

# OSHA-Required Health And Safety Information!

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**Section 1**

**MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET # 72**  
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**Section 2 - Hazardous Ingredients/Identity Information**

Hazardous Components (Specific Chemical Identity; Common Name(s), CAS Numbers)	OSHA PEL	ACGIH TLV (TWA)	Other Limits	Upper Bound Limit if SARA Reportable
Isopropanol (67-63-0)	400ppm	200ppm	N/A	--

**HMIS Hazard Rating:** Health: 1 Flammability: 2 Reactivity: 0 Personal Protection: G

**Section 3 - Physical/Chemical Characteristics**

Boiling Point (°F): 180 (For Isopropanol)	Specific Gravity (H <sub>2</sub> O = 1): 1.29	Vapor Density (Air = 1): 2.07	Vapor Pressure (mm Hg): at 20° C 33 (For Isopropanol)
Melting Point (° F) N/A	Evaporation Rate: (Butyl Acetate = 1) N/A	Solubility in Water: Insoluble	VOC Level (g/L): 183
Appearance And Color: Greenish-blue paste	Odor: Alcohol odor		

**Section 4 - Fire And Explosion Hazard Data**

Flash Point: 170° F T.C.C.	Flammable Limits: N/A	LEL: 2%	UEL: 12.0% Based on Isopropanol)
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**Extinguishing Media:** Use dry chemical or alcohol type foam or water spray or carbon dioxide.

**Special Firefighting Procedures:**

Caution: Combustible mixture, use self contained breathing apparatus when handling fires in confined spaces. Use water spray to cool fire exposed surfaces.

**Unusual Fire And Explosion Hazards:**

Vapors from the product, being heavier than air, may travel to pilot lights and other sources of ignition. Extinguish all such sources of ignition.

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**Section 5 - Reactivity Data**

**Stability:** Stable      **Conditions To Avoid:** Heat, sparks and open flame.

**Incompatibility (Materials To Avoid):** Avoid concentrated nitric and sulfuric acids, strong oxidizers, aldehydes and halogens.

**Hazardous Decomposition:** Burning may produce carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide.

**Hazardous Polymerization:** Will not occur

**Section 6 - Health Hazard Data**

**Routes of Entry:**    **Inhalation** YES/Primary      **Skin** YES/Primary      **Ingestion** YES/Secondary

**Health Hazards:**

Ingestion of large quantity may cause drowsiness and loss of consciousness.

**Carcinogenicity:**    **NTP** NO      **IARC** NO      **OSHA Regulated** NO

**Signs And Symptoms of Exposure:**

**INGESTION:** Slightly toxic. Ingestion of a large quantity may cause drowsiness and loss of consciousness. Stomach cramps, pain, nausea, vomiting and diarrhea may also occur. **INHALATION:** concentration may cause mild irritation of eyes, nose and throat. Concentration above the TLV may result in headache and drowsiness. **SKIN CONTACT:** No evidence of adverse effects from available information on skin absorption, but prolonged contact may cause drying and cracking of skin. **EYE CONTACT:** May cause slight to moderate irritation with possible corneal injury.

**Medical Conditions Generally Aggravated By Exposure:**

See exposure.

**Emergency And First Aid Procedures:**

**INGESTION:** DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING. If conscious, dilute by giving large quantities of water or milk. Call a physician immediately. **INHALATION:** Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration preferably mouth to mouth. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Call a physician. **SKIN CONTACT:** Wash the affected area with soap and water. Remove contaminated clothing. **EYE CONTACT:** Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for 15 minutes. Get medical attention.

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**Section 7 - Precautions For Safe Handling And Use:****Steps To Be Taken In Case Material Is Released Or Spilled:**

Use absorbent material to pick up small spills. For large spills extinguish any ignition source & pick up with absorbent material.

**Waste Disposal Method:**

Small spills: Non-Hazardous landfill. Large spills: Dispose of in accordance with federal, state, & local regulations.

**Precautions To Be Taken In Handling And Storing:**

Keep away from heat, sparks and flame. Avoid contact with eyes. Keep container closed. Use with adequate ventilation.

**Other Precautions:**

None

**Section 8 - Control Measures:****Respiratory Protection:**

None normally required. When handling large quantities, use self-contained breathing apparatus if concentration of vapor exceeds 400 ppm.

**Ventilation:** Local Exhaust N/A

**Special** N/A

Mechanical Acceptable

**Other:** N/A

**Gloves:** Butyl rubber gloves.

**Eye Protection:** Chemical splash goggles.

**Other Protective Clothing:** NONE

**Work/Hygienic Practices** Wash thoroughly after handling.



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