



## ARDEX EG15 Resin Part A Improved Formula

Ardex (Ardex Australia)

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Safety Data Sheet according to WHS and ADG requirements.

Chemwatch Hazard Alert Code: 2

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

#### Product Identifier

|                               |  |
|-------------------------------|--|
| Product name                  | ARDEX EG15 Resin Part A Improved Formula   |
| Synonyms                      | Not Available  |
| Proper shipping name          | ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S. (contains bisphenol A/ diglycidyl ether resin, liquid) |
| Other means of identification | Not Available  |

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

Relevant identified uses Epoxy resin for epoxy grout.

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

|                         |   |
|-------------------------|---|
| Registered company name | Ardex (Ardex Australia)                       |
| Address                 | 20 Powers Road Seven Hills NSW 2147 Australia |
| Telephone               | 1800 224 070                                  |
| Fax                     | 1300 780 102                                  |
| Website                 | Not Available                                 |
| Email                   | Not Available                                 |

#### Emergency telephone number

|                                   |                                 |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Association / Organisation        | Not Available                   |
| Emergency telephone numbers       | 1800 224 070 (Mon-Fri, 9am-5pm) |
| Other emergency telephone numbers | Not Available                   |

### SECTION 2 HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### Classification of the substance or mixture

HAZARDOUS CHEMICAL, DANGEROUS GOODS. According to the WHS Regulations and the ADG Code.

#### CHEMWATCH HAZARD RATINGS

|              | Min | Max          |
|--------------|-----|--------------|
| Flammability | 1   |              |
| Toxicity     | 0   | 1 - Moderate |
| Body Contact | 2   | 2 - Low      |
| Reactivity   | 1   | 2 - Moderate |
| Chronic      | 2   | 3 - High     |
|              |     | 4 - Extreme  |

Poisons Schedule S5

Classification [1] Skin Corrosion/Irritation Category 2, Eye Irritation Category 2A, Skin Sensitizer Category 1, Acute Aquatic Hazard Category 2, Chronic Aquatic Hazard Category 2

Legend: 1 - Classified by Chemwatch 2 - Classification drawn from HSIS 3 - Classification drawn from EC Directive 1272/2008 - Annex VI

#### Label elements

Hazard pictogram(s)



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### SIGNAL WORD | WARNING

#### Hazard statement(s)

- H315 Causes skin irritation.  
H319 Causes serious eye irritation.  
H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.  
H411 Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

#### Precautionary statement(s) Prevention

- P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.  
P261 Avoid breathing mist/vapours/spray.  
P273 Avoid release to the environment.  
P272 Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.

#### Precautionary statement(s) Response

- P362 Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.  
P302+P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.  
P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.  
P333+P313 If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

#### Precautionary statement(s) Storage

Not Applicable

#### Precautionary statement(s) Disposal

- P501 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  |
|------------|-----------|---|
| 25068-38-6 | 20-70     | <u>bisphenol A/ diglycidyl ether resin, liquid</u>        |
| 28064-14-4 | 20-70     | <u>bisphenol F glycidyl ether/ formaldehyde copolymer</u> |
| 68609-97-2 | <20       | <u>(C12-14)alkylglycidyl ether</u>                        |

## SECTION 4 FIRST AID MEASURES

### Description of first aid measures

|                     |   |
|---------------------|---|
| <b>Eye Contact</b>  | If this product comes in contact with the eyes:   |
|                     | ▶ Wash out immediately with fresh 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.   |
|                     | ▶ Seek medical attention without delay, if pain persists or recurs seek medical attention.<br>▶ Removal of contact lenses after an eye injury should only be undertaken by skilled personnel.   |
| <b>Skin Contact</b> | If skin contact occurs:   |
|                     | ▶ Immediately remove all contaminated clothing, including footwear.   |
|                     | ▶ Flush skin and hair with running water (and soap if available).<br>▶ Seek medical attention in event of irritation.   |
| <b>Inhalation</b>   | ▶ If fumes, aerosols or combustion products are inhaled remove from contaminated area.<br>▶ Other measures are usually unnecessary.   |
|                     | ▶ For advice, contact a Poisons Information Centre or a doctor at once.<br>▶ Urgent hospital treatment is likely to be needed.<br>▶ If swallowed do NOT induce vomiting.  |
| <b>Ingestion</b>    | ▶ If vomiting occurs, lean patient forward or place on left side (head-down position, if possible) to maintain open airway and prevent aspiration.<br>▶ Observe the patient carefully.<br>▶ Never give liquid to a person showing signs of being sleepy or with reduced awareness; i.e. becoming unconscious.<br>▶ Give water to rinse out mouth, then provide liquid slowly and as much as casualty can comfortably drink.<br>▶ Transport to hospital or doctor without delay. |

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

Treat symptomatically.

## SECTION 5 FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

### Extinguishing media

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- ▶ Foam.
- ▶ Dry chemical powder.
- ▶ BCF (where regulations permit).
- ▶ Carbon dioxide.

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

- Fire Incompatibility** ▶ Avoid contamination with oxidising agents i.e. nitrates, oxidising acids, chlorine bleaches, pool chlorine etc. as ignition may result

#### Advice for firefighters

**Fire Fighting**

- ▶ Alert Fire Brigade and tell them location and nature of hazard.
- ▶ Wear full body protective clothing with breathing apparatus.
- ▶ Prevent, by any means available, spillage from entering drains or water course.
- ▶ Use water delivered as a fine spray to control fire and cool adjacent area.
- ▶ Combustible.
- ▶ Slight fire hazard when exposed to heat or flame.
- ▶ Heating may cause expansion or decomposition leading to violent rupture of containers.
- ▶ On combustion, may emit toxic fumes of carbon monoxide (CO).

**Fire/Explosion Hazard**

Combustion products include:  
· carbon dioxide (CO2)  
· aldehydes  
· other pyrolysis products typical of burning organic material.

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### SECTION 6 ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

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

See section 8

#### Environmental precautions

See section 12

#### Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

- In the event of a spill of a reactive diluent, the focus is on containing the spill to prevent contamination of soil and surface or ground water. If irritating vapors are present, an approved air-purifying respirator with organic vapor canister is recommended for cleaning up spills and leaks.
  - For small spills, reactive diluents should be absorbed with sand.
- Minor Spills** Environmental hazard - contain spillage.
- ▶ 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.
- Environmental hazard - contain spillage.  
Industrial spills or releases of reactive diluents are infrequent and generally contained. If a large spill does occur, the material should be captured, collected, and reprocessed or disposed of according to applicable governmental requirements.  
An approved air-purifying respirator with organic-vapor canister is recommended for emergency work.
- Major Spills** Moderate hazard.
- ▶ Clear area of personnel and move upwind.
  - ▶ Alert Fire Brigade and tell them location and nature of hazard.
  - ▶ Wear breathing apparatus plus protective gloves.

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

### SECTION 7 HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### Precautions for safe handling

**Safe handling**

- ▶ DO NOT allow clothing wet with material to stay in contact with skin
- ▶ 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**

- ▶ Store in original containers.
- ▶ Keep containers securely sealed.
- ▶ No smoking, naked lights or ignition sources.
- ▶ Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area.

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

**Suitable container**

- ▶ Metal can or drum
- ▶ Packaging as recommended by manufacturer.
- ▶ Check all containers are clearly labelled and free from leaks.

**Storage Incompatibility**

- ▶ Avoid cross contamination between the two liquid parts of product (kit).
- ▶ If two part products are mixed or allowed to mix in proportions other than manufacturer's recommendation, polymerisation with gelation and evolution of heat (exotherm) may occur.
- ▶ This excess heat may generate toxic vapour
- ▶ Avoid reaction with amines, mercaptans, strong acids and oxidising agents

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**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      |
|--|---|---------------|-----------|-------------|
| bisphenol A diglycidyl ether resin, liquid         | Epoxy resin includes EPON 1001, 1007, 820, ERL-2795     | 90 mg/m3      | 990 mg/m3 | 5,900 mg/m3 |
| bisphenol F glycidyl ether/ formaldehyde copolymer | Phenol, polymer with formaldehyde, oxiranylmethyl ether | 30 mg/m3      | 330 mg/m3 | 2,000 mg/m3 |
| Ingredient   | Original IDLH   | Revised IDLH  |           |             |
| bisphenol A diglycidyl ether resin, liquid         | Not Available   | Not Available |           |             |
| bisphenol F glycidyl ether/ formaldehyde copolymer | Not Available   | Not Available |           |             |
| (C12-14)alkylglycidyl ether                        | 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.

**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.

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.  
 Personal hygiene is a key element of effective hand care.

- When handling liquid-grade epoxy resins wear chemically protective gloves (e.g nitrile or nitrile-butadiene rubber), boots and aprons.
- DO NOT use cotton or leather (which absorb and concentrate the resin) polyvinyl chloride, rubber or polyethylene gloves (which absorb the resin)
- DO NOT use barrier creams containing emulsified fats and oils as these may absorb the resin. Silicone-based barrier creams should be reviewed prior to use

**Body protection**

See Other protection below

**Other protection**

- Overalls.
- P.V.C. apron.
- Barrier cream.

**Thermal hazards**

Not Available

**Respiratory protection**

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

Selection of the Class and Type of respirator will depend upon the level of breathing zone contaminant and the chemical nature of the contaminant. Protection Factors (defined as the ratio of contaminant outside and inside the mask) may also be important.

| Required minimum protection factor | Maximum gas/vapour concentration present in air p.p.m. (by volume) | Half-face Respirator | Full-Face Respirator |
|------------------------------------|--|----------------------|----------------------|
| up to 10                           | 1000   | A-AUS / Class 1 P2   | -                    |
| up to 50                           | 1000   | -                    | A-AUS / Class 1 P2   |
| up to 50                           | 5000   | Airline *            | -                    |
| up to 100                          | 5000   | -                    | A-2 P2               |
| up to 100                          | 10000  | -                    | A-3 P2               |
| 100+                               |  |                      | Airline**            |

\* - Continuous Flow \*\* - Continuous-flow or positive pressure demand

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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)

Cartridge respirators should never be used for emergency ingress or in areas of unknown vapour concentrations or oxygen content. The wearer must be warned to leave the contaminated area immediately on detecting any odours through the respirator. The odour may indicate that the mask is not functioning properly, that the vapour concentration is too high, or that the mask is not properly fitted. Because of these limitations, only restricted use of cartridge respirators is considered appropriate.

SECTION 9 PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

|   |   |  |                |
|---|---|--|----------------|
| <b>Appearance</b>                                   | Tan slightly viscous liquid, does not mix with water. |  |                |
| <b>Physical state</b>                               | Liquid  | <b>Relative density (Water = 1)</b>            | Not Available  |
| <b>Odour</b>  | Not Available   | <b>Partition coefficient n-octanol / water</b> | Not Available  |
| <b>Odour threshold</b>                              | Not Available   | <b>Auto-ignition temperature (°C)</b>          | Not Available  |
| <b>pH (as supplied)</b>                             | Not Available   | <b>Decomposition temperature</b>               | Not Available  |
| <b>Melting point / freezing point (°C)</b>          | Not Available   | <b>Viscosity (cSt)</b>                         | Not Available  |
| <b>Initial boiling point and boiling range (°C)</b> | Not Available   | <b>Molecular weight (g/mol)</b>                | Not Applicable |
| <b>Flash point (°C)</b>                             | Not Available   | <b>Taste</b>                                   | Not Available  |
| <b>Evaporation rate</b>                             | Not Available   | <b>Explosive properties</b>                    | Not Available  |
| <b>Flammability</b>                                 | Not Available   | <b>Oxidising properties</b>                    | Not Available  |
| <b>Upper Explosive Limit (%)</b>                    | Not Available   | <b>Surface Tension (dyn/cm or mN/m)</b>        | Not Available  |
| <b>Lower Explosive Limit (%)</b>                    | Not Available   | <b>Volatile Component (%vol)</b>               | Not Available  |
| <b>Vapour pressure (kPa)</b>                        | Not Available   | <b>Gas group</b>                               | Not Available  |
| <b>Solubility in water (g/L)</b>                    | Immiscible  | <b>pH as a solution (1%)</b>                   | Not Available  |
| <b>Vapour density (Air = 1)</b>                     | Not Available   | <b>VOC g/L</b>                                 | Not Available  |

SECTION 10 STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

|   |  |
|---|--|
| <b>Reactivity</b>                         | See section 7  |
| <b>Chemical stability</b>                 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Unstable in the presence of incompatible materials.</li> <li>▶ Product is considered stable.</li> <li>▶ Hazardous polymerisation will not occur.</li> </ul> |
| <b>Possibility of hazardous reactions</b> | See section 7  |
| <b>Conditions to avoid</b>                | See section 7  |
| <b>Incompatible materials</b>             | See section 7  |
| <b>Hazardous decomposition products</b>   | See section 5  |

SECTION 11 TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on toxicological effects

|                     |   |
|---------------------|---|
| <b>Inhaled</b>      | <p>In animal testing, exposure to aerosols of reactive diluents (especially o-cresol diglycidyl ether, CAS RN 2210-79-9) has been reported to affect the adrenal gland, central nervous system, kidney, liver, ovaries, spleen, testes, thymus and respiratory tract.</p> <p>Inhalation hazard is increased at higher temperatures.</p> <p>The material can cause respiratory irritation in some persons. The body's response to such irritation can cause further lung damage.</p>   |
| <b>Ingestion</b>    | <p>Reactive diluents exhibit a range of ingestion hazards. Small amounts swallowed incidental to normal handling operations are not likely to cause injury. However, swallowing larger amounts may cause injury.</p> <p>Animal testing showed that a single dose of bisphenol A diglycidyl ether (BADGE) given by mouth, caused an increase in immature sperm.</p> <p>Bisphenol A diglycidyl ethers (BADGEs) produce a sensitization dermatitis (skin inflammation) characterized by eczema with blisters and papules, with considerable itching of the back of the hand. This may persist for 10-14 days after withdrawal from exposure and recur immediately on re-exposure. The dermatitis may last longer following each exposure, but is unlikely to become more intense. Lower molecular weight species produce sensitization more readily.</p> <p>High molecular weight material, on single acute exposure would be expected to pass through gastrointestinal tract with little change / absorption. Occasionally accumulation of the solid material within the alimentary tract may result in formation of a bezoar (concretion), producing discomfort.</p> |
| <b>Skin Contact</b> | <p>This material can cause inflammation of the skin on contact in some persons.</p> <p>The material may accentuate any pre-existing dermatitis condition</p> <p>Bisphenol A diglycidyl ether (BADGE) may produce contact dermatitis characterized by redness and swelling, with weeping followed by crusting and scaling. A liquid resin with a molecular weight of 350 produced severe skin irritation when applied daily for 4 hours over 20 days.</p> <p>Skin contact with reactive diluents may cause slight to moderate irritation with local redness. Repeated or prolonged skin contact may cause burns.</p> <p>Open cuts, abraded or irritated skin should not be exposed to this material</p> <p>Entry into the blood-stream, through, for example, cuts, abrasions or lesions, may produce systemic injury with harmful effects. Examine the skin prior to the use of the material and ensure that any external damage is suitably protected.</p>   |
| <b>Eye</b>          | <p>This material can cause eye irritation and damage in some persons.</p> <p>Eye contact with reactive diluents may cause slight to severe irritation with the possibility of chemical burns or moderate to severe damage to the cornea.</p>  |

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Skin contact with the material is more likely to cause a sensitisation reaction in some persons compared to the general population. There has been some concern that this material can cause cancer or mutations but there is not enough data to make an assessment. Substance accumulation, in the human body, may occur and may cause some concern following repeated or long-term occupational exposure. Based on experience with similar materials, there is a possibility that exposure to the material may reduce fertility in humans at levels which do not cause other toxic effects.

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**Chronic** For some reactive diluents, prolonged or repeated skin contact may result in absorption of potentially harmful amounts or allergic skin reactions. Exposure to some reactive diluents (notably, neopentylglycol diglycidyl ether, CAS RN: 17557-23-2) has caused cancer in some animal testing. Glycidyl ethers can cause genetic damage and cancer. Bisphenol F, bisphenol A, fluorine-containing bisphenol A (bisphenol AF) and other diphenylalkanes were found to have oestrogen-like effects. Bisphenol F is present in the environment and as a contaminant of food, so humans may therefore be exposed to bisphenol. Testing shows bisphenol F has genetic toxicity as well as the ability to disrupt hormonal balance. This product contains a polymer with reactive functional groups (aldehydes and phenolics) regarded as being of moderate concern. Aldehydes are reactive, soluble and are highly irritating. Bisphenol A may have effects similar to female sex hormones and when administered to pregnant women, may damage the foetus. It may also damage male reproductive organs and sperm.

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TOXICITY  
Not Available

IRRITATION  
Not Available

bisphenol A/ diglycidyl ether resin, liquid

TOXICITY  
dermal (rat) LD50: >1200 mg/kg<sup>[2]</sup>  
Oral (rat) LD50: >1000 mg/kg<sup>[2]</sup>

IRRITATION  
Eye (rabbit) 100mg - Mild

bisphenol F glycidyl ether/ formaldehyde copolymer

TOXICITY  
dermal (rat) LD50: 4000 mg/kg<sup>[2]</sup>  
Oral (rat) LD50: 4000 mg/kg<sup>[2]</sup>

IRRITATION  
Eyes \* (-) (-) Slight irritant  
Skin \* (-) (-) Slight irritant

(C12-14)alkylglycidyl ether

TOXICITY  
Oral (rat) LD50: >10000 mg/kg<sup>[2]</sup>

IRRITATION  
Eye (rabbit): mild [Ciba]  
Skin (guinea pig): sensiliser  
Skin (human): Irritant  
Skin (human) non-sensiliser  
Skin (rabbit): moderate  
Skin Moderate

**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

The substance is classified by IARC as Group 3 NOT classifiable as to its carcinogenicity to humans. Evidence of carcinogenicity may be inadequate or limited in animal testing. Animal testing over 13 weeks showed bisphenol A diglycidyl ether (BADGE) caused mild to moderate, chronic, inflammation of the skin. Reproductive and Developmental Toxicity: Animal testing showed BADGE given over several months caused reduction in body weight but had no reproductive effects. Cancer-causing potential: It has been concluded that bisphenol A diglycidyl ether cannot be classified with respect to its cancer-causing potential in humans. Genetic toxicity: Laboratory tests on genetic toxicity of BADGE have so far been negative. Foototoxicity has been observed in animal studies Oral (rabbit, female) NOEL 180 mg/kg (teratogenicity); NOEL (maternal) 60 mg/kg

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BISPHENOL A/ DIGLYCIDYL ETHER RESIN, LIQUID & BISPHENOL F GLYCIDYL ETHER/ FORMALDEHYDE COPOLYMER & (C12-14)ALKYLGLYCIDYL ETHER

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.

BISPHENOL A/ DIGLYCIDYL ETHER RESIN, LIQUID & BISPHENOL F GLYCIDYL ETHER/ FORMALDEHYDE COPOLYMER

The chemical structure of hydroxylated diphenylalkanes or bisphenols consists of two phenolic rings joined together through a bridging carbon. This class of endocrine disruptors that mimic oestrogens is widely used in industry, particularly in plastics Bisphenol A (BPA) and some related compounds exhibit oestrogenic activity in human breast cancer cell line MCF-7, but there were remarkable differences in activity. Several derivatives of BPA exhibited significant thyroid hormonal activity towards rat pituitary cell line GH3, which releases growth hormone in a thyroid hormone-dependent manner. However, BPA and several other derivatives did not show such activity.

Acute Toxicity

Skin Irritation/Corrosion

Serious Eye Damage/Irritation

Respiratory or Skin sensitisation

Mutagenicity

Carcinogenicity

Reproductivity

STOT - Single Exposure

STOT - Repeated Exposure

Aspiration Hazard

Legend: X - Data available but does not fit the criteria for classification

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☒ - Data available to make classification  
☒ - Data Not Available to make classification

**SECTION 12 ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**Toxicity**

| Ingredient   | ENDPOINT      | TEST DURATION (HR) | SPECIES                       | VALUE         | SOURCE        |
|--|---------------|--------------------|-------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| ARDEX EG15 Resin Part A Improved Formula           | Not Available | Not Available      | Not Available                 | Not Available | Not Available |
|  | Not Available | Not Available      | Not Available                 | Not Available | Not Available |
| bisphenol A/ diglycidyl ether resin, liquid        | ENDPOINT      | TEST DURATION (HR) | SPECIES                       | VALUE         | SOURCE        |
|  | LC50          | 96                 | Fish                          | 1.2mg/L       | 2             |
|  | EC50          | 72                 | Algae or other aquatic plants | 9.4mg/L       | 2             |
| bisphenol F glycidyl ether/ formaldehyde copolymer | ENDPOINT      | TEST DURATION (HR) | SPECIES                       | VALUE         | SOURCE        |
|  | NOEC          | 72                 | Algae or other aquatic plants | 2.4mg/L       | 2             |
|  | Not Available | Not Available      | Not Available                 | Not Available | Not Available |
| (C12-14)alkylglycidyl ether                        | ENDPOINT      | TEST DURATION (HR) | SPECIES                       | VALUE         | SOURCE        |
|  | Not Available | Not Available      | Not Available                 | Not Available | Not Available |

**Legend:** Extracted from 1. IUCLID Toxicity Data 2. Europe ECHA Registered Substances - Ecotoxicological Information - Aquatic Toxicity 3. EPIWIN Suite V3.12 (QSAR) - 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

Toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.  
DO NOT discharge into sewer or waterways

**Persistence and degradability**

| Ingredient                                  | Persistence: Water/Soil | Persistence: Air |
|---|-------------------------|------------------|
| bisphenol A/ diglycidyl ether resin, liquid | HIGH                    | HIGH             |

**Bioaccumulative potential**

| Ingredient                                  | Bioaccumulation       |
|---|-----------------------|
| bisphenol A/ diglycidyl ether resin, liquid | LOW (LogKOW = 2.6835) |

**Mobility in soil**

| Ingredient                                  | Mobility          |
|---|-------------------|
| bisphenol A/ diglycidyl ether resin, liquid | LOW (KOC = 51.43) |

**SECTION 13 DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

**Waste treatment methods**

- ▶ Containers may still present a chemical hazard/ danger when empty.
- ▶ Return to supplier for reuse/ recycling if possible.
- Otherwise:
  - ▶ If container can not be cleaned sufficiently well to ensure that residuals do not remain or if the container cannot be used to store the same product, then puncture containers, to prevent re-use, and bury at an authorised landfill.
  - ▶ Where possible retain label warnings and SDS and observe all notices pertaining to the product.

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)

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

**Product / Packaging disposal**

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SECTION 14 TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Labels Required



Marine Pollutant



HAZCHEM -3Z

Land transport (ADG)

|                                     |  |
|-------------------------------------|--|
| <b>UN number</b>                    | 3082   |
| <b>UN proper shipping name</b>      | ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S. (contains bisphenol A/ diglycidyl ether resin, liquid) |
| <b>Transport hazard class(es)</b>   | Class 9<br>Subrisk Not Applicable  |
| <b>Packing group</b>                | III  |
| <b>Environmental hazard</b>         | Environmentally hazardous  |
| <b>Special precautions for user</b> | Special provisions 274 331 335 375 AU01<br>Limited quantity 5 L  |

Environmentally Hazardous Substances meeting the descriptions of UN 3077 or UN 3082 are not subject to this Code when transported by road or rail in:  
(a) packagings;  
(b) IBCs, or  
(c) any other receptacle not exceeding 500 kg(L).  
- Australian Special Provisions (SP AU01) - ADG Code 7th Ed.

Air transport (ICAO-IATA / DGR)

|                                     |  |
|-------------------------------------|--|
| <b>UN number</b>                    | 3082   |
| <b>UN proper shipping name</b>      | Environmentally hazardous substance, liquid, n.o.s. * (contains bisphenol A/ diglycidyl ether resin, liquid)   |
| <b>Transport hazard class(es)</b>   | ICAO/IATA Class 9<br>ICAO / IATA Subrisk Not Applicable<br>ERG Code 9L   |
| <b>Packing group</b>                | III  |
| <b>Environmental hazard</b>         | Environmentally hazardous  |
| <b>Special precautions for user</b> | Special provisions A97 A158 A197<br>Cargo Only Packing Instructions 964<br>Cargo Only Maximum Qty / Pack 450 L<br>Passenger and Cargo Packing Instructions 964<br>Passenger and Cargo Maximum Qty / Pack 450 L<br>Passenger and Cargo Limited Quantity Packing Instructions Y964<br>Passenger and Cargo Limited Maximum Qty / Pack 30 kg G |

Sea transport (IMDG-Code / GGVSee)

|                                     |  |
|-------------------------------------|--|
| <b>UN number</b>                    | 3082   |
| <b>UN proper shipping name</b>      | ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S. (contains bisphenol A/ diglycidyl ether resin, liquid) |
| <b>Transport hazard class(es)</b>   | IMDG Class 9<br>IMDG Subrisk Not Applicable  |
| <b>Packing group</b>                | III  |
| <b>Environmental hazard</b>         | Marine Pollutant   |
| <b>Special precautions for user</b> | EMS Number F-A, S-F<br>Special provisions 274 335 969<br>Limited Quantities 5 L                            |

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



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Not Applicable

### SECTION 15 REGULATORY INFORMATION

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

##### BISPHENOL A/ DIGLYCIDYL ETHER RESIN, LIQUID(25068-38-6) IS FOUND ON THE FOLLOWING REGULATORY LISTS

|  |  |
|--|--|
| Australia Hazardous Chemical Information System (HCIS) - Hazardous Chemicals                         | Australia Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP) - Appendix F (Part 3) |
| Australia Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS)  | Australia Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP) - Schedule 5          |
| Australia Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP) - Appendix E (Part 2) |  |

##### BISPHENOL F GLYCIDYL ETHER/ FORMALDEHYDE COPOLYMER(28064-14-4) IS FOUND ON THE FOLLOWING REGULATORY LISTS

Australia Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS)

##### (C12-14)ALKYLGLYCIDYL ETHER(68609-97-2) IS FOUND ON THE FOLLOWING REGULATORY LISTS

Australia Hazardous Chemical Information System (HCIS) - Hazardous Chemicals      Australia Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS)

| National Inventory            | Status   |
|-------------------------------|--|
| Australia - AICS              | Y  |
| Canada - DSL                  | Y  |
| Canada - NDSL                 | N ((C12-14)alkylglycidyl ether; bisphenol A/ diglycidyl ether resin, liquid; bisphenol F glycidyl ether/ formaldehyde copolymer) |
| China - IECSC                 | Y  |
| Europe - EINEC / ELINCS / NLP | N (bisphenol F glycidyl ether/ formaldehyde copolymer)   |
| Japan - ENCS                  | N ((C12-14)alkylglycidyl ether; bisphenol A/ diglycidyl ether resin, liquid)   |
| Korea - KECI                  | Y  |
| New Zealand - NZIoC           | Y  |
| Philippines - PICCS           | Y  |
| 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   |
|--|--|
| bisphenol A/ diglycidyl ether resin, liquid        | 25068-38-6, 25085-99-8                         |
| bisphenol F glycidyl ether/ formaldehyde copolymer | 28064-14-4, 42616-71-7, 59029-73-1, 94422-39-6 |

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.

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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