



THINNER 844

Safety Data Sheet

Section 1 - Chemical Product / Company Information			
Product Name:	THINNER 844	Issue Date :	31/12/2011
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Product use/class: FOR INDUSTRIAL USE ONLY			
Manufacturer: BERGER PAINTS INDIA LIMITED			
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Section 2 - Composition / Information On Ingredients			
Name	CAS No.	Approx Wt %	
XYLENE	1330-20-7	60-75	
n- BUTANOL	71-36-3	10-20	
CELLOSOLVE	141-79-1	10-15	
Section 3 - Hazards Identification			
Emergency Overview: Use ventilation necessary to keep exposures below recommended exposure limits, if any. Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin.			
Effects Of Overexposure - Eye Contact: Can cause eye burns.			
Effects Of Overexposure - Skin Contact: Direct skin contact may cause irritation			
Effects Of Overexposure - Inhalation: Use in inadequately ventilated areas may result in irritation headache and nausea. Harmful if inhaled and may cause delayed lung injury. May cause nose, throat and lung irritation. Inhalation of vapors and/or aerosols in high concentration may cause irritation of the respiratory system.			
Effects Of Overexposure - Ingestion: May be harmful if swallowed			
Effects Of Overexposure - Chronic Hazards: There is no known health effects associated with chronic exposure to this product. Under normal use conditions, this product is not expected to cause adverse health effects			
Primary Route(s) Of Entry: Skin Contact, Skin Absorption, Inhalation, Ingestion, Eye Contact			
Medical Conditions Prone to Aggravation by Exposure: If sensitized to amines, epoxies, or other chemicals do not use. See a physician if a medical condition exists.			



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Section 4 - First Aid Measures

First Aid - Eye Contact: Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician

First Aid - Skin Contact: In case of contact, immediately flush skin with plenty of water while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. Launder clothing before reuse. If rash or irritation develops, consult a physician.

First Aid - Inhalation: If inhaled, remove to fresh air. Administer oxygen if necessary. Consult a physician if symptoms persist or exposure was severe.

First Aid - Ingestion: If swallowed do not induce vomiting. Seek immediate medical attention.

Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures

Flash Point, : Above 28°C

Lower Explosive Limit, %: N/A

Upper Explosive Limit, %: N/A

Extinguishing Media: Carbon Dioxide, Dry Chemical, Foam, Water Fog

Unusual Fire And Explosion Hazards: May generate ammonia gas. May generate toxic nitrogen oxide gases. Incomplete combustion may form carbon monoxide. Downward personnel must be evacuated. Burning produces obnoxious and toxic fumes.

Special Firefighting Procedures: Non-flammable. Cool fire-exposed containers using water spray. Wear self contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

Steps To Be Taken If Material Is Released Or Spilled: If a spill or leak occurs, contain the material. It can be allowed to dry or cure and presents no health or fire hazard. The material can then be removed and disposed of as non-hazardous waste. Before drying, the material can be washed or removed using soap and water. Soak up with inert absorbent material and dispose of as hazardous waste. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Use personal protective equipment.

Section 7 - Handling And Storage

Handling: Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Keep container tightly closed when not in use. Wear personal protection equipment. Do not breathe vapors. Wash thoroughly after handling. Use only in accordance with Berger application instructions, container label and Product Data Sheet.

Storage: Do not freeze. Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.



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Section 8 - Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

Exposure Limits:

Name	CAS No	Permissible Exposure Limit
XYLENE	1330-20-7	TLV-TWA(ACGIH) : 434 mgm/ M ³ STEL(ACGIH) : 651 mgm/ M ³ LD 50 (ORAL-RAT) : 4300 mgm/Kg LC 50 (IHL-RAT) : 5000 PPM/4 HRS
n- BUTANOL	71-36-3	TLV-TWA(ACGIH) : 152 mgm/ M ³ STEL(ACGIH) : D N A LD 50 (ORAL-RAT) : 790 mgm/Kg
CELLOSOLVE	141-79-1	TLV-TWA(ACGIH) : 50 PPM STEL(ACGIH) : 75 PPM LD 50 (ORAL-RAT) : 790 mgm/Kg LC 50 (IHL-RAT) : 8000PPM/4 HRS

Engineering Controls: Where reasonably practicable this should be achieved by the use of local exhaust ventilation and good general extraction.

Respiratory Protection: Use only with ventilation to keep levels below exposure guidelines reported in this document. User should test and monitor exposure levels to ensure all personnel are below guidelines. If not sure, or not able to monitor, use State or Nationally approved supplied air respirator. For silica containing coatings in a liquid state, and/or if no exposures limits are established above, air supplied respirators are generally not required.

Skin Protection: Recommend impervious gloves and clothing to avoid skin contact. If material penetrates to skin, change gloves and clothing. The use of protective creams may be beneficial to certain individuals. Protective creams should be applied before exposure.

Eye Protection: Safety glasses with side-shields

Other protective equipment: Eye wash and safety showers should be readily available.

Hygienic Practices: Wash with soap and water before eating, drinking, smoking, applying cosmetics, or using toilet facilities. Use of a hand cleaner is recommended. Launder contaminated clothing before reuse. Leather shoes can absorb and allow hazardous materials to pass through. Check shoes carefully after soaking before reuse.

Section 9 - Physical And Chemical Properties

Physical State:	Liquid	Vapor Density:	Heavier than Air
Odor:	Smell of solvent	Odor Threshold:	N/D
Appearance:	Smooth uniform	Evaporation Rate:	N/D
Solubility in H2O:	Insoluble	Specific Gravity:	0.85+/-0.03
Freeze Point:	N/D	PH:	N/D
Vapor Pressure:	N/D	Solvent wt % :	100
Colour	Clear	Boiling Range:	135-180C



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Section 10 - Stability And Reactivity

Conditions To Avoid: Heat, flames and sparks.

Incompatibility: Keep away from strong oxidizing agents, heat and open flames.

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Nitric acid, Ammonia, Nitrogen Oxides, Carbon Monoxide, Carbon Dioxide, Nitrosamine

Hazardous Polymerization: Will not occur under normal conditions.

Stability: Stable under normal conditions. This product is stable under normal storage conditions.

Section 11 - Toxicological Information

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Section 12 - Ecological Information

Ecological Information: No data

Section 13 - Disposal Information

Disposal Information: Dispose of in accordance with State, Local, and National Environmental regulations. Responsibility for proper waste disposal is with the owner of the waste.

Section 14 - Transportation Information

DOT Proper Shipping Name:	PAINT	Packing Group	III
DOT Technical Name:	N/A	Hazard Subclass:	N/A
DOT Hazard Class:	3	Resp. Guide Page:	None
DOT UN/NA Number:	1263		
Additional Notes:	None		

Section 15 - Regulatory Information

NEPA HEALTH HAZARD SIGNAL		
HEALTH:1	FLAMMABILITY:3	REACTIVITY:0

Section 16 – Other Information

Legend: N.A. - Not Applicable, N.E. - Not Established, N.D. - Not Determined

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