

GUARDFOAM™ 55

Material Safety Data Sheet

GuardFoam 55 Component B - closed cell

1. Substance/preparation and company identification

Company

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24 Hour Emergency Response Information

CHEMTREC: (800) 424-9300

Chemical family:
Synonyms:

resin
Urethane System Resin Component

2. Composition/information on ingredients

<u>CAS Number</u>	<u>Content (W/W)</u>	<u>Chemical name</u>
108-01-0	< 75.0 % < 15.0 % < 3.0 % < 2.0 %	Polyol Flame Retardant 2-dimethylaminoethanol
460-73-1	< 5.0 % < 10.0 %	Surfactant Catalyst 1,1,1,3,3-pentafluoropropane

3. Hazard identification

Emergency overview

CAUTION: MAY CAUSE EYE, SKIN AND RESPIRATORY TRACT IRRITATION.
CORROSIVE TO SKIN.
SEVERELY IRRITATING TO EYES, SKIN, RESPIRATORY TRACT.
SENSITIZER.

Potential health effects

Primary routes of exposure

Routes of entry for solids and liquids include eye and skin contact, ingestion and inhalation. Routes of entry for gases include inhalation and eye contact. Skin contact may be a route of entry for liquefied gases.

Acute toxicity:

Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal disturbances.

Information on: Fluorocarbons

At levels above the recommended exposure limit, the fluorocarbon acts as a weak narcotic. Acute overexposure causes tremors, confusion, irritation, suffocation, and may result in cardiac sensitization.

Information on: Dimethylaminoethanol

Dimethylaminoethanol is extremely irritating to the skin and eyes. Direct contact with the liquid is corrosive. Acute inhalation exposures at high concentrations have been known to produce respiratory difficulties, loss of coordination and decreased motor activity in rats.

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Irritation:

Irritating to respiratory system.

Information on: Polyol

Contact with the eyes and skin may result in irritation.

Information on: Dimethylaminoethanol

Contact with Dimethylaminoethanol may result in severe irritation. Burns and permanent injury may result.

Repeated dose toxicity:

No other known chronic effects.

Information on: Dimethylaminoethanol

Repeated skin contact with Dimethylaminoethanol may result in sensitization. Repeated inhalation has been known to produce effects on the eyes and nasal mucosa as well as respiratory and olfactory lesions in experimental animals. Exposure to Dimethylaminoethanol has been associated with visual and ocular changes and is reversible upon significantly reduced or ceased exposure.

4. First-aid measures

General advice:

Remove contaminated clothing.

If inhaled:

Remove the affected individual into fresh air and keep the person calm. Assist in breathing if necessary. Immediate medical attention required.

If on skin:

Wash affected areas thoroughly with soap and water. Immediate medical attention required.

If in eyes:

In case of contact with the eyes, rinse immediately for at least 15 minutes with plenty of water. Immediate medical attention required.

If swallowed:

Rinse mouth and then drink plenty of water. Induce vomiting. Never induce vomiting or give anything by mouth if the victim is unconscious or having convulsions. Immediate medical attention required.

5. Fire-fighting measures

Flash point:

> 200 °C

(closed cup)

Autoignition:

No data available.

Suitable extinguishing media:

water, dry extinguishing media, carbon dioxide, foam

Hazards during fire-fighting:

No particular hazards known.

Protective equipment for fire-fighting:

Firefighters should be equipped with self-contained breathing apparatus and turn-out gear.

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6. Accidental release measures

Cleanup:

Spills should be contained, solidified, and placed in suitable containers for disposal.

7. Handling and storage

Handling

General advice:

Product should not be mixed with air above atmospheric pressure for leak testing or any other purpose. Use dry nitrogen to transfer or leak test equipment pressurized with product.

Protection against fire and explosion:

No explosion proofing necessary.

Storage

General advice:

Product that is frozen and/or tending to sedimentation can be liquefied or homogenized by careful application of indirect heat (do not use flames or direct contact with a heat source). Protect from direct sunlight. Keep in a cool, well-ventilated place. Avoid extreme heat. Store protected against freezing. Stored and transported in a cylinder under pressure. Must not be repacked by the customer.

Storage stability:

Storage temperature: 70 - 80 °F

Protect against moisture. Store in unopened original containers in a cool and dry place.

8. Exposure controls and personal protection

Advice on system design:

Provide local exhaust ventilation to control vapors/mists.

Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection:

Air supplied, full face respirators should be worn by applicators and adjacent workers.

Hand protection:

Chemical resistant protective gloves

Eye protection:

Wear face shield or tightly fitting safety goggles (chemical goggles) if splashing hazard exists.

General safety and hygiene measures:

Avoid contact with skin. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wear protective clothing as necessary to prevent contact. Avoid inhalation of vapors/mists. Wash soiled clothing immediately.

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9. Physical and chemical properties

Form:	liquid
Odor:	amine-like
Color:	brown
pH value:	>= 7
Bulk density:	9.60 - 9.83 lb/USg (25 °C)
Viscosity, dynamic:	800 - 1,000 mPa.s (23 °C)
Miscibility with water:	slightly soluble

10. Stability and reactivity

Conditions to avoid:

> 80 degrees Fahrenheit
Avoid moisture. Avoid direct sunlight. Avoid excessive temperatures.

Hazardous reactions:

The product is chemically stable.

Decomposition products:

Hazardous decomposition products: carbon monoxide, Carbon dioxide

Thermal decomposition:

No data available.

11. Toxicological information

12. Ecological information

13. Disposal considerations

Waste disposal of substance:

Incinerate in a licensed facility.
Dispose of in a licensed facility.
Do not discharge substance/product into sewer system.

Container disposal:

Steel drums must be emptied and can be sent to a licensed drum reconditioner for reuse, a scrap metal dealer or an approved landfill. Refer to 40 CFR § 261.7 (residues of hazardous waste in empty containers). Decontaminate containers prior to disposal. Recommend crushing, puncturing or other means to prevent unauthorized use of used containers.

14. Transport information

Reference Bill of Lading

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15. Regulatory information

Federal Regulations

Registration status:

TSCA, US

released / listed

TSCA 12B

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OSHA hazard category:

No data available.

SARA hazard categories (EPCRA 311/312): Not hazardous

State regulations

CA Prop. 65:

THIS PRODUCT CONTAINS A CHEMICAL(S) KNOWN TO THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA TO CAUSE CANCER AND BIRTH DEFECTS OR OTHER REPRODUCTIVE HARM.

16. Other information

HMIS III rating

Health: 1

Flammability: 1

Physical hazard: 1

HMIS uses a numbering scale ranging from 0 to 4 to indicate the degree of hazard. A value of zero means that the substance possesses essentially no hazard; a rating of four indicates high hazard.

Local contact information

800-569-4262

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