

RHEOBYK-7588

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SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION

Product name : RHEOBYK-7588

Manufacturer or supplier's details

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number 3887

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use : Anti-settling Additive

Restrictions on use : Refer to Section 15 for any restrictions that may apply

SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

GHS Classification

Flammable liquids : Category 3

Acute toxicity (Inhalation) : Category 4

Skin irritation : Category 2

Eye irritation : Category 2A

Carcinogenicity : Category 2

Reproductive toxicity : Category 2

Specific target organ toxicity

- single exposure

: Category 3 (Central nervous system)

Specific target organ toxicity

- repeated exposure

: Category 2 (Kidney, Liver)

GHS label elements

Hazard pictograms





Signal word : Warning



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Hazard statements : H226 Flammable liquid and vapour.

H315 Causes skin irritation.

H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

H332 Harmful if inhaled.

H336 May cause drowsiness or dizziness.

H351 Suspected of causing cancer.

H361 Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child. H373 May cause damage to organs (Kidney, Liver) through

prolonged or repeated exposure.

Precautionary statements : **Prevention**:

P201 Obtain special instructions before use.

P202 Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read

and understood.

P210 Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces.

No smoking.

P233 Keep container tightly closed.

P240 Ground/bond container and receiving equipment. P241 Use explosion-proof electrical/ ventilating/ lighting

equipment.

P242 Use only non-sparking tools.

P243 Take precautionary measures against static discharge.

P260 Do not breathe dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapours/ spray.

P264 Wash skin thoroughly after handling.

P271 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

P280 Wear protective gloves/ eye protection/ face protection.

P281 Use personal protective equipment as required.

Response:

P303 + P361 + P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/ Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower.

P304 + P340 + P312 IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P308 + P313 IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.

P332 + P313 If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

P337 + P313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

P362 Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. P370 + P378 In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol-resistant foam for extinction.

Storage:

P403 + P233 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

P403 + P235 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.

P405 Store locked up.



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Disposal:

P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste

disposal plant.

Other hazards

None known.

SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical nature : Modified waxes in xylene

Hazardous components

Ethylbenzene is a component of Xylene.

Component	CAS-No.	Concentration (%)
Xylene	1330-20-7	>= 56 - < 57
Ethyl benzene	100-41-4	>= 23 -< 24
Toluene	108-88-3	>= 0 -<1

SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

General advice : Move out of dangerous area.

Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

Do not leave the victim unattended.

If inhaled : Consult a physician after significant exposure.

If unconscious, place in recovery position and seek medical

advice.

In case of skin contact : If skin irritation persists, call a physician.

If on skin, rinse well with water. If on clothes, remove clothes.

In case of eye contact : Immediately flush eye(s) with plenty of water.

Remove contact lenses. Protect unharmed eye.

Keep eye wide open while rinsing.

If eye irritation persists, consult a specialist.

If swallowed : Keep respiratory tract clear.

Do not give milk or alcoholic beverages.

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

If symptoms persist, call a physician. Take victim immediately to hospital.

Most important symptoms : No information available.



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and effects, both acute and

delayed

SECTION 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media : Alcohol-resistant foam

Carbon dioxide (CO2)

Dry chemical

Unsuitable extinguishing

media

: No information available.

Specific hazards during

firefighting

: Do not allow run-off from fire fighting to enter drains or water

courses.

Hazardous combustion

products

: Carbon oxides

Further information : Collect contaminated fire extinguishing water separately. This

must not be discharged into drains.

Fire residues and contaminated fire extinguishing water must

be disposed of in accordance with local regulations. For safety reasons in case of fire, cans should be stored

separately in closed containments.

Use a water spray to cool fully closed containers.

Special protective equipment

for firefighters

: Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if

necessary.

SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures : Use personal protective equipment.

Ensure adequate ventilation. Remove all sources of ignition. Evacuate personnel to safe areas.

Beware of vapours accumulating to form explosive concentrations. Vapours can accumulate in low areas.

Environmental precautions : Prevent product from entering drains.

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

If the product contaminates rivers and lakes or drains inform

respective authorities.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

: Contain spillage, and then collect with non-combustible absorbent material, (e.g. sand, earth, diatomaceous earth, vermiculite) and place in container for disposal according to

local / national regulations (see section 13).

Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust.



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SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Advice on safe handling : Avoid formation of aerosol.

Do not breathe vapours/dust.

Avoid exposure - obtain special instructions before use.

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. For personal protection see section 8.

Smoking, eating and drinking should be prohibited in the

application area.

Take precautionary measures against static discharges. Provide sufficient air exchange and/or exhaust in work rooms. Open drum carefully as content may be under pressure. Dispose of rinse water in accordance with local and national

regulations.

Conditions for safe storage : No smoking.

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated

place.

Containers which are opened must be carefully resealed and

kept upright to prevent leakage. Observe label precautions.

Electrical installations / working materials must comply with

the technological safety standards.

Materials to avoid : Keep away from oxidizing agents.

SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Components with workplace control parameters

Components	CAS-No.	Value type (Form of exposure)	Control parameters / Permissible concentration	Basis
Xylene	1330-20-7	TWA	100 ppm 435 mg/m3	OSHA Z-1
Xylene		STEL	150 ppm 655 mg/m3	OSHA P0
Xylene		TWA	100 ppm 435 mg/m3	OSHA P0
Xylene		TWA	100 ppm	ACGIH
Xylene		STEL	150 ppm	ACGIH
Ethyl benzene	100-41-4	TWA	20 ppm	ACGIH
Ethyl benzene		TWA	100 ppm 435 mg/m3	OSHA Z-1
Ethyl benzene		TWA	100 ppm 435 mg/m3	OSHA P0
Ethyl benzene		STEL	125 ppm 545 mg/m3	OSHA P0



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Toluene	108-88-3	TWA	20 ppm	ACGIH
Toluene		TWA	200 ppm	OSHA Z-2
Toluene		CEIL	300 ppm	OSHA Z-2
Toluene		Peak	500 ppm	OSHA Z-2
Toluene		TWA	100 ppm	OSHA P0
			375 mg/m3	
Toluene		STEL	150 ppm 560 mg/m3	OSHA P0

Engineering measures : Use with local exhaust ventilation.

Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection : Unless air monitoring demonstrates vapor/mist/dust levels

are below the PEL/TLV wear a properly fitted respirator (NIOSH approved) or dust mask during exposure.

Hand protection

Material : Nitrile rubber

Remarks : The suitability for a specific workplace should be discussed

with the producers of the protective gloves.

Eye protection : Eye wash bottle with pure water

Tightly fitting safety goggles

Wear face-shield and protective suit for abnormal processing

problems.

Skin and body protection : Impervious clothing

Choose body protection according to the amount and

concentration of the dangerous substance at the work place.

Hygiene measures : When using do not eat or drink.

When using do not smoke.

Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance : liquid

Colour : white

Odour : solvent-like

Odour Threshold : No data available

pH : No data available

Melting point/range : No data available



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Initial boiling point and boiling : No data available

range

Vapour pressure : No data available

Flash point : 81 °F (27 °C)

Upper explosion limit : 1.0 %(V)

Lower explosion limit : 0.8 %(V)

Evaporation rate : No data available

Flammability (solid, gas) : No data available

Relative vapour density : No data available

Relative Density/Specific

Gravity

: No data available

: 0.89 g/cm3 (68 °F (20 °C)) Density

Solubility(ies)

Water solubility : insoluble

Solubility in other solvents : No data available

Partition coefficient: n-

octanol/water

: No data available

: 950 °F (510 °C) Ignition temperature

Thermal decomposition : No data available

Viscosity

Viscosity, dynamic : No data available

SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity : Not classified as a reactivity hazard.

Chemical stability : Stable; polymerization will not occur

Possibility of hazardous

reactions

: Vapours may form explosive mixture with air.



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Conditions to avoid : Heat, flames and sparks.

Incompatible materials : Strong acids

Oxidizing agents

Hazardous decomposition

products

: No data available

SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on likely routes of exposure

Acute toxicity

Product:

Acute oral toxicity : Acute toxicity estimate : 4,393 mg/kg

Method: Calculation method

Acute inhalation toxicity : Acute toxicity estimate : 6067 ppm

Exposure time: 4 h
Test atmosphere: gas
Method: Calculation method

Acute dermal toxicity : Acute toxicity estimate : 3,002 mg/kg

Method: Calculation method

Components:

1330-20-7 Xylene:

Acute oral toxicity : LD50 (Rat): 4,300 mg/kg

Method: EC Directive 92/69/EEC B.1 Acute Toxicity (Oral)

GLP: no

Acute inhalation toxicity : LC50 (Rat): 5000 ppm

Exposure time: 4 h

Acute dermal toxicity : LD50 (Rabbit): 1,700 mg/kg

LD50 (Rabbit): > 4,200 mg/kg GLP: No information available.

100-41-4 Ethyl benzene:

Acute oral toxicity : LD50 (Rat): 3,500 mg/kg

Acute dermal toxicity : LD50 (Rabbit): 5,510 mg/kg

108-88-3 Toluene:

Acute oral toxicity : LD50 (Rat): 2,600 mg/kg



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Skin corrosion/irritation

Product:

Remarks: No data available

Components:

1330-20-7 Xylene: Species: Rabbit

Result: Moderate skin irritation

100-41-4 Ethyl benzene:

Species: Rabbit

Result: Moderate skin irritation

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Product:

Remarks: No data available

Components:

1330-20-7 Xylene: Species: Rabbit Result: Eye irritation

100-41-4 Ethyl benzene:

Species: Rabbit

Result: Moderate eye irritation

Respiratory or skin sensitisation

Carcinogenicity

IARC Group 2B: Possibly carcinogenic to humans

Ethyl benzene 100-41-4

Group 2B: Possibly carcinogenic to humans

Ethyl benzene 100-41-4

Cumene 98-82-8

OSHA No component of this product present at levels greater than or

equal to 0.1% is on OSHA's list of regulated carcinogens.

No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is on OSHA's list of regulated carcinogens.

NTP No component of this product present at levels greater than or



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equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen

by NTP.

Reasonably anticipated to be a human carcinogen

Cumene 98-82-8

Repeated dose toxicity

Product:

Remarks: Absorption of ingredients (solvents) by inhalation and/or repeated skin contact has caused injury to liver, kidney, brain, respiratory system, blood, and/or bone marrow in laboratory animals

Animal studies have shown Xylene to cause fetotoxic effects at dosage levels at or near maternal toxicity levels.

Excessive inhalation of Xylene has caused hearing loss in laboratory animals. Hexane used in conjunction w/Xylene greatly increased this effect. Chronic skin contact w/Xylene has caused dermatitis. Ingestion of Ethanol can increase effects of overexposure to Xylene.

Ethylbenzene is an IARC Group 2B carcinogen based on animal studies (increased tumors in rats and mice).

Experience with human exposure

Product:

Inhalation:

Symptoms: High concentrations are irritating to the

respiratory tract. Has caused headaches, dizziness, nausea, vomiting and CNS depression (drowsiness, loss of coordination

and fatigue).

Skin contact:

Symptoms: Contact will probably cause irritation.

Eye contact:

Symptoms: Contact will probably cause irritation.

Ingestion:

Symptoms: Ingestion will probably irritate the digestive

tract; high dosages may cause CNS

depression.

Further information

Product:

Remarks: Symptoms of overexposure may be headache, dizziness, tiredness, nausea and



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vomiting., Concentrations substantially above the TLV value may cause narcotic effects., Solvents may degrease the skin.

SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

No data available

Persistence and degradability

No data available

Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

Mobility in soil

No data available

Other adverse effects

Product:

Results of PBT and vPvB

assessment

: This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or

very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of

0.1% or higher.

Regulation 40 CFR Protection of Environment; Part 82 Protection of

Stratospheric Ozone - CAA Section 602 Class I Substances

Remarks This product neither contains, nor was manufactured with a

Class I or Class II ODS as defined by the U.S. Clean Air Act

Section 602 (40 CFR 82, Subpt. A, App.A + B).

Additional ecological

information

: No data available

SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal methods

EPA Hazardous Waste

Code(s)

: D001: Ignitable D018: Benzene

Waste from residues : Do not dispose of waste into sewer.

Do not contaminate ponds, waterways or ditches with

chemical or used container.

Send to a licensed waste management company.

Contaminated packaging : Empty remaining contents.

Dispose of as unused product. Do not re-use empty containers.

Do not burn, or use a cutting torch on, the empty drum.



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SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

International Regulations

IATA-DGR

UN/ID No. : UN 1993

Proper shipping name : Flammable liquid, n.o.s.

(Xylene)

Class : 3 Packing group : III

Labels : Flammable liquid

Packing instruction (cargo : 366

aircraft)

Packing instruction : 355

(passenger aircraft)

IMDG-Code

UN number : UN 1993

Proper shipping name : FLAMMABLE LIQUID, N.O.S.

(Xylene)

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Class : 3
Packing group : III
Labels : 3

EmS Code : F-E, <u>S-E</u> Marine pollutant : no

Remarks : IMDG Code segregation group - none

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable for product as supplied.

National Regulations

49 CFR

UN/ID/NA number : UN 1993

Proper shipping name : Flammable liquids, n.o.s.

(Xylene)

Class : 3 Packing group : III

Labels : Flammable liquid

ERG Code : 128 Marine pollutant : no

SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

EPCRA - Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act



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US. EPA CERCLA Hazardous Substances (40 CFR 302)

Components	CAS-No.	Component RQ	Calculated product RQ	
		(lbs)	(lbs)	
Xylene	1330-20-7	100	177	

SARA 304 - Emergency Release Notification

This material does not contain any components with a section 304 EHS RQ.

US. EPA Emergency Planning and Community Right-To-Know Act (EPCRA) SARA Title III Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substance (40 CFR 355, Appendix A)

This material does not contain any components with a SARA 302 RQ.

SARA 311/312 Hazards : Per the June 13, 2016 Federal Register notice, EPA

harmonized the EPCRA 311/312 hazard categories with the 2012 OSHA hazard communication standard for classifying and labeling of chemicals (i.e. GHS). Please refer to Section 2 of the SDS to identify the appropriate hazard categories for

reporting purposes.

SARA 302 : No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting

requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

SARA 313 : This product contains the following toxic chemical(s) subject

to the reporting requirements of Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 and

40 CFR part 372.

 Xylene
 1330-20-7
 56.6 %

 Ethyl benzene
 100-41-4
 23.2 %

Toluene 108-88-3 .1 %

Clean Air Act

The following chemical(s) are listed as HAP under the U.S. Clean Air Act, Section 12 (40 CFR 61):

 Xylene
 1330-20-7
 56.6 %

 Ethyl benzene
 100-41-4
 23.2 %

 Toluene
 108-88-3
 .1 %

This product does not contain any chemicals listed under the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 112(r) for Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130, Subpart F).

Non-volatile (Wt) : No data available

Massachusetts Right To Know

Xylene 1330-20-7



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Ethyl benzene 100-41-4
Benzene 71-43-2

Pennsylvania Right To Know

Xylene 1330-20-7 Ethyl benzene 100-41-4 Copolymer -

Polyethylene wax -

 Cumene
 98-82-8

 Toluene
 108-88-3

New Jersey Right To Know

Xylene 1330-20-7 Ethyl benzene 100-41-4

Copolymer Polyethylene wax -

Toluene 108-88-3

New Jersey Trade Secret : 800963-1114

Registry Number for the product (NJ TSRN)

California Prop. 65

MARNING: This product can expose you to chemicals including Ethyl benzene, Cumene, Benzene, which is/are known to the State of California to cause cancer, and Toluene, Benzene, which is/are known to the State of California to cause birth defects or other reproductive harm. For more information go to www.P65Warnings.ca.gov.

CONEG Heavy Metal: We confirm that we use packaging and/or packaging components in which the sum of the incidental concentration levels of lead, mercury, cadmium and hexavalent chromium do not exceed 100 parts per million by weight.

The components of this product are reported in the following inventories:

TSCA : We certify that all of the components of this product are either

listed on the TSCA Inventory or are not subject to the notification requirements per 40 CFR 720 30(h).

Section 4 / 12(b) : Not applicable

Section 5 Not applicable

TSCA Inventory Active List BYK USA Inc. certifies that all of the components of this

product are listed on the interim list of TSCA active substances, and/or an NOC was filed during the lookback period or was filed on or after June 22, 2016, and/or a NOA report form was submitted during the reporting period. All components of this product will be listed on the final TSCA Inventory Active List. Impurities and by-products are exempt

from reporting 40 CFR 720 30(h).

DSL : We certify that all of the components of this product are listed



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on the DSL.

SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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The information provided in this Safety Data Sheet is correct to the best of our knowledge, information and belief at the date of its publication. The information given is designed only as a guidance for safe handling, use, processing, storage, transportation, disposal and release and is not to be considered a warranty or quality specification. The information relates only to the specific material designated and may not be valid for such material used in combination with any other materials or in any process, unless specified in the text.