



**SAFETY DATA SHEET**  
**(SDS) 1907/2006 EC**

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**1. IDENTIFICATION OF SUBSTANCE & COMPANY IDENTIFICATION**

Product: 1985 Rapid cold solvent weld adhesive  
Use: Solvent and resin based adhesive for UPVC primarily in clear although; other colours are available

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**2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

**Classification of the substance or mixture**

**Classification (REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008)**

Flammable liquids, Category 2

Eye irritation, Category 2

Specific target organ toxicity – single exposure, Category 3

H225: Highly flammable liquid and vapour

H319: Causes serious eye irritation

H335: May cause respiratory irritation

H336: May cause drowsiness or dizziness

H351: Suspected of causing cancer

EUH019: May form explosive peroxides  
explosive peroxides

**Classification (67/548/EEC, 1999/45/EC)**

Highly flammable

Irritant

**Label Elements**

**Labelling (REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008)**



Hazard pictograms

Hazard statements	H225: Highly flammable liquid and vapor H319: Causes serious eye irritation H335: May cause respiratory irritation H336: May cause drowsiness or dizziness H351: Suspected of causing cancer EUH019: May form explosive peroxides
Supplemental Hazard statements	EUH066 Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or cracking repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or cracking
Precautionary statements	P210: Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces – No smoking P261: Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray P280: Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection P337+P313: Get medical advice/attention P403+P233: Store in a well ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed P501: Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local regulations nts container in accordance with local regulation

**EMERGENCY OVERVIEW**

Clear/coloured liquid. Highly flammable which may form explosive peroxides

**3, COMPOSITION**

	CAS#	EINECS #	REACH CONCENTRATION
			Pre-registration Number % by Weight
Tetrahydrofuran (THF)	109-99-9	203-726-8	05-2116297729-22-0000 <75%
Resin	9003-22-9		<20%

All of the constituents of this adhesive product are listed on the TSCA inventory of chemical substances maintained by the US EPA, or are exempt from that listing.

\* Indicates this chemical is subject to the reporting requirements of Section 313 of the Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act of 1986 (40CFR372).

# indicates that this chemical is found on Proposition 65's List of chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer or reproductive toxicity.

#### **4. FIRST AID**

**GENERAL ADVICE:** In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately. First aider need to protect themselves. Move out of dangerous area. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Take off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately.

**SKIN CONTACT:** In case of skin contact flush skin immediately with soap and plenty of water. Do **NOT** use solvents or thinners. If the skin irritation persists seek medical attention.

**INHALATION:** If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If symptoms persists, seek medical attention.

Keep person warm and calm. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen.

**INGESTION:** If swallowed, seek medical attention immediately and where possible show this or label/container. If swallowed **DO NOT** induce vomiting.

**EYE CONTACT:** Protect unharmed eyes. Remove contact lens if worn. In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical attention.

#### **5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

**EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:** Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), alcohol resistant foam, dry powder or water mist, earth or sand.

**UNSUITABLE EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:** High volume water jet.

**FIRE & EXPLOSION HAZARDS / HARMFUL COMBUSTION PRODS.** Vapour/ air may be explosive.

Combustion may result in toxic acidic fumes and carbon monoxide. May form organic peroxides. Vapour heavier than air – ignition may occur at a distance.

**SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES:** In the event of a fire, wear self contained breathing apparatus. Use personal protective equipment. Use water spray to cool unopened containers.

#### **6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

**PERSONAL PRECAUTIONS, PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT & EMERGENCY PROCEDURES:** Use personal protective equipment. Remove all sources of ignition. Avoid contact with skin & eyes. Ensure adequate ventilation., especially in confined areas. Immediately evacuate person to safe area. Avoid inhalation of vapour or mist. Beware of vapours accumulating to form explosive concentrations. Vapours can accumulate in low areas.

**ENVIRONMENTAL PRECAUTIONS:** Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer systems. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. If the product contaminates rivers and lakes or drains inform relevant authorities.

**SPILLAGE OR LEAK PROCEDURES:** Contain and collect spillage with non combustible absorbent material (e.g. sand, earth, diatomaceous earth, vermiculite) and place in container for disposal according to local/national regulations. Clean contaminated surface thoroughly.

#### **7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

**HANDLING:** Wear appropriate clothing (see exposure controls). Avoid all sources of ignition, sparks, flames, electrical equipment, arc lights, static discharges etc. No smoking.

**PROTECTION AGAINST FIRE & EXPLOSION:** Vapours are heavier than air and may spread along floors. Vapours may form explosive mixtures with air. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition. Do not smoke. No sparking tools should be used. Electrical equipment should be protected to the appropriate standard.

**STORAGE:** Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area. Avoid all sources of ignition, sparks, flames, electrical equipment, arc lights, static discharges etc, away from incompatible chemicals (avoid contact with oxidising agents (peroxides, nitrates etc).

#### **8. PERSONAL PROTECTION**

Avoid inhaling vapour. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Eye baths should be provided in places where exposure may be possible. Wear chemical resistant goggles, solvent resistant gloves (neoprene or nitrile rubber). Impervious boots and polycotton overalls. If high vapour concentrations are present, self contained breathing apparatus, or full-face respirator with organic cartridge NPF20. Ensure good ventilation. Exposure may be possible.

Engineering Controls: Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash facility and a safety shower. Use adequate general or local exhaust ventilation to keep airborne concentrations below the permissible exposure limits.

## 8.2 EXPOSURE CONTROLS cont

Provide adequate ventilation. Execute works under fume hood. Personal protection equipment

Occupational exposure controls Respiratory protection:

Respiratory protection must be worn whenever the WEL levels have been exceeded. Use filter type A (= against vapours of organic substances) according to EN 14387. Hand protection: Protective gloves according to EN 374. Glove material: Butyl caoutchouc (butyl rubber) Layer thickness: 0.7 mm.

Breakthrough time: >240 min. Observe glove manufacturer's instructions concerning penetrability and breakthrough time.

## Exposure guidelines

Component	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH	Mexico OEL (TWA)
Tetrahydrofuran	TWA: 50 ppm STEL: 100 ppm Skin	(Vacated) TWA: 200 ppm (Vacated) TWA: 590 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (Vacated) STEL: 250 ppm (Vacated) STEL: 735 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA: 200 ppm TWA: 590 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	IDLH: 2000 ppm TWA: 200 ppm TWA: 590 mg/m <sup>3</sup> STEL: 250 ppm STEL: 735 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	TWA: 200 ppm TWA: 590 mg/m <sup>3</sup> STEL: 250 ppm STEL: 735 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

ACGIH - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

OSHA - Occupational Safety and Health Administration

NIOSH IDLH: The National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health

## 9, PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

<b>Physical State</b>	Liquid
<b>Appearance</b>	Colorless
<b>Odor</b>	Petroleum distillates
<b>Odor Threshold</b>	No information available
<b>pH</b>	7-8 20% aq. solution
<b>Melting Point/Range</b>	-108.4 °C / -163.1 °F
<b>Boiling Point/Range</b>	66 °C / 150.8 °F
<b>Flash Point</b>	-21 °C / -5.8 °F
<b>Evaporation Rate</b>	> 1 (Ether = 1.0)
<b>Flammability (solid,gas)</b>	Not applicable
<b>Flammability or explosive limits</b>	
<b>Upper</b>	11.8%
<b>Lower</b>	2.0%
<b>Vapor Pressure</b>	200 mbar @ 20 °C
<b>Vapor Density</b>	2.5 (Ether = 1.0)
<b>Specific Gravity</b>	0.880
<b>Solubility</b>	miscible
<b>Partition coefficient; n-octanol/water</b>	No data available
<b>Autoignition Temperature</b>	215 °C / 419 °F
<b>Decomposition Temperature</b>	No information available
<b>Viscosity</b>	0.55 cP @ 20 °C
<b>Molecular Formula</b>	C <sub>4</sub> H <sub>8</sub> O
<b>Molecular Weight</b>	72.11

## 10. Stability and reactivity

<b>Reactive Hazard</b>	Yes.
<b>Stability</b>	May form explosive peroxides. Hygroscopic.
<b>Conditions to Avoid</b>	Incompatible products. Excess heat. Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition. Exposure to moist air or water.
<b>Incompatible Materials</b>	Strong oxidizing agents, Acids
<b>Hazardous Decomposition Products</b>	Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO <sub>2</sub> ), peroxides
<b>Hazardous Polymerization</b>	Hazardous polymerization may occur.
<b>Hazardous Reactions</b>	None under normal processing.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Acute Toxicity

#### Product Information Component Information

Component	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Tetrahydrofuran	1650 mg/kg ( Rat )	> 2000 mg/kg (Rabbit)	180 mg/L ( Rat ) 1 h 53.9 mg/L ( Rat ) 4 h

**Toxicologically Synergistic Products** No information available

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

**Irritation** Irritating to eyes May cause irritation of respiratory tract

**Sensitization** No information available

**Carcinogenicity** Limited evidence of a carcinogenic effect.

Component	CAS-No	IARC	NTP	ACGIH	OSHA	Mexico
Tetrahydrofuran	109-99-9	Not listed	Not listed	A3	Not listed	Not listed

ACGIH: (American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists)

A1 - Known Human Carcinogen  
A2 - Suspected Human Carcinogen  
A3 - Animal Carcinogen

ACGIH: (American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists)

**Mutagenic Effects** No information available

**Reproductive Effects** No information available.

**Developmental Effects** No information available.

**Teratogenicity** No information available.

**STOT - single exposure** Respiratory system Central nervous system (CNS)  
**STOT - repeated exposure** None known

**Aspiration hazard** No information available

**Symptoms / effects, both acute and delayed** Symptoms of overexposure may be headache, dizziness, tiredness, nausea and vomiting:  
Causes central nervous system depression

Component	EU - Endocrine Disruptors Candidate List	EU - Endocrine Disruptors - Evaluated Substances	Japan - Endocrine Disruptor Information
Tetrahydrofuran	Group III Chemical	Not applicable	Not applicable

**Other Adverse Effects** Tumorigenic effects have been reported in experimental animals.

## 12 ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Ecotoxicity

Do not empty into drains. .

Component	Freshwater Algae	Freshwater Fish	Microtox	Water Flea
Tetrahydrofuran	Not listed	2160 mg/l LC50 = 96 h Pimephales promelas Leuciscus idus: LC50: 2820 mg/L/48h	Not listed	EC50 48 h 3485 mg/l EC50: >10000 mg/L/24h

**Persistence and Degradability** Persistence is unlikely based on information available.

**Bioaccumulation/ Accumulation** No information available.

**Mobility** Will likely be mobile in the environment due to its volatility.

Component	log Pow
Tetrahydrofuran	0.45

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

**Waste Disposal Methods** Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. Chemical waste generators must also consult local, regional, and national hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.

Component	RCRA - U Series Wastes	RCRA - P Series Wastes
Tetrahydrofuran - 109-99-9	U213	-

## 14 TRANSPORT INFORMATION

### DOT

UN-No UN2056  
 Proper Shipping Name TETRAHYDROFURAN  
 Hazard Class 3  
 Packing Group II

**CARRIAGE CLASSIFICATION: Flammable Liquid**  
**PACKING GROUP: II**  
**ADR/RID: 3**

### TDG

UN-No UN2056  
 Proper Shipping Name TETRAHYDROFURAN  
 Hazard Class 3  
 Packing Group II

**IMO CLASS: 3.1**  
**HAZCHEM CODE: 3(Y) E**

### IATA

UN-No UN2056  
 Proper Shipping Name TETRAHYDROFURAN  
 Hazard Class 3  
 Packing Group II

### IMDG/IMO

UN-No UN2056  
 Proper Shipping Name TETRAHYDROFURAN  
 Hazard Class 3  
 Packing Group II

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

All of the components in the product are on the following Inventory lists: X = listed

**International Inventories**

Component	TSCA	DSL	NDSL	EINECS	ELINCS	NLP	PICCS	ENCS	AICS	IECSC	KECL
Tetrahydrofuran	X	X	-	203-726-8	-		X	X	X	X	X

**Legend:**

X - Listed

E - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 5(e) Consent order under TSCA.

F - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 5(f) Rule under TSCA.

N - Indicates a polymeric substance containing no free-radical initiator in its inventory name but is considered to cover the designated polymer made with any free-radical initiator regardless of the amount used.

P - Indicates a commenced PMN substance

R - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 6 risk management rule under TSCA.

S - Indicates a substance that is identified in a proposed or final Significant New Use Rule

T - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 4 test rule under TSCA.

XU - Indicates a substance exempt from reporting under the Inventory Update Rule, i.e. Partial Updating of the TSCA Inventory Data Base Production and Site Reports (40 CFR 710(B)).

Y1 - Indicates an exempt polymer that has a number-average molecular weight of 1,000 or greater.

Y2 - Indicates an exempt polymer that is a polyester and is made only from reactants included in a specified list of low concern reactants that comprises one of the eligibility criteria for the exemption rule.

**U.S. Federal Regulations**

**TSCA 12(b)**

Component	TSCA 12(b)
Tetrahydrofuran	Section 4, 1 % de minimus concentration

**SARA 313** Not applicable

**SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories**

Acute Health Hazard	Yes
Chronic Health Hazard	Yes
Fire Hazard	Yes
Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard	No
Reactive Hazard	Yes.

**CWA (Clean Water Act)** Not applicable

**Clean Air Act** Not applicable

**OSHA Occupational Safety and Health Administration**  
Not applicable

**CERCLA**

This material, as supplied, contains one or more substances regulated as a hazardous substance under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302)

Component	Hazardous Substances RQs	CERCLA EHS RQs
Tetrahydrofuran	1000 lb	-

**California Proposition 65** This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals

**U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations**

Component	Massachusetts	New Jersey	Pennsylvania	Illinois	Rhode Island
Tetrahydrofuran	X	X	X	-	X

**U.S. Department of Transportation**

Reportable Quantity (RQ):	Y
DOT Marine Pollutant	N
DOT Severe Marine Pollutant	N

**U.S. Department of Homeland Security**

This product does not contain any DHS chemicals.

**Other International Regulations**

**Mexico - Grade** Serious risk, Grade 3

**OTHER INFORMATION**

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<b>Revision Summary</b>	

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