

SAFETY DATA SHEET



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

Product identifier

Product name: VIAFIX LIQUID
Cat. No. 40200069, 40200067

Container size: 500 ml, 1 l

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

Application: For embedding and impregnation 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:
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Emergency telephone number

Australian Poisons Information Centre: 13 11 26.

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(Only during office hours)

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SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification of the substance or mixture

WHS:

- Flammable liquid - Category 3
- Skin corrosion/irritation - Category 2
- Serious eye damage/eye irritation - Category 2
- Skin Sensitisation - Category 1
- Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) - Category 3 (respiratory tract irritation)
- Acute hazard to the aquatic environment - Category 1
- Chronic hazard to the aquatic environment - Category 2

Label elements



Warning

Contains:

Isobutyl methacrylate

H226	Flammable liquid and vapour.
H315	Causes skin irritation.
H317	May cause an allergic skin reaction.
H319	Causes serious eye irritation.
H335	May cause respiratory irritation.
H400	Very toxic to aquatic life.
H411	Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.
P210	Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking.
P261	Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.
P273	Avoid release to the environment.
P280	Wear protective clothing, gloves, eye and face protection.
P302 + P352	IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.
P305 + P351 + P338	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

Other hazards

The product is flammable, and heating may generate vapours which may form explosive vapour/air mixtures.

PBT/vPvB: No information available.

SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Mixtures

The product contains: acrylates and additives.

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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>
60-100	97-86-9	202-613-0	01-2119488331-38-xxxx	Isobutyl methacrylate	Flam. Liq. 3;H226 Eye Irrit. 2;H319 STOT SE 3;H335 Skin Irrit. 2;H315 Skin Sens. 1;H317 Aquatic Acute 1;H400	D
10-30	3290-92-4	221-950-4	-	1,1,1-Trimethylolpropan-trimethacrylate	Aquatic Chronic 2;H411	
1-<5	99-97-8	202-805-4	-	N,N-Dimethyl-p-toluidine	Acute Tox. 3;H331 Acute Tox. 3;H311 Acute Tox. 3;H301 STOT RE 2;H373 Aquatic Chronic 3;H412	C

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

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 clothing immediately and wash skin with soap and water. In case of eczema or other skin disorders: Seek medical attention and bring these instructions.

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. Do not induce vomiting.

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.

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SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

Extinguishing media

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

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Specific hazards: When heated and in case of fire, toxic vapours/gases may be formed.

Advice for firefighters

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

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: Remove sources of ignition. Dam and absorb spillages with sand, earth or other non-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.

Technical measures: Work practice should minimise contact.

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 tightly closed original container in a 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

No occupational exposure limit assigned.

Exposure controls

<u>Engineering measures:</u>	Provide adequate ventilation. Minimize the risk of inhalation of vapours. Provide easy access to water supply and eye wash facilities.
<u>Personal protection:</u>	Personal protection equipment should be chosen according to relevant AS/NZS standards and in discussion with the supplier of the personal protective equipment.
<u>Respiratory equipment:</u>	In case of inadequate ventilation: Use respiratory equipment with gas filter, type A2.
<u>Hand protection:</u>	Wear protective gloves. Laminate (PE/EVOH) gloves are recommended. 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.
<u>Eye protection:</u>	Wear goggles/face shield.
<u>Skin protection:</u>	Risk of contact: Wear apron or protective clothing in case of splashes.
<u>Environmental Exposure Controls:</u>	Not available.

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SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

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<u>Form:</u>	Liquid.
<u>Colour:</u>	Colourless.
<u>Odour:</u>	Ester.
<u>Odour threshold:</u>	Not available.
<u>pH:</u>	Not available.
<u>Melting point:</u>	Not available.
<u>Boiling point:</u>	155°C
<u>Flash point:</u>	43°C
<u>Evaporation rate:</u>	Not available.
<u>Flammability (solid, gas):</u>	Not available.
<u>Explosion limits:</u>	2-8 vol%
<u>Vapour pressure:</u>	47 hPa (20°C)
<u>Vapour density:</u>	Not available.
<u>Relative density:</u>	0,89
<u>Solubility:</u>	insoluble in water
<u>Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):</u>	log Pow: = 1,38
<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): 778 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: Avoid exposure to high temperatures or direct sunlight.

Incompatible materials

Incompatible materials: Avoid contact with oxidising agents.

Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products: When heated and in case of fire, toxic vapours/gases may be formed.

SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on toxicological effects

Acute Toxicity (Oral): Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Acute Toxicity (Dermal): Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Acute Toxicity (Inhalation): Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Skin Corrosion/Irritation: Causes skin irritation.

Serious eye damage/irritation: Causes serious eye irritation.

Respiratory or skin sensitisation: May cause an allergic skin reaction.

Germ cell mutagenicity: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Carcinogenicity: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
National Toxicology Program (NTP): No.
IARC Cancer Review: Group 2B for N,N-Dimethyl-p-toluidine

Reproductive Toxicity: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

STOT - Single exposure: May cause respiratory irritation.

STOT - Repeated exposure: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Aspiration hazard: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Inhalation: Vapours have a narcotic effect and may cause headache, fatigue, dizziness and nausea.

Ingestion: Irritating. May be absorbed in the body and cause dizziness, nausea and vomiting.

Specific effects: Frequent inhalation of even small concentrations may cause irritability, fatigue and memory failure and eventually permanent damage to the nervous system, including the brain.

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SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Toxicity

Ecotoxicity: Very toxic to aquatic life. Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Persistence and degradability

Degradability: The product is readily biodegradable.

Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulative potential: No data available on bioaccumulation.

Mobility in soil

Mobility: No data available.

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT/vPvB: No information available.

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

UN number

UN-No: 1866

UN proper shipping name

Proper Shipping Name: RESIN SOLUTION, flammable (Isobutyl methacrylate)

Additional IMDG information:

EmS: F-E, S-E

MFAG: 1

Transport hazard class(es)

Class: 3

Packing group

PG: III

Environmental hazards

Marine pollutant: Yes.

Environmentally Hazardous substance: Yes.

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: 6, 9, 13.

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

Approved by DHI.

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Additional information:

Classification according to WHS Regulations 2011:
Calculation method.

Wording of H-statements:

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H373	May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.
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H411	Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.
H412	Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

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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