

# **Dunlop Timber Floor Leveller (Latex)**

Ardex (Ardex Australia)

Chemwatch: **6632-84** Version No: **3.1.1.1** 

Safety Data Sheet according to WHS and ADG requirements

Chemwatch Hazard Alert Code: 0

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#### SECTION 1 IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE / MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY / UNDERTAKING

#### **Product Identifier**

| Product name                  | Ounlop Timber Floor Leveller (Latex) |  |
|-------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|
| Synonyms                      | atex liquid component.               |  |
| Other means of identification | Not Available                        |  |

#### Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Relevant identified uses Liquid component of a two part cementitious floor levelling compound.

#### Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

| Registered company name                               | Ardex (Ardex Australia) | Ardex (Ardex NZ)                                 |  |
|---|-------------------------|--|--|
| Address 20 Powers Road Seven Hills 2147 NSW Australia |                         | 32 Lane Street Woolston Christchurch New Zealand |  |
| <b>Telephone</b> 1800 224 070                         |                         | +64 3384 3029                                    |  |
| Fax   | +61 2 9838 7817         | +64 3384 9779                                    |  |
| Website   | Not Available           | Not Available                                    |  |
| Email   | Not Available           | Not Available                                    |  |

### Emergency telephone number

| Association / Organisation        | Not Available | Not Available                      |
|-----------------------------------|---------------|------------------------------------|
| Emergency telephone numbers       | 1800 222 841  | 1800 222 841 (General information) |
| Other emergency telephone numbers | Not Available | Not Available                      |

#### **SECTION 2 HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

### Classification of the substance or mixture

### NON-HAZARDOUS CHEMICAL. NON-DANGEROUS GOODS. According to the WHS Regulations and the ADG Code.

### CHEMWATCH HAZARD RATINGS

|              | Min | Max |                         |
|--------------|-----|-----|-------------------------|
| Flammability | 0   |     |                         |
| Toxicity     | 0   |     | 0 = Minimum             |
| Body Contact | 0   |     | 1 = Low<br>2 = Moderate |
| Reactivity   | 0   |     | 3 = High                |
| Chronic      | 0   |     | 4 = Extreme             |

| Poisons Schedule | Not Applicable |
|------------------|----------------|
| Classification   | Not Applicable |
|                  |                |

#### Label elements

| Label elements     |                |  |  |  |  |
|--------------------|----------------|--|--|--|--|
| GHS label elements | Not Applicable |  |  |  |  |
|                    |                |  |  |  |  |
| SIGNAL WORD        | NOT APPLICABLE |  |  |  |  |

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Not Applicable

Precautionary statement(s) Prevention

Not Applicable

Precautionary statement(s) Response

Not Applicable

Precautionary statement(s) Storage

Not Applicable

Precautionary statement(s) Disposal

Not Applicable

#### **SECTION 3 COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

#### Substances

See section below for composition of Mixtures

#### Mixtures

| CAS No        | %[weight] | Name                      |  |
|---------------|-----------|---------------------------|--|
| 1336-21-6     | <0.5      | <u>ammonia</u>            |  |
| Not Available | NotSpec.  | rubber latex, unspecified |  |
| 7732-18-5     | >60       | water                     |  |

#### **SECTION 4 FIRST AID MEASURES**

#### Description of first aid measures

| Eye Contact  If this product comes in contact with eyes:  Wash out immediately with water.  If irritation continues, seek medical attention.  Removal of contact lenses after an eye injury should only be undertaken by skilled personnel. |   |
|---|---|
| If skin or hair contact occurs:  Skin Contact  ► Flush skin and hair with running water (and soap if available).  ► Seek medical attention in event of irritation.  |   |
| Inhalation  | <ul> <li>If fumes, aerosols or combustion products are inhaled remove from contaminated area.</li> <li>Other measures are usually unnecessary.</li> </ul> |
| Ingestion  Ingestion  Immediately give a glass of water.  First aid is not generally required. If in doubt, contact a Poisons Information Centre or a doctor.   |   |

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

Treat symptomatically.

### **SECTION 5 FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

#### **Extinguishing media**

The product contains a substantial proportion of water, therefore there are no restrictions on the type of extinguishing media which may be used. Choice of extinguishing media should take into account surrounding areas.

Though the material is non-combustible, evaporation of water from the mixture, caused by the heat of nearby fire, may produce floating layers of combustible substances. In such an event consider:

#### Special hazards arising from the substrate or mixture

| Opecial flazarus arising in | opecial nazarus arising from the substrate of mixture             |  |  |
|-----------------------------|---|--|--|
| Fire Incompatibility        | None known.   |  |  |
| Advice for firefighters     |   |  |  |
|                             | ► Alert Fire Brigade and tell them location and nature of hazard. |  |  |

Fire Fighting

Fire/Explosion Hazard

| F Alert Fire Brigade and tell them location and hattire of hazard.                 |
|--|
| Wear breathing apparatus plus protective gloves in the event of a fire.            |
| ▶ Prevent, by any means available, spillage from entering drains or water courses. |
| E. I.L., C., C. I.C., C. I.C., C. I. C., C. C. I. C., C. C. C. C.                  |

#### Use fire fighting procedures suitable for surrounding area.

- ▶ The material is not readily combustible under normal conditions.
- However, it will break down under fire conditions and the organic component may burn. Not considered to be a significant fire risk.
- ▶ Heat may cause expansion or decomposition with violent rupture of containers.

Decomposes on heating and produces toxic fumes of; carbon dioxide (CO2) nitrogen oxides (NOx) other pyrolysis products typical of burning organic material

## **SECTION 6 ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

**Minor Spills** 

- Clean up all spills immediately.
- Avoid breathing vapours and contact with skin and eyes.
- Control personal contact with the substance, by using protective equipment.
- ▶ Contain and absorb spill with sand, earth, inert material or vermiculite

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**Major Spills** 

Minor hazard.

- Clear area of personnel.
- ▶ Alert Fire Brigade and tell them location and nature of hazard.
- ▶ Control personal contact with the substance, by using protective equipment as required.

Personal Protective Equipment advice is contained in Section 8 of the SDS.

#### **SECTION 7 HANDLING AND STORAGE**

#### Precautions for safe handling

#### Safe handling

- Limit all unnecessary personal contact.
- Wear protective clothing when risk of exposure occurs.
- ▶ Use in a well-ventilated area
- ▶ Avoid contact with incompatible materials.

#### Other information

- ▶ Store in original containers.
- ▶ Keep containers securely sealed.
- ▶ Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area. ▶ Store away from incompatible materials and foodstuff containers.

# Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Suitable container

- ▶ Polyethylene or polypropylene container.
- Packing as recommended by manufacturer.
- Check all containers are clearly labelled and free from leaks

Storage incompatibility

None known

## SECTION 8 EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### **Control parameters**

#### OCCUPATIONAL EXPOSURE LIMITS (OEL)

#### INGREDIENT DATA

| Source                       | Ingredient | Material name | TWA               | STEL              | Peak          | Notes         |
|------------------------------|------------|---------------|-------------------|-------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Australia Exposure Standards | ammonia    | Ammonia       | 17 mg/m3 / 25 ppm | 24 mg/m3 / 35 ppm | Not Available | Not Available |

#### **EMERGENCY LIMITS**

| Ingredient | Material name      | TEEL-1        | TEEL-2        | TEEL-3        |
|------------|--------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| ammonia    | Ammonium hydroxide | 61 ppm        | 330 ppm       | 2300 ppm      |
| ammonia    | Ammonia            | Not Available | Not Available | Not Available |
|            |                    |               |               |               |

| Ingredient                | Original IDLH | Revised IDLH  |
|---------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| ammonia                   | 500 ppm       | 300 ppm       |
| rubber latex, unspecified | Not Available | Not Available |
| water                     | Not Available | Not Available |

### **Exposure controls**

#### Appropriate engineering controls

Engineering controls are used to remove a hazard or place a barrier between the worker and the hazard. Well-designed engineering controls can be highly effective in protecting workers and will typically be independent of worker interactions to provide this high level of protection.

The basic types of engineering controls are:

Process controls which involve changing the way a job activity or process is done to reduce the risk.

Enclosure and/or isolation of emission source which keeps a selected hazard "physically" away from the worker and ventilation that strategically "adds" and "removes" air in the work environment.

#### Personal protection









- Safety glasses with side shields
- Eye and face protection
- Contact lenses may pose a special hazard; soft contact lenses may absorb and concentrate irritants. A written policy document, describing the wearing of lenses or restrictions on use, should be created for each workplace or task. This should include a review of lens absorption and adsorption for the class of chemicals in use and an account of injury experience.

#### Skin protection

#### See Hand protection below

Chemical goggles

Wear general protective gloves, eg. light weight rubber gloves.

### Hands/feet protection

The selection of suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality which vary from manufacturer to manufacturer. Where the chemical is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material can not be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application

The exact break through time for substances has to be obtained from the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed when making a final

Suitability and durability of glove type is dependent on usage.

### **Body protection**

#### See Other protection below

No special equipment needed when handling small quantities.

#### Other protection

OTHERWISE: Overalls

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| <ul> <li>Barrier cream.</li> </ul> |
|------------------------------------|
| <ul> <li>Evewash unit</li> </ul>   |

Thermal hazards Not Available

#### Recommended material(s)

### GLOVE SELECTION INDEX

Glove selection is based on a modified presentation of the:

"Forsberg Clothing Performance Index".

The effect(s) of the following substance(s) are taken into account in the *computer-generated* selection:

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| Material         | СРІ |
|------------------|-----|
| BUTYL            | A   |
| NEOPRENE         | A   |
| HYPALON          | С   |
| NATURAL RUBBER   | С   |
| NATURAL+NEOPRENE | С   |
| NEOPRENE/NATURAL | С   |
| NITRILE          | С   |
| NITRILE+PVC      | С   |
| PVA              | С   |
| PVC              | С   |
| VITON            | С   |

<sup>\*</sup> CPI - Chemwatch Performance Index

A: Best Selection

B: Satisfactory; may degrade after 4 hours continuous immersion

C: Poor to Dangerous Choice for other than short term immersion

**NOTE**: As a series of factors will influence the actual performance of the glove, a final selection must be based on detailed observation. -

#### Respiratory protection

Type AK Filter of sufficient capacity. (AS/NZS 1716 & 1715, EN 143:2000 & 149:2001, ANSI Z88 or national equivalent)

Where the concentration of gas/particulates in the breathing zone, approaches or exceeds the "Exposure Standard" (or ES), respiratory protection is required.

Degree of protection varies with both face-piece and Class of filter; the nature of protection varies with Type of filter.

| Required Minimum Protection Factor | Half-Face<br>Respirator | Full-Face<br>Respirator | Powered Air<br>Respirator |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|
| up to 5 x ES                       | AK-AUS / Class          | -                       | AK-PAPR-AUS /<br>Class 1  |
| up to 25 x ES                      | Air-line*               | AK-2                    | AK-PAPR-2                 |
| up to 50 x ES                      | -                       | AK-3                    | -                         |
| 50+ x ES                           | -                       | Air-line**              | -                         |

#### ^ - Full-face

A(All classes) = Organic vapours, B AUS or B1 = Acid gasses, B2 = Acid gas or hydrogen cyanide(HCN), B3 = Acid gas or hydrogen cyanide(HCN), E = Sulfur dioxide(SO2), G = Agricultural chemicals, K = Ammonia(NH3), Hg = Mercury, NO = Oxides of nitrogen, MB = Methyl bromide, AX = Low boiling point organic compounds(below 65 degC)

#### **SECTION 9 PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

#### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

| Appearance                                   | Milky white liquid with ammoniacal odour; mixes with water. |   |                |
|--|---|---|----------------|
| Physical state                               | Liquid  | Relative density (Water = 1)            | 1.0 approx.    |
| Odour  | Not Available   | Partition coefficient n-octanol / water | Not Available  |
| Odour threshold                              | Not Available   | Auto-ignition temperature (°C)          | Not Available  |
| pH (as supplied)                             | 9.5 approx.   | Decomposition temperature               | Not Available  |
| Melting point / freezing point (°C)          | Not Available   | Viscosity (cSt)                         | Not Available  |
| Initial boiling point and boiling range (°C) | 100 approx.   | Molecular weight (g/mol)                | Not Applicable |
| Flash point (°C)                             | Not Applicable  | Taste                                   | Not Available  |
| Evaporation rate                             | Not Available   | Explosive properties                    | Not Available  |
| Flammability                                 | Not Applicable  | Oxidising properties                    | Not Available  |
| Upper Explosive Limit (%)                    | Not Applicable  | Surface Tension (dyn/cm or mN/m)        | Not Available  |
| Lower Explosive Limit (%)                    | Not Applicable  | Volatile Component (%vol)               | Not Available  |
| Vapour pressure (kPa)                        | Not Available   | Gas group                               | Not Available  |
| Solubility in water (g/L)                    | Miscible  | pH as a solution (1%)                   | Not Available  |
| Vapour density (Air = 1)                     | Not Available   | VOC g/L                                 | Not Available  |

### **SECTION 10 STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

| Reactivity                         | See section 7   |
|------------------------------------|---|
| Chemical stability                 | Product is considered stable and hazardous polymerisation will not occur. |
| Possibility of hazardous reactions | See section 7   |
| Conditions to avoid                | See section 7   |
| Incompatible materials             | See section 7   |

<sup>\*</sup> Where the glove is to be used on a short term, casual or infrequent basis, factors such as

<sup>&</sup>quot;feel" or convenience (e.g. disposability), may dictate a choice of gloves which might otherwise be unsuitable following long-term or frequent use. A qualified practitioner should be consulted.

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Hazardous decomposition products

See section 5

### **SECTION 11 TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

### Information on toxicological effects

| Inhaled                                 | The material is not thought to produce adverse health effects or irritation of the respiratory tract (as classified by EC Directives using animal models). Nevertheless, good hygiene practice requires that exposure be kept to a minimum and that suitable control measures be used in an occupational setting. Not normally a hazard due to non-volatile nature of product   |   |   |  |
|---|---|---|---|--|
| Ingestion                               | The material has NOT been classified by EC Directives or other classification systems as "harmful by ingestion". This is because of the lack of corroborating animal or human evidence.   |   |   |  |
| Skin Contact                            | The material is not thought to produce adverse health effects or skin irritation follor Nevertheless, good hygiene practice requires that exposure be kept to a minimum   |   |   |  |
| Eye                                     | Although the liquid is not thought to be an irritant (as classified by EC Directives), oby tearing or conjunctival redness (as with windburn).  | direct contact w  | ith the eye may produce transient discomfort characterised  |  |
| Chronic                                 | Long-term exposure to the product is not thought to produce chronic effects advers<br>nevertheless exposure by all routes should be minimised as a matter of course.  | se to the health  | (as classified by EC Directives using animal models);   |  |
|   | TOXICITY  | IRRITATION  |   |  |
| Dunlop Timber Floor<br>Leveller (Latex) |   | Not Available   |   |  |
|   | TOXICITY  | IRRITATION  |   |  |
| ammonia                                 | Inhalation (rat) LC50: 2000 ppm/4h <sup>[2]</sup>   | Eye (rabbit): 0.2   | 5 mg SEVERE   |  |
|   | ros.  | Eye (rabbit): 1 r   | ng/30s SEVERE   |  |
|   | TOXICITY  | IRRITATION  |   |  |
| water                                   | Oral (rat) LD50: >90000 mg/kg <sup>[2]</sup>  | Not Available   |   |  |
| Legend:                                 | Value obtained from Europe ECHA Registered Substances - Acute toxicity 2.* Value obtained from manufacturer's SDS. Unless otherwise specified data extracted from RTECS - Register of Toxic Effect of chemical Substances   |   |   |  |
| AMMONIA                                 | No significant acute toxicological data identified in literature search.  The material may produce severe irritation to the eye causing pronounced inflammation conjunctivitis.  Asthma-like symptoms may continue for months or even years after exposure to the reactive airways dysfunction syndrome (RADS) which can occur following exposu of RADS include the absence of preceding respiratory disease, in a non-atopic indito hours of a documented exposure to the irritant. A reversible airflow pattern, on spon methacholine challenge testing and the lack of minimal lymphocytic inflammation of RADS. | e material cease<br>are to high levels<br>ividual, with abro<br>pirometry, with the | s. This may be due to a non-allergenic condition known as of highly irritating compound. Key criteria for the diagnosis upt onset of persistent asthma-like symptoms within minutes ne presence of moderate to severe bronchial hyperreactivity |  |
| WATER                                   | No significant acute toxicological data identified in literature search.  |   |   |  |
| Acute Toxicity                          | ○ Card  | cinogenicity  | 0   |  |
| Skin Irritation/Corrosion               | ○ Rep   | oroductivity  | 0   |  |
| Serious Eye<br>Damage/Irritation        | ○ STOT - Singl  | le Exposure   | 0   |  |
|   |   |   |   |  |

Aspiration Hazard Legend:

0

0

STOT - Repeated Exposure

Data available but does not fill the criteria for classification
 Data required to make classification available

○ – Data Not Available to make classification

## **SECTION 12 ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

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0

Respiratory or Skin

sensitisation Mutagenicity

### Toxicity

| TOXIOITY   |  |                    |                               |              |        |
|------------|--|--------------------|-------------------------------|--------------|--------|
| Ingredient | Endpoint   | Test Duration (hr) | Species                       | Value        | Source |
| ammonia    | LC50   | 96                 | Fish                          | 15mg/L       | 4      |
| ammonia    | NOEC   | 72                 | Fish                          | 3.5mg/L      | 4      |
| water      | EC50   | 384                | Crustacea                     | 199.179mg/L  | 3      |
| water      | EC50   | 96                 | Algae or other aquatic plants | 8768.874mg/L | 3      |
| water      | LC50   | 96                 | Fish                          | 897.520mg/L  | 3      |
| Legend:    | Extracted from 1. IUCLID Toxicity Data 2. Europe ECHA Registered Substances - Ecotoxicological Information - Aquatic Toxicity 3. EPIWIN Suite V3.12 - Aquatic Toxicity Data (Estimated) 4. US EPA, Ecotox database - Aquatic Toxicity Data 5. ECETOC Aquatic Hazard Assessment Data 6. NITE (Japan) - Bioconcentration Data 7. METI (Japan) - Bioconcentration Data 8. Vendor Data |                    |                               |              |        |

Water hazard class 1 (self assessment): slightly hazardous for water. [Ardex]

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| Ingredient | Persistence: Water/Soil | Persistence: Air |
|------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| ammonia    | LOW                     | LOW              |
| water      | LOW                     | LOW              |

#### Bioaccumulative potential

| Ingredient | Bioaccumulation      |
|------------|----------------------|
| ammonia    | LOW (LogKOW = 0.229) |
| water      | LOW (LogKOW = -1.38) |

#### Mobility in soil

| Ingredient | Mobility         |
|------------|------------------|
| ammonia    | LOW (KOC = 14.3) |
| water      | LOW (KOC = 14.3) |

#### **SECTION 13 DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

#### Waste treatment methods

Legislation addressing waste disposal requirements may differ by country, state and/or territory. Each user must refer to laws operating in their area. In some areas, certain wastes must be tracked.

A Hierarchy of Controls seems to be common - the user should investigate:

- ▶ Reduction
- ▶ Reuse
- ▶ Recycling
- ► Disposal (if all else fails)

Product / Packaging disposal

This material may be recycled if unused, or if it has not been contaminated so as to make it unsuitable for its intended use.

- ▶ DO NOT allow wash water from cleaning or process equipment to enter drains.
- ▶ It may be necessary to collect all wash water for treatment before disposal.
- ▶ In all cases disposal to sewer may be subject to local laws and regulations and these should be considered first.
- Where in doubt contact the responsible authority.
- ▶ Recycle wherever possible.
- Consult manufacturer for recycling options or consult local or regional waste management authority for disposal if no suitable treatment or disposal facility can be identified.
- Dispose of by: burial in a land-fill specifically licenced to accept chemical and / or pharmaceutical wastes or incineration in a licenced apparatus (after admixture with suitable combustible material).
- Decontaminate empty containers.

### **SECTION 14 TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

#### **Labels Required**

| Marine Pollutant | NO             |
|------------------|----------------|
| HAZCHEM          | Not Applicable |

Land transport (ADG): NOT REGULATED FOR TRANSPORT OF DANGEROUS GOODS

Air transport (ICAO-IATA / DGR): NOT REGULATED FOR TRANSPORT OF DANGEROUS GOODS

Sea transport (IMDG-Code / GGVSee): NOT REGULATED FOR TRANSPORT OF DANGEROUS GOODS

#### Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL and the IBC code

| Source  | Ingredient | Pollution Category |
|---|------------|--------------------|
| IMO MARPOL (Annex II) - List<br>of Noxious Liquid Substances<br>Carried in Bulk | ammonia    | Υ                  |

### **SECTION 15 REGULATORY INFORMATION**

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

#### AMMONIA(1336-21-6) IS FOUND ON THE FOLLOWING REGULATORY LISTS

| Australia Exposure Standards   | Australia Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS) |
|--|---|
| Australia Hazardous Substances Information System Consolidated Lists |   |

### WATER(7732-18-5) IS FOUND ON THE FOLLOWING REGULATORY LISTS

Australia Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS)

| National Inventory | Status             |
|--------------------|--------------------|
| Australia - AICS   | Y                  |
| Canada - DSL       | Y                  |
| Canada - NDSL      | N (ammonia; water) |
| China - IECSC      | Υ                  |

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| Europe - EINEC / ELINCS /<br>NLP | Y   |
|----------------------------------|---|
| Japan - ENCS                     | N (water)   |
| Korea - KECI                     | Y   |
| New Zealand - NZIoC              | Y   |
| Philippines - PICCS              | Υ   |
| USA - TSCA                       | Y   |
| Legend:                          | Y = All ingredients are on the inventory N = Not determined or one or more ingredients are not on the inventory and are not exempt from listing(see specific ingredients in brackets) |

#### **SECTION 16 OTHER INFORMATION**

#### Other information

#### Ingredients with multiple cas numbers

| Name    | CAS No                |
|---------|-----------------------|
| ammonia | 1336-21-6, 14798-03-9 |

Classification of the preparation and its individual components has drawn on official and authoritative sources as well as independent review by the Chemwatch Classification committee using available literature references.

A list of reference resources used to assist the committee may be found at:

#### www.chemwatch.net

The SDS is a Hazard Communication tool and should be used to assist in the Risk Assessment. Many factors determine whether the reported Hazards are Risks in the workplace or other settings. Risks may be determined by reference to Exposures Scenarios. Scale of use, frequency of use and current or available engineering controls must be considered.

#### **Definitions and abbreviations**

PC-TWA: Permissible Concentration-Time Weighted Average

PC-STEL: Permissible Concentration-Short Term Exposure Limit

IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit

TEEL: Temporary Emergency Exposure Limit。

IDLH: Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health Concentrations

OSF: Odour Safety Factor

NOAEL :No Observed Adverse Effect Level

LOAEL: Lowest Observed Adverse Effect Level

TLV: Threshold Limit Value

LOD: Limit Of Detection

OTV: Odour Threshold Value

BCF: BioConcentration Factors

BEI: Biological Exposure Index

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### Ardex (Ardex Australia)

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Safety Data Sheet according to WHS and ADG requirements

#### Chemwatch Hazard Alert Code: 3

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|-------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
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| Poisons Schedule       | Not Applicable  |
|------------------------|---|
| GHS Classification [1] | Skin Corrosion/Irritation Category 2, Serious Eye Damage Category 1, STOT - SE (Resp. Irr.) Category 3                        |
| Legend:                | 1. Classified by Chemwatch; 2. Classification drawn from HSIS; 3. Classification drawn from EC Directive 1272/2008 - Annex VI |

### Label elements

GHS label elements



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### **Dunlop Timber Floor Leveller (Powder)**

| SIGNAL WORD                | DANGER   |
|----------------------------|--|
| Hazard statement(s)        |  |
| H315                       | Causes skin irritation   |
| H318                       | Causes serious eye damage  |
| H335                       | May cause respiratory irritation   |
| Precautionary statement(s) | Prevention   |
| P271                       | Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.                            |
| P280                       | Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection. |
| P261                       | Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.                          |
|                            |  |

#### Precautionary statement(s) Response

| D005 - D054 - D000 | IS IN EVEC Discounting to the state for a control of the state of the |
|--------------------|---|
| P305+P351+P338     | IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.  |
| P310               | Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.   |
| P362               | Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.   |
| P302+P352          | IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.   |

### Precautionary statement(s) Storage

| P405      | Store locked up.   |
|-----------|--|
| P403+P233 | Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. |

### Precautionary statement(s) Disposal

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local regulations.

### **SECTION 3 COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

#### Substances

See section below for composition of Mixtures

#### Mixtures

| CAS No        | %[weight] | Name                                       |
|---------------|-----------|--|
| 14808-60-7.   | 30-60     | graded sand                                |
| 65997-15-1    | 10-30     | portland cement                            |
| 1317-65-3     | 10-30     | limestone                                  |
| Not Available | <5        | Ingredients determined not to be hazardous |

### **SECTION 4 FIRST AID MEASURES**

#### Description of first aid measures

| Eye Contact  | If this product comes in contact with the eyes:  Immediately hold eyelids apart and flush the eye continuously with running water.  Ensure complete irrigation of the eye by keeping eyelids apart and away from eye and moving the eyelids by occasionally lifting the upper and lower lids.  Continue flushing until advised to stop by the Poisons Information Centre or a doctor, or for at least 15 minutes.  Transport to hospital or doctor without delay.  Removal of contact lenses after an eye injury should only be undertaken by skilled personnel. |
|--------------|--|
| Skin Contact | If skin contact occurs:  ► Immediately remove all contaminated clothing, including footwear.  ► Flush skin and hair with running water (and soap if available).  ► Seek medical attention in event of irritation.  |
| Inhalation   | If dust is inhaled, remove from contaminated area.  Encourage patient to blow nose to ensure clear passage of breathing.  If irritation or discomfort persists seek medical attention.   |
| Ingestion    | <ul> <li>Immediately give a glass of water.</li> <li>First aid is not generally required. If in doubt, contact a Poisons Information Centre or a doctor.</li> </ul>  |

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

Treat symptomatically.

### **SECTION 5 FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

### **Extinguishing media**

- ▶ There is no restriction on the type of extinguisher which may be used.
- Use extinguishing media suitable for surrounding area.

### Special hazards arising from the substrate or mixture

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Fire Incompatibility None known. Advice for firefighters ▶ Alert Fire Brigade and tell them location and nature of hazard. ▶ Wear breathing apparatus plus protective gloves in the event of a fire. Fire Fighting ▶ Prevent, by any means available, spillage from entering drains or water courses. ▶ Use fire fighting procedures suitable for surrounding area. Non combustible. Fire/Explosion Hazard ▶ Not considered a significant fire risk, however containers may burn. , silicon dioxide (SiO2)May emit corrosive fumes.

#### **SECTION 6 ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

#### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Minor Spills

- ► Clean up all spills immediately.
- Avoid breathing dust and contact with skin and eyes.
- Wear protective clothing, gloves, safety glasses and dust respirator.
- ▶ Use dry clean up procedures and avoid generating dust.

**Major Spills** 

Moderate hazard.

- CAUTION: Advise personnel in area.
- ▶ Alert Emergency Services and tell them location and nature of hazard.
- ▶ Control personal contact by wearing protective clothing.

Personal Protective Equipment advice is contained in Section 8 of the SDS.

#### **SECTION 7 HANDLING AND STORAGE**

#### Precautions for safe handling

Safe handling

- ▶ Avoid all personal contact, including inhalation.
- Wear protective clothing when risk of exposure occurs.
- Use in a well-ventilated area.
- Prevent concentration in hollows and sumps.

Other information

- Keep dry. Store under cover.
- Protect containers against physical damage.
- ▶ Observe manufacturer's storage and handling recommendations contained within this SDS.

## Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Suitable container

Multi-ply paper bag with sealed plastic liner or heavy gauge plastic bag.

NOTE: Bags should be stacked, blocked, interlocked, and limited in height so that they are stable and secure against sliding or collapse. Check that all containers are clearly labelled and free from leaks. Packing as recommended by manufacturer.

Storage incompatibility

- Avoid contact with copper, aluminium and their alloys.
- ▶ Avoid strong acids, acid chlorides, acid anhydrides and chloroformates.

### **SECTION 8 EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION**

#### **Control parameters**

#### OCCUPATIONAL EXPOSURE LIMITS (OEL)

### INGREDIENT DATA

| Source                       | Ingredient         | Material name  | TWA          | STEL             | Peak             | Notes            |
|------------------------------|--------------------|--|--------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Australia Exposure Standards | graded sand        | Silica - Crystalline Quartz (respirable dust) / Quartz (respirable dust) | 0.1<br>mg/m3 | Not<br>Available | Not<br>Available | Not<br>Available |
| Australia Exposure Standards | portland<br>cement | Portland cement  | 10 mg/m3     | Not<br>Available | Not<br>Available | Not<br>Available |
| Australia Exposure Standards | limestone          | Calcium carbonate  | 10 mg/m3     | Not<br>Available | Not<br>Available | Not<br>Available |

#### **EMERGENCY LIMITS**

| Ingredient  | Material name                                 | TEEL-1      | TEEL-2      | TEEL-3      |
|-------------|---|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| graded sand | Silica, crystalline-quartz; (Silicon dioxide) | 0.025 mg/m3 | 0.025 mg/m3 | 0.025 mg/m3 |
| limestone   | Limestone; (Calcium carbonate; Dolomite)      | 27 mg/m3    | 27 mg/m3    | 1300 mg/m3  |
| limestone   | Carbonic acid, calcium salt                   | 45 mg/m3    | 210 mg/m3   | 1300 mg/m3  |

| Ingredient                                 | Original IDLH         | Revised IDLH  |
|--|-----------------------|---------------|
| graded sand                                | N.E. mg/m3 / N.E. ppm | 50 mg/m3      |
| portland cement                            | N.E. mg/m3 / N.E. ppm | 5,000 mg/m3   |
| limestone                                  | Not Available         | Not Available |
| Ingredients determined not to be hazardous | Not Available         | Not Available |

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#### **Exposure controls**

| Appropriate engineering controls | Engineering controls are used to remove a hazard or place a barrier between the worker and the hazard. Well-designed engineering controls can be highly effective in protecting workers and will typically be independent of worker interactions to provide this high level of protection.  The basic types of engineering controls are:  Process controls which involve changing the way a job activity or process is done to reduce the risk.  Enclosure and/or isolation of emission source which keeps a selected hazard "physically" away from the worker and ventilation that strategically "adds" and "removes" air in the work environment. |
|----------------------------------|---|
| Personal protection              |   |
| Eye and face protection          | <ul> <li>Safety glasses with side shields.</li> <li>Chemical goggles.</li> <li>Contact lenses may pose a special hazard; soft contact lenses may absorb and concentrate irritants. A written policy document, describing the wearing of lenses or restrictions on use, should be created for each workplace or task.</li> </ul>   |
| Skin protection                  | See Hand protection below   |
| Hands/feet protection            | NOTE:  ► The material may produce skin sensitisation in predisposed individuals. Care must be taken, when removing gloves and other protective equipment, to avoid all possible skin contact.  ► Contaminated leather items, such as shoes, belts and watch-bands should be removed and destroyed.  Experience indicates that the following polymers are suitable as glove materials for protection against undissolved, dry solids, where abrasive particles are not present.  ► polychloroprene.  ► nitrile rubber.  ► butyl rubber.  |
| Body protection                  | See Other protection below  |
| Other protection                 | ► Overalls.  ► P.V.C. apron.  ► Barrier cream.  |
| Thermal hazards                  | Not Available   |

#### Respiratory protection

Particulate. (AS/NZS 1716 & 1715, EN 143:000 & 149:001, ANSI Z88 or national equivalent)

| Required Minimum Protection Factor | Half-Face Respirator | Full-Face Respirator | Powered Air Respirator |
|------------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|------------------------|
| up to 10 x ES                      | P1<br>Air-line*      | -                    | PAPR-P1                |
| up to 50 x ES                      | Air-line**           | P2                   | PAPR-P2                |
| up to 100 x ES                     | -                    | P3                   | -                      |
|                                    |                      | Air-line*            | -                      |
| 100+ x ES                          | -                    | Air-line**           | PAPR-P3                |

<sup>\* -</sup> Negative pressure demand \*\* - Continuous flow

A(All classes) = Organic vapours, B AUS or B1 = Acid gasses, B2 = Acid gas or hydrogen cyanide(HCN), B3 = Acid gas or hydrogen cyanide(HCN), E = Sulfur dioxide(SO2), G = Agricultural chemicals, K = Ammonia(NH3), Hg = Mercury, NO = Oxides of nitrogen, MB = Methyl bromide, AX = Low boiling point organic compounds(below 65 degC)

### **SECTION 9 PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

| Appearance                                   | Coloured powder with a characteristic odour; not soluble in water. |   |                |
|--|--|---|----------------|
| Арреагансе                                   | Coloured powder with a chalacteristic cood, not soluble in water.  |   |                |
| Physical state                               | Divided Solid  | Relative density (Water = 1)            | 1.1-1.7        |
| Odour  | Not Available  | Partition coefficient n-octanol / water | Not Available  |
| Odour threshold                              | Not Available  | Auto-ignition temperature (°C)          | Not Available  |
| pH (as supplied)                             | Not Applicable   | Decomposition temperature               | Not Available  |
| Melting point / freezing point (°C)          | Not Available  | Viscosity (cSt)                         | Not Applicable |
| Initial boiling point and boiling range (°C) | Not Applicable   | Molecular weight (g/mol)                | Not Applicable |
| Flash point (°C)                             | Not Applicable   | Taste                                   | Not Available  |
| Evaporation rate                             | Not Applicable   | Explosive properties                    | Not Available  |
| Flammability                                 | Not Applicable   | Oxidising properties                    | Not Available  |
| Upper Explosive Limit (%)                    | Not Applicable   | Surface Tension (dyn/cm or mN/m)        | Not Applicable |
| Lower Explosive Limit (%)                    | Not Applicable   | Volatile Component (%vol)               | Not Applicable |
| Vapour pressure (kPa)                        | Not Applicable   | Gas group                               | Not Available  |

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| Solubility in water (g/L) | Immiscible     | pH as a solution (1%) | Not Available |
|---------------------------|----------------|-----------------------|---------------|
| Vapour density (Air = 1)  | Not Applicable | VOC g/L               | Not Available |

### **SECTION 10 STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

| Reactivity                         | See section 7   |
|------------------------------------|---|
| Chemical stability                 | Product is considered stable and hazardous polymerisation will not occur. |
| Possibility of hazardous reactions | See section 7   |
| Conditions to avoid                | See section 7   |
| Incompatible materials             | See section 7   |
| Hazardous decomposition products   | See section 5   |

### **SECTION 11 TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

| Information on toxicologic | cal effects   |
|----------------------------|---|
| Inhaled                    | The material can cause respiratory irritation in some persons. The body's response to such irritation can cause further lung damage.  Persons with impaired respiratory function, airway diseases and conditions such as emphysema or chronic bronchitis, may incur further disability if excessive concentrations of particulate are inhaled.  If prior damage to the circulatory or nervous systems has occurred or if kidney damage has been sustained, proper screenings should be conducted on individuals who may be exposed to further risk if handling and use of the material result in excessive exposures.  Effects on lungs are significantly enhanced in the presence of respirable particles.   |
| Ingestion                  | The material has <b>NOT</b> been classified by EC Directives or other classification systems as "harmful by ingestion". This is because of the lack of corroborating animal or human evidence.  |
| Skin Contact               | The material may cause moderate inflammation of the skin either following direct contact or after a delay of some time. Repeated exposure can cause contact dermatitis which is characterised by redness, swelling and blistering.  Handling wet cement can cause dermatitis. Cement when wet is quite alkaline and this alkali action on the skin contributes strongly to cement contact dermatitis since it may cause drying and defatting of the skin which is followed by hardening, cracking, lesions developing, possible infections of lesions and penetration by soluble salts.  The material may accentuate any pre-existing dermatitis condition  |
| Eye                        | If applied to the eyes, this material causes severe eye damage.   |
| Chronic                    | Long-term exposure to respiratory irritants may result in disease of the airways involving difficult breathing and related systemic problems. Substance accumulation, in the human body, may occur and may cause some concern following repeated or long-term occupational exposure. There is limited evidence that, skin contact with this product is more likely to cause a sensitisation reaction in some persons compared to the general population.  Cement contact dermatitis (CCD) may occur when contact shows an allergic response, which may progress to sensitisation. Sensitisation is due to soluble chromates (chromate compounds) present in trace amounts in some cements and cement products. Soluble chromates readily penetrate intact skin. Cement dermatitis can be characterised by fissures, eczematous rash, dystrophic nails, and dry skin; acute contact with highly alkaline mixtures may cause localised necrosis.  Overexposure to respirable dust may cause coughing, wheezing, difficulty in breathing and impaired lung function. Chronic symptoms may include decreased vital lung capacity, chest infections  Repeated exposures, in an occupational setting, to high levels of fine- divided dusts may produce a condition known as pneumoconiosis which is the lodgement of any inhaled dusts in the lung irrespective of the effect. This is particularly true when a significant number of particles less than 0.5 microns (1/50,000 inch), |

|  | are present. Lung shadows are seen in the X-ray.  |   |  |
|--|---|---|--|
| Dunlop Timber Floor<br>Leveller (Powder) | TOXICITY  Not Available   | IRRITATION  Not Available                     |  |
| graded sand                              | TOXICITY  Not Available   | IRRITATION  Not Available                     |  |
| portland cement                          | TOXICITY  Not Available   | IRRITATION  Not Available                     |  |
| limestone                                | TOXICITY  Oral (rat) LD50: 6450 mg/kge <sup>[2]</sup>   | IRRITATION Skin (rabbit): 500 mg/24h-moderate |  |
| Legend:                                  | Value obtained from Europe ECHA Registered Substances - Acute toxicity 2.* Value obtained from manufacturer's SDS. Unless otherwise specified data extracted from RTECS - Register of Toxic Effect of chemical Substances |   |  |

| GRADED SAND     | No significant acute toxicological data identified in literature search.  |
|-----------------|---|
|                 | The following information refers to contact allergens as a group and may not be specific to this product.  Contact allergies quickly manifest themselves as contact eczema, more rarely as urticaria or Quincke's oedema. The pathogenesis of contact eczema involves a cell-mediated (T lymphocytes) immune reaction of the delayed type. Other allergic skin reactions, e.g. contact urticaria, involve antibody-mediated immune reactions.                                       |
| PORTLAND CEMENT | Asthma-like symptoms may continue for months or even years after exposure to the material ceases. This may be due to a non-allergenic condition known as reactive airways dysfunction syndrome (RADS) which can occur following exposure to high levels of highly irritating compound. Key criteria for the diagnosis of RADS include the absence of preceding respiratory disease, in a non-atopic individual, with abrupt onset of persistent asthma-like symptoms within minutes |

to hours of a documented exposure to the irritant. A reversible airflow pattern, on spirometry, with the presence of moderate to severe bronchial hyperreactivity on methacholine challenge testing and the lack of minimal lymphocytic inflammation, without eosinophilia, have also been included in the criteria for diagnosis Chemwatch: 6632-86 Page 6 of 7 Issue Date: 21/12/2015 Version No: 3.1.1.1 Print Date: 22/12/2015

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of RADS. No significant acute toxicological data identified in literature search. The material may produce severe irritation to the eye causing pronounced inflammation. Repeated or prolonged exposure to irritants may produce conjunctivitis LIMESTONE The material may cause skin irritation after prolonged or repeated exposure and may produce on contact skin redness, swelling, the production of vesicles, scaling and thickening of the skin. Eye (rabbit) 0.75: mg/24h - No evidence of carcinogenic properties. No evidence of mutagenic or teratogenic effects. **Acute Toxicity** Carcinogenicity Skin Irritation/Corrosion Reproductivity 0 Serious Eye STOT - Single Exposure Damage/Irritation Respiratory or Skin 0 0 STOT - Repeated Exposure sensitisation 0 **Aspiration Hazard** 0 Mutagenicity

Legend:

X – Data available but does not fill the criteria for classification

Data required to make classification available

O - Data Not Available to make classification

#### **SECTION 12 ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### Toxicity

| Ingredient | Endpoint   | Test Duration (hr) | Species                       | Value      | Source |
|------------|--|--------------------|-------------------------------|------------|--------|
| limestone  | LC50   | 96                 | Fish                          | >56000mg/L | 4      |
| limestone  | EC50   | 72                 | Algae or other aquatic plants | >14mg/L    | 2      |
| limestone  | NOEC   | 72                 | Algae or other aquatic plants | 14mg/L     | 2      |
| Legend:    | Extracted from 1. IUCLID Toxicity Data 2. Europe ECHA Registered Substances - Ecotoxicological Information - Aquatic Toxicity 3. EPIWIN Suite V3.12 - Aquatic Toxicity Data (Estimated) 4. US EPA, Ecotox database - Aquatic Toxicity Data 5. ECETOC Aquatic Hazard Assessment Data 6. NITE (Japan) - Bioconcentration Data 7. METI (Japan) - Bioconcentration Data 8. Vendor Data |                    |                               |            |        |

DO NOT discharge into sewer or waterways.

#### Persistence and degradability

| Ingredient | Persistence: Water/Soil               | Persistence: Air                      |  |
|------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--|
|            | No Data available for all ingredients | No Data available for all ingredients |  |

#### **Bioaccumulative potential**

| Ingredient | Bioaccumulation                       |
|------------|---------------------------------------|
|            | No Data available for all ingredients |

#### Mobility in soil

| Ingredient | Mobility                              |
|------------|---------------------------------------|
|            | No Data available for all ingredients |

### **SECTION 13 DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

#### Waste treatment methods

Product / Packaging disposal

- ▶ Recycle wherever possible or consult manufacturer for recycling options.
- ► Consult State Land Waste Management Authority for disposal.
- Bury residue in an authorised landfill.
- ▶ Recycle containers if possible, or dispose of in an authorised landfill.

#### **SECTION 14 TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

#### Labels Required

| Marine Pollutant | NO             |
|------------------|----------------|
| HAZCHEM          | Not Applicable |

Land transport (ADG): NOT REGULATED FOR TRANSPORT OF DANGEROUS GOODS

Air transport (ICAO-IATA / DGR): NOT REGULATED FOR TRANSPORT OF DANGEROUS GOODS

Sea transport (IMDG-Code / GGVSee): NOT REGULATED FOR TRANSPORT OF DANGEROUS GOODS

## **SECTION 15 REGULATORY INFORMATION**

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

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| Australia Exposure Standards   |  | Australia Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS)   |
|--|--|---|
| Australia Hazardous Substances Information System - Consolidated Lists |  | International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) - Agents Classified by the IARC Monographs |
| PORTLAND CEMENT(65997  | 15-1) IS FOUND ON THE FOLLOWING REGULATORY LISTS |   |
| Australia Exposure Standards   |  | Australia Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS)   |
| LIMESTONE(1317-65-3) IS F  | OUND ON THE FOLLOWING REGULATORY LISTS           |   |
| Australia Exposure Standards   |  | Australia Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS)   |
| National Inventory   | Status   |   |
| Australia - AICS   | Y  |   |
| Canada - DSL   | Y  |   |
| Canada - NDSL  | N (portland cement; graded sand)                 |   |
| China - IECSC  | Y  |   |
| Europe - EINEC / ELINCS /<br>NLP                                       | Υ  |   |
| Japan - ENCS   | N (portland cement)                              |   |
| Korea - KECI   | Y  |   |
| New Zealand - NZIoC  | Y  |   |
| Philippines - PICCS  | N (portland cement)                              |   |
| USA - TSCA   | Y  |   |
| Legend:  | Y = All ingredients are on the inventory         |   |

#### **SECTION 16 OTHER INFORMATION**

#### Other information

Legend:

Classification of the preparation and its individual components has drawn on official and authoritative sources as well as independent review by the Chemwatch Classification committee using available literature references.

N = Not determined or one or more ingredients are not on the inventory and are not exempt from listing(see specific ingredients in brackets)

A list of reference resources used to assist the committee may be found at:

www.chemwatch.net

The (M)SDS is a Hazard Communication tool and should be used to assist in the Risk Assessment. Many factors determine whether the reported Hazards are Risks in the workplace or other settings. Risks may be determined by reference to Exposures Scenarios. Scale of use, frequency of use and current or available engineering controls must be considered.

#### **Definitions and abbreviations**

PC-TWA: Permissible Concentration-Time Weighted Average

PC-STEL: Permissible Concentration-Short Term Exposure Limit

IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit

TEEL: Temporary Emergency Exposure Limit。

IDLH: Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health Concentrations

OSF: Odour Safety Factor

NOAEL :No Observed Adverse Effect Level

LOAEL: Lowest Observed Adverse Effect Level

TLV: Threshold Limit Value

LOD: Limit Of Detection

OTV: Odour Threshold Value

BCF: BioConcentration Factors

BEI: Biological Exposure Index

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# **Dunlop Timber Floor Leveller (Primer)**

Ardex (Ardex Australia)

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Safety Data Sheet according to WHS and ADG requirements

Chemwatch Hazard Alert Code: 0

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#### SECTION 1 IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE / MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY / UNDERTAKING

#### **Product Identifier**

| Product name                  | Dunlop Timber Floor Leveller (Primer) |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Synonyms                      | adhesion improving agent, primer      |
| Other means of identification | Not Available                         |

#### Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Relevant identified uses Prime timer floors before applying Timber Floor Leveller. Application by brush or roller.

#### Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

| Registered company name | Ardex (Ardex Australia)                       | Ardex (Ardex NZ)                                 |  |
|-------------------------|---|--|--|
| Address                 | 20 Powers Road Seven Hills NSW 2147 Australia | 32 Lane Street Woolston Christchurch New Zealand |  |
| Telephone               | 1800 224 070                                  | +64 3384 3029                                    |  |
| Fax                     | +61 2 9838 7817                               | +64 3384 9779                                    |  |
| Website                 | Not Available                                 | Not Available                                    |  |
| Email                   | Not Available                                 | Not Available                                    |  |

### Emergency telephone number

| Association / Organisation        | Not Available | Not Available                      |
|-----------------------------------|---------------|------------------------------------|
| Emergency telephone numbers       | 1800 222 841  | 1800 222 841 (General information) |
| Other emergency telephone numbers | Not Available | Not Available                      |

#### **SECTION 2 HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

### Classification of the substance or mixture

### NON-HAZARDOUS CHEMICAL. NON-DANGEROUS GOODS. According to the WHS Regulations and the ADG Code.

### CHEMWATCH HAZARD RATINGS

|              | Min | Max ¦ |                         |
|--------------|-----|-------|-------------------------|
| Flammability | 0   |       |                         |
| Toxicity     | 0   |       | 0 = Minimum             |
| Body Contact | 0   |       | 1 = Low<br>2 = Moderate |
| Reactivity   | 0   |       | 3 = High                |
| Chronic      | 0   |       | 4 = Extreme             |

| Poisons Schedule | Not Applicable |
|------------------|----------------|
| Classification   | Not Applicable |

#### Label elements

| Laber elements     |                |
|--------------------|----------------|
| GHS label elements | Not Applicable |
|                    |                |
| SIGNAL WORD        | NOT APPLICABLE |

Hazard statement(s)

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Precautionary statement(s) Prevention

Not Applicable

Precautionary statement(s) Response

Not Applicable

Precautionary statement(s) Storage

Not Applicable

Precautionary statement(s) Disposal

Not Applicable

#### **SECTION 3 COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

#### Substances

See section below for composition of Mixtures

#### Mixtures

| CAS No        | %[weight] | Name                      |
|---------------|-----------|---------------------------|
| Not Available | 10-60     | synthetic styrene acrylic |
| Not Available | 0-1       | bacteriacide              |
| 7732-18-5     | 30-60     | water                     |

### **SECTION 4 FIRST AID MEASURES**

#### Description of first aid measures

| Eye Contact  | If this product comes in contact with eyes:  • Wash out immediately with water.  • If irritation continues, seek medical attention.  • Removal of contact lenses after an eye injury should only be undertaken by skilled personnel. |
|--------------|--|
| Skin Contact | If skin or hair contact occurs:  ► Flush skin and hair with running water (and soap if available).  ► Seek medical attention in event of irritation.   |
| Inhalation   | <ul> <li>If fumes, aerosols or combustion products are inhaled remove from contaminated area.</li> <li>Other measures are usually unnecessary.</li> </ul>  |
| Ingestion    | <ul> <li>Immediately give a glass of water.</li> <li>First aid is not generally required. If in doubt, contact a Poisons Information Centre or a doctor.</li> </ul>  |

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

Treat symptomatically.

### **SECTION 5 FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

### **Extinguishing media**

- ▶ There is no restriction on the type of extinguisher which may be used.
- Use extinguishing media suitable for surrounding area.

#### Special hazards arising from the substrate or mixture

| Fire Incompatibility    | None known.   |  |  |
|-------------------------|---|--|--|
| Advice for firefighters |   |  |  |
| Fire Fighting           | <ul> <li>Alert Fire Brigade and tell them location and nature of hazard.</li> <li>Wear breathing apparatus plus protective gloves in the event of a fire.</li> <li>Prevent, by any means available, spillage from entering drains or water courses.</li> <li>Use fire fighting procedures suitable for surrounding area.</li> </ul> |  |  |
| Fire/Explosion Hazard   | <ul> <li>Non combustible.</li> <li>Not considered a significant fire risk, however containers may burn.</li> </ul>  |  |  |

#### **SECTION 6 ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

# Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

| Minor Spills | <ul> <li>Clean up all spills immediately.</li> <li>Avoid breathing vapours and contact with skin and eyes.</li> <li>Control personal contact with the substance, by using protective equipment.</li> <li>Contain and absorb spill with sand, earth, inert material or vermiculite.</li> </ul> |  |
|--------------|---|--|
| Major Spills | Minor hazard.  ► Clear area of personnel.  ► Alert Fire Brigade and tell them location and nature of hazard.  ► Control personal contact with the substance, by using protective equipment as required.   |  |

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#### **SECTION 7 HANDLING AND STORAGE**

#### Precautions for safe handling

#### Safe handling

- Limit all unnecessary personal contact.
- ▶ Wear protective clothing when risk of exposure occurs.
- ► Use in a well-ventilated area.
- ► When handling **DO NOT** eat, drink or smoke.

### Other information

- ► Store in original containers.
- Keep containers securely sealed.
- Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area
- Store away from incompatible materials and foodstuff containers.

#### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

### Suitable container

- ► Polyethylene or polypropylene container.
- Packing as recommended by manufacturer.
- Check all containers are clearly labelled and free from leaks.

Storage incompatibility

Avoid contamination of water, foodstuffs, feed or seed

None known

#### **SECTION 8 EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION**

#### **Control parameters**

OCCUPATIONAL EXPOSURE LIMITS (OEL)

INGREDIENT DATA

Not Available

#### **EMERGENCY LIMITS**

| Ingredient                            | Material name | TEEL-1        | TEEL-2        | TEEL-3        |
|---------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| Dunlop Timber Floor Leveller (Primer) | Not Available | Not Available | Not Available | Not Available |
| Ingredient                            | Original IDLH |               | Revised IDLH  |               |
| synthetic styrene acrylic             | Not Available |               | Not Available |               |
| bacteriacide                          | Not Available |               | Not Available |               |
| water                                 | Not Available |               | Not Available |               |

### Exposure controls

# Appropriate engineering controls

Engineering controls are used to remove a hazard or place a barrier between the worker and the hazard. Well-designed engineering controls can be highly effective in protecting workers and will typically be independent of worker interactions to provide this high level of protection.

The basic types of engineering controls are:

Process controls which involve changing the way a job activity or process is done to reduce the risk.

Enclosure and/or isolation of emission source which keeps a selected hazard "physically" away from the worker and ventilation that strategically "adds" and "removes" air in the work environment.

#### Personal protection







# Eye and face protection

- ► Safety glasses with side shields
- Chemical goggles
- Contact lenses may pose a special hazard; soft contact lenses may absorb and concentrate irritants. A written policy document, describing the wearing of lenses or restrictions on use, should be created for each workplace or task. This should include a review of lens absorption and adsorption for the class of chemicals in use and an account of injury experience.

## Skin protection

#### See Hand protection below

# Hands/feet protection

Wear general protective gloves, eg. light weight rubber gloves.

The selection of suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality which vary from manufacturer to manufacturer. Where the chemical is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material can not be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application.

The exact break through time for substances has to be obtained from the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed when making a final choice.

Suitability and durability of glove type is dependent on usage.

#### **Body protection**

See Other protection below

No special equipment needed when handling small quantities.

### Other protection

- OTHERWISE:
- Overalls.Barrier cream.
- Eyewash unit.

### Thermal hazards

Not Available

### Recommended material(s)

#### GLOVE SELECTION INDEX

Glove selection is based on a modified presentation of the:

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#### "Forsberg Clothing Performance Index".

The effect(s) of the following substance(s) are taken into account in the *computer-generated* selection:

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| Material       | СРІ |
|----------------|-----|
| BUTYL          | A   |
| NEOPRENE       | A   |
| VITON          | A   |
| NATURAL RUBBER | С   |
| PVA            | С   |

<sup>\*</sup> CPI - Chemwatch Performance Index

A: Best Selection

- B: Satisfactory; may degrade after 4 hours continuous immersion
- C: Poor to Dangerous Choice for other than short term immersion

NOTE: As a series of factors will influence the actual performance of the glove, a final selection must be based on detailed observation.

\* Where the glove is to be used on a short term, casual or infrequent basis, factors such as "feel" or convenience (e.g. disposability), may dictate a choice of gloves which might otherwise be unsuitable following long-term or frequent use. A qualified practitioner should be consulted.

### **SECTION 9 PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

#### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

| Appearance                                   | White milky liquid with a slight odour; mixes with water.  |   |                |
|--|--|---|----------------|
| Appearance                                   | Writte milky liquid with a slight odour, mixes with water. |   |                |
| Physical state                               | Liquid   | Relative density (Water = 1)            | 1.01 approx.   |
| Odour  | Not Available  | Partition coefficient n-octanol / water | Not Available  |
| Odour threshold                              | Not Available  | Auto-ignition temperature (°C)          | Not Applicable |
| pH (as supplied)                             | 8.0  | Decomposition temperature               | Not Available  |
| Melting point / freezing point (°C)          | Not Available  | Viscosity (cSt)                         | Not Available  |
| Initial boiling point and boiling range (°C) | 100  | Molecular weight (g/mol)                | Not Applicable |
| Flash point (°C)                             | Not Applicable   | Taste                                   | Not Available  |
| Evaporation rate                             | Not Available  | Explosive properties                    | Not Available  |
| Flammability                                 | Not Applicable   | Oxidising properties                    | Not Available  |
| Upper Explosive Limit (%)                    | Not Applicable   | Surface Tension (dyn/cm or mN/m)        | Not Available  |
| Lower Explosive Limit (%)                    | Not Applicable   | Volatile Component (%vol)               | Not Available  |
| Vapour pressure (kPa)                        | 2.26 @ 20 deg C  | Gas group                               | Not Available  |
| Solubility in water (g/L)                    | Partly miscible  | pH as a solution (1%)                   | Not Available  |
| Vapour density (Air = 1)                     | <1   | VOC g/L                                 | Not Available  |

#### **SECTION 10 STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

| Reactivity                         | See section 7  |
|------------------------------------|--|
| Chemical stability                 | <ul> <li>Unstable in the presence of incompatible materials.</li> <li>Product is considered stable.</li> <li>Hazardous polymerisation will not occur.</li> </ul> |
| Possibility of hazardous reactions | See section 7  |
| Conditions to avoid                | See section 7  |
| Incompatible materials             | See section 7  |
| Hazardous decomposition products   | See section 5  |

### **SECTION 11 TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### Information on toxicological effects

| Inhaled      | The material is not thought to produce adverse health effects or irritation of the respiratory tract (as classified by EC Directives using animal models).  Nevertheless, good hygiene practice requires that exposure be kept to a minimum and that suitable control measures be used in an occupational setting. |
|--------------|--|
| Ingestion    | The material has <b>NOT</b> been classified by EC Directives or other classification systems as "harmful by ingestion". This is because of the lack of corroborating animal or human evidence.   |
| Skin Contact | The liquid may be miscible with fats or oils and may degrease the skin, producing a skin reaction described as non-allergic contact dermatitis. The material is unlikely to produce an irritant dermatitis as described in EC Directives.  |
| Eye          | Although the liquid is not thought to be an irritant (as classified by EC Directives), direct contact with the eye may produce transient discomfort characterised by tearing or conjunctival redness (as with windburn).   |

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| Chronic                                  | Long-term exposure to the product is not thought to produce chronic effects adverse to the health (as classified by EC Directives using animal models); nevertheless exposure by all routes should be minimised as a matter of course. |                          |  |
|--|--|--------------------------|--|
| Dunlop Timber Floor<br>Leveller (Primer) | TOXICITY  Not Available  | IRRITATIO<br>Not Availat |  |
| water                                    | TOXICITY  Oral (rat) LD50: >90000 mg/kg <sup>[2]</sup>   | IRRITATIO<br>Not Availat |  |
| Legend:                                  | 1. Value obtained from Europe ECHA Registered Substances - Acute toxicity 2.* Value obtained from manufacturer's SDS. Unless otherwise specified data extracted from RTECS - Register of Toxic Effect of chemical Substances           |                          |  |
| WATER                                    | No significant acute toxicological data identified in literature   | search.                  |  |
| Acute Toxicity                           | 0  | Carcinogenic             | ity 🛇  |
| Skin Irritation/Corrosion                | ○ Reproductivity ○   |                          | ity 🛇  |
| Serious Eye<br>Damage/Irritation         | ○ STOT - Single Exposure ○   |                          |  |
| Respiratory or Skin sensitisation        | STOT - Repeated Exposure   ○   |                          | re 🛇   |
| Mutagenicity                             | ○ Aspiration Hazard ○  |                          |  |
|  |  | Legend:                  | X – Data available but does not fill the criteria for classification |

#### **SECTION 12 ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### Toxicity

| Ingredient | Endpoint   | Test Duration (hr) | Species                       | Value        | Source |
|------------|--|--------------------|-------------------------------|--------------|--------|
| water      | EC50   | 384                | Crustacea                     | 199.179mg/L  | 3      |
| water      | EC50   | 96                 | Algae or other aquatic plants | 8768.874mg/L | 3      |
| water      | LC50   | 96                 | Fish                          | 897.520mg/L  | 3      |
| Legend:    | Extracted from 1. IUCLID Toxicity Data 2. Europe ECHA Registered Substances - Ecotoxicological Information - Aquatic Toxicity 3. EPIWIN Suite V3.12 - Aquatic Toxicity Data (Estimated) 4. US EPA, Ecotox database - Aquatic Toxicity Data 5. ECETOC Aquatic Hazard Assessment Data 6. NITE (Japan) - Bioconcentration Data 7. METI (Japan) - Bioconcentration Data 8. Vendor Data |                    |                               |              |        |

✓ – Data required to make classification available O - Data Not Available to make classification

### Persistence and degradability

| Ingredient | Persistence: Water/Soil | Persistence: Air |
|------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| water      | LOW                     | LOW              |

#### Bioaccumulative potential

| Ingredient | Bioaccumulation      |  |
|------------|----------------------|--|
| water      | LOW (LogKOW = -1.38) |  |

### Mobility in soil

| Ingredient | Mobility         |
|------------|------------------|
| water      | LOW (KOC = 14.3) |

### **SECTION 13 DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

### Waste treatment methods

Legislation addressing waste disposal requirements may differ by country, state and/ or territory. Each user must refer to laws operating in their area. In some areas, certain wastes must be tracked.

A Hierarchy of Controls seems to be common - the user should investigate:

- ▶ Reduction
- ▶ Reuse
- Recycling
- ▶ Disposal (if all else fails)

Product / Packaging

disposal

This material may be recycled if unused, or if it has not been contaminated so as to make it unsuitable for its intended use.

- ▶ DO NOT allow wash water from cleaning or process equipment to enter drains
- ▶ It may be necessary to collect all wash water for treatment before disposal.
- ▶ In all cases disposal to sewer may be subject to local laws and regulations and these should be considered first.
- Where in doubt contact the responsible authority.
- ► Recycle wherever possible
- ► Consult manufacturer for recycling options or consult local or regional waste management authority for disposal if no suitable treatment or disposal facility can be identified.
- ▶ Dispose of by: burial in a land-fill specifically licenced to accept chemical and / or pharmaceutical wastes or incineration in a licenced apparatus (after admixture with suitable combustible material).

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► Decontaminate empty containers.

#### **SECTION 14 TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

#### Labels Required

| Marine Pollutant | NO             |  |
|------------------|----------------|--|
| HAZCHEM          | Not Applicable |  |

Land transport (ADG): NOT REGULATED FOR TRANSPORT OF DANGEROUS GOODS

Air transport (ICAO-IATA / DGR): NOT REGULATED FOR TRANSPORT OF DANGEROUS GOODS

Sea transport (IMDG-Code / GGVSee): NOT REGULATED FOR TRANSPORT OF DANGEROUS GOODS

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL and the IBC code

Not Applicable

#### **SECTION 15 REGULATORY INFORMATION**

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

#### WATER(7732-18-5) IS FOUND ON THE FOLLOWING REGULATORY LISTS

Australia Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS)

| National Inventory               | Status  |  |
|----------------------------------|---|--|
| Australia - AICS                 | Y   |  |
| Canada - DSL                     | Y   |  |
| Canada - NDSL                    | N (water)   |  |
| China - IECSC                    | Y   |  |
| Europe - EINEC / ELINCS /<br>NLP | Y   |  |
| Japan - ENCS                     | N (water)   |  |
| Korea - KECI                     | Y   |  |
| New Zealand - NZIoC              | Y   |  |
| Philippines - PICCS              | Υ   |  |
| USA - TSCA                       | Y   |  |
| Legend:                          | Y = All ingredients are on the inventory N = Not determined or one or more ingredients are not on the inventory and are not exempt from listing(see specific ingredients in brackets) |  |

### **SECTION 16 OTHER INFORMATION**

#### Other information

Classification of the preparation and its individual components has drawn on official and authoritative sources as well as independent review by the Chemwatch Classification committee using available literature references.

A list of reference resources used to assist the committee may be found at: www.chemwatch.net

The SDS is a Hazard Communication tool and should be used to assist in the Risk Assessment. Many factors determine whether the reported Hazards are Risks in the workplace or other settings. Risks may be determined by reference to Exposures Scenarios. Scale of use, frequency of use and current or available engineering controls must be considered.

#### **Definitions and abbreviations**

PC-TWA: Permissible Concentration-Time Weighted Average

PC-STEL: Permissible Concentration-Short Term Exposure Limit

IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit

TEEL: Temporary Emergency Exposure Limit。

IDLH: Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health Concentrations

OSF: Odour Safety Factor

NOAEL: No Observed Adverse Effect Level

LOAEL: Lowest Observed Adverse Effect Level

TLV: Threshold Limit Value

LOD: Limit Of Detection

OTV: Odour Threshold Value

BCF: BioConcentration Factors

BEI: Biological Exposure Index

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