

## SAFETY DATA SHEET

## THE DOW CHEMICAL COMPANY\*

Product name: ACRYSOL™ RM-400 Rheology Modifier Issue Date: 06/01/2016 Print Date: 06/02/2016

THE DOW CHEMICAL COMPANY\* encourages and expects you to read and understand the entire (M)SDS, as there is important information throughout the document. We expect you to follow the precautions identified in this document unless your use conditions would necessitate other appropriate methods or actions.

## 1. IDENTIFICATION

Product name: ACRYSOL™ RM-400 Rheology Modifier

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Identified uses: Architectural Binder Coatings.

#### **COMPANY IDENTIFICATION**

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#### **EMERGENCY TELEPHONE NUMBER**

**24-Hour Emergency Contact:** 1 800 424 9300 **Local Emergency Contact:** 800-424-9300

## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### **Hazard classification**

This material is not hazardous under the criteria of the Federal OSHA Hazard Communication Standard 29CFR 1910.1200.

## Other hazards

No data available

## 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical nature: Polyurethane resin water based

This product is a mixture.

Component CASRN Concentration

Polyurethane resin Not Hazardous 17.0 - <= 19.0 %

Lactic acid 50-21-5 >= 2.0 - <= 3.0 %

Water 7732-18-5 78.0 - 81.0 %

## 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

## Description of first aid measures

Inhalation: Move to fresh air.

Skin contact: Wash with water and soap as a precaution. If skin irritation persists, call a physician.

Eye contact: Rinse with plenty of water. If eye irritation persists, consult a specialist.

**Ingestion:** Drink 1 or 2 glasses of water. Consult a physician if necessary. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

**Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed:** Aside from the information found under Description of first aid measures (above) and Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed (below), any additional important symptoms and effects are described in Section 11: Toxicology Information.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

**Notes to physician:** Treatment of exposure should be directed at the control of symptoms and the clinical condition of the patient.

## 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media: Use extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding fire.

Unsuitable extinguishing media: No data available

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture Hazardous combustion products: No data available

Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards: Material can splatter above 100C/212F. Dried product can

burn.

Advice for firefighters

Fire Fighting Procedures: No data available

Special protective equipment for firefighters: Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and

protective suit.

## **6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

**Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures:** Use personal protective equipment. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Material can create slippery conditions.

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**Environmental precautions:** CAUTION: Keep spills and cleaning runoff out of municipal sewers and open bodies of water.

**Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up:** Contain spills immediately with inert materials (e.g., sand, earth). Transfer liquids and solid diking material to separate suitable containers for recovery or disposal.

#### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

**Precautions for safe handling:** Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling. Keep container tightly closed. Do not breathe vapors, mist or gas.

**Conditions for safe storage:** Keep from freezing - product stability may be affected. STIR WELL BEFORE USE.

#### Storage stability

1 - 49 °C (34 - 120 °F)

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### **Control parameters**

Exposure limits are listed below, if they exist.

## **Exposure controls**

**Engineering controls:** Use local exhaust ventilation with a minimum capture velocity of 100 ft/min. (0.5 m/sec.) at the point of vapor evolution. Refer to the current edition of Industrial Ventilation: A Manual of Recommended Practice published by the American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists for information on the design, installation, use, and maintenance of exhaust systems.

**Protective measures:** Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash facility.

#### Individual protection measures

**Eye/face protection:** Safety glasses with side-shields Eye protection worn must be compatible with respiratory protection system employed.

## Skin protection

**Hand protection:** The glove(s) listed below may provide protection against permeation. (Gloves of other chemically resistant materials may not provide adequate protection): Neoprene gloves

Respiratory protection: A respiratory protection program meeting OSHA 1910.134 and ANSI Z88.2 requirements or equivalent must be followed whenever workplace conditions warrant a respirator's use. None required under normal operating conditions. Where vapors and/or mists may occur, wear a properly fitted NIOSH approved (or equivalent) half-mask, air-purifying respirator. Air-purifying respirators should be equipped with NIOSH approved (or equivalent) organic vapor cartridges and N95 filters. If oil mist is present, use R95 or P95 filters.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

## Appearance

Physical state liquid

**Color** Pale yellow

**Odor** No information available.

Odor Threshold No data available

**pH** 2.6 - 3.2

Melting point/range0 °C (32 °F) WaterFreezing pointNo data availableBoiling point (760 mmHg)100 °C (212 °F) Water

Flash point Noncombustible

Evaporation Rate (Butyl Acetate

= 1)

<1 Water

Flammability (solid, gas)

Lower explosion limit

Not applicable

Upper explosion limit

Not applicable

Vapor Pressure 17 mmHg at 20 °C (68 °F) Water

Relative Vapor Density (air = 1) <1 Water
Relative Density (water = 1) 1.040
Water solubility Dilutable

Partition coefficient: n-

octanol/water

Percent volatility

No data available

Auto-ignition temperature

Decomposition temperature

No data available

No data available

700 - 1,400 mPa.s

Kinematic Viscosity

No data available

Explosive properties

No data available

NOTE: The physical data presented above are typical values and should not be construed as a specification.

81.5 - 82.5 % Water

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity: No data available

Chemical stability: No data available

Possibility of hazardous reactions: None known.

Product will not undergo polymerization.

Stable

Conditions to avoid: No data available

**Incompatible materials:** There are no known materials which are incompatible with this product.

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Hazardous decomposition products: No data available

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Toxicological information appears in this section when such data is available.

## **Acute toxicity**

## **Acute oral toxicity**

LD50, Rat, > 5,000 mg/kg

## Acute dermal toxicity

LD50, Rabbit, > 5,000 mg/kg

## Acute inhalation toxicity

Product test data not available. Refer to component data.

#### Skin corrosion/irritation

No skin irritation

## Serious eye damage/eye irritation

No eye irritation

#### Sensitization

Not a sensitizer.

## Specific Target Organ Systemic Toxicity (Single Exposure)

Product test data not available. Refer to component data.

#### Specific Target Organ Systemic Toxicity (Repeated Exposure)

Product test data not available. Refer to component data.

#### Carcinogenicity

Product test data not available. Refer to component data.

## **Teratogenicity**

Product test data not available. Refer to component data.

## Reproductive toxicity

Product test data not available. Refer to component data.

## Mutagenicity

Not mutagenic in Ames Test

#### **Aspiration Hazard**

Product test data not available. Refer to component data.

#### **Additional information**

No data are available for this material. The information shown is based on profiles of compositionally similar materials.

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#### **COMPONENTS INFLUENCING TOXICOLOGY:**

#### Polyurethane resin

#### Acute inhalation toxicity

The LC50 has not been determined.

## Lactic acid

## Acute inhalation toxicity

LC50, Rat, 4 Hour, dust/mist, > 7.94 mg/l

## **Specific Target Organ Systemic Toxicity (Single Exposure)**

May cause respiratory irritation. Route of Exposure: Inhalation Target Organs: Respiratory Tract

#### Specific Target Organ Systemic Toxicity (Repeated Exposure)

Based on available data, repeated exposures are not anticipated to cause significant adverse effects.

## Carcinogenicity

Did not cause cancer in laboratory animals.

#### **Teratogenicity**

Did not cause birth defects or any other fetal effects in laboratory animals.

## Reproductive toxicity

No relevant data found.

## **Aspiration Hazard**

Based on physical properties, not likely to be an aspiration hazard.

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicological information appears in this section when such data is available.

#### **Toxicity**

#### Acute toxicity to fish

LC50, Rainbow trout (Oncorhynchus mykiss), 96 Hour, 741 mg/l

#### Acute toxicity to aquatic invertebrates

EC50, Daphnia magna, 48 Hour, 992 mg/l

## Acute toxicity to algae/aquatic plants

EC50, Scenedesmus capricornutum (fresh water algae), 72 Hour, Growth rate, 436 mg/l

## Persistence and degradability

#### Polyurethane resin

Biodegradability: No relevant data found.

#### Lactic acid

Biodegradability: Material is expected to be readily biodegradable.

10-day Window: Pass **Biodegradation:** 88 % **Exposure time:** 30 d

Method: Method Not Specified.

Chemical Oxygen Demand: 0.9 mg/mg

## **Bioaccumulative potential**

#### Polyurethane resin

Bioaccumulation: No relevant data found.

#### Lactic acid

**Bioaccumulation:** Bioconcentration potential is low (BCF < 100 or Log Pow < 3).

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water(log Pow): -0.62 Bioconcentration factor (BCF): 3.2 Calculated.

## Mobility in soil

## Polyurethane resin

No relevant data found.

#### Lactic acid

Potential for mobility in soil is very high (Koc between 0 and 50).

Partition coefficient (Koc): < 20.9

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

**Disposal methods:** For disposal, incinerate or landfill at a permitted facility in accordance with local, state, and federal regulations.

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

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Not regulated for transport

## Classification for SEA transport (IMO-IMDG):

Not regulated for transport

Consult IMO regulations before transporting ocean bulk

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

## Classification for AIR transport (IATA/ICAO):

Not regulated for transport

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This information is not intended to convey all specific regulatory or operational requirements/information relating to this product. Transportation classifications may vary by container volume and may be influenced by regional or country variations in regulations. Additional transportation system information can be obtained through an authorized sales or customer service representative. It is the responsibility of the transporting organization to follow all applicable laws, regulations and rules relating to the transportation of the material.

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

#### **OSHA Hazard Communication Standard**

This product is considered non-hazardous under the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29CFR1910.1200).

# Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 Title III (Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act of 1986) Sections 311 and 312

This product is not a hazardous chemical under 29CFR 1910.1200, and therefore is not covered by Title III of SARA.

## Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 Title III (Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act of 1986) Section 313

This product does not contain a chemical which is listed in Section 313 at or above de minimis concentrations.

## Pennsylvania

Any material listed as "Not Hazardous" in the CAS REG NO. column of SECTION 2, Composition/Information On Ingredients, of this MSDS is a trade secret under the provisions of the Pennsylvania Worker and Community Right-to-Know Act.

## United States TSCA Inventory (TSCA)

All components of this product are produced in compliance with the requirements of the U.S. Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) and are either listed on or are exempt from listing on the Inventory. For certain polymeric substances, the Polymer Exemption cited at 40 CFR723.250 may apply.

#### 16. OTHER INFORMATION

## Hazard Rating System HMIS

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	Health	Flammability	Physical Hazard
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#### **Information Source and References**

This SDS is prepared by Product Regulatory Services and Hazard Communications Groups from information supplied by internal references within our company.

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