

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

Product name: CPS Screen Wash M6 US
Application: To remove ink from screen printing mesh prior to screen reclaim. Container size: 1, 5, 25 and 210 l
Supplier: Autotype Americans, Inc. Emergency phone no.: 1-800-424-9300
2050 Hammond Drive
Schaumburg, IL 60173-3810
Tel: 1-847-303-5900

2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

The product contains: organic solvents and surfactants.

This product is covered by the OSHA Hazard Communication Rule 29, CFR 1910.1200

The following substances shall be indicated according to legislation:

2-(2-butoxyethoxy)ethanol, CAS-No. 112-34-5: 65%
Propylene carbonate, CAS-No. 108-32-7: 10-30%
Non-ionic surfactants: 1-<10%

3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Human health: Irritating to eyes. In high concentrations, vapours may be irritating to the respiratory system. Prolonged skin contact may cause redness and irritation. This product contains no ingredient listed on the NTP, OSHA or IARC carcinogen lists.

4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

Inhalation: Move injured person into fresh air and keep person calm under observation. If uncomfortable: Seek hospital and bring along these instructions.

Skin contact: Remove contaminated clothing immediately and wash skin with soap and water.

Eye contact: Immediately flush with plenty of water for up to 15 minutes. Remove any contact lenses and open eyelids widely. If irritation persists: Seek medical attention and bring along these instructions.

Ingestion: Immediately rinse mouth and drink plenty of water. Keep person under observation. If uncomfortable: Seek hospital and bring along these instructions.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Extinguishing media: Extinguish with foam, carbon dioxide, dry powder or water fog.

Specific hazards: During fire, health hazardous gases may be formed. The explosion limits and the flash point are stated in point 9.

Protective equipment for fire-fighters: Selection of respiratory protection for fire fighting: follow the general fire precautions indicated by the workplace.

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6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions: Avoid inhalation of vapors and spray mists. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. For personal protection, see point 8.

Environmental precautions: Avoid release to the environment.

Methods for cleaning up: Absorb spillage with absorbing material. Flush contaminated area with plenty of water. For waste disposal, see point 13.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Safe handling advice: Observe good industrial hygiene practices. Avoid inhalation of vapours and contact with skin and eyes.

Technical measures: Keep the workplace clean.

Technical precautions: Mechanical ventilation may be required.

Technical measures for safe storage: No special precautions.

Storage conditions: Store in tightly closed original container. Keep at temperatures between 40°F and 85°F.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Engineering measures: Provide adequate ventilation.

Respiratory equipment: In case of inadequate ventilation use suitable respirator.

Hand protection: Risk of contact: Wear protective gloves. Be aware that the liquid may penetrate the gloves. Frequent change is advisable. The product consists of substances for which it is not possible to suggest a common suitable glove material. Therefore, a suitable type of gloves cannot be recommended without knowing the actual usage of the product. The most suitable glove must be chosen in collaboration with the supplier of gloves, who can inform about the breakthrough time of the glove material.

Eye protection: Wear goggles/face shield.

Environmental exposure controls: Not available.

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9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance: clear liquid
Odour: characteristic
pH: not available
Boiling point: 284-464°F
Flash point: > 212°F
Explosive properties: 0.7-21.0 vol%
Vapour pressure: < 1 mmHg
Relative density: 1.01
Solubility: Soluble in: organic solvents
Other data: kinematic viscosity at 104°F: <7 mm²/s
Autoignition temperature: > 392°F
Evaporation rate (BuAc=100): 2
VOC (Volatile Organic Substances, ASTM D2369-01): 380 g/l

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability: Stable under normal temperature conditions.

Conditions/
materials to avoid: Heating. Strong bases.

Hazardous
decomposition products: None in particular.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Inhalation: In high concentrations, vapours may irritate throat and respiratory system and cause coughing.

Skin contact: Slightly irritating. Prolonged contact may cause dryness of the skin.
LD50 (skin, rabbit): 2700 mg/kg (RTECS) for 2-(2-butoxyethoxy)ethanol.

Eye contact: Irritating and may cause redness and pain.

Ingestion: Irritating. May be absorbed in the body and cause dizziness, nausea and vomiting.
LD50 (oral, rat): 5660 mg/kg (RTECS) for 2-(2-butoxyethoxy)ethanol.

Specific effects: Frequent inhalation of even small concentrations may cause irritability, fatigue and memory failure and eventually permanent damage to the nervous system, including the brain.

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12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Mobility: The product is partly miscible with water and may spread in the aquatic environment. The product contains volatile organic compounds (VOC) which will evaporate easily from all surfaces.

Degradability: The product is biodegradable, but it must not be discharged into drains without permission from the authorities.

Ecotoxicity: The product contains a substance which is hazardous to aquatic organisms. Do not discharge into the aquatic environment.

Bioaccumulative potential: No data available on bioaccumulation.

Other adverse effects: None known.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Dispose of waste and residues according to agreement with local authorities.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

The product is not covered by international regulation on the transport of dangerous goods (IMDG, IATA, ADR/RID).

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15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

TSCA: All chemicals included in the product are TSCA listed.

2-(2-butoxyethoxy)ethanol, CAS-No. 112-34-5:
SARA Section 313: Form R reporting required for 1.0% de minimis concentration.
CERCLA: RQ = 100 pounds (45.4 kg).

NFPA Rating: Health:1 Fire:1 Reactivity:0 Other:-

Specific provisions: National specific regulation may apply.

National regulation: The following lists have been checked:
Threshold Limit Values (2003), ACGIH, by the American Conference on Governmental Industrial Hygienists.
The Code of Federal Regulation, Title 29, part 1910. Occupational Safety and Health Standards, Air contaminants.
U.S. Department of health and human services: 2002 - Report on Carcinogens - 10th Ed.
International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC): IARC Monographs on the Evaluation of Carcinogenic Risks to Humans. Lyon: IARC, World Health Organization, 1972-2000.
The Code of Federal Regulation, Title 40, part 261.33. Identification and listing of hazardous waste.
The Code of Federal Regulation. Title 40, part 355.50. Emergency Planning and Notification
The Code of Federal Regulation. Title 40, part 302.4. Designation, Reportable Quantities, and Notification.
The Code of Federal Regulation. Title 40, part 68.130. Chemical Accident Prevention Provisions.
The Code of Federal Regulation. Title 40, part 372.65. Toxic Chemical Release Reporting: Community Right to Know.

16. OTHER INFORMATION

The user must be instructed in the proper work procedure and be familiar with the contents of these instructions.

The information on this data sheet represents our current data and is reliable provided that the product is used under the prescribed conditions and in accordance with the application specified on the packaging and/or in the technical guidance literature. Any other use of the product which involves using the product in combination with any other product or any other process is the responsibility of the user.

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