



SAFETY DATA SHEET Polystria Base

1 - IDENTIFICATION OF PREPARATION AND COMPANY/BUSINESS

Preparation:

Name: POLYSTRIA BLANC BASE.
Product code: H1995B.

Company/business:

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2 - INFORMATION REGARDING CONSTITUENTS

Hazardous substances present on their own.

- (present in the preparation at a sufficient concentration to give it the toxicological characteristics it would have in a 100% pure state)
- (601-022-00-9 Cas 1330-20-7 EEC 215-535-7 O-XYLENE Concentration \geq 10.00% and $<$ 25.00%. Symbol: Xn R: 10-38-20/21

Other substances representing a hazard:

- (601-023-00-4 Cas 100-41-4 EEC 202-849-4 ETHYLBENZENE Concentration \geq 2.50% and $<$ 10.00%. Symbol: Xn F R: 11-20
- (M 00129 Cas 64742-95-6 EEC 265-199-0 SOLVANT NAPHTE AROMATIQUE LEGER (PETROLE) Concentration \geq 2.50% and $<$ 10.00%. Symbol: Xn N R: 65-51/53-10-37-66

Substances present at a concentration below the minimum danger threshold.

- (607-195-00-7 Cas 108-65-6 EEC 203-603-9 2-METHOXY-1-METHYLETHYL ACETATE Concentration \geq 0.00% and $<$ 2.50%. Symbol: Xi R: 10-36

Other substances with occupational exposure limits.

- No known substance in this category present.

Other components:

- 649-345-00-4 Cas 8052-41-3 EEC 232-489-3 STODDARD SOLVENT Concentration \geq 0.00% and $<$ 2.50%. Symbol: Xn R: 65

3 - IDENTIFICATION OF HAZARDS

- This product is classed: Flammable.
- Possibility of noxious effects with symptoms of slight poisoning by inhalation and contact with the skin.
- Harmful to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

4 - FIRST AID.

- As a general rule, in case of doubt or if symptoms persist, always call a doctor.
- NEVER induce swallowing in an unconscious person.

In the event of exposure by inhalation.

- If a large quantity is inhaled, move the patient into the fresh air and keep him/her warm and still.
- If breathing is irregular or has stopped, effect mouth-to-mouth resuscitation and call a doctor.
- Do not give the patient anything orally.

In the event of splashes or contact with eyes.

- Wash thoroughly with soft, clean water for 15 minutes holding the eyelids open.
- Refer the patient to an ophthalmologist, in particular if there is any redness, pain or visual impairment.

In the event of splashes or contact with skin.

- Remove contaminated clothing and wash the skin thoroughly with soap and water or a recognised cleaner.
- DO NOT use solvents or thinners.
- If the contaminated area is widespread and/or there is damage to the skin, a doctor must be consulted or the patient transferred to hospital

In the event of swallowing.

- In the event of swallowing, if the quantity is small (no more than one mouthful), rinse the mouth with water and consult a doctor.
- If swallowed accidentally, call a doctor to assess the need for monitoring and subsequent treatment in hospital. Show him the label.



N/A !

5 - FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

- Chemical powders, carbon dioxide and other extinguishing gas are suitable for small fires.

In the event of fire, the recommended extinguishing agents are:

- Carbon dioxide, chemical powders, foams, and other extinguishing gases.
- In the event of fire, use specifically suitable extinguishing agents. Never use water.

Extinguishing agents not to be used

- Water is not generally recommended since it can be ineffective; however, it can be used successfully to cool containers exposed to the fire and to disperse fumes.
- A fire will often produce a thick black smoke. Exposure to decomposition products may be hazardous to health.
- Do not breathe in smoke.
- Prevent the effluent of fire-fighting measures from entering drains or waterways.

Special equipment for fire-fighting personnel.

- Fire-fighting personnel are to be equipped with autonomous insulating breathing apparatus.

6 - MEASURES TO BE TAKEN IN THE EVENT OF ACCIDENTAL SPILLAGE

Safety precautions:

- Eliminate any possible source of ignition and ventilate the premises.
- On account of the organic solvents contained in the preparation, eliminate sources of ignition and ventilate the premises.
- Avoid inhaling the fumes.
- Avoid any contact with the skin and eyes.
- Consult the safety measures listed under headings 7 and 8.

Environmental safety precautions:

- Contain and control the leaks or spills with non-combustible absorbent materials such as sand, earth, vermiculite, diatom earth in drums for waste disposal.
- Prevent any material from entering drains or waterways.
- Use drums to dispose of waste recovered in accordance with applicable regulations (see heading 13).
- If the product contaminates waterways, rivers or drains, alert the relevant authorities in accordance with statutory procedures

Cleaning methods:

- Clean preferably with a detergent, do not use solvents.

7 - HANDLING AND STORAGE

- The regulations relating to storage premises apply to workshops where the product is handled.

Handling:

- Handle in well-ventilated areas.
- The fumes are denser than air. They can spread along the ground and form explosive mixtures with air
- Prevent the formation of flammable or explosive concentrations in air and avoid vapour concentrations higher than the occupational exposure limits.

Fire prevention:

- Prevent the accumulation of electrostatic charges with connections to earth
- The preparation may become electrostatically charged; always place on the ground during transfer. Wear antistatic shoes and clothes and make floors of conductive materials.
- Use the product in premises where there are no naked flames or other sources of ignition and have protected electrical equipment
- Keep packages tightly closed and away from sources of heat, sparks and naked flames.
- Do not use tools which may produce sparks. Do not smoke.
- Prevent access by unauthorised personnel.

Recommended equipment and procedures

- For personal safety, see §8.
- Observe precautions stated on label and also industrial safety regulations
- Avoid inhaling solvent fumes and spray-gun aerosols
- Packages which have been opened must be reclosed carefully and stored in an upright position
- Avoid inhaling fumes.
- Where the personnel must carry out work in a booth, whether for spraying or otherwise, the ventilation may be inadequate to control particles and solvent fumes in every case.
- It is therefore recommended that personnel wear masks with a compressed air supply during spraying operations until the concentration of particles and solvent fumes has fallen below the exposure limits.
- Avoid contact of product with the skin and eyes

Prohibited equipment and procedures.

- Smoking, eating and drinking are prohibited in premises where the preparation is used



- Never open the packages under pressure

Storage.

- Keep the container tightly closed in a dry, well-ventilated place
- Keep away from all sources of ignition - do not smoke.
- Keep well away from all sources of ignition, heat and direct sunlight
- The floor must be impermeable and form a collecting basin so that, in the event of an accidental spillage, the liquid cannot spread beyond this area.

8 - EXPOSURE CONTROL - PERSONAL SAFETY

Technical measures.

- Ensure adequate ventilation, if possible with extractor fans at work posts and appropriate general extraction.
- If this ventilation is insufficient to maintain the concentration of solvent fumes below the exposure limits, wear breathing apparatus

Exposure limits per INRS ND 2098-174-99 and ND 2114-176-99:

France	VME-ppm:	VME-mg/m3:	VLE-ppm:	VLE-mg/m3:	Notes:	TMP N°:
601-022-00-9	100	435	150	650	-	4bis, 84
601-023-00-4	100	435	-	-	-	84
607-195-00-7	-	-	-	-	-	-
649-345-00-4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Germany	Class:	MAK-ppm:	MAK-mg/m3:	Notes:	Notes:	
601-022-00-9	II,1	100	440	D,*		
601-023-00-4	I	100	440	D,*		
607-195-00-7	I	50	270	C		
649-345-00-4	-	-	-	-		
ACGIH(TLV)	TWA-ppm:	TWA-mg/m3:	STEL-ppm:	STEL-mg/m3:	Notes:	Notes:
601-022-00-9	100	434	150	651	A4	S
601-023-00-4	100	434	125	543	-	S
607-195-00-7	-	-	-	-	-	-
649-345-00-4	100	525	-	-	-	-

Exposure limits per 2000/39/EC and 98/24/EC:

	VME-ppm:	VME-mg/m3:	VLE-ppm:	VLE-mg/m3:	Notes:
601-022-00-9	50	221	100	442	Peau
601-023-00-4	100	442	200	884	Peau
607-195-00-7	50	275	100	550	Peau

Safety breathing apparatus:

- With this preparation, avoid in particular any inhalation of fumes.

Hand protection.

- Protective creams may be used for exposed skin, but they should not be applied after contact with the product.
- Due to the solvents present, it is recommended that polyvinyl alcohol or nitrile rubber gloves be worn.

Eye and face protection.

- Use eye protectors designed to protect against liquid splashes

Skin protection.

- For further information, see § 11 of S.D.S. - Toxicological information.

9 - PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

Density:	> 1
Acid/base character of preparation:	not relevant.
Solubility of preparation in water:	Insoluble.
Vapour tension at 50°C of volatile constituents:	not specified.
Physical state:	fluid liquid
Flash point interval:	23°C. < Flash point: <= 55°C.
The pH is impossible to measure or its value is not relevant.	
Self-ignition temperature:	not specified.
Decomposition temperature:	not specified.
Melting temperature interval:	not specified.
Average distillation temperature of solvents contained:	not specified.

10 - STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

➤ When exposed to high temperatures, the preparation may release dangerous decomposition products such as carbon monoxide and dioxide, smoke and nitrogen oxide

11 - TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

- No data is available regarding the preparation itself.
- Exposure to fumes from solvents contained in the preparation beyond the exposure limits stated may produce effects harmful to health, such as:
 - Irritation of mucous membrane and respiratory system, kidneys, liver and central nervous system.
 - Symptoms produced will include headaches, numbness, dizziness, fatigue, muscular asthenia and, in extreme cases, loss of consciousness.
 - Prolonged or repeated contact with the preparation may strip the skin of its natural oil and thus cause non-allergic dermatitis on contact and absorption through the epidermis.
 - Splashes in the eyes may cause irritation and reversible damage
 - 2-butoxyethanol and its acetate are absorbed directly through the skin and have harmful effects on the blood.

12 - ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

- No ecological data on the product itself is available.
- The product must not be allowed to run into drains or waterways.

Aquatic Toxicity:

- Harmful to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

13 - DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

- Do not pour into drains or waterways.

14 - TRANSPORT INFORMATION

- Transport product in compliance with provisions of the ADR for road, RID for rail, IMDG for sea and ICAO/IATA for air transport
- UN 1263 = Paint flammable (including lacquer, enamel, stain, shellac, varnish, polish and related material).

ADR/RID	Class	Number	Code	Identif.	Label		
	Not subject to this regulation (Q<450L). Transport following Nota E of the 2301 marginal						
	3	31° C	30	1263	3		
IMDG	Page	N°ONU	Class	Number	2°Label	Identif.	N°GSMU
		1263	3.3	III	-	3-05	310,313

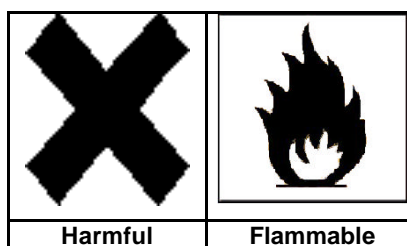
The page number 3372 should not appear anymore on the Dangerous Goods Declaration (Amendment 28-96).

IATA	N°ONU	Class	2°Label	Number	Passenger	Passenger	Freighter	Freighter	nota
	1263	3	-	III	309	60 L	310	220 L	A72
	1263	3	-	III	Y309	10 L	-	-	-

15 - STATUTORY INFORMATION

- This preparation was classified in compliance with the directive known as <All preparations> 1999/45/EC and its adaptations
- In addition directive 2001/59/EC with the 28° adaptation of directive 67/548/EC (Hazardous substances) have been taken into account.

Preparation classification.



Contains:

- 601-022-00-9 O-XYLENE



➤601-023-00-4 ETHYLBENZENE

Particular hazards associated with the preparation and safety recommendations:

- R 52/53 Harmful to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.
- R 20/21 Harmful by inhalation and in contact with skin.
- R 10 Flammable.
- S 23 Do not breathe vapour.
- S 36/37 Wear suitable protective clothing and gloves.
- S 24/25 Avoid contact with skin and eyes.
- S 60 This material and/or its container must be disposed of as hazardous waste.
- S 62 If swallowed, do not induce vomiting : seek medical advice immediately and show this container or label.
- S 9 Keep container in a well-ventilated place.

16 - OTHER INFORMATION

- Since the user's working conditions are not known by us, the information supplied on this safety data sheet is based on our current level of knowledge and on national and community regulations.
- The product must not be used for any purposes other than those specified under heading 1 without first obtaining written handling instructions.
- It is at all times the responsibility of the user to take all necessary measures to comply with legal requirements and local regulations.
- The information given on this safety data sheet must be regarded as a description of the safety requirements relating to our product and not a guarantee of its properties