

# SAFETY DATA SHEET



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## SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

### Product identifier

Product name: DP-SUSPENSION A  
Cat. No. 40600347, 40600348, 40600349, 40600350, 40600351, 40600352

Container size: 500 ml

### Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Application: For grinding and polishing of materialographic specimens. (\*)

### Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Supplier: Struers Australia  
27 Mayneview Street  
Milton QLD 4064, Australia

Responsible for safety data sheet authoring: Responsible for safety data sheet authoring: DHI  
Any questions to the contents of this safety data sheet should be sent to:  
struers@struers.dk

### Emergency telephone number

Australian Poisons Information Centre: 13 11 26.

+61 7 3512 9600  
(Only during office hours)

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## SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### Classification of the substance or mixture

WHS: Flammable liquid - Category 2  
Serious eye damage/eye irritation - Category 2

### Label elements



Danger

H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapour.

H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

P210 Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking.

P280 Wear protective gloves, eye and face protection.

P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P337 + P313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local regulations.

### Other hazards

The product is highly flammable, and explosive vapours/air mixtures may be formed even at normal room temperatures. Prolonged contact may cause redness, irritation and dry skin.

### PBT/vPvB:

Not Classified as PBT/vPvB by current EU criteria.

## SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

### Mixtures

The product contains: organic solvents and additives .

WHS:

<u>%:</u>	<u>CAS-No.:</u>	<u>EC No.:</u>	<u>REACH Reg. No:</u>	<u>Chemical name:</u>	<u>Hazard classification:</u>	<u>Notes:</u>
50-90	64-17-5	200-578-6	01-2119457610-43-xxxx	Ethanol	Flam. Liq. 2;H225 Eye Irrit. 2;H319	
5-<10	67-63-0	200-661-7	01-2119457558-25-xxxx	Propan-2-ol	Flam. Liq. 2;H225 Eye Irrit. 2;H319 STOT SE 3;H336	
<0.5	7782-40-3	231-953-2	-	Diamond	-	

References: The full text for all hazard statements is displayed in section 16.

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## SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

### Description of first aid measures

**Burns:** Flush with water immediately. While flushing, remove clothes which do not adhere to affected area. Call an ambulance. Continue flushing during transport to hospital.

**Inhalation:** Move injured person into fresh air and keep person calm under observation. If uncomfortable: Seek hospital and bring these instructions.

**Skin contact:** Remove contaminated clothes and rinse skin thoroughly with water.

**Eye contact:** Immediately flush with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove any contact lenses and open eyelids widely. If irritation persists: Continue flushing during transport to hospital. Bring along these instructions.

**Ingestion:** Immediately rinse mouth and drink plenty of water. Keep person under observation. If person becomes uncomfortable seek hospital and bring these instructions.

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

**Symptoms/effects:** See section 11 for more detailed information on health effects and symptoms.

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

**Medical attention/treatments:** Treat symptomatically.

## SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

### Extinguishing media

**Extinguishing media:** Extinguish with alcohol-resistant foam, carbon dioxide, dry powder or water fog. Cool containers exposed to heat with water spray and remove container, if no risk is involved.

Unsuitable extinguishing media: Do not use water jet as an extinguisher, as this will spread the fire.

### Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

**Specific hazards:** The product is flammable. Vapours may be ignited by a spark, a hot surface or an ember. Vapours may form explosive air mixtures even at room temperature.

### Advice for firefighters

**Protective equipment for fire-fighters:** Use air-supplied respirator during fire fighting.

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## SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Protective equipment: Do not smoke or use open fire, or other sources of ignition. Avoid inhalation of vapours and contact with skin and eyes. For personal protection, see section 8. (\*)

Emergency procedures: No specific recommendations. For personal protection, see section 8. (\*)

### Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions: Do not discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground.

### Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Spill Cleanup Methods: Large quantities of concentrate should not be discharged into the drain but removed with absorbing material. Do not use sawdust or other combustible material.

### Reference to other sections

References: For personal protection, see section 8. For waste disposal, see section 13.

## SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

### Precautions for safe handling

Safe handling advice: Avoid inhalation of vapours and contact with skin and eyes. Observe good chemical hygiene practices. Take precautionary measures against static discharges.

Technical measures: Do not smoke or use open fire or other sources of ignition.

Technical precautions: Local exhaust is recommended.

### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Technical measures for safe storage: Follow rules for flammable liquids.

Storage conditions: Store in a cool and well-ventilated place. Avoid contact with oxidising agents.

### Specific end use(s)

Specific use(s): No information available.

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## SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### Control parameters

Occupational exposure limits:

<u>CAS-No.:</u>	<u>Chemical name:</u>	<u>As:</u>	<u>Exposure limits:</u>		<u>Type:</u>	<u>Notes:</u>	<u>References:</u>
67-63-0	Isopropyl alcohol	-	400 ppm	983 mg/m3	TWA	-	NOHSC
		-	500 ppm	1230 mg/m3	STEL	15min	
64-17-5	Ethyl alcohol	-	1000 ppm	1880 mg/m3	TWA	-	NOHSC

### Exposure controls

Engineering measures: Provide adequate ventilation. Observe Occupational Exposure Limits and minimise the risk of inhalation of vapours.

Personal protection: Personal protection equipment should be chosen according to relevant AS/NZS standards and in discussion with the supplier of the personal protective equipment.

Respiratory equipment: In case of inadequate ventilation and work of brief duration, use suitable respiratory equipment. Use respiratory equipment with gas filter, type A2.

Hand protection: Risk of contact: Wear protective gloves. Nitrile gloves are recommended, but be aware that the liquid may penetrate the gloves. Frequent change is advisable. The most suitable glove must be chosen in consultation with the gloves supplier, who can inform about the breakthrough time of the glove material.

Eye protection: Wear goggles/face shield.

Skin protection: Wear apron or protective clothing in case of splashes.

Environmental Exposure Controls: Not available.

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## SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

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<u>Appearance:</u>	Black/grey liquid
<u>Odour:</u>	odour of alcohol
<u>Odour threshold:</u>	Not available.
<u>pH:</u>	Not relevant.
<u>Melting point:</u>	Not available.
<u>Boiling point:</u>	Not available.
<u>Flash point:</u>	12°C
<u>Evaporation rate:</u>	Not available.
<u>Flammability (solid, gas):</u>	Not available.
<u>Explosion limits:</u>	Not available.
<u>Vapour pressure:</u>	Not available.
<u>Vapour density:</u>	Not available.
<u>Relative density:</u>	0.85
<u>Solubility:</u>	Miscible with water.
<u>Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):</u>	Not available.
<u>Auto-ignition temperature (°C):</u>	Not available.
<u>Decomposition temperature (°C):</u>	Not available.
<u>Viscosity:</u>	Not available.
<u>Explosive properties:</u>	Not available.
<u>Oxidising properties:</u>	Not available.

### Other information

Other data: Volatile Organic Compound (VOC): 764 g/l (calculated)

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## SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

### Reactivity

Reactivity: No data available.

### Chemical stability

Stability: Stable under normal temperature conditions.

### Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous Reactions: No data available.

### Conditions to avoid

Conditions/materials to avoid: Direct sunlight. Keep away from heat, sparks and open flame.

### Incompatible materials

Incompatible materials: Oxidizing agents.

### Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products: No information available.

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## SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Information on toxicological effects

<u>Acute Toxicity (Oral):</u>	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
<u>Acute Toxicity (Dermal):</u>	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
<u>Acute Toxicity (Inhalation):</u>	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
<u>Skin Corrosion/Irritation:</u>	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
<u>Serious eye damage/irritation:</u>	Causes serious eye irritation.
<u>Respiratory or skin sensitisation:</u>	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
<u>Germ cell mutagenicity:</u>	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
<u>Carcinogenicity:</u>	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. National Toxicology Program (NTP): No. IARC Cancer Review: Group 3 for 2-Propanol.
<u>Reproductive Toxicity:</u>	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
<u>STOT - Single exposure:</u>	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
<u>STOT - Repeated exposure:</u>	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
<u>Aspiration hazard:</u>	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
<u>Inhalation:</u>	Small quantities: Vapours may irritate throat and respiratory system and cause coughing. Large quantities: Vapours may irritate throat and respiratory system and cause headache, dizziness and dullness. Contains organic solvents which in case of overexposure may depress the central nervous system causing dizziness and intoxication. In serious cases, unconsciousness and permanent damage to the nervous system, including the brain, and liver may be seen.
<u>Skin contact:</u>	Prolonged contact may cause redness, irritation and dry skin. Contains 2-propanol which may penetrate the skin.
<u>Ingestion:</u>	May irritate and cause malaise.
<u>Specific effects:</u>	Frequent inhalation of even small concentrations may cause irritability, fatigue, memory failure and in time permanent damage to the nervous system, including the brain, and possibly kidneys, too.

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## SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Toxicity

Ecotoxicity: The product is not expected to be hazardous to the environment.

### Persistence and degradability

Degradability: The product is 80% biodegradable.

### Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulative potential: Bioaccumulation: Is not expected to be bioaccumulable.

### Mobility in soil

Mobility: The product is miscible with water. May spread in water systems. The product contains organic solvents which will evaporate easily from all surfaces. No data available.

### Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT/vPvB: This product does not contain any PBT or vPvB substances.

### Other adverse effects

Other adverse effects: None known.

## SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

### Waste treatment methods

Waste from residues: Dispose of waste and residues in accordance with local authority requirements.  
For personal protection, see section 8.  
Hazardous characteristics of waste: H3 (Flammable liquids) (\*)

Contaminated packaging: Dispose of waste and residues in accordance with local authority requirements.

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## SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

The product is covered by international regulation on the transport of dangerous goods (IMDG, IATA).

### UN number

UN-No: 1993

### UN proper shipping name

Proper Shipping Name: FLAMMABLE LIQUID, N.O.S (Ethanol, Isopropylalcohol Mixture)

Additional IMDG information:

EmS: F-E , S-E

MFAG: 1

### Transport hazard class(es)

Class: 3

### Packing group

PG: II

### Environmental hazards

Marine pollutant: No.

Environmentally Hazardous substance: No.

### Special precautions for user

Special precautions: None known.

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

Transport in bulk: Not relevant.

## SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

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

Special provisions: AICS: Listed.

National regulation: Work Health and Safety Regulations 2011, with amendments.  
National model Code of Practice for the Labelling of Workplace Hazardous Chemicals (2011), with amendments.  
National model Code of Practice for the Preparation of Safety Data Sheets for Hazardous Chemicals (2011), with amendments.  
Workplace exposure standards for airborne contaminants (2018).  
Hazardous Waste (Regulation of Exports and Imports) Act 1989, with amendments.  
The Industrial Chemicals (Notification and Assessment) Act 1989, as amended.

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## SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

The user must be instructed in the proper work procedure and be familiar with the contents of these instructions.

The following sections contain revisions or new statements: 1, 6, 9, 13.

The (\*) indicates the changes made with respect to the previous version.

Approved by DHI.



### Additional information:

Classification according to WHS Regulations 2011:  
Calculation method.

### Wording of H-statements:

H225	Highly flammable liquid and vapour.
H319	Causes serious eye irritation.
H336	May cause drowsiness or dizziness.

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The information on this data sheet represents our current data and is reliable provided that the product is used under the prescribed conditions and in accordance with the application specified on the packaging and/or in the technical guidance literature. Any other use of the product which involves using the product in combination with any other product or any other process is the responsibility of the user.

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