protective equipment, using pre-planned procedures. The proper personal protective equipment for incidental releases (e.g., 32-ounce container) should be rubber gloves and goggles. In the event that a clean up will generate excessive splashes, a face-shield, boots, and chemically-resistant body protection should also be worn. In the event of a non-incidental release (e.g., several 1-gallon containers released in a poorly ventilated area), minimum Personal Protective Equipment should be Level B: triple-gloves (rubber gloves and nitrile gloves over latex gloves), chemical resistant suit and boots, hard-hat, and Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus. Absorb spilled liquid with polypads or other suitable absorbent materials. Triple-rinse with water. Decontaminate the area thoroughly. Place all spill residue in an appropriate container and seal. Dispose of in accordance with Federal, State, and local hazardous waste disposal regulations (see Section 13, Disposal Considerations).

PART III How can I prevent hazardous situations from occurring?

7. HANDLING and STORAGE

WORK PRACTICES AND HYGIENE PRACTICES: As with all chemicals, avoid getting this product ON YOU or IN YOU. Wash thoroughly after handling this product. Do not eat, drink, smoke, or apply cosmetics while handling this product. Avoid breathing vapors or mists generated by this product. Use in a well-ventilated location. Remove contaminated clothing immediately.

STORAGE AND HANDLING PRACTICES: All employees who handle this material should be trained to handle it safely. Open containers slowly on a stable surface. Empty containers may contain residual amounts of this product; therefore, empty containers should be handled with care. Store containers in a cool, dry location, away from direct sunlight, sources of intense heat, or where freezing is possible. Store away from incompatible materials (see Section 10, Stability and Reactivity). Material should be stored in secondary containers. Keep container tightly closed when not in use. Storage areas should be made of corrosion-resistant materials. Inspect all incoming containers before storage to ensure containers are properly labeled and not damaged.

PROTECTIVE PRACTICES DURING MAINTENANCE OF CONTAMINATED EQUIPMENT: Follow practices indicated in Section 6 (Accidental Release Measures). Make certain that application equipment is locked and tagged-out safely, if necessary. Collect all rinsates and dispose of according to applicable Federal, State, or local procedures.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS - PERSONAL PROTECTION

VENTILATION AND ENGINEERING CONTROLS: Use with adequate ventilation to ensure exposure levels are maintained below the limits provided in Section 2 (Composition and Information on Ingredients), if applicable. Ensure eyewash/safety shower stations are available near areas where this product is used.

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION: None needed under normal circumstances of use. Maintain airborne contaminant concentrations below exposure limits listed in Section 2 (Composition and Information on Ingredients), if applicable. If respiratory protection is needed, use only protection authorized in 29 CFR 1910.134 or applicable State regulations. Use supplied air respiration protection if oxygen levels are below 19.5% or are unknown. The following NIOSH respiratory protection recommendations Dipropylene Glycol Methyl Ether are provided for additional information.

CONCENTRATION

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION

Up to 600 ppm:

Any Supplied-Air Respirator (SAR), or any Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA) with a full

Emergency or Planned Entry into Unknown Concentrations or IDLH Conditions: Any SCBA that has a full facepiece and is operated in a pressure-demand or other positive-pressure mode, or any SAR that has a full facepiece and is operated in a pressure-demand or other positive-pressure mode in combination

with an auxiliary SCBA operated in pressure-demand or other positive-pressure mode.

Escape:

Any Air-Purifying, Full-Facepiece Respirator (gas mask) with a chin-style, front- or back-mounted organic vapor canister having a high-efficiency particulate filter, or any appropriate escape-type,

pH: 12.6-13.0

MELTING/FREEZING POINT: Not determined.

BOILING POINT: Similar to water.

SCBA.

EYE PROTECTION: Splash goggles or safety glasses. Face-shields should be worn if operations will generate splashes or sprays. If necessary, refer to U.S. OSHA 29 CFR 1910.133 and Canadian Standards.

HAND PROTECTION: Wear butyl rubber, Viton™ or Saranex™ gloves for routine industrial use. Use triple gloves for spill response, as stated in Section 6 (Accidental Release Measures) of this MSDS. If necessary, refer to U.S. OSHA 29 CFR 1910.138 and appropriate Standards of Canada.

BODY PROTECTION: If operations will generate splashes or sprays, use body protection appropriate for task (e.g., coveralls or apron). If a hazard of injury to the feet exists due to falling objects, rolling objects, where objects may pierce the soles of the feet or where employee's feet may be exposed to electrical hazards, as described in U.S. OSHA 29 CFR 1910.136.

9. PHYSICAL and CHEMICAL PROPERTIES EVAPORATION RATE (n-BuAc = 1): Similar to water.

RELATIVE VAPOR DENSITY (air = 1): Not determined.

SPECIFIC GRAVITY (water = 1) @ 25°c: 1.02-1.03

SOLUBILITY IN WATER: Completely soluble.

PERCENT VOLATILE: 90%

VAPOR PRESSURE, mm Hg @ 20°C (68°F): Not determined.

ODOR THRESHOLD: 35 ppm (for Dipropylene Glycol Methyl Ether)

COEFFICIENT OF OIL/WATER DISTRIBUTION (PARTITION COEFFICIENT): Not available.

APPEARANCE AND COLOR: This is a yellow to bluish-green liquid with a sharp, acrid odor.

HOW TO DETECT THIS SUBSTANCE (warning properties): Litmus paper will turn red when in contact with this solution. The color and odor may also be distinguishing characteristics.

10. STABILITY and REACTIVITY

STABILITY: Stable.

DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS: Carbon oxides.

MATERIALS WITH WHICH SUBSTANCE IS INCOMPATIBLE: Due to the presence of the Dipropylene Glycol Methyl Ether component, this product may not be compatible with peroxides, perchlorates and nitrates. This product is also not compatible with water reactive materials.

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION: Will not occur.

CONDITIONS TO AVOID: Avoid exposure or contact to extreme temperatures and incompatible chemicals.

11. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

<u>PREPARING WASTES FOR DISPOSAL</u>: Waste disposal must be in accordance with appropriate Federal, State, and local regulations. This product, if unaltered by use, may be disposed of by treatment at a permitted facility or as advised by your local hazardous waste regulatory authority.

EPA WASTE NUMBER: Not applicable.

12. TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

THIS PRODUCT HAS BEEN TESTED AND IS NOT HAZARDOUS AS DEFINED BY 49 CFR 172.101 BY THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION.

PROPER SHIPPING NAME:

Not regulated.

HAZARD CLASS NUMBER and DESCRIPTION:

Not regulated.

UN IDENTIFICATION NUMBER:

Not regulated.

PACKING GROUP:

Not regulated.

DOT LABEL(S) REQUIRED:

Not regulated.

NORTH AMERICAN EMERGENCY RESPONSE GUIDEBOOK NUMBER, 2000: Not applicable.

MARINE POLLUTANT: No component of this product is listed as a Marine Pollutant, per Appendix B to 49 CFR 172.101 TRANSPORT CANADA, TRANSPORTATION OF DANGEROUS GOODS REGULATIONS: This material is not considered as Dangerous Goods, per regulations of Transport Canada.

UPS SHIPPING: This material is not considered as Hazardous Materials by the United Parcel Service (UPS).

INTERNATIONAL AIR TRANSPORT ASSOCIATION (IATA): This material is not considered as dangerous goods under rules of IATA.

IMDG: Not regulated.

13. REGULATORY INFORMATION

ADDITIONAL U.S. REGULATIONS:

<u>U.S. SARA REPORTING REQUIREMENTS</u>: The components of this product are not subject to the reporting requirements of Sections 302, 304, and 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act.

<u>U.S. SARA THRESHOLD PLANNING QUANTITY</u>: There are no specific Threshold Planning Quantities for any component of this product. The default Federal MSDS submission and inventory requirement filing threshold of 10,000 lbs. (4,540 kg) therefore applies, per 40 CFR 370.20.

U.S. CERCLA REPORTABLE QUANTITY (RQ): Not applicable.

U.S. TSCA INVENTORY STATUS: The components of this product are listed on the TSCA Inventory.

OTHER U.S. FEDERAL REGULATIONS: Not applicable.

<u>U.S. STATE REGULATORY INFORMATION</u>: Components of this product are covered under specific State regulations, as denoted below:

Alaska - Designated Toxic and Hazardous Substances: Dipropylene Glycol Methyl Ether.

California - Permissible Exposure Limits for Chemical Contaminants: Dipropylene Glycol Methyl Ether.

Florida - Substance List: Dipropylene Glycol Methyl Ether.

Illinois - Toxic Substance List: Dipropylene Glycol Methyl Ether.

Kansas - Section 302/313 List: None.

Massachusetts - Substance List: Dipropylene Glycol Methyl Ether..

Michigan - Critical Materials Register: None. Minnesota - List of Hazardous Substances:

Missouri - Employer Information/Toxic Substance List: None.

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New Jersey - Right to Know Hazardous Substance List: Dipropylene Glycol Methyl Ether.

North Dakota - List of Hazardous Chemicals, Reportable Quantities: None.

Pennsylvania - Hazardous Substance List: Dipropylene Glycol Methyl Ether..

Rhode Island - Hazardous Substance List: Dipropylene Glycol Methyl Ether.

Texas - Hazardous Substance List: Dipropylene Glycol Methyl Ether..

West Virginia - Hazardous Substance List: Dipropylene Glycol Methyl Ether..

Wisconsin - Toxic and Hazardous Substances: Dipropylene Glycol Methyl Ether.

<u>CALIFORNIA SAFE DRINKING WATER AND TOXIC ENFORCEMENT ACT (PROPOSITION 65)</u>: No component of this product is on the California Proposition 65 lists.

LABELING (Precautionary Statements): WARNING! CAUSES IRRITATION OF THE SKIN, EYES, AND RESPIRATORY TRACT. MAY BE HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED. Avoid contact with skin or eyes. Avoid breathing vapors or mists. Do not taste or swallow. Wash thoroughly after handling. Wear gloves and goggles. Wear appropriate body protection and face-shield if operations will involve splashes or sprays. FIRST-AID: In case of contact with skin or eyes, flush immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If ingested, do not induce vomiting. Get medical attention. IN CASE OF FIRE: Use water fog, dry chemical, CO₂, or "alcohol" foam. IN CASE OF SPILL: Absorb spill with sodium bicarbonate or other acid-neutralizing material and place in suitable container. Consult Material Safety Data Sheet for additional information.

ADDITIONAL CANADIAN REGULATIONS:

CANADIAN DSL/NDSL INVENTORY STATUS: The components of this product are listed on the DSL Inventory.

OTHER CANADIAN REGULATIONS: Not applicable. CANADIAN ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ACT (CEPA) PRIORITIES SUBSTANCES LISTS: The components of this

product are not on the CEPA Priority Substances Lists.

CANADIAN WHMIS SYMBOLS:

Class D2B: Acute Effects-eyes, skin and respiratory irritation.



14. OTHER INFORMATION

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DEFINITIONS OF TERMS

A large number of abbreviations and acronyms appear on a MSDS. Some of these which are commonly used include the following:

CAS #: This is the Chemical Abstract Service Number which uniquely identifies each constituent.

EXPOSURE LIMITS IN AIR:

ACGIH - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists, a professional association which establishes exposure limits. Threshold Limit Value - an airborne concentration of a substance which represents conditions under which it is generally believed that nearly all workers may be repeatedly exposed without adverse effect. The duration must be considered, including the 8-hour Time Weighted Average (TWA), the 15-minute Short Term Exposure Limit, and the instantaneous Ceiling Level (C). Skin absorption effects must also be considered.

OSHA - U.S. Occupational Safety and Health Administration.

PEL - Permissible Exposure Limit - This exposure value means exactly the same as a TLV, except that it is enforceable by OSHA. Permissible Exposure Limits are based in the 1989 PELs and the June, 1993 Air Contaminants Rule (Federal Register: 58: 35338-35351 and 58: 40191). Both the current PELs and the vacated PELs are indicated. The phrase, "Vacated 1989 PEL," is placed next to the PEL which was vacated by Court Order. IDLH - Immediately Dangerous to Life and Health - This level represents a concentration from which one can escape within 30minutes without suffering escape-preventing or permanent injury. The DFG - MAK is the Republic of Germany's Maximum Exposure Level, similar to the U.S. PEL. NIOSH is the National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health, which is the research arm of the U.S. Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA). NIOSH issues exposure guidelines called Recommended Exposure Levels (RELs). When no exposure guidelines are established, an entry of NE is made for reference.

HAZARD RATINGS:

HAZARDOUS MATERIALS IDENTIFICATION SYSTEM: Health Hazard: 0 (minimal acute or chronic exposure hazard); 1 (slight acute or chronic exposure hazard); 2 (moderate acute or significant chronic exposure hazard); 3 (severe acute exposure hazard; onetime overexposure can result in permanent injury and may be fatal); 4 (extreme acute exposure hazard; onetime overexposure can be fatal). Flammability Hazard: 0 (minimal hazard); 1 (materials that require substantial pre-heating before burning); 2 (combustible liquid or solids; liquids with a flash point of 38-93°C [100-200°F]); 3 (Class IB and IC flammable liquids with flash points below 38°C [100°F]); 4 (Class IA flammable liquids with flash points below 23°C [73°F] and boiling points below 38°C [100°F]. Reactivity Hazard: 0 (normally stable); 1 (material that can become unstable at elevated temperatures or which can react slightly with water); 2 (materials that are unstable but do not detonate or which can react violently with water); 3 (materials that can detonate when initiated or which can react explosively with water); 4 (materials that can detonate at normal temperatures or pressures).

NATIONAL FIRE PROTECTION ASSOCIATION: Health Hazard: (material that on exposure under fire conditions would offer no hazard beyond that of ordinary combustible materials); 1 (materials that on exposure under fire conditions could cause irritation or minor residual injury); 2 (materials that on intense or continued exposure under fire conditions could cause temporary incapacitation or possible residual injury); 3 (materials that can on short exposure could cause serious temporary or residual injury); 4 (materials that under very short exposure causes death or major residual injury). Flammability Hazard and Reactivity Hazard: Refer to definitions for "Hazardous Materials Identification System".

FLAMMABILITY LIMITS IN AIR:

Much of the information related to fire and explosion is derived from the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA). Flash Point - Minimum temperature at which a liquid gives off sufficient vapors to form an ignitable mixture with air. Autoignition Temperature: The minimum temperature required to initiate combustion in air with no other source of ignition. LEL the lowest percent of vapor in air, by volume, that will explode or ignite in the presence of an ignition source. <u>UEL</u> - the highest percent of vapor in air, by volume, that will explode or ignite in the presence of an ignition source.

TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION:

Possible health hazards as derived from human data, animal studies, or from the results of studies with similar compounds are presented. Definitions of some terms used in this section are: LD50 - Lethal Dose (solids & liquids) which kills 50% of the exposed animals; LC_{50} - Lethal Concentration (gases) which kills 50% of the exposed animals; ppm concentration expressed in parts of material per million parts of air or water; mg/m³ concentration expressed in weight of substance per volume of air; mg/kg quantity of material, by weight, administered to a test subject, based on their body weight in kg. Data from several sources are used to evaluate the cancer-causing potential of the material. The sources are: IARC - the International Agency for Research on Cancer; NTP - the National Toxicology Program, RTECS - the Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances, OSHA and CAL/OSHA. IARC and NTP rate chemicals on a scale of decreasing potential to cause human cancer with rankings from 1 to 4. Subrankings (2A, 2B, etc.) are also used. Other measures of toxicity include TDLo, the lowest dose to cause a symptom and TCLo the lowest concentration to cause a symptom; TDo, LDLo, and LDo, or TC, TCo, LCLo, and LCo, the lowest dose (or concentration) to cause lethal or toxic BEI - Biological Exposure Indices, represent the levels of determinants which are most likely to be observed in specimens collected from a healthy worker who has been exposed to chemicals to the same extent as a worker with inhalation exposure to the TLV. Ecological Information: EC is the effect concentration in water.

REGULATORY INFORMATION:

This section explains the impact of various laws and regulations on the material. EPA is the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. WHMIS is the Canadian Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System. DOT and TC are the U.S. Department of Transportation and the Transport Canada, respectively. Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA); the Canadian Domestic/Non-Domestic Substances List (DSL/NDSL); the U.S. Toxic Substance Control Act (TSCA); Marine Pollutant status according to the DOT; the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (CERCLA or Superfund); and various state regulations.