



## SECTION IV FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA

D.O.T. FLAMMABILITY CLASS.: NOT REGULATED      FLASH POINT: > 250 F PMCC  
LEL: Not Applicable  
EXTINGUISHING MEDIA: FOAM CO2 DRY CHEMICAL WATER FOG  
UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS:  
Toxic gases may form when product burns.  
Closed containers may burst if exposed to extreme heat or fire.  
SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES:  
Cool exposed containers with water. Use self-contained breathing apparatus.

## SECTION V HEALTH HAZARD DATA

EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE - ACUTE:  
Inhalation - Irritation of the respiratory tract.  
Skin and Eye Contact - Primary irritation.  
Ingestion of large amounts could cause serious injury.  
EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE CHRONIC:  
Contains: Crystalline Silica which has been determined to be carcinogenic to humans (1) by IARC when in respirable form. Risk of cancer depends on duration and level of inhalation exposure to dust from sanding the dried paint or spray mist.  
MEDICAL CONDITIONS PRONE TO AGGRAVATION BY EXPOSURE:  
None expected when used in accordance with Safe Handling and Use Information (Section VIII).  
Inhalation statement: Sanding dust inhalation may cause lung damage.  
PRIMARY ROUTE(S) OF ENTRY: DERMAL INHALATION INGESTION  
EMERGENCY AND FIRST AID PROCEDURES :  
Inhalation - Remove to fresh air. Get medical help for any breathing difficulty.  
Eye Contact - Flush thoroughly with water. Call physician.  
Skin Contact - Wash with soap and water.  
Ingestion - Drink 1 or 2 glasses of water to dilute.  
DO NOT induce vomiting. Call physician.

## SECTION VI REACTIVITY DATA

STABILITY: STABLE      HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION WILL NOT OCCUR  
CONDITIONS TO AVOID: Elevated temperatures  
HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS:  
Burning may produce carbon dioxide and carbon monoxide.  
INCOMPATIBILITY (MATERIALS TO AVOID): None reasonably foreseeable.

## SECTION VII SPILL OR LEAK PROCEDURES

STEPS TO BE TAKEN IN CASE MATERIAL IS RELEASED OR SPILLED:  
Flush with water. Absorb with sawdust or rags.  
WASTE DISPOSAL METHOD:  
Conventional procedures in compliance with local, state and federal regulations. Do not incinerate sealed containers.

## SECTION VIII SAFE HANDLING AND USE INFORMATION

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION:  
Use NIOSH approved respirator specified for protection against paint spray mist and sanding dust in restricted or confined areas.  
VENTILATION:

Adequate to maintain working atmosphere below T.L.V. and L.E.L.  
(See Sect. II for ingredient data and concentrations). Mechanical exhaust may be required in confined areas.

PROTECTIVE GLOVES: Waterproof during repeated contact.

EYE PROTECTION : Splash goggles or safety glasses with side shields.

OTHER PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT: Clothing adequate to protect skin.

HYGIENIC PRACTICES:

Remove and wash clothing before reuse. Wash hands before eating, smoking or using the washroom.

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#### SECTION IX SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS

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PRECAUTIONS TO BE TAKEN IN HANDLING AND STORAGE:

Do not throw or drop containers.

OTHER PRECAUTIONS :

Avoid contact with eyes and prolonged contact with skin or breathing of spray mist or sanding dust.

Close container after each use. Keep out of reach of children. Do not take internally.

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#### SECTION XX

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HMIS (Hazardous Materials Identification System) (R) NPCA

HMIS is a recognized workplace Hazard Communications System as required by OSHA (29 CFR 1910.1200). Information on establishing a compliant hazardous communication program using HMIS is available from:

American Labelmark Co., Inc., Labelmaster Division  
5724 N. Pulaski Rd., Chicago, IL 60646  
1-800-621-5808

The ratings assigned by Benjamin Moore & Co. are only suggested ratings; the contractor/employer has ultimate responsibility for HMIS rating where this system is used.

PERSONAL PROTECTION: This code is left blank on Benjamin Moore & Co. MSDS's as it depends on application technique and the workplace ventilation.

Please read Sections II through IX of this MSDS before deciding on appropriate protective equipment and beginning work. There are codes available for this section which can be obtained from Labelmaster.

Note: There are no SARA reportable materials in this product.

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NOTICE: Removal of old paint by sanding, scraping or other means may generate dust or fumes which contain lead. Exposure to lead dust or fumes may cause adverse health effects, especially in children or pregnant women. Controlling exposure to lead or other hazardous substances requires the use of proper protective equipment, such as a properly fitted respirator (NIOSH approved) and proper containment and cleanup. For additional information, contact the USEPA/Lead Information Hotline at 1-800-LEAD-FYI.