## BUEHLER

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## MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

## SECTION 1 - CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

PRODUCT NAME: BUEHLER TEM EPOXY RESIN
IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: TEM EPOXY Part A 20-8151
PRODUCT USE/CLASS: Epoxy resin

SUPPLIER:
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SECTION 2 - COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

| ITEM | CHEMICAL NAME | CAS NUMBER | WT/WT\% |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 01 | Epoxy Phenol Novolac | $28064-14-4$ | $>75$ |


| ITEM | ACGIH TLV- <br> TWA | ACGIH TLV- <br> STEL | OSHA PEL-TWA | OSHA PEL - <br> CEILING | COMPANY TLV- <br> TWA | SKIN |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 01 | N.E. | N.E. | N.E. | N.E. | N.E. | NO |

## SECTION 3 - HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

EMERGENCY OVERVIEW: Causes skin and eye irritation. May cause allergic skin reaction.
ACUTE EFFECTS - EYE CONTACT: Contact may cause injury to eye tissue if not removed promptly.
ACUTE EFFECTS - SKIN CONTACT: Contact causes skin irritation. May cause allergic skin reaction.
ACUTE EFFECTS - INHALATION: Vapors and/or aerosols formed at elevated temperatures can be irritating.
ACUTE EFFECTS - INGESTION: Moderately toxic. May cause nausea and vomiting.
CHRONIC OVEREXPOSURE EFFECTS: Delayed and chronic effects: Allergic eczema.
Acute: Causes serious eye irritation. Causes skin irritation. Allergic contact dermatitis. Ingestion may cause irritation of the gastrointestinal tract.

OTHER INFORMATION: No information.
PRIMARY ROUTE(S) OF ENTRY: SKIN CONTACT, SKIN ABSORPTION, INHALATION, EYE CONTACT

## SECTION 4 - FIRST AID MEASURES

EYE CONTACT: Irrigate with eyewash solution or clean water, holding the eyelids apart, for at least 15 minutes. Obtain immediate medical attention.

SKIN CONTACT: Remove contaminated clothing immediately and drench affected skin with plenty of water. If irritation (redness, rash, blistering) develops, get medical attention

INHALATION: Remove patient from exposure. Keep patient at rest and give oxygen if breathing difficult. If symptoms develop, obtain medical attention.

INGESTION: Ingestion may cause irritation of the gastrointestinal tract. If swallowed, seek medical advice immediately and show this container or label. Do not induce vomiting. Make victim drink plenty of water. Get immediate medical attention

NOTES TO PHYSICIAN: Treat symptomatically.

## SECTION 5 - FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

FLASH POINT: $>93.3^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / 200^{\circ} \mathrm{F}$.
LOWER EXPLOSIVE LIMIT: N.A.
UPPER EXPLOSIVE LIMIT: N.A.
AUTOIGNITION TEMPERATURE: No data
EXTINGUISHING MEDIA: $\mathrm{CO}_{2}$, DRY CHEMICAL, FOAM, WATER FOG
UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS: Closed containers may rupture or explode (due to pressure build-up) when exposed to extreme heat. Irritating and/or toxic gases or fumes may be generated by thermal decomposition or combustion.

SPECIAL FIREFIGHTING PROCEDURES: Wear a NIOSH approved positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus with full protective clothing. Do not release runoff from fire control methods to sewers or waterways. Use water to cool exposed containers. Water stream directed into fire may cause frothing with subsequent spread of flame.

## SECTION 6 - ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

STEPS TO BE TAKEN IN CASE MATERIAL IS RELEASED OR SPILLED: Wear protective gloves and goggles during cleanup. Wipe up with damp rag. Wash spill area thoroughly with soap or mild detergent and water. Dispose of rag in appropriate manner to limit potential contact.

## SECTION 7 - HANDLING AND STORAGE

HANDLING: Use only in well-ventilated areas. Avoid inhalation of high concentrations of vapors. Keep away from oxidizing agents. Keep away from fire, sparks and heated surfaces - no smoking.

STORAGE: Protect from sunlight. Store in a well-ventilated place. Do not use or store near heat or open flame. Do not store and transport with oxidizers etc.

## SECTION 8 - EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

ENGINEERING CONTROLS: General ventilation usually adequate. Local exhaust as needed to control vapor or dust levels to below lowest component TLV.

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION: None normally required under general ventilation. If TLV/PEL is exceeded, if use is performed in a poorly-ventilated space, or if inhalation effects occur, use NIOSH-approved vapor cartridge respirator in accordance with applicable health and safety regulations and manufacturer's recommendations.

SKIN PROTECTION: Clean clothing to cover skin. Rubber or synthetic gloves.
EYE PROTECTION: Eye protection (i.e., safety glasses, safety goggles and/or face shield) should be determined based on conditions of use.

OTHER PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT: Accessible eye wash and safety shower.
HYGIENIC PRACTICES: Follow good general industrial safety practices during use. Do not smoke or eat during use. DO NOT reuse empty containers without commercial clean or recondition. Follow all MSDS/label precautions even after container is emptied.

|  | SECTION $9-$ PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES |  |
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| BOILING RANGE: | $244-244$ F | VAPOR DENSITY: |

## SECTION 10 - STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

CONDITIONS TO AVOID: Avoid contact with heat and ignition sources.
INCOMPATIBILITY: Bleaching products and comparable oxidizers.
HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS: Carbon monoxide, Carbon dioxide.
HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION: Will not occur under normal conditions.
STABILITY: This product is stable under normal storage conditions.

## SECTION 11 - TOXICOLOGICAL PROPERTIES

| Acute toxicity ............................... May be harmful if swallowed. |
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| Irritation ...................................... Causes skin and eye irritation. May cause transient irritation. |
| Corrosivity .................................. Not to be expected. |
| Sensitization ............................... May cause sensitization by skin contact. |
| Repeated dose toxicity ................. No data. |
| Carcinogenicity ............................ No data. |
| Mutagenicity ............................... No data. |
| Toxicity for reproduction ................ No data. |

## SECTION 12 - ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Toxicity Harmful to aquatic life. Harmful to algae.

Persistence and degradability ........ Biodegradable. Not persistent.
Bioaccumulative potential .............. The product has low potential for bioaccumulation.
Mobility in soil ............................... The product has high mobility in soil.

## SECTION 13 - DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

DISPOSAL METHOD: If product becomes contaminated, follow disposal instructions for contaminant. Dispose of in accordance with federal, state and local regulations. When cured, product is non-hazardous, and may be placed in industrial or municipal landfill if local regulations permit. Containers must not be punctured or destroyed by burning, even when empty.


## SECTION 15 - REGULATORY INFORMATION

OSHA: Hazardous by definition of Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)
CERCLA - SARA HAZARD CATEGORY: THIS PRODUCT HAS BEEN REVIEWED, AND IS CONSIDERED, UNDER APPLICABLE DEFINITIONS, TO MEET THE FOLLOWING CATEGORIES:

IMMEDIATE HEALTH HAZARD CHRONIC HEALTH HAZARD
SARA SECTION 313: THIS PRODUCT CONTAINS THE FOLLOWING SUBSTANCES SUBJECT TO THE REPORTING REQUIREMENTS OF SECTION 313 AND 40 CFR PART 372: NONE

CALIFORNIA PROPOSTION 65: No Proposition 65 chemicals known to exist in this product.
CANADIAN WHMIS: THIS MSDS HAS BEEN PREPARED IN COMPLIANCE WITH CONTROLLED PRODUCT
REGULATIONS EXCEPT FOR USE OF THE 16 HEADINGS.
CANADIAN WHMIS CLASS: D2B
COMPONENT RCRA CLASSIFICATIONS: Not regulated
COMPONENT RCRA CODES: No information.
CERCLA RQ VALUE (MINIMUM): None known

HMIS RATINGS
HEALTH: 2
FLAMMABILITY: 1
REACTIVITY: 0
PREVIOUS MSDS REVISION DATE: 3/23/2009, 23 March 2009
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VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS: 0 grams/Itr (calculated)

## LEGEND:

N.A. - NO INFORMATION N.E. - NOT ESTABLISHED N.D. - NOT DETERMINED

ABBREVIATIONS: ACGIH = AMERICAN CONFERENCE OF GOVERNMENTAL INDUSTRIAL HYGIENISTS; OSHA = OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY ADMINISTRATION; TLV-TWA = THRESHOLD LIMIT VALUE - TIME WEIGHTED AVERAGE (8 HOURS); STEL = SHORT-TERM EXPOSURE LIMIT ( 15 MINUTES); C = CEILING VALUE; PEL = PERMISSIBLE EXPOSURE LIMIT

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