

SAFETY DATA SHEET

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SECTION 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product name : Sikaflex®-221

Manufacturer or supplier's details

Company : Sika Australia Pty. Ltd.
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Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Product use : Sealant/adhesive

SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

GHS Classification

Flammable liquids : Category 4

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure (Inhalation) : Category 2 (Central nervous system)

GHS label elements

Hazard pictograms :



Signal word : Warning

Hazard statements : H227 Combustible liquid.
H373 May cause damage to organs (Central nervous system) through prolonged or repeated exposure if inhaled.

Precautionary statements : **Prevention:**
P210 Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.
P260 Do not breathe mist or vapours.
P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection/ hearing protection.

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Response:

P314 Get medical advice/ attention if you feel unwell.
P370 + P378 In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol-resistant foam to extinguish.

Storage:

P403 Store in a well-ventilated place.

Disposal:

P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

Other hazards which do not result in classification

None known.

SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Substance / Mixture : Mixture

Components

Chemical name	CAS-No.	Concentration (% w/w)
Urea,N,N''-(methylenedi-4,1-phenylene)bis[N'-butyl-	77703-56-1	>= 2.5 -< 10
xylene	1330-20-7	>= 0.25 -< 2.5
Stoddard solvent	8052-41-3	>= 1 -< 2.5
4,4'-methylenediphenyl diisocyanate	101-68-8	0 -< 1

SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

General advice : Move out of dangerous area.
Consult a physician.
Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

If inhaled : Move to fresh air.
Consult a physician after significant exposure.

In case of skin contact : Take off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately.
Wash off with soap and plenty of water.
If symptoms persist, call a physician.

In case of eye contact : Remove contact lenses.
Keep eye wide open while rinsing.
If eye irritation persists, consult a specialist.

If swallowed : Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water.
Do not give milk or alcoholic beverages.

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Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed : No known significant effects or hazards.
See Section 11 for more detailed information on health effects and symptoms.
May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure if inhaled.

Notes to physician : Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media : Carbon dioxide (CO₂)

Unsuitable extinguishing media : Water

Hazardous combustion products : No hazardous combustion products are known

Specific extinguishing methods : Standard procedure for chemical fires.

Special protective equipment for firefighters : In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures : Use personal protective equipment.
Deny access to unprotected persons.

Environmental precautions : Try to prevent the material from entering drains or water courses.
No special environmental precautions required.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up : Soak up with inert absorbent material (e.g. sand, silica gel, acid binder, universal binder, sawdust).
Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Advice on protection against : Normal measures for preventive fire protection.

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fire and explosion

Advice on safe handling : Avoid exceeding the given occupational exposure limits (see section 8).
Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.
For personal protection see section 8.
Smoking, eating and drinking should be prohibited in the application area.
Follow standard hygiene measures when handling chemical products

Hygiene measures : Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.
When using do not eat or drink.
When using do not smoke.
Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

Conditions for safe storage : Store in original container.
Keep in a well-ventilated place.
Observe label precautions.
Store in accordance with local regulations.

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	STEL	150 ppm 655 mg/m ³	AU OEL
		TWA	80 ppm 350 mg/m ³	AU OEL
Stoddard solvent	8052-41-3	TWA	790 mg/m ³	AU OEL
	Further information: Category 1B (Carc. 1B) Presumed to have carcinogenic potential for humans			
4,4'-methylenediphenyl diisocyanate	101-68-8	TWA	0.02 mg/m ³ (NCO)	AU OEL
	Further information: Category 2 (Carc. 2) Suspected human carcinogen, Sensitiser			
		STEL	0.07 mg/m ³ (NCO)	AU OEL

Biological occupational exposure limits

Components	CAS-No.	Control parameters	Biological specimen	Sampling time	Permissible concentration	Basis
xylene	1330-20-7	Methylhippuric acids	Urine	End of shift (As soon as possible)	1.5 g/g creatinine	ACGIH BEI

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Appropriate engineering controls : Use adequate ventilation and/or engineering controls to prevent exposure to vapours.

Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection : In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection. Respirator selection must be based on known or anticipated exposure levels, the hazards of the product and the safe working limits of the selected respirator.

Hand protection : Chemical-resistant, impervious gloves complying with an approved standard should be worn at all times when handling chemical products if a risk assessment indicates this is necessary.
Follow AS/NZS 1337.1
Recommended: Butyl rubber/nitrile rubber gloves.
Contaminated gloves should be removed.

Eye protection : Safety glasses

Skin and body protection : Protective clothing (e.g. safety shoes, long-sleeved working clothing, long trousers)
Follow AS 2210:3
Protective clothing needs to be made of cotton.

SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance : paste

Colour : various

Odour : characteristic

Odour Threshold : No data available

pH : Not applicable

Melting point/ range / Freezing point : No data available

Boiling point/boiling range : No data available

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Flash point	:	ca. 64.6 °C (148.3 °F) (Method: closed cup)
Evaporation rate	:	No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	:	No data available
Upper explosion limit / Upper flammability limit	:	No data available
Lower explosion limit / Lower flammability limit	:	No data available
Vapour pressure	:	0.01 hPa
Relative vapour density	:	No data available
Density	:	1.26 g/cm ³ (23 °C (73 °F))
Solubility(ies)		
Water solubility	:	insoluble
Solubility in other solvents	:	No data available
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	:	No data available
Auto-ignition temperature	:	No data available
Decomposition temperature	:	No data available
Viscosity		
Viscosity, dynamic	:	No data available
Viscosity, kinematic	:	ca. > 20.5 mm ² /s (40 °C (104 °F))
Explosive properties	:	No data available
Oxidizing properties	:	No data available
Volatile organic compounds	:	Directive 2010/75/EU of 24 November 2010 on industrial and livestock rearing emissions (integrated pollution prevention and control) Volatile organic compounds (VOC) content: 4.1% w/w

SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity	:	No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.
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Chemical stability : The product is chemically stable.

Possibility of hazardous reactions : No hazards to be specially mentioned.

Conditions to avoid : No data available

Incompatible materials : see section 7.

Hazardous decomposition products : No hazardous decomposition products are known.

SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute toxicity

Not classified due to lack of data.

Components:

xylene:

Acute oral toxicity : LD50 Oral (Rat): 3,523 mg/kg

4,4'-methylenediphenyl diisocyanate:

Acute oral toxicity : LD50 Oral (Rat): > 5,000 mg/kg
Method: OECD Test Guideline 401

Acute inhalation toxicity : LC50: 1.5 mg/l
Exposure time: 4 h
Test atmosphere: dust/mist
Method: Expert judgement

Skin corrosion/irritation

Not classified due to lack of data.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Not classified due to lack of data.

Respiratory or skin sensitisation

Skin sensitisation

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Respiratory sensitisation

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Chronic toxicity

Germ cell mutagenicity

Not classified due to lack of data.

Carcinogenicity

Not classified due to lack of data.

Reproductive toxicity

Not classified due to lack of data.

STOT - single exposure

Not classified due to lack of data.

STOT - repeated exposure

May cause damage to organs (Central nervous system) through prolonged or repeated exposure if inhaled.

Aspiration toxicity

Not classified due to lack of data.

SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

Components:

Urea,N,N''-(methylenedi-4,1-phenylene)bis[N'-butyl-:

Toxicity to fish : LC50 (Brachydanio rerio (zebrafish)): > 250 mg/l
Exposure time: 96 h

Toxicity to daphnia and other : EC50 (Daphnia magna (Water flea)): > 100 mg/l
aquatic invertebrates Exposure time: 48 h

Toxicity to algae/aquatic : EC50 (Raphidocelis subcapitata (freshwater green alga)): >
plants 100 mg/l
Exposure time: 72 h

xylene:

Toxicity to fish (Chronic tox- : NOEC (Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout)): > 1.3 mg/l
icity) Exposure time: 56 d

Toxicity to daphnia and other : NOEC (Daphnia (water flea)): 1.17 mg/l
aquatic invertebrates (Chron- Exposure time: 7 d
ic toxicity)

Persistence and degradability

No data available

Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

Mobility in soil

No data available

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Other adverse effects

Product:

Additional ecological information : There is no data available for this product.

SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal methods

Waste from residues : Send to a licensed waste management company.

Do not contaminate ponds, waterways or ditches with chemical or used container.

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.

SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

International Regulations

IATA-DGR

UN/ID No. : Not applicable
Proper shipping name : Not applicable
Class : Not applicable
Subsidiary risk : Not applicable
Packing group : Not applicable
Labels : Not applicable
Packing instruction (cargo aircraft) : Not applicable
Packing instruction (passenger aircraft) : Not applicable

IMDG-Code

UN number : Not applicable
Proper shipping name : Not applicable
Class : Not applicable
Subsidiary risk : Not applicable
Packing group : Not applicable
Labels : Not applicable
EmS Code : Not applicable
Marine pollutant : Not applicable

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

Not applicable for product as supplied.

National Regulations

ADG

UN number	:	Not applicable
Proper shipping name	:	Not applicable
Class	:	Not applicable
Subsidiary risk	:	Not applicable
Packing group	:	Not applicable
Labels	:	Not applicable
Hazchem Code	:	Not applicable

Special precautions for user

Not applicable

SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

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

Therapeutic Goods (Poisons Standard) Instrument	:	No poison schedule number allocated (Please use the original publication to check for specific uses, specific conditions or threshold limits that might apply for this chemical)
International Chemical Weapons Convention (CWC) Schedules of Toxic Chemicals and Precursors Prohibition/Licensing Requirements	:	Not applicable
	:	There is no applicable prohibition, authorisation and restricted use requirements, including for carcinogens referred to in Schedule 10 of the model WHS Act and Regulations.

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

AIIC : On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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Full text of other abbreviations

ACGIH BEI	:	ACGIH - Biological Exposure Indices (BEI)
AU OEL	:	Australia. Workplace Exposure Standards for Airborne Contaminants.
AU OEL / TWA	:	Exposure standard - time weighted average

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AU OEL / STEL	: Exposure standard - short term exposure limit
ADG	: Australian Dangerous Goods Code.
ADR	: European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road
CAS	: Chemical Abstracts Service
DNEL	: Derived no-effect level
EC50	: Half maximal effective concentration
GHS	: Globally Harmonized System
IATA	: International Air Transport Association
IMDG	: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods
LD50	: Median lethal dose (the amount of a material, given all at once, which causes the death of 50% (one half) of a group of test animals)
LC50	: Median lethal concentration (concentrations of the chemical in air that kills 50% of the test animals during the observation period)
MARPOL	: International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships, 1973 as modified by the Protocol of 1978
OEL	: Occupational Exposure Limit
PBT	: Persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic
PNEC	: Predicted no effect concentration
REACH	: Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 December 2006 concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH), establishing a European Chemicals Agency
SVHC	: Substances of Very High Concern
vPvB	: Very persistent and very bioaccumulative

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