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

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Product name

VM&P NAPHTHA

Product code

20602

Product Use Description

No data

## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

## **Emergency Overview**

Appearance: liquid, colourless

WARNING! FLAMMABLE LIQUID AND VAPOR. MAY AFFECT THE CENTRAL NERVOUS SYSTEM CAUSING DIZZINESS, HEADACHE OR NAUSEA. MAY BE HARMFUL IF INHALED OR SWALLOWED. PROLONGED OR REPEATED CONTACT MAY DRY THE SKIN AND CAUSE IRRITATION AND BURNS.

## **Potential Health Effects**

## Routes of exposure

Inhalation, Skin absorption, Skin contact, Eye Contact, Ingestion

## Eye contact

May cause mild eye irritation. Symptoms include stinging, tearing, and redness.

#### Skin contact

May cause mild skin irritation. Prolonged or repeated contact may dry the skin. Symptoms may include redness, burning, drying and cracking of skin, and skin burns. Passage of this material into the body through the skin is possible, but it is unlikely that this would result in harmful effects during safe handling and use.

#### Ingestion

Swallowing small amounts of this material during normal handling is not likely to cause harmful effects. Swallowing large amounts may be harmful. This material can get into the lungs during swallowing or vomiting. This results in lung inflammation and other lung injury.



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#### Inhalation

Breathing of vapor or mist is possible. Breathing small amounts of this material during normal handling is not likely to cause harmful effects. Breathing large amounts may be harmful. Symptoms are not expected at air concentrations below the recommended exposure limits, if applicable (see Section 8.).

#### **Aggravated Medical Condition**

Preexisting disorders of the following organs (or organ systems) may be aggravated by exposure to this material:, Skin, lung (for example, asthma-like conditions), Individuals with preexisting heart disorders maybe more susceptible to arrhythmias (irregular heartbeats) if exposed to high concentrations of this material.

## **Symptoms**

Signs and symptoms of exposure to this material through breathing, swallowing, and/or passage of the material through the skin may include:, stomach or intestinal upset (nausea, vomiting, diarrhea), irritation (nose, throat, airways), central nervous system excitation (giddiness, liveliness, light-headed feeling) followed by central nervous system depression (dizziness, drowsiness, weakness, fatigue, nausea, headache, unconsciousness) and other central nervous system effects

# **Target Organs**

Exposure to this material (or a component) has been found to cause kidney damage in male rats. The mechanism by which this toxicity occurs is specific to the male rat and the kidney effects are not expected to occur in humans.

#### Carcinogenicity

This material is not listed as a carcinogen by the International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC), the National Toxicology Program (NTP), or the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA).

## Reproductive hazard

Based on the available information, risk to the fetus from maternal exposure to this material cannot be assessed.

## 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

| Components         | CAS-No.    | Concentration |
|--------------------|------------|---------------|
| SOLVENT NAPHTHA    | 64742-89-8 | <=100%        |
| (PETROLEUM), LIGHT |            |               |



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Components ALIPHATIC

CAS-No.

Concentration

## 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

#### Eyes

If symptoms develop, move individual away from exposure and into fresh air. Flush eyes gently with water while holding eyelids apart. If symptoms persist or there is any visual difficulty, seek medical attention.

#### Skin

Remove contaminated clothing. Wash exposed area with soap and water. If symptoms persist, seek medical attention. Launder clothing before reuse.

## Ingestion

Seek medical attention. If individual is drowsy or unconscious, do not give anything by mouth; place individual on the left side with the head down. Contact a physician, medical facility, or poison control center for advice about whether to induce vomiting. If possible, do not leave individual unattended.

#### Inhalation

If symptoms develop, move individual away from exposure and into fresh air. If symptoms persist, seek medical attention. If breathing is difficult, administer oxygen. Keep person warm and quiet; seek immediate medical attention.

## Notes to physician

**Hazards**: Inhalation of high concentrations of this material, as could occur in enclosed spaces or during deliberate abuse, may be associated with cardiac arrhythmias. Sympathomimetic drugs may initiate cardiac arrhythmias in persons exposed to this material. This material is an aspiration hazard. Potential danger from aspiration must be weighed against possible oral toxicity (See Section 2 - Swallowing) when deciding whether to induce vomiting.

Treatment: No information available.

## 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

## Suitable extinguishing media

Dry chemical, Carbon dioxide (CO2), Foam

# Hazardous combustion products



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carbon dioxide and carbon monoxide, Hydrocarbons

#### Precautions for fire-fighting

Material is volatile and readily gives off vapors which may travel along the ground or be moved by ventilation and ignited by pilot lights, flames, sparks, heaters, smoking, electric motors, static discharge or other ignition sources at locations near the material handling point. Never use welding or cutting torch on or near drum (even empty) because product (even just residue) can ignite explosively. Wear full firefighting turn-out gear (full Bunker gear), and respiratory protection (SCBA).

## Flammability Class for Flammable Liquids

Flammable Liquid Class IB

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

## Personal precautions

For personal protection see section 8. Persons not wearing protective equipment should be excluded from area of spill until clean-up has been completed.

# **Environmental precautions**

Prevent run-off to sewers, streams or other bodies of water. If run-off occurs, notify proper authorities as required, that a spill has occurred.

## Methods for cleaning up

Absorb liquid on vermiculite, floor absorbent or other absorbent material.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### Handling

Containers of this material may be hazardous when emptied. Since emptied containers retain product residues (vapor, liquid, and/or solid), all hazard precautions given in the data sheet must be observed. Avoid prolonged or frequently repeated skin contact with this material. Skin contact can be minimized by wearing impervious protective gloves. As with all products of this nature, good personal hygiene is essential. Hands and other exposed areas should be washed thoroughly with soap and water after contact, especially before eating and/or smoking. Regular laundering of contaminated clothing is essential to reduce indirect skin contact with this material. Static ignition hazard can result from handling and use. Electrically bond and ground all containers, personnel and equipment before transfer or use of material. Special precautions may be necessary to dissipate static electricity for non-conductive containers. Use proper bonding



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and grounding during product transfer as described in National Fire Protection Association document NFPA 77.

## Storage

Do not store near extreme heat, open flame, or sources of ignition.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

## **Exposure Guidelines**

| SOLVENT NAPHTHA    |
|--------------------|
| (PETROLEUM), LIGHT |
| ALIPHATIC          |

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| OSHA Z1 | time weighted average | 500 ppm |
|---------|-----------------------|---------|
| ACGIH   | time weighted average | 300 ppm |
| ACGIH   | time weighted average | 1,370   |
|         |                       | mg/m3   |

#### General advice

These recommendations provide general guidance for handling this product. Personal protective equipment should be selected for individual applications and should consider factors which affect exposure potential, such as handling practices, chemical concentrations and ventilation. It is ultimately the responsibility of the employer to follow regulatory guidelines established by local authorities.

## **Exposure controls**

Provide sufficient mechanical (general and/or local exhaust) ventilation to maintain exposure below exposure guidelines (if applicable) or below levels that cause known, suspected or apparent adverse effects.

## Eye protection

Not required under normal conditions of use. Wear splash-proof safety goggles if material could be misted or splashed into eyes.

## Skin and body protection

Wear resistant gloves (consult your safety equipment supplier).

Wear normal work clothing including long pants, long-sleeved shirts and foot covering to prevent direct contact of the product with the skin. Launder clothing before reuse. If skin irritation develops, contact your facility health and safety professional or your local safety equipment supplier to determine the proper personal protective equipment for your use.



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## Respiratory protection

A NIOSH-approved air-purifying respirator with an appropriate cartridge and/or filter may be persmissible under certain circumstancs where airborne concentrations are expected to exceed exposure limits (if applicable) or if overexposure has otherwise been determined. Protection provided by air-purifying respirators is limited. Use a positive pressure, air-supplied respirator if there is any potential for uncontrolled release, exposure levels are not known or any other circumstances where an air-purifying respirator may not provide adequate protection.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical state

Form

Colour Odour

Boiling point/boiling range

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Flash point

**Evaporation rate Explosion limits** 

Vapour pressure

Vapour density

**Density** 

**Solubility** 

Partition coefficient: n-

octanol/water

log Pow

Autoignition temperature

liquid

No data

colourless, clear

hydrocarbon-like

185.00 °F / 185 °F @ 760.00 mmHg

50 °F / 10 °C, Tag closed cup

3.5 (N-Butyl Acetate)

1.3 %(V) 8.0 %(V)

12.00 mmHg @ 68 °F / 20 °C

3.65 (AIR=1)

0.752 g/cm3 @ 60.00 °F / 15.56 °C

6.19 lb/gal @ 61 °F / 16 °C

negligible in water

No data

no data available

450 °F / 232 °C

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

## Stability

Stable.

#### Conditions to avoid

Heat, flames and sparks.

## **Incompatible products**



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Strong oxidizing agents

## Hazardous decomposition products

carbon dioxide and carbon monoxide, Hydrocarbons

## Hazardous reactions

Product will not undergo hazardous polymerization.

# Thermal decomposition

No data

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute oral toxicity

| SOLVENT NAPHTHA (PETROLEUM), LIGHT | LD 50 Rat: > 8,000 mg/kg |
|------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| ALIPHATIC                          |                          |

#### Acute inhalation toxicity

| <u> </u>                           |            |               |  |
|------------------------------------|------------|---------------|--|
| SOLVENT NAPHTHA (PETROLEUM), LIGHT | LC 50 Rat: | 3400 ppm, 4 h |  |
| ALIPHATIC                          |            |               |  |

## Acute dermal toxicity

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|------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| SOLVENT NAPHTHA (PETROLEUM), LIGHT | LD 50 Rat: > 4,000 mg/kg |
| ALIPHATIC                          |                          |

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

## Aquatic toxicity

Acute and Prolonged Toxicity to Fish

No data

**Acute Toxicity to Aquatic Invertebrates** 

No data

## Environmental fate and pathways

No data

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

## Waste disposal methods



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Dispose of in accordance with all applicable local, state and federal regulations. Do not discharge effluent containing this product into lakes, streams, ponds or estuaries, oceans, or other waters unless in accordance with the requirements of a National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit, and the permitting authority has been notified in writing prior to discharge. Do not discharge effluent containing this product to sewer systems without previously notifying the local sewage treatment plant authority. For guidance, contact your State Water Board or Regional Office of the EPA. For assistance with your waste management needs - including disposal, recycling and waste stream reduction, contact Ashland Distribution's Environmental Services Group at 800-637-7922.

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

# MDG: UN 1268, PETROLEUM DISTILLATES, NOS. (ALIPHATIC PETROLEUM DISTILLATES,)3,II ATA P: UN 1268, Petroleum distillates, no.s. (ALIPHATIC PETROLEUM DISTILLATES, ) 3,II MATA C: UN 1268, Petroleum distillates, no.s. (ALIPHATIC PETROLEUM DISTILLATES, ) 3,II CFR ROAD: UN 1268, Petroleum distillates, nos. (ALIPHATIC PETROLEUM DISTILLATES, ) 3,I CFR RAL: UN1268, Petroleum distillates, nos. (ALIPHATIC PETROLEUM DISTILLATES, ) CFR INW TR: UN1268, Petroleum distilates, nos. (ALIPHATIC PETROLEUM DISTILLATES, ) 3,I IMDG ROAD: UN1268, PETROLEUM DISTILLATES, NOS. (ALIPHATIC PETROLEUM DISTILLATES,)3,II MDG RAL: UN 1268, PETROLEUM DISTILLATES, N.O.S. (ALIPHATIC PETROLEUM DISTILLATES,)3,II

Dangerous goods descriptions (if indicated above) may not reflect package size, quantity, end-use or region-specific exceptions that can be applied. Consult shipping documents for descriptions that are specific to the shipment.



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## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

## California Prop. 65

This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth, or any other reproductive defects.

**SARA Hazard Classification** 

Fire Hazard

Acute Health Hazard

SARA 313 Component(s)

Reportable quantity - Components

SOLVENT NAPHTHA

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none

(PETROLEUM), LIGHT ALIPHATIC

|      | Health | Flammability | Reactivity | Other |
|------|--------|--------------|------------|-------|
| HMIS | 1      | 3            | 0          | •     |
| NFPA | 1      | 3            | 0          |       |

#### 16. OTHER INFORMATION

The information accumulated herein is believed to be accurate but is not warranted to be whether originating with the company or not. Recipients are advised to confirm in advance of need that the information is current, applicable, and suitable to their circumstances. This MSDS has been prepared by Ashland's Environmental Health and Safety Department (1-800-325-3751).