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## Safety Data Sheet

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LEIT-C™ Conductive Carbon Cement

## Section 1.1: Identification

Chemical Name/Synonyms ...... Conductive Carbon Cement

Product or Trade Name ......LEIT-C™ Conductive Carbon Cement

Chemical Formula...... Chemical mixture

## Section 1.2: Relevant Uses/Restrictions

Conducting carbon cement for use in microscopy.

## Section 1.3: Supplier of the Safety Data Sheet

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# Section 1.4: Emergency telephone number

Emergencies

Contacting CHEMTREC:

24 Hour Emergency Use Only #'s... Worldwide phone: 1-(703)-741-5970

Toll-free phone: 1-(800)-424-9300 USA + Canada only

## Section 2: Hazard Identification

#### 2.1 Classification of the substance

## Classification of the substance or mixture in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS):

Flammable Liquid (Category 2) Acute Toxicity (Category 4) Skin Irritant (Category 2) Eye Irritant (Category 2)

#### STOT SE (Category 3)

#### 2.2 Label elements

#### **Pictogram**





GHS02

GHS07

Signal Word: Danger

#### **Hazard statements:**

H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapor.

H302 harmful if swallowed.

H315 Causes skin irritation.

H319 Causes serious eve irritation.

H336 May cause drowsiness or dizziness.

### **Precautionary statements:**

P101 If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.

P102 Keep out of reach of children

P103 Read label before use.

P210 Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources.

No smoking.

Use explosion-proof electrical/ ventilating/ lighting equipment. P241

P303 + P361 + P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing.

Rinse skin with water/ shower.

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove P305 P351 + P338

contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P405 Store locked up.

Dispose of contents/ container in accordance with local/ regional/ national/ international P501

regulations.

## Classification according to Directive 67/548/EEC or Directive 1999/45/EC:



Xn; Harmful

R20/21/22: Harmful by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed.



Xi; Irritant

R36/38: Irritating to eyes and skin.



F; Highly flammable R11: Highly flammable.

R67: Vapors may cause drowsiness and dizziness

### 2.3 Other Hazards:

### Results of PBT and vPvB assessment:

**PBT**: Not applicable **vPvB**: Not applicable

## **Hazardous Material Information System USA**

 Health
 1

 Fire Hazard
 3

 Reactivity
 0

 Personal Protection
 ......

#### NFPA Rating (estimated)

# Section 3: Composition

#### 3.2 Mixtures:

**Description:** Mixture of substances listed below with nonhazardous additions.

## **Dangerous Components:**

m-Xylene CAS # 108-38-3 EINECS: 203-576-3 20.0%

Xn: R20/21; Xi: R38, R10

Flammable Liquid 3, H226; Acute Toxicity 4, H312; Acute Toxicity. 4, H332; Skin Irritation 2, H315

Acetone CAS # 67-64-1 EINECS: 200-662-2 20.0%

Xi: R36; F: R11

Flammable Liquid 2, H225; Eye Irritant 2, H319; STOT SE 3, H336

Graphite CAS # 7782-42-5 EINECS: 231-955-3 20.0%

Xn: R20/21/22; Xi: R38

Acute Toxicity 4, H302; Acute Toxicity 4, H312; Acute toxicity 4, H332; Skin Irritant 2, H315

2-Methoxy-1-methylethyl acetate CAS # 108-65-6 EINECS: 203-603-9 10.0%

R10

Flammable Liquid 3, H226

Methyl ethyl ketone CAS # 78-93-3 EINECS: 201-159-0 10.0%

Xi: R36; F: R11, R66-67

Flammable. Liquid 2, H225; Eye Irritant 2, H319; STOT SE 3, H336

Ethyl acetate CAS # 141-78-6 EINECS: 205-500-4 10.0%

Xi: R36; F:R11, R66-67

Flammable Liquid 2, H225; Eye Irritant 2, H319; STOT SE 3, H336

#### **Relevant Phrases:**

H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapor.

H226 Flammable liquid and vapor.

H302: Harmful if swallowed.

H312 harmful in contact with skin.

H315 Causes skin irritation.

H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

H332 Harmful if inhaled.

H336 May cause drowsiness or dizziness

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R10 Flammable.

R11 Highly flammable.

R20/21 Harmful by inhalation and in contact with skin.

R22 Harmful if swallowed.

R36 Irritating to eyes.

R38 Irritating to skin.

R66 Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or cracking.

R67 Vapors may cause drowsiness and dizziness.

## Section 4: First Aid Measures

#### 4.1 Description of first aid measures:

#### **General Information:**

Symptoms of poisoning may even occur after several hours; therefore medical observation for at least 48 hours after the accident.

**After Inhalation:** No adverse effects are anticipated from inhalation.

After Skin Contact: Wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.

After Eye Contact: Rinse opened eye under running water. If symptoms persist, consult a doctor.

After Ingestion: Seek immediate medical attention.

## 4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed:

No further relevant information available.

## 4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed:

No further relevant information available.

# Section 5: Fire Fighting Measures

## 5.1 Extinguishing media:

Suitable extinguishing agents: Water spray, alcohol resistant foam, dry chemical, or carbon dioxide. For safety reasons, unsuitable extinguishing agents: Water with full jet.

## 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture:

No further relevant information available.

## 5.3 Hazardous combustion products:

Carbon monoxide and Carbon dioxide.

### 5.4 Advice for firefighters:

No further relevant information available.

## 5.5 Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters:

Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters – No special measures required.

## Section 6: Accidental Release Measures

### 6.1 Personal precautions:

Wear protective gloves and glasses.

## 6.2 Environmental precautions:

Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.

## 6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:

Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust). Ensure adequate ventilation.

### 6.4 Reference to other sections:

See Section 7 for information on safe handling.

See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.

See Section 13 for disposal information.

## Section 7: Handling and Storage

## 7.1 Precautions for safe handling:

Protective measures: No special precautions are necessary if used correctly.

#### Information about fire – and explosion protection:

The dried resin is combustible, similar to wood. Burning dry resin emits dense, black smoke.

As latex, material is not combustible.

Protect against electrostatic charges.

## 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities:

Store in a cool location.

Keep container tightly sealed.

Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed receptacles.

Information about storage in one common storage facility: Not required.

#### 7.3 Specific end uses:

Conducting carbon cement for use in microscopy.

This material is not being offered for clinical or diagnostic applications, agricultural uses or for human or animal consumption.

# Section 8: Exposure Controls and Personal Protection

#### 8.1 Control parameter and Personal Protection:

Workplace exposure limits:

## <u>Ingredients with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:</u>

CAS # 108-38-3 m-Xylene

WEL: Short-term value: 441 mg/m<sup>3</sup>, 100 ppm

Long-term value: 220 mg/m<sup>3</sup>, 50 ppm

SK: BMGV

CAS # 67-64-1 Acetone

> WEL: Short-term value: 3620 mg/m<sup>3</sup>, 1500 ppm Long-term value: 2200 mg/m<sup>3</sup>, 500 ppm

CAS # 108-65-6 2-Methoxy-1-methylethyl acetate

WEL: Short-term value: 548 mg/m<sup>3</sup>, 100 ppm

Long-term value: 274 mg/m3, 50 ppm

CAS # 78-93-3 Methyl ethyl ketone

> WEL: Short-term value: 899 mg/m<sup>3</sup>, 300 ppm Long-term value: 274 mg/m<sup>3</sup>, 200 ppm

> > SK. BMGV

CAS # 141-78-6 Ethyl acetate

WEL: Short-term value: 400 ppm Long-term value: 200 ppm

Ingredients with biological limit values:

CAS # 108-38-3 m-Xylene

BMGV: 650 mmol/mol creatinine

Medium: urine

Sampling time: post shift Parameter: methyl hippuric acid

CAS # 78-93-3 Methyl ethyl ketone

> BMGV: 70 µmol/L Medium: urine

Sampling time: post shift Parameter: butan-2-one

8.2 Exposure controls:

8.2.1 General protective and hygienic measures:

Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed. Remove all soiled and contaminated clothing Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.

Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

8.2.2 Individual protection measures:

Respiratory protection: Not required.

**Protection of hands:** Protective gloves.

The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.

Due to missing tests no recommendation to the glove material can be given for the product/ the preparation/ the chemical mixture.

Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation.

Material of gloves:

The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer. As the product is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material cannot be calculated in advance and has therefore to be

## checked prior to the application.

## Penetration time of glove material:

The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.

**Eye protection:** Tightly sealed goggles.

8.2.3 Environmental exposure controls: Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.

## Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

## 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties:

Appearance:

Form: Fluid

Color: According to product specification

Odor: Solvent-like

Odor threshold: Not determined

pH: Not determined

Melting point/Freezing point: Undetermined Initial Boiling point/Boiling point range: 55 °C

Flash Point: < 0 °C

**Evaporation rate:** Not determined

Flammability (solid, gas): Not applicable

**Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits:** 

**Lower:** 1.5 Vol % **Upper:** 13.0 Vol %

Vapor Pressure at 20 °C: 233 hPa Vapor density: Not determined Relative density: Not determined

Solubility in/ Miscibility with water: Not miscible or difficult to mix

Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water): Not determined Auto-ignition temperature: Product is not self-igniting

**Decomposition temperature:** Not determined

Viscosity: Not determined

**Explosive properties:** Product is not explosive.

However, formation of explosive air/vapor mixtures are possible.

**Solvent Content:** 

 Organic solvents:
 70.0 %

 VOC (EC):
 70.00 %

 Solids content:
 30.0 %

9.2 Other information: No further relevant information available.

# Section 10: Stability and Reactivity

**10.1 Reactivity:** No further relevant information available.

## 10.2 Chemical Stability:

## Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:

No decomposition if used according to specifications.

- 10.3 Possibility of Hazardous Reactions: No dangerous reactions known.
- **10.4 Conditions to avoid:** No further relevant information available.
- **10.5 Incompatible materials:** No further relevant information available.
- 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products: No dangerous decomposition products known.

# Section 11: Toxicological Information

Information on the likely routes of exposure:

## 11.1 Information on toxicological effects:

A. Acute toxicity: Harmful if swallowed.

## LD/LC50 values relevant for classification:

CAS # 108-38-3 m-Xylene

Oral: LD50 5000 mg/kg (rat) Dermal LD50 14100 mg/kg (rabbit)

- B. Skin corrosion/irritation: Causes skin irritation.
- C. Serious eye damage/irritation: Causes serious eye irritation.
- D. Respiratory or skin sensitization: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- E. Germ cell mutagenicity: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- F. Carcinogenicity: Based on available data, the classification criteria re not met.
- G. Reproductive toxicity: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- H. STOT-single exposure: May cause drowsiness or dizziness.
- I.. STOT-repeated exposure: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **J. Aspiration hazard:** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

# Section 12: Ecological Information

### 12.1 Toxicity:

Aquatic toxicity: No further relevant information available.

**12.2 Persistence and degradability:** No further relevant information available.

- **12.3 Bio-accumulative potential:** No further relevant information available.
- **12.4 Mobility in soil:** No further relevant information available.
- **12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment:** Not applicable.
- 12.6 Other adverse effects: No further relevant information available.

# Section 13: Disposal Considerations

#### 13.1 Waste treatment methods:

#### Recommendation:

Must not be disposed together with household garbage.

Do not allow product to reach sewage system.

Disposal must be made according to local, state, federal, international regulations.

## Section 14: Transport Information

DOT:

UN Number: UN1263

Proper shipping name: Paint related material Class: 3 Flammable liquids

Packing group:

IATA:

UN Number: UN1263

Proper shipping name: PAINT RELATED MATERIAL

Class: 3 Flammable liquids

Packing group:

IMDG:

UN Number: UN1263

Proper shipping name: PAINT RELATED MATERIAL

Class: 3 Flammable liquids

Packing group: II
Limited quantities (LQ) 5L
Excepted quantities (EQ) Code: E2

Maximum net quantity per inner packaging: 30 ml Maximum net quantity per outer packaging: 500 ml

**Environmental hazards:** Not applicable.

Special precautions for user: Warning: Flammable liquids

Danger code (Kemler): 33
EMS Number: F-E,S-E
Stowage Category B

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol and the IBC Code: Not applicable

# Section 15: Regulatory Information

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

#### **U.S. Government Regulations:**

### **TSCA Inventory:**

CAS # 108-38-3 is on the TSCA Active Inventory List.

CAS # 67-64-1 is on the TSCA Active Inventory List. CAS # 7782-42-5 is on the TSCA Active Inventory List. CAS # 108-65-6 is on the TSCA Active Inventory List. CAS # 78-93-3 is on the TSCA Active Inventory List. CAS # 141-78-6 is on the TSCA Active Inventory List.

## SARA (Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act)

SARA 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings):

1330-20-7

**Xylene** 

78-93-3 Methyl ethyl ketone

SARA 355 (Extremely hazardous substances):

none listed

SARA 311/312 Hazards

1330-20-7: Fire hazard, Acute health hazard, Chronic health hazard 78-98-3: Fire hazard, Acute health hazard, Chronic health hazard 67-64-1: Fire hazard. Acute health hazard. Chronic health hazard 141-78-6: Fire hazard, Acute health hazard, Chronic health hazard

**CERCLA Reporting Quantities:** 

67-64-1: 5,000 pounds 78-93-3: 5,000 pounds 1330-20-7: 100 pounds 141-78-6: 5,000 pounds

RCRA Codes:

67-64-1: U002 78-93-3: U159 1330-20-7: U239 141-78-6: U112

EPA (Environmental Protection Agency) – Carcinogenic Categories

141-78-6: Category B2 – probable carcinogen, sufficient evidence in animals 1330-20-7: Category Inl -inadequate information to assess carcinogenic potential

78-93-3: Category D – not classifiable based on lack of data

NIOSH-Ca (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health):

None of the ingredients is listed.

## State Right-to-Know lists:

7782-42-5 is listed on the Massachusetts, Pennsylvania, and New Jersey lists. 1330-20-7 is listed on the Massachusetts, Pennsylvania, and New Jersey lists 78-93-3 is listed on the Massachusetts, Pennsylvania, and New Jersey lists 67-64-1 is listed on the Massachusetts, Pennsylvania, and New Jersey lists 108-65-6 is listed on the Massachusetts, Pennsylvania, and New Jersey lists 141-78-6 is listed on the Massachusetts, Pennsylvania, and New Jersey lists

#### Directive 2012/18/EU

Named dangerous substances – ANNEX I: None of the ingredients is listed.

Seveso category: P5c FLAMMABLE LIQUIDS

Qualifying quantity (tonnes) for the application of lower-tier requirements: 5,000 t Qualifying quantity (tonnes) for the application of upper-tier requirements: 50,000 t

REGULATION (EC) No 1907/2006 ANNEX XVII: Conditions of restriction: 3

## 15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment: A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

Date of Preparation: 03 April 2019.

#### Abbreviations and acronyms

SK: Can be absorbed through the skin

BMGV: Biological Monitoring Guidance Values

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

DOT: US Department of Transportation

CMRG: Chemical Manufacturer's Recommended Guidelines

IATA: International Air Transport Association

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

ADR: European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

AIHA: American Industrial Hygiene Association

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

NFPA: National Fire Protection Association (USA) HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)

LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent

LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent

PBT: Persistent, Bio-accumulative and Toxicological vPvB: very Persistent and very Bio-accumulative

STOT SE: Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)

NIOSH: National Institute for Occupational Safety

OSHA: Occupational Safety Health ATE: Acute Toxicity Estimates TLV: Threshold Limit Value PEL: Permissible Exposure Limit REL: Recommended Exposure Limit STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit

CEIL: Ceiling

TSCA: Toxic Substances Control Act (USA) DSL: Domestic Substances List (Canada)

PICCS: Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

ENCS: Existing and New Chemical Substances (Japan) AICS: Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

IECSC: Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China

**KECL**: Korea Existing Chemicals List

## Section 16: Other Information

## Disclaimer of Liability:

Caution! Do not use SPI Supplies products or materials in applications involving implantation within the body; direct or indirect contact with the blood pathway; contact with bone, tissue, tissue fluid, or blood; or prolonged contact with mucous membranes. Products offered by SPI Supplies are not designed or manufactured for use in implantation in the human body or in contact with internal body fluids or tissues. SPI Supplies will not provide to customers making devices for such applications any notice, certification, or information necessary for such medical device use required by US FDA (Food and Drug Administration) regulation or any other statute. SPI Supplies and Structure Probe, Inc. make no representation, promise, express warranty or implied warranty concerning the suitability of these materials for use in implantation in the human body or in contact with internal body tissues of fluids.

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