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# **Material Safety Data Sheet**

# 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product name: BUTVAR® B-79 Polyvinyl butyral

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Company Information:

#### **United States:**

Solutia Inc.

575 Maryville Center Drive, P.O. Box 66760

St. Louis, MO 63166-6760

Emergency telephone: Chemtrec: 1-800-424-9300

International Emergency telephone: Chemtrec: 703-527-3887

Non-Emergency telephone: 1-314-674-6661

#### Mexico:

Solutia MEXICO, S. DE R.L. DE C.V. Prol. Paseo de la Reforma 2654 Local 501, Piso-5

Col. Lomas Altas 11950 Mexico, D.F.

Emergency telephone: SETIQ: (in Mexico) 01-800-002-1400 Non-Emergency telephone: (in Mexico) 01-55-5259-6800

#### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

# **EMERGENCY OVERVIEW**

Form: granular, solid

Colour: white

Odour: characteristic

#### **WARNING STATEMENTS**

WARNING! Combustible dust May cause eye irritation EXPLOSION POTENTIAL

#### **POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS**

#### Canada:

Solutia Canada Inc. 6800 St. Patrick Street LaSalle, PQ H8N 2H3

Emergency telephone: CANUTEC: 1-613-996-6666

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Non-Emergency telephone: 1-314-674-6661

#### **Brazil:**

Solutia Brazil Ltd.

Avenue Carlos Marcondes, 1200

CEP: 12241-420-São José dos Campos/SP-Brazil Emergency telephone: 55 12 3932 7100 (PABX) Non-Emergency telephone: 55 11 3146 1800 (PABX)

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Likely routes of exposure: eye and skin contact

inhalation

Eye contact: Moderately irritating to eyes.

Dust may cause eye irritation as would any foreign material.

Skin contact: No more than slightly irritating to skin.

No more than slightly toxic if absorbed.

Inhalation: No information available.

Ingestion: No more than slightly toxic if swallowed.

Significant adverse health effects are not expected to develop if only small

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amounts (less than a mouthful) are swallowed.

Refer to Section 11 for toxicological information.

#### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

<u>Components</u>	CAS No.	<u>Average</u>	Concentration	<u>Units</u>
		concentration	<u>range</u>	
polyvinyl butyral	27360-07-2	96.0		%
1,1-diethoxybutane	3658-95-5		<=2.0	%
water	7732-18-5		<=2.0	%

Polyvinyl butyral also listed as CAS No. 63148-65-2

#### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

If in eyes: Immediately flush with plenty of water.

If easy to do, remove any contact lenses. Get medical attention if irritation persists. Remove material from skin and clothing.

If on skin: Immediate first aid is not likely to be required.

This material can be removed with water.

Wash heavily contaminated clothing before reuse.

If inhaled: Immediate first aid is not likely to be required.

If symptoms occur, remove to fresh air. Remove material from eyes, skin and clothing.

If swallowed: Immediate first aid is not likely to be required.

A physician or Poison Control Center can be contacted for advice.

Wash heavily contaminated clothing before reuse.

# 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Hazardous products of combustion: butyraldehyde; butyric acid; acrolein; crotonaldehyde; carbon monoxide

(CO)

Extinguishing media: Water spray, foam, dry chemical, or carbon dioxide

Unusual fire and explosion hazards: None known

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Fire fighting equipment: Firefighters, and others exposed, wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

Equipment should be thoroughly decontaminated after use.

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Miscellaneous advice: This material may contain enough fines to form an explosive mixture if

mixed with a sufficient quantity of air.

#### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions: Use personal protection recommended in section 8.

Environmental precautions:

Keep out of drains and water courses.

Methods for cleaning up:

In case of spill, do not blow material. Use vacuum equipment designed specifically for

handling combustible dusts. Flush spill area with water.

Refer to Section 13 for disposal information and Sections 14 and 15 for reportable quantity information.

#### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### **Handling**

Keep away from heat, sparks, and flame.

Avoid creating dust cloud in handling, transfer and clean-up.

Avoid contact with eyes.

Wash thoroughly after handling.

Emptied containers retain vapour and product residue. Observe all recommended safety precautions until container is cleaned, reconditioned or destroyed. Do not cut, drill, grind or weld on or near this container. The reuse of this material's container for non industrial purposes is prohibited and any reuse must be in consideration of the data provided in this material safety data sheet.

Storage

General: Keep in a cool, dry, well ventilated place.

Stable under normal conditions of handling and storage.

# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Airborne exposure limits: (ml/m3 = ppm)

BUTVAR® B-79 OSHA and/or ACGIH have not established specific exposure limits for this material.

However, they have established limits for particulates not otherwise regulated (PNOR) and particulates not otherwise classified (PNOC) respectively, which are the least

stringent exposure limits applicable to dusts. OSHA PEL: 15mg/m3 (total dust) 8-hr TWA OSHA PEL: 5mg/m3 (respirable) 8-hr TWA ACGIH TLV: 10mg/m3 (total dust) 8-hr TWA ACGIH TLV: 3mg/m3 (respirable) 8-hr TWA

Eye protection: Wear chemical goggles.

Have eye flushing equipment available.

Hand protection: Although this product does not present a significant skin concern, minimize skin

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contamination by following good industrial practice.

Wearing protective gloves is recommended.

Consult the glove/clothing manufacturer to determine the appropriate type

glove/clothing for a given application.

Body protection: Although this product does not present a significant skin concern, minimize skin

contamination by following good industrial practice. Wash contaminated skin thoroughly after handling.

Respiratory protection: Avoid breathing dust.

Use approved respiratory protection equipment (full facepiece recommended) when

airborne exposure limits are exceeded.

If used, full facepiece replaces the need for face shield and/or chemical goggles. Consult the respirator manufacturer to determine the appropriate type of equipment for

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a given application.

Observe respirator use limitations specified by the manufacturer.

Ventilation: Provide natural or mechanical ventilation to minimize exposure.

If practical, use local mechanical exhaust ventilation at sources of air contamination

such as processing equipment.

Components referred to herein may be regulated by specific Canadian provincial legislation. Please refer to exposure limits legislated for the province in which the substance will be used.

#### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Flash point: combustible material

Density: 0.22 - 0.25 g/cm3 bulk density

Softening point: 140 - 200 C VOC Content: 2.8 %;

NOTE: These physical data are typical values based on material tested but may vary from sample to sample. Typical values should not be construed as a guaranteed analysis of any specific lot or as specifications for the product.

#### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Conditions to avoid: All sources of ignition.

High humidity

Elevated temperatures

Materials to avoid: Contact with strong oxidizing agents.

Hazardous reactions: Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

Decomposition temperature: 100 C

Hazardous decomposition

butyraldehyde; butyric acid; acrolein; crotonaldehyde; carbon monoxide (CO)

products:

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#### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

This product has not been tested for toxicity, but data obtained on similar products are summarized below:

Acute animal toxicity data

Oral: LD50, rat, > 10,000 mg/kg, Practically nontoxic following oral administration.

Dermal: LD50, rabbit, > 7,940 mg/kg, Practically nontoxic after skin application in animal

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studies.

Eye irritation: rabbit, Slightly irritating to eyes (rabbit)., 24 h

Skin irritation: rabbit, Slightly irritating to skin (rabbit)., 24 h

Mutagenicity: The active ingredient generally produced no genetic changes in standard tests

using bacterial and yeast cells.

#### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Solutia has not conducted environmental toxicity or biodegradation studies with this material.

#### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

US EPA RCRA Status: This material when discarded is not a hazardous waste as that term is defined by the

Resource, Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA), 40 CFR 261.

Disposal considerations: Landfill

Incineration Recycle

Miscellaneous advice: Local, state, provincial, and national disposal regulations may be more or less stringent.

Consult your attorney or appropriate regulatory officials for information on such

disposal

This product should not be dumped, spilled, rinsed or washed into sewers or public

waterways.

# 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

The data provided in this section is for information only. Please apply the appropriate regulations to properly classify your shipment for transportation.

US DOT

Other: Not regulated for transport.

Canadian TDG

Other: Not regulated for transport.

ICAO/IATA Class

Other: Not regulated for transport.

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#### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

All components are in compliance with

the following inventories:

U.S. TSCA, Canadian DSL, EU EINECS, Australian AICS, Japanese

ENCS, Korean, Phillipine PICCS, Chinese

Other chemical inventory information: The polymer contained within this product is exempt from listing in the

European Inventory. The monomers used to manufacture this polymer are listed as required, as are all other components of this product.

One or more of this product's components is considered to be an impurity and is not subject to the New Substances Notification Regulation under

the Canadian Environmental Protection Act (CEPA).

Canadian WHMIS classification: D2(B) - Materials Causing Other Toxic Effects

SARA Hazard Notification:

Hazard Categories Under Title III

Rules (40 CFR 370):

**Immediate** 

Section 302 Extremely Hazardous

Substances:

Not applicable

Section 313 Toxic Chemical(s):

Not applicable

**CERCLA Reportable Quantity:** 

Not applicable

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Canadian Controlled Products Regulation and the MSDS contains all the information required by the Canadian Controlled Products Regulation.

Refer to Section 11 for OSHA/HPA Hazardous Chemical(s) and Section 13 for RCRA classification.

Safety data sheet also created in accordance with Brazilian law NBR 14725

#### 16. OTHER INFORMATION

Adhesive, binding agents Product use:

Reason for revision: Minor changes:, Section 4

> Health Fire Reactivity **Additional Information**

Suggested NFPA Rating 1 1 0

Suggested HMIS Rating: 1 O  $\mathbf{E}$ 

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