

SAFETY DATA SHEET

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Section 1: Identification

Product identifier

Product Name Mounting Medium

Product Code(s) PCN 003

Other means of identification

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use Analytical reagent
For research use only

Uses advised against None known

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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For any spillage or clean up issues: CHEMCALL 0800 243 622 (24 hours – 365 days)
National Poison Centre 0800 764 766 (0800 POISON)

Section 2: Hazard identification

GHS Classification

Not classified

Label elements**Hazard statements**

Not classified

Precautionary Statements - Storage

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool

Precautionary Statements - Disposal

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local, regional, national, and international regulations as applicable

Other hazards which do not result in classification

No information available.

Section 3: Composition/information on ingredients

Chemical name	CAS No	Weight-%
Glycerol	56-81-5	>=80
Non-hazardous ingredients	Proprietary	Balance

Section 4: First-aid measures**Description of first aid measures**

Inhalation	Remove to fresh air.
Eye contact	Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water, also under the eyelids.
Skin contact	Wash skin with soap and water.
Ingestion	Rinse mouth.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms No information available.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Note to doctors Treat symptomatically.

Section 5: Fire-fighting measures**Suitable Extinguishing Media**

Suitable Extinguishing Media Dry chemical, CO₂, alcohol-resistant foam or water spray.

Unsuitable extinguishing media None known.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Specific hazards arising from the chemical No information available.

Hazardous combustion products Carbon oxides.

Special protective actions for fire-fighters

Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full firefighting turnout gear. Use personal protection equipment.

Section 6: Accidental release measures**Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Personal precautions Ensure adequate ventilation.

For emergency responders Use personal protection recommended in Section 8.

Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information. Do not allow to enter into surface water or drains.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for containment Absorb with earth, sand or other non-combustible material and transfer to containers for later disposal. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

Methods for cleaning up Pick up and transfer to properly labelled containers.

Precautions to prevent secondary hazards

Prevention of secondary hazards Clean contaminated objects and areas thoroughly observing environmental regulations.

Section 7: Handling and storage**Precautions for safe handling**

Advice on safe handling Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wear personal protective equipment. Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions Keep in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Protect from moisture.

Incompatible materials Strong oxidising agents.

Section 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**Control parameters****Exposure Limits**

Chemical name	New Zealand	ACGIH TLV	United Kingdom	Australia
Glycerol 56-81-5	TWA: 10 mg/m ³	-	TWA: 10 mg/m ³ STEL: 30 mg/m ³	10 mg/m ³ TWA

Biological occupational exposure limits This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with biological limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

Appropriate engineering controls

Engineering controls Showers
Eyewash stations
Ventilation systems.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection Handling of larger amounts: Wear protective eye glasses for protection against liquid splashes.

Hand protection To protect the wearer, gloves must be the correct fit and be used properly. Ensure that the breakthrough time of the glove material is not exceeded. Refer to glove supplier for information on breakthrough time for specific gloves.

Skin and body protection Wear suitable protective clothing.

Respiratory protection No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions. If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, ventilation and evacuation may be required.

Environmental exposure controls No information available.

Section 9: Physical and chemical properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance

Physical state	Liquid
Colour	Colourless
Odour	Odourless
Odour threshold	No information available

Values

<u>Values</u>	<u>Remarks • Method</u>
pH	No data available
Melting point / freezing point	No data available
Initial boiling point and boiling range	No data available
Flash point	No data available
Evaporation rate	No data available
Flammability	Not applicable
Flammability Limit in Air	
Upper flammability or explosive limits	Not applicable
Lower flammability or explosive limits	Not applicable
Vapour pressure	No data available
Vapour density	No data available
Relative density	No data available
Water solubility	Soluble in water
Solubility(ies)	No data available
Partition coefficient	No data available
Autoignition temperature	No data available
Decomposition temperature	No data available
Kinematic viscosity	No data available
Dynamic viscosity	No data available

Explosive properties No information available.
Oxidising properties No information available.

Other information

Softening point No information available
Molecular weight No information available
VOC Content (%) No information available
Liquid Density No information available
Bulk density No information available
Particle characteristics

Section 10: Stability and reactivity**Reactivity**

Reactivity None under normal use conditions.

Chemical stability

Stability Stable under normal conditions.

Explosion data

Sensitivity to mechanical impact None.

Sensitivity to static discharge None.

Possibility of hazardous reactions

Possibility of hazardous reactions None under normal processing.

Conditions to avoid

Conditions to avoid Heat. Protect from direct sunlight. Moisture.

Incompatible materials

Incompatible materials Strong oxidising agents.

Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products None known based on information supplied.

Section 11: Toxicological information**Acute toxicity****Information on likely routes of exposure**

Inhalation Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available.
Eye contact Not expected to cause eye irritation.
Skin contact Non-irritating to the skin.
Ingestion Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available.

Symptoms No information available.

Acute toxicity**Numerical measures of toxicity**

No information available.

The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document:

ATEmix (oral) 15,750.00 mg/kg

Component Information

Chemical name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Glycerol	= 12600 mg/kg (Rat)	> 10 g/kg (Rabbit)	> 2.75 mg/L (Rat) 4 h

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Skin corrosion/irritation No information available.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation No information available.

Respiratory or skin sensitisation No information available.

Germ cell mutagenicity No information available.

Carcinogenicity No information available.

Reproductive toxicity No information available.

STOT - single exposure No information available.

STOT - repeated exposure No information available.

Aspiration hazard No information available.

Data used to identify the health effects Refer to Section 16 for Key literature references and sources for data used to compile the SDS.

Section 12: Ecological information**Ecotoxicity**

Ecotoxicity Low toxicity to aquatic organisms.

Aquatic ecotoxicity

Chemical name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Crustacea
Glycerol	-	LC50: 51 - 57mL/L (96h, Oncorhynchus mykiss)	-

Terrestrial ecotoxicity There is no data for this product.

Persistence and degradability The product is substantially biodegradable.

Bioaccumulative potential**Bioaccumulation****Component Information**

Chemical name	Partition coefficient
Glycerol	-1.76

Mobility in soil

Mobility in soil Soluble in water. The product is predicted to have high mobility in soil.

Other adverse effects

No information available.

Section 13: Disposal considerations

Waste treatment methods

Waste from residues/unused products Not applicable. Not Hazardous.

Contaminated packaging Not applicable. Not Hazardous.

Section 14: Transport information

IATA Not regulated

IMDG Not regulated

Section 15: Regulatory information

Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

EPA New Zealand HSNO approval code or group standard Not applicable

National regulations There are no applicable tolerable exposure limits or environmental exposure limits according to the EPA Controls for Hazardous Substances

Certified handlers, tracking and controlled substance license requirements Certified handlers are required for some substances. This includes substances requiring a controlled substance license, and most explosives, vertebrates toxic agents, and certain fumigants. Acutely toxic substances which are a Category 1 or 2, such as pesticides also require Certified handlers. Please check the Health and Safety at Work Act 2015 for further information

Tracking is required for some highly hazardous substances. These substances need to be under the control of an appropriately trained person or appropriately secured. Please check the Health and Safety at Work Act 2015 for further information

Controlled substance licenses are required to possess certain explosives, vertebrate toxic agents and fumigants. See Part 7 of the Health and Safety at Work Regulation 2017 for more information

International Regulations

The Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer Not applicable

The Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants Not applicable

The Rotterdam Convention Not applicable

International Inventories

NZIoC	Contact supplier for inventory compliance status.
TSCA	Contact supplier for inventory compliance status.
DSL/NDSL	Contact supplier for inventory compliance status.
EINECS/ELINCS	Contact supplier for inventory compliance status.
ENCS	Contact supplier for inventory compliance status.
IECSC	Contact supplier for inventory compliance status.
KECL	Contact supplier for inventory compliance status.
PICCS	Contact supplier for inventory compliance status.
AICS	Contact supplier for inventory compliance status.

Legend:

NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances

ENCS - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances

IECSC - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

KECL - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

Section 16: Other information

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Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet**Legend Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

TWA	TWA (time-weighted average)	STEL	STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit)
Ceiling	Maximum limit value	*	Skin designation
C	Carcinogen		

Key literature references and sources for data used to compile the SDS

Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (ATSDR)

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ChemView Database

European Food Safety Authority (EFSA)

EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)

Acute Exposure Guideline Level(s) (AEGl(s))

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency High Production Volume Chemicals

Food Research Journal

Hazardous Substance Database

International Uniform Chemical Information Database (IUCLID)

Japan GHS Classification

Australian National Industrial Chemicals Notification and Assessment Scheme (NICNAS)

NIOSH (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)

National Library of Medicine's ChemID Plus (NLM CIP)

National Library of Medicine's PubMed database (NLM PUBMED)

National Toxicology Program (NTP)

New Zealand's Chemical Classification and Information Database (CCID)

Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development Environment, Health, and Safety Publications

Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development High Production Volume Chemicals Programme

Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development Screening Information Data Set

World Health Organization

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