

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## 1. IDENTIFICATION

**Product Name** MarkWest Appalachia Produced Fluids

**Product code** 0120MAR022  
**Chemical family** Water Mixture

**Recommended use** Internal use only.  
**Restrictions on use** All others.

**Manufacturer, Importer, or Responsible Party Name and Address**  
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## 2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

### OSHA Regulatory Status

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

### Classification

Flammable liquids	Category 2
Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 2
Germ cell mutagenicity	Category 1B
Carcinogenicity	Category 1A
Reproductive toxicity	Category 2
Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)	Category 3
Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure)	Category 2
Aspiration toxicity	Category 1
Chronic aquatic toxicity	Category 2

### Hazards Not Otherwise Classified (HNOC)

Static accumulating flammable liquid

### Label Elements

#### **Danger**

HIGHLY FLAMMABLE LIQUID AND VAPOR  
May accumulate electrostatic charge and ignite or explode  
Causes skin irritation  
May cause genetic defects  
May cause cancer  
Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child  
May cause respiratory irritation  
May cause drowsiness or dizziness  
May cause damage to organs (nervous system, hearing organs, kidney) through prolonged or repeated exposure.  
May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways  
Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

**Appearance** Clear to Brown Liquid**Physical State** Liquid**Odor** Hydrocarbon**Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Obtain special instructions before use  
 Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood  
 Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking  
 Keep container tightly closed  
 Ground/bond container and receiving equipment  
 Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting/equipment  
 Use only non-sparking tools.  
 Take precautionary measures against static discharge  
 Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray  
 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area  
 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection  
 Wash hands and forearms thoroughly after handling.  
 Avoid release to the environment

**Precautionary Statements - Response**

If exposed, concerned or you feel unwell: Get medical attention  
 If on skin (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower  
 If skin irritation occurs: Get medical attention  
 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse  
 If inhaled: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.  
 Call a poison center or doctor if you feel unwell  
 If swallowed: Immediately call a poison center or doctor  
 Do NOT induce vomiting  
 In case of fire: Use appropriate media to extinguish  
 Collect spillage

**Precautionary Statements - Storage**

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed  
 Keep cool  
 Store locked up

**Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container at an approved waste disposal plant

### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

**Composition Information**

Name	CAS Number	% Concentration
Methane	74-82-8	<10
Hexane Isomers (other than n-Hexane)	107-83-5	<7
Ethylene Glycol	107-21-1	<6
Propane	74-98-6	<5
Butane (mixed isomers)	106-97-8	<5
Pentane (mixed isomers)	109-66-0	<4
Heptane (mixed isomers)	142-82-5	<4
Naphthalene	91-20-3	<4

Ethane	74-84-0	<3
Nitrogen	7727-37-9	<2
Xylene (mixed isomers)	1330-20-7	<2
Carbon Dioxide	124-38-9	<2
Toluene	108-88-3	<1
Trimethylbenzene (mixed isomers)	25551-13-7	<1
n-Hexane	110-54-3	<0.5
Benzene	71-43-2	<0.5
Ethylbenzene	100-41-4	<0.1
Cumene	98-82-8	<0.1

All concentrations are percent by weight unless material is a gas. Gas concentrations are in percent by volume.

## 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

### First aid measures

#### **General advice**

In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show directions for use or safety data sheet if possible).

#### **Inhalation**

Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, utilize bag valve mask or other form of barrier device to institute rescue breathing. If breathing is difficult, ensure airway is clear, give oxygen and continue to monitor. If heart has stopped, immediately begin cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR). Keep affected person warm and at rest. If symptoms occur get medical attention.

#### **Skin contact**

Immediately wash exposed skin with plenty of soap and water while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. Get medical attention if irritation persists. Place contaminated clothing in closed container until cleaned or discarded. If clothing is to be laundered, inform the person performing the operation of contaminant's hazardous properties.

#### **Eye contact**

Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water. Eyelids should be held away from the eyeball to ensure thorough rinsing. Get medical attention if irritation persists.

#### **Ingestion**

Do not induce vomiting. If spontaneous vomiting occurs, keep head below hips, or if patient is lying down, turn body and head to side to prevent aspiration and monitor for breathing difficulty. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Keep affected person warm and at rest. Get immediate medical attention.

### Most important signs and symptoms, both short-term and delayed with overexposure

#### **Adverse effects**

Irritating to the skin and mucous membranes. Symptoms may include redness, itching, and inflammation. May cause nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, and signs of nervous system depression: headache, drowsiness, dizziness, loss of coordination, disorientation and fatigue. Aspiration hazard. May cause coughing, chest pains, shortness of breath, pulmonary edema and/or chemical pneumonitis. Prolonged or repeated exposure may cause adverse effects to the nervous system, hearing organs, and kidney. Repeated or prolonged skin contact may cause drying, reddening, itching and cracking.

### Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

#### **Notes to physician**

INHALATION: This material (or a component) sensitizes the myocardium to the effects of sympathomimetic amines. Epinephrine and other sympathomimetic drugs may initiate cardiac arrhythmias in individuals exposed to this material. Administration of sympathomimetic drugs should be avoided.

INGESTION: This material represents a significant aspiration and chemical pneumonitis hazard. Induction of emesis is not recommended.

## 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

#### **Suitable extinguishing media**

For small fires, Class B fire extinguishing media such as CO<sub>2</sub>, dry chemical, foam

(AFFF/ATC) or water spray can be used. For large fires, water spray, fog or foam (AFFF/ATC) can be used. Firefighting should be attempted only by those who are adequately trained and equipped with proper protective equipment.

<b>Unsuitable extinguishing media</b>	Do not use straight water streams to avoid spreading fire.
<b>Specific hazards arising from the chemical</b>	This product has been determined to be a highly flammable liquid per the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard and should be handled accordingly. May accumulate electrostatic charge and ignite or explode. Vapors may travel along the ground or be moved by ventilation and ignited by many sources such as pilot lights, sparks, electric motors, static discharge, or other ignition sources at locations distant from material handling. Flashback can occur along vapor trail. For additional fire related information, see NFPA 30 or the Emergency Response Guidebook 128.
<b>Hazardous combustion products</b>	Smoke, carbon monoxide, and other products of incomplete combustion.
<b>Explosion data</b>	
<b>Sensitivity to mechanical impact:</b>	No.
<b>Sensitivity to static discharge:</b>	Yes.
<b>Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters</b>	Firefighters should wear full protective clothing and positive-pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) with a full face-piece, as appropriate. Avoid using straight water streams. Water may be ineffective in extinguishing low flash point fires, but can be used to cool exposed surfaces. Avoid excessive water spray application. Water spray and foam (AFFF/ATC) must be applied carefully to avoid frothing and from as far a distance as possible. Keep run-off water out of sewers and water sources.
<b>Additional firefighting tactics</b>	<p>FIRES INVOLVING TANKS OR CAR/TRAILER LOADS: Fight fire from maximum distance or use unmanned hose holders or monitor nozzles. Cool containers with flooding quantities of water until well after the fire is out. Do not direct water at source of leak or safety devices; icing may occur. Withdraw immediately in case of rising sound from venting safety devices or discoloration of tank. ALWAYS stay away from tanks engulfed in fire. For massive fire, use unmanned hose holders or monitor nozzles; if this is impossible, withdraw from area and let fire burn.</p> <p>EVACUATION: Consider initial downwind evacuation for at least 1000 feet. If tank, rail car or tank truck is involved in a fire, ISOLATE for 5280 feet (1 mile) in all directions; also, consider initial evacuation of 5280 feet (1 mile) in all directions.</p>
<b>NFPA</b>	Health 1                      Flammability 3                      Instability 0                      Special Hazard -

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

<b>Personal precautions</b>	Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Isolate and evacuate area. Shut off source if safe to do so. Eliminate all ignition sources. Use spark-proof tools and explosion-proof equipment. Leaks may self-ignite due to static accumulation. Distant ignition and flashback are possible. Monitor area for flammable or explosive atmosphere. Before entry, especially into confined areas, check atmosphere with an appropriate monitor.
<b>Protective equipment</b>	Use personal protection measures as recommended in Section 8.
<b>Emergency procedures</b>	Advise authorities and National Response Center (800-424-8802) if the product has entered a water course or sewer. Notify local health and pollution control agencies, if appropriate.
<b>Environmental precautions</b>	Avoid release to the environment. Avoid subsoil penetration.
<b>Methods and materials for containment</b>	Contain liquid with sand or soil. Prevent spilled material from entering storm drains, sewers, and open waterways.

**Methods and materials for cleaning up** Use suitable absorbent materials such as vermiculite, sand, or clay to clean up residual liquids. Recover and return free product to proper containers. When recovering free liquids ensure all equipment is grounded and bonded. Use only non-sparking tools.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

### Safe handling precautions

Do not expose to heat, open flames, strong oxidizers or other sources of ignition. Vapors may travel along the ground or be moved by ventilation. Flashback may occur along vapor trails. Use only non-sparking tools. Use appropriate grounding and bonding practices. Static accumulating flammable liquid. Bonding and grounding may be insufficient to eliminate the hazard from static electricity. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Avoid breathing vapors or mists. Use only with adequate ventilation. Use personal protection measures as recommended in Section 8. Exercise good personal hygiene including removal of soiled clothing and prompt washing with soap and water. Do not cut, drill, grind or weld on empty containers since explosive residues may remain. Refer to applicable EPA, OSHA, NFPA and consistent state and local requirements.

Components of this product are basically non-conductors of electricity and can become electrostatically charged during mixing, filtering or pumping at high flow rates. If this charge reaches a sufficiently high level, sparks can form that may ignite the vapors of flammable liquids. Sudden release of hot organic vapors or mists from process equipment operating at elevated temperature and pressure, or sudden ingress of air into vacuum equipment, may result in ignitions without the presence of obvious ignition sources.

### Storage conditions

Store in properly closed containers that are appropriately labeled and in a cool, well-ventilated area. Do not store near an open flame, heat or other sources of ignition.

### Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### Control parameters

Name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PELs	NIOSH IDLH
Methane 74-82-8	Simple asphyxiant	-	-
Hexane Isomers (other than n-Hexane) 107-83-5	500 ppm TWA 1000 ppm STEL	-	-
Ethylene Glycol 107-21-1	100 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Ceiling	-	-
Butane (mixed isomers) 106-97-8	1000 ppm STEL	-	1600 ppm
Propane 74-98-6	Simple asphyxiant	TWA: 1000 ppm TWA: 1800 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	2100 ppm
Heptane (mixed isomers) 142-82-5	400 ppm TWA 500 ppm STEL	TWA: 500 ppm TWA: 2000 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	750 ppm
Pentane (mixed isomers) 109-66-0	1000 ppm TWA	TWA: 1000 ppm TWA: 2950 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	1500 ppm
Naphthalene 91-20-3	10 ppm TWA Skin - potential significant contribution to overall exposure by the cutaneous route	TWA: 10 ppm TWA: 50 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	250 ppm
Ethane 74-84-0	Simple asphyxiant	-	-
Nitrogen 7727-37-9	Simple asphyxiant	-	-
Carbon Dioxide 124-38-9	5000 ppm TWA 30000 ppm STEL	TWA: 5000 ppm TWA: 9000 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	40000 ppm
Xylene (mixed isomers)	100 ppm TWA	TWA: 100 ppm	900 ppm

1330-20-7	150 ppm STEL	TWA: 435 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	
Toluene 108-88-3	20 ppm TWA	TWA: 200 ppm Ceiling: 300 ppm	500 ppm
Trimethylbenzene (mixed isomers) 25551-13-7	25 ppm TWA	-	-
Benzene 71-43-2	0.5 ppm TWA 2.5 ppm STEL Skin - potential significant contribution to overall exposure by the cutaneous route	TWA: 10 ppm (applies to industry segments exempt from the benzene standard) TWA: 1 ppm STEL: 5 ppm (see 29 CFR 1910.1028)	500 ppm
n-Hexane 110-54-3	50 ppm TWA Skin - potential significant contribution to overall exposure by the cutaneous route	TWA: 500 ppm TWA: 1800 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	1100 ppm
Ethylbenzene 100-41-4	20 ppm TWA	TWA: 100 ppm TWA: 435 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	800 ppm
Cumene 98-82-8	50 ppm TWA	TWA: 50 ppm TWA: 245 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Skin	900 ppm

**Notes:** No further information available.

**Engineering measures** Local or general exhaust required in an enclosed area or when there is inadequate ventilation. Use mechanical ventilation equipment that is explosion-proof.

#### Personal protective equipment

**Eye protection** Use goggles or face-shield if the potential for splashing exists.

**Skin and body protection** Use nitrile rubber, Viton® or PVA gloves for repeated or prolonged skin exposure. Glove suitability is based on workplace conditions and usage. Contact the glove manufacturer for specific advice on glove selection and breakthrough times.

**Respiratory protection** Use a NIOSH approved organic vapor chemical cartridge or supplied air respirators when there is the potential for airborne exposures to exceed permissible exposure limits or if excessive vapors are generated. Observe respirator assigned protection factors (APFs) criteria cited in federal OSHA 29 CFR 1910.134. Self-contained breathing apparatus should be used for fire fighting.

**Hygiene measures** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

#### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

**Appearance** Clear to Brown Liquid  
**Physical State** Liquid  
**Color** Clear to Brown  
**Odor** Hydrocarbon  
**Odor Threshold** No data available.

<u>Property</u>	<u>Values (method)</u>
<b>pH</b>	Not applicable
<b>Melting Point / Freezing Point</b>	No data available.
<b>Initial Boiling Point / Boiling Range</b>	>35 °C / >95 °F
<b>Flash Point</b>	<23 °C / <74 °F
<b>Evaporation Rate</b>	No data available.
<b>Flammability (solid, gas)</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Flammability Limit in Air (%):</b>	
<b>Upper Flammability Limit:</b>	No data available.
<b>Lower Flammability Limit:</b>	No data available.
<b>Explosion Limits</b>	No data available.

Vapor Pressure	No data available.
Vapor Density	No data available.
Specific Gravity / Relative Density	No data available.
Water Solubility	No data available.
Partition Coefficient	No data available.
Autoignition Temperature	No data available.
Decomposition Temperature	No data available.
Kinematic Viscosity	No data available.
VOC Content (%)	No data available.

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity	The product is non-reactive under normal conditions.
Chemical stability	The material is stable at 70°F (21°C ), 760 mmHg pressure.
Possibility of hazardous reactions	None under normal processing.
Hazardous polymerization	Will not occur.
Conditions to avoid	Excessive heat, sources of ignition, open flame.
Incompatible materials	Strong oxidizing agents.
Hazardous decomposition products	None known under normal conditions of use.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Potential short-term adverse effects from overexposures

Inhalation	May cause irritation of respiratory tract. May cause drowsiness or dizziness.
Eye contact	Exposure to vapor or contact with liquid may cause mild eye irritation, including tearing, stinging, and redness.
Skin contact	Irritating to skin. Effects may become more serious with repeated or prolonged contact. May be absorbed through the skin in harmful amounts.
Ingestion	May be fatal if swallowed or vomited and enters airways. May cause irritation of the mouth, throat and gastrointestinal tract.

### Acute toxicological data

Name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Methane 74-82-8	-	-	326 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (Mouse) 2 h
Hexane Isomers (other than n-Hexane) 107-83-5	> 5000 mg/kg (Rat)	-	-
Ethylene Glycol 107-21-1	> 2000 mg/kg (Rat)	> 5000 mg/kg (Rat)	-
Butane (mixed isomers) 106-97-8	-	-	658 mg/L (Rat) 4 h
Propane 74-98-6	-	-	> 1,464 mg/L (Rat) 15 min
Heptane (mixed isomers) 142-82-5	-	3000 mg/kg (Rabbit)	103 g/m <sup>3</sup> (Rat) 4 h
Pentane (mixed isomers) 109-66-0	-	-	364 mg/L (Rat) 4 h
Naphthalene 91-20-3	533 mg/kg (Mouse)	> 2000 mg/kg (Rabbit)	> 340 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (Rat) 1 h
Ethane	-	-	658 mg/L (Rat) 4 h

74-84-0			
Xylene (mixed isomers) 1330-20-7	> 2000 mg/kg (Rat)	> 2000 mg/kg (Rabbit)	> 5.04 mg/L (Rat) 4 h
Toluene 108-88-3	> 2000 mg/kg (Rat)	8390 mg/kg (Rabbit)	12.5 mg/L (Rat) 4 h
Trimethylbenzene (mixed isomers) 25551-13-7	3280 mg/kg (Rat)	> 3160 mg/kg (Rabbit)	18,000 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (Rat) 4 h
Benzene 71-43-2	> 2000 mg/kg (Rat)	> 5000 mg/kg (Rabbit)	> 20 mg/l (Rat) 4 h
n-Hexane 110-54-3	15000 mg/kg (Rat)	3000 mg/kg (Rabbit)	48000 ppm (Rat) 4 h
Ethylbenzene 100-41-4	> 2000 mg/kg (Rat)	> 2000 mg/kg (Rabbit)	17.2 mg/L (Rat) 4 h
Cumene 98-82-8	> 2000 mg/kg (Rat)	> 2000 mg/kg (Rabbit)	> 20 mg/L (Rat) 6 h

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

**METHANE and ETHANE:** Exposure to high levels of these gases produce weak central nervous system (CNS) depressant effects without significant potential for systemic toxicity. At very high levels they act as asphyxiant gases by diluting and displacing oxygen. Symptoms of persons exposed to oxygen deficient atmospheres include headache, dizziness, incoordination, cyanosis and narcosis. Extremely high concentrations can produce unconsciousness followed by death.

**ETHYLENE GLYCOL:** Renal damage is the most prominent adverse effect from over-exposure to ethylene glycol. Renal failure is a common cause of death in accidental poisoning cases. Renal effects may include tubular dilation, degeneration, acute inflammation, and the presence of oxalate crystals. Other adverse effects observed in laboratory animals receiving high doses of ethylene glycol include hemolysis, centrilobular necrosis, vascular edema and necrosis. Reduced body weights and abnormalities were observed in fetuses of pregnant laboratory rats and mice receiving oral doses of 1 gram/kg/day or greater during gestation. Fetal abnormalities included duplicated or missing ribs, centra, and arches, and poor ossification in rat fetuses. In mice, there was no apparent treatment related maternal toxicity.

**PROPANE, BUTANE and PENTANE:** Laboratory animal studies indicate exposure to extremely high levels (1 to 10 vol.% in air) may cause cardiac arrhythmias (irregular heartbeats) which may be serious or fatal.

**NAPHTHALENE:** Excessive exposure to naphthalene may cause nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, blood in the urine, and a yellow color to the skin. Lifetime inhalation exposure of laboratory rodents to naphthalene resulted in cancers of the respiratory tract in male and female rats. A small increase in cancer of the lung was observed in female mice, but no evidence of lung cancer was observed in male mice. Long-term exposure to excessive airborne naphthalene concentrations may result in destruction of red blood cells, a condition referred to as hemolytic anemia.

**NITROGEN:** Nitrogen is a simple asphyxiant gas without significant potential for systemic toxicity. At very high concentrations, it acts as an asphyxiant gas by diluting and displacing oxygen. Symptoms of persons exposed to oxygen deficient atmospheres include headache, dizziness, incoordination, cyanosis and narcosis. Extremely high concentrations can produce unconsciousness followed by death.

**XYLENE:** Overexposure to airborne xylene may cause upper respiratory tract irritation, headache, cyanosis, blood serum changes, nervous system damage and narcosis. Impaired neurological function has been reported in workers exposed to solvents including xylene. Laboratory animal studies have shown evidence of impaired hearing after prolonged exposure high airborne concentrations. Laboratory animal studies suggest some changes in reproductive organs after exposure to high airborne concentrations of xylene without an effect on reproduction. Skeletal and visceral malformations, developmental delays, and increased fetal resorptions were observed in laboratory animals after extremely high airborne concentrations with evidence of maternal toxicity. Adverse effects on the liver, kidney, and bone marrow were observed in laboratory animals after prolonged and repeated exposure to high airborne concentrations of xylene.

**CARBON DIOXIDE:** Carbon dioxide is a simple asphyxiant and has no warning properties (such as odor). Inhalation of high concentrations can produce mild narcotic effects and stimulation of the respiratory centers. Eye, nose and throat irritation can occur at very high exposure concentrations. Poisoning may affect the lungs, heart, kidney and central nervous system. Sleepiness, mental confusion, giddiness, lassitude (weakness), noise in the ear, weakened reflexes, tremors, flaccid paralysis, coma, and death may all occur from carbon dioxide poisoning.

**TOLUENE:** Inhalation abuse of toluene at high concentrations has been associated with adverse effects on the liver, kidney and nervous system, and can cause nervous system depression, cardiac arrhythmias, and death. Studies of workers indicate long-term exposure may be related to impaired color vision and hearing. Some studies of workers suggest long-term exposure

may be associated with neurobehavioral and mental functional changes. Laboratory animal studies indicate some changes in reproductive organs after exposure to high airborne concentrations, but no significant effects on mating performance or reproduction were observed. Positive findings include small increases in minor skeletal and visceral malformations and developmental delays following maternal exposure to high concentrations. Adverse effects on the liver, kidney, thymus and nervous system of laboratory animal were observed after very high levels of prolonged and repeated exposure.

**1,2,4-TRIMETHYLBENZENE:** Contact with eyes can cause serious eye irritation, redness, and pain. Brief inhalation exposure to high vapor concentrations may cause respiratory irritation. Overexposure by inhalation and ingestion can cause confusion, dizziness, drowsiness, headache, vomiting, cough, and sore throat. Long-term overexposure has been associated with asthmatic bronchitis. Direct prolonged skin contact can cause irritation, redness and dry skin.

**N-HEXANE:** Short-term overexposure to n-hexane vapor may cause headache, nausea, vomiting, dizziness, lightheadedness, loss of consciousness, coma, and even death in humans. Respiratory effects of overexposure may include nose, throat, and lung irritation, coughing, wheezing, and shortness of breath. Direct and prolonged contact with liquid may cause dryness and redness of the skin. Long-term or repeated overexposure to n-hexane can cause peripheral nerve damage. Initial signs are numbness of the fingers and toes. Motor/muscle weakness can occur in the digits, but may also involve muscles of the arms, forearms, and thighs. Onset of these signs may be delayed for several months to a year after initial exposure. Repeated and sustained inhalation exposure to high vapor concentrations of n-hexane resulted in degenerative changes in the testes and reduced sperm count in male laboratory rats.

**BENZENE:** Benzene exposure may cause skin, eye and respiratory irritation. Excessive exposures may cause central nervous system effects. Numerous studies of workers exposed to airborne benzene for prolonged or repeated periods show strong evidence that overexposure can cause cancer of the blood, AML (acute myeloid leukemia), along with other disorders indicating damage to the blood forming organs including aplastic anemia, leukopenia, thrombocytopenia, and the development of myelodysplastic syndrome. Some studies of pregnant women occupationally exposed to benzene suggest associations with an increased risk of miscarriage, stillbirth, reduced birth weight, and gestational age. Prolonged and repeated exposure to benzene has induced chromosomal aberrations in circulating human lymphocytes, in bone marrow cells of laboratory animals, and in sperm cells of both humans and laboratory animals.

**ETHYLBENZENE:** Lifetime exposure studies of rodents to ethylbenzene reported elevated kidney tumors in male and female rats exposed to the highest concentration tested. Tumors of the lungs were elevated in male mice and in the livers of females exposed at the highest concentration tested. Effects on the liver, kidney, lung, thyroid, and pituitary of these animals as well. Laboratory animal studies (rats) demonstrated hearing loss in combination with exposure to noise.

**CUMENE:** High airborne concentrations of cumene may cause irritation of the eyes, skin, and respiratory tract. Excessive exposures may cause central nervous system effects. Lifetime inhalation exposure of mice to cumene resulted in lung tumors in both males and females and liver tumors in females. Rats similarly exposed to cumene exhibited male-specific kidney tumors.

#### **Adverse effects related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics**

<b>Signs and symptoms</b>	Irritating to the skin and mucous membranes. Symptoms may include redness, itching, and inflammation. May cause nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, and signs of nervous system depression: headache, drowsiness, dizziness, loss of coordination, disorientation and fatigue. Aspiration hazard. May cause coughing, chest pains, shortness of breath, pulmonary edema and/or chemical pneumonitis. Prolonged or repeated exposure may cause damage to organs. Repeated or prolonged skin contact may cause drying, reddening, itching and cracking.
<b>Acute toxicity</b>	None known.
<b>Skin corrosion/irritation</b>	Causes skin irritation.
<b>Serious eye damage/eye irritation</b>	None known.
<b>Sensitization</b>	None known.
<b>Mutagenic effects</b>	May cause genetic defects.
<b>Carcinogenicity</b>	May cause cancer.  Cancer designations are listed in the table below

Name	ACGIH (Class)	IARC (Class)	NTP	OSHA
Naphthalene 91-20-3	Confirmed animal carcinogen (A3)	Possible human carcinogen (2B)	Reasonably anticipated to be a human carcinogen	Not Listed
Xylene (mixed isomers) 1330-20-7	Not classifiable (A4)	Not classifiable (3)	Not Listed	Not Listed
Toluene 108-88-3	Not classifiable (A4)	Not classifiable (3)	Not Listed	Not Listed
Benzene 71-43-2	Confirmed human carcinogen (A1)	Carcinogenic to humans (1)	Known to be human carcinogen	Known carcinogen
Ethylbenzene 100-41-4	Confirmed animal carcinogen (A3)	Possible human carcinogen (2B)	Not Listed	Not Listed
Cumene 98-82-8	Not Listed	Possible human carcinogen (2B)	Reasonably anticipated to be a human carcinogen	Not Listed

**Reproductive toxicity**

Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child.

**Specific Target Organ Toxicity (STOT) - single exposure**

May cause respiratory irritation. May cause drowsiness or dizziness.

**Specific Target Organ Toxicity (STOT) - repeated exposure**

May cause damage to organs (nervous system, hearing organs, kidney) through prolonged or repeated exposure.

**Aspiration hazard**

May be fatal if swallowed or vomited and enters airways.

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Ecotoxicity**

This product should be considered toxic to aquatic organisms, with the potential to cause long lasting adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

Name	Fish	Crustacea	Algae/aquatic plants
Ethylene Glycol 107-21-1	96-hr LC50 > 10,000 mg/L Fathead minnow	48-hr EC50 > 10,000 mg/L Daphnia magna	-
Pentane (mixed isomers) 109-66-0	96-hr LC50 >1 - <10 mg/L Rainbow trout	48-hr EC50 = 9.7 mg/L Daphnia magna	-
Heptane (mixed isomers) 142-82-5	96-hr LC50 = 375 mg/L Tilapia	-	-
Naphthalene 91-20-3	96-hr LC50 = 0.91-2.82 mg/l Rainbow trout (static) 96-hr LC50 = 1.99 mg/l Fathead minnow (static)	48-hr LC50 = 1.6 mg/l Daphnia magna	-
Xylene (mixed isomers) 1330-20-7	96-hr LC50 = 8 mg/l Rainbow trout	48-hr LC50 = 3.82 mg/l Daphnia magna	72-hr EC50 = 11 mg/l Algae
Toluene 108-88-3	96-hr LC50 <= 10 mg/l Rainbow trout	48-hr EC50 = 5.46-9.83 mg/l Daphnia magna 48-hr EC50 = 11.5 mg/l Daphnia magna (Static)	72-hr EC50 = 12.5 mg/l Algae
Trimethylbenzene (mixed isomers) 25551-13-7	96-hr LC50 = 7.19-8.28 mg/l Fathead minnow (flow-through)	48-hr EC50 = 6.14 mg/L Daphnia magna	-
Benzene 71-43-2	96-hr LC50 = 5.3 mg/l Rainbow trout (flow-through)	48-hr EC50 = 8.76-15.6 mg/l Daphnia magna (Static)	72-hr EC50 = 29 mg/l Algae
n-Hexane 110-54-3	96-hr LC50 = 2.5 mg/l Fathead minnow	-	-
Ethylbenzene 100-41-4	96-hr LC50 = 4 mg/L Rainbow trout	48-hr EC50 = 1-4 mg/L Daphnia magna	72-hr EC50 = 1.7-7.6 mg/l Algae
Cumene 98-82-8	96-hr LC50 = 6.04-6.61 mg/l Fathead minnow (Flow-through) 96-hr LC50 = 2.7 mg/l Rainbow trout (semi-static)	48-hr EC50 = 7.9-14.1 mg/l Daphnia magna (static)	72-hr EC50 = 2.6 mg/l Algae

<b>Persistence and degradability</b>	Expected to be inherently biodegradable.
<b>Bioaccumulation</b>	Has the potential to bioaccumulate.
<b>Mobility in soil</b>	May partition into air, soil and water.
<b>Other adverse effects</b>	No information available.

### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

<b>Description of waste residues</b>	This material may be a flammable liquid waste.
<b>Safe handling of wastes</b>	Handle in accordance with applicable local, state, and federal regulations. Use personal protection measures as required. Use appropriate grounding and bonding practices. Use only non-sparking tools. Do not expose to heat, open flames, strong oxidizers or other sources of ignition. No smoking.
<b>Disposal of wastes / methods of disposal</b>	The user is responsible for determining if any discarded material is a hazardous waste (40 CFR 262.11). Dispose of in accordance with federal, state and local regulations.
<b>Contaminated packaging disposal</b>	Empty containers should be completely drained and then discarded or recycled, if possible. Do not cut, drill, grind or weld on empty containers since explosive residues may be present. Dispose of in accordance with federal, state and local regulations.

### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

#### DOT

<b>UN/Identification No:</b>	UN 1268
<b>UN Proper Shipping Name:</b>	Petroleum Distillates, N.O.S.
<b>Transport Hazard Class(es):</b>	3
<b>Packing Group:</b>	II

#### IATA

<b>UN/Identification No:</b>	UN 1268
<b>UN Proper Shipping Name:</b>	Petroleum Distillates, N.O.S.
<b>Transport Hazard Class(es):</b>	3
<b>Packing Group:</b>	II
<b>ERG code:</b>	3H

#### IMDG

<b>UN/Identification No:</b>	UN 1268
<b>UN Proper Shipping Name:</b>	Petroleum Distillates, N.O.S.
<b>Transport Hazard Class(es):</b>	3
<b>Packing Group:</b>	II
<b>EmS No:</b>	F-E, S-E
<b>Marine Pollutant:</b>	Yes

#### **Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code**

Not applicable

### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

#### Regulatory Information

<b>US TSCA Chemical Inventory</b>	This product and/or its components are listed on the TSCA Chemical Inventory or are exempt.
<b>Canada DSL/NDSL Inventory</b>	This product and/or its components are listed either on the Domestic Substances List (DSL) or are exempt.

**EPA Superfund Amendment & Reauthorization Act (SARA)**

**SARA Section 302** This product does not contain any component(s) included on EPA's Extremely Hazardous Substance (EHS) List.

**SARA Section 304** This product may contain component(s) identified either as an EHS or a CERCLA Hazardous substance which in case of a spill or release may be subject to SARA reporting requirements:

Name	Hazardous Substances RQs
Ethylene Glycol 107-21-1	5000 lb 2270 kg
Naphthalene 91-20-3	100 lb 45.4 kg
Xylene (mixed isomers) 1330-20-7	100 lb 45.4 kg
Toluene 108-88-3	1000 lb 454 kg
n-Hexane 110-54-3	5000 lb 2270 kg
Benzene 71-43-2	10 lb 4.54 kg
Cumene 98-82-8	5000 lb 2270 kg
Ethylbenzene 100-41-4	1000 lb 454 kg

**SARA Section 311/312** The following EPA hazard categories apply to this product:

Flammable  
Hazard Not Otherwise Classified (HNOC)-Physical  
Skin corrosion or irritation  
Germ cell mutagenicity  
Carcinogenicity  
Reproductive toxicity  
Specific target organ toxicity  
Aspiration hazard

**SARA Section 313** This product may contain component(s), which if in exceedance of the de minimus threshold, may be subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III Section 313 Toxic Release Reporting (Form R).

Name	CERCLA/SARA 313 Emission reporting
Ethylene Glycol 107-21-1	1.0 % de minimis concentration
Naphthalene 91-20-3	0.1 % de minimis concentration
Xylene (mixed isomers) 1330-20-7	1.0 % de minimis concentration
Toluene 108-88-3	1.0 % de minimis concentration
Trimethylbenzene (mixed isomers) 25551-13-7	1.0 % de minimis concentration
Benzene 71-43-2	0.1 % de minimis concentration
n-Hexane 110-54-3	1.0 % de minimis concentration
Cumene 98-82-8	1.0 % de minimis concentration
Ethylbenzene	0.1 % de minimis concentration

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**U.S. State Regulations****California Proposition 65**

This product contains chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects or other reproductive harm.

Name	California Proposition 65
Naphthalene 91-20-3	Carcinogen, initial date 04/19/02
Toluene 108-88-3	Developmental toxicity, initial date 01/01/91
n-Hexane 110-54-3	Male reproductive toxicity, initial date 12/15/17
Benzene 71-43-2	Carcinogen, initial date 02/27/87 Male developmental toxicity, initial date 12/26/97
Cumene 98-82-8	Carcinogen, initial date 04/06/10
Ethylbenzene 100-41-4	Carcinogen, initial date 06/11/04

For more information, go to [www.P65Warnings.ca.gov](http://www.P65Warnings.ca.gov).

**State Right-To-Know Regulations** The following component(s) of this material are identified on the regulatory lists below:

Name	New Jersey Right-To-Know	Pennsylvania Right-To-Know	Massachusetts Right-To-Know
Methane 74-82-8	Listed	Listed	Listed
Hexane Isomers (other than n-Hexane) 107-83-5	Listed	Listed	Listed
Ethylene Glycol 107-21-1	Listed	Listed	Listed
Butane (mixed isomers) 106-97-8	Listed	Listed	Listed
Propane 74-98-6	Listed	Listed	Listed
Heptane (mixed isomers) 142-82-5	Listed	Listed	Listed
Pentane (mixed isomers) 109-66-0	Listed	Listed	Listed
Naphthalene 91-20-3	Listed	Listed	Listed
Ethane 74-84-0	Listed	Listed	Listed
Nitrogen 7727-37-9	Listed	Listed	Listed
Carbon Dioxide 124-38-9	Listed	Listed	Listed
Xylene (mixed isomers) 1330-20-7	Listed	Listed	Listed
Toluene 108-88-3	Listed	Listed	Listed
Trimethylbenzene (mixed isomers) 25551-13-7	Listed	Listed	Listed
Benzene 71-43-2	Listed	Listed	Listed
n-Hexane 110-54-3	Listed	Listed	Listed

Ethylbenzene 100-41-4	Listed	Listed	Listed
Cumene 98-82-8	Listed	Listed	Listed

## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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