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**SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION**

Product name : BYK-A 526

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Visit our web site : [www.byk.com](http://www.byk.com)E-mail address : [BRIEF.BYK.NAFTA@altana.com](mailto:BRIEF.BYK.NAFTA@altana.com)Emergency telephone number : 203-265-2086; CHEMTREC 1-800-424-9300 / +1  
703-527-3887**Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use**

Recommended use : Air Release Additive

Restrictions on use : Refer to Section 15 for any restrictions that may apply

**SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION****GHS Classification**

Flammable liquids : Category 3

**GHS label elements**

Hazard pictograms :



Signal word : Warning

Hazard statements : H226 Flammable liquid and vapour.

Precautionary statements : **Prevention:**  
P210 Keep away from heat/ sparks/ open flames/ hot surfaces.  
No smoking.  
P233 Keep container tightly closed.  
P240 Ground/bond container and receiving equipment.  
P241 Use explosion-proof electrical/ ventilating/ lighting  
equipment.  
P242 Use only non-sparking tools.  
P243 Take precautionary measures against static discharge.  
P280 Wear protective gloves/ eye protection/ face protection.**Response:**P303 + P361 + P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately  
all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower.P370 + P378 In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or  
alcohol-resistant foam to extinguish.

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**Storage:**

P403 + P235 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.

**Disposal:**

P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

**Other hazards**

None known.

### SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Substance / Mixture : Mixture  
 Chemical nature : Solution of a polyether modified polymethylalkylsiloxane

**Hazardous components**

Component	CAS-No.	Concentration (%)
Naphtha, petroleum, hydrotreated heavy	64742-48-9	>= 30 - < 60
1-Methoxy-2-propanol acetate	108-65-6	>= 1 - < 5

### SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

General advice : Move out of dangerous area.  
 Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.  
 Do not leave the victim unattended.

If inhaled : If unconscious, place in recovery position and seek medical advice.  
 If symptoms persist, call a physician.

In case of skin contact : If on skin, rinse well with water.  
 If on clothes, remove clothes.

In case of eye contact : Flush eyes with water as a precaution.  
 Remove contact lenses.  
 Protect unharmed eye.  
 Keep eye wide open while rinsing.  
 If eye irritation persists, consult a specialist.

If swallowed : Keep respiratory tract clear.  
 Do not give milk or alcoholic beverages.  
 Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.  
 If symptoms persist, call a physician.

### SECTION 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media : Alcohol-resistant foam  
 Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>)  
 Dry chemical

Unsuitable extinguishing media : High volume water jet

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Specific hazards during firefighting	:	Do not allow run-off from fire fighting to enter drains or water courses.
Hazardous combustion products	:	Carbon oxides formaldehyde silicone compounds
Further information	:	Collect contaminated fire extinguishing water separately. This must not be discharged into drains. Fire residues and contaminated fire extinguishing water must be disposed of in accordance with local regulations. For safety reasons in case of fire, cans should be stored separately in closed containments. Use a water spray to cool fully closed containers.
Special protective equipment for firefighters	:	Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

### SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures	:	Remove all sources of ignition. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Beware of vapours accumulating to form explosive concentrations. Vapours can accumulate in low areas.
Environmental precautions	:	Prevent product from entering drains. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. If the product contaminates rivers and lakes or drains inform respective authorities.
Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up	:	Contain spillage, and then collect with non-combustible absorbent material, (e.g. sand, earth, diatomaceous earth, vermiculite) and place in container for disposal according to local / national regulations (see section 13).

### SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Advice on safe handling	:	Avoid formation of aerosol. For personal protection see section 8. Smoking, eating and drinking should be prohibited in the application area. Take precautionary measures against static discharges. Provide sufficient air exchange and/or exhaust in work rooms. Open drum carefully as content may be under pressure. Dispose of rinse water in accordance with local and national regulations.
Conditions for safe storage	:	No smoking. Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Containers which are opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage.

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Observe label precautions.  
Electrical installations / working materials must comply with the technological safety standards.

**SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**
**Components with workplace control parameters**

Components	CAS-No.	Value type (Form of exposure)	Control parameters / Permissible concentration	Basis
1-Methoxy-2-propanol acetate	108-65-6	TWA	50 ppm	US WEEL

Hazardous components without workplace control parameters

**Personal protective equipment**
**Hand protection**

Material : butyl-rubber  
Break through time : > 480 min

Remarks : The suitability for a specific workplace should be discussed with the producers of the protective gloves.

Eye protection : Eye wash bottle with pure water  
Tightly fitting safety goggles

Skin and body protection : Impervious clothing  
Choose body protection according to the amount and concentration of the dangerous substance at the work place.

Hygiene measures : Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

**SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

Physical state : liquid  
Colour : colourless  
Odour : not significant  
Odour Threshold : No data available

pH : 5, Concentration: 1 % (68 °F (20 °C)) Method: Universal pH-value indicator

Melting point/ range : < 32 °F (< 0 °C)  
Method: derived

Boiling point/boiling range : 291.2 °F (144.0 °C)  
Method: derived

Vapour pressure : 3.0 hPa (68 °F (20 °C))  
Method: derived

Flash point : ca. 126 °F (52 °C)

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	Method: 49 (Pensky-Martens)
Upper explosion limit	: No data available
Lower explosion limit	: No data available
Evaporation rate	: No data available
Relative vapour density	: No data available
Relative Density/Specific Gravity	: No data available
Density	: ca. 0.867 g/cm <sup>3</sup> (68 °F (20 °C)) Method: 4 (20°C oscillating U-tube)
	ca. 0.854 g/cm <sup>3</sup> (104 °F (40 °C)) Method: 5 (40°C oscillating U-tube)
Bulk density	: Not applicable
Solubility(ies)	
Water solubility	: immiscible
Solubility in other solvents	: No data available
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	: No data available
Ignition temperature	: ca. > 392 °F (> 200 °C) Method: M0062 (Analytics Wesel)
Thermal decomposition	: No data available
Viscosity	
Viscosity, dynamic	: ca. 66 mPa.s (68 °F (20 °C)) Method: P/K 20°C
	ca. 44 mPa.s (104 °F (40 °C)) Method: P/K 40°C
Viscosity, kinematic	: ca. 76.12 mm <sup>2</sup> /s (68 °F (20 °C)) Method: calculated
	ca. 51.52 mm <sup>2</sup> /s (104 °F (40 °C))

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Method: calculated

Surface tension : No data available

**SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Reactivity : No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.  
Chemical stability : No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.  
Possibility of hazardous reactions : No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.

Vapours may form explosive mixture with air.

Conditions to avoid : Heat, flames and sparks.  
Incompatible materials : Strong oxidizing agents  
Hazardous decomposition products : No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.

**SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION****Information on likely routes of exposure****Acute toxicity****Product:**

Acute oral toxicity : Remarks: No data available

**Components:****108-65-6 1-Methoxy-2-propanol acetate:**

Acute oral toxicity : LD50 (Rat, female): > 5,000 mg/kg  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 401  
GLP: yes

Acute inhalation toxicity : LC50 (Rat): > 100 ppm  
Exposure time: 4 h

Acute dermal toxicity : LD50 (Rabbit): &gt; 5,000 mg/kg

**Skin corrosion/irritation****Product:**

Remarks: No data available

**Components:****108-65-6 1-Methoxy-2-propanol acetate:**

Species: Rabbit  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 404  
Result: No skin irritation

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GLP: yes

**Serious eye damage/eye irritation****Product:**

Remarks: No data available

**Components:****108-65-6 1-Methoxy-2-propanol acetate:**

Species: Rabbit

Result: No eye irritation

Method: OECD Test Guideline 405

GLP: yes

**Respiratory or skin sensitisation****Product:**

Remarks: No data available

**Components:****108-65-6 1-Methoxy-2-propanol acetate:**

Species: Guinea pig

Method: OECD Test Guideline 406

Result: Not a skin sensitizer.

GLP: yes

**Carcinogenicity****IARC**

No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

**OSHA**

No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is on OSHA's list of regulated carcinogens.

**NTP**

No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

**Repeated dose toxicity****Product:**

Remarks: No data available

**Further information****Product:**

Remarks: Solvents may degrease the skin.

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**SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION****Ecotoxicity****Product:**

Toxicity to fish :  
Remarks: No data available

Toxicity to daphnia and other :  
aquatic invertebrates Remarks: No data available

**Persistence and degradability****Product:**

Biodegradability : Remarks: No data available

**Bioaccumulative potential****Product:**

Bioaccumulation : Remarks: No data available

**Mobility in soil**

No data available

**Other adverse effects**

No data available

**Product:**

Regulation 40 CFR Protection of Environment; Part 82 Protection of Stratospheric Ozone - CAA Section 602 Class I Substances

Remarks This product neither contains, nor was manufactured with a Class I or Class II ODS as defined by the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 602 (40 CFR 82, Subpt. A, App.A + B).

Additional ecological : No data available  
information

**SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS****Disposal methods**

Waste from residues : Do not dispose of waste into sewer.  
Do not contaminate ponds, waterways or ditches with chemical or used container.  
Send to a licensed waste management company.

Contaminated packaging : Empty remaining contents.  
Dispose of as unused product.  
Do not re-use empty containers.

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Do not burn, or use a cutting torch on, the empty drum.

**SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION****International Regulations****IATA-DGR**

UN/ID No. : UN 3272  
Proper shipping name : Esters, n.o.s.  
(1-Methoxy-2-propanol acetate)  
Class : 3  
Packing group : III  
Labels : Flammable Liquids  
Packing instruction (cargo aircraft) : 366  
Packing instruction (passenger aircraft) : 355

**IMDG-Code**

UN number : UN 3272  
Proper shipping name : ESTERS, N.O.S.  
(1-Methoxy-2-propanol acetate)  
: )  
Class : 3  
Packing group : III  
Labels : 3  
EmS Code : F-E, S-D  
Marine pollutant : no  
Remarks : IMDG Code segregation group - none

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

Not applicable for product as supplied.

**National Regulations****49 CFR**

UN/ID/NA number : UN 3272  
Proper shipping name : Esters, n.o.s.  
Class : 3  
Packing group : III  
Labels : FLAMMABLE LIQUID  
ERG Code : 127  
Marine pollutant : no  
49CFR: no dangerous good in non-bulk packaging

**SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

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**EPCRA - Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act**
**US. EPA CERCLA Hazardous Substances (40 CFR 302)**

Calculated RQ exceeds reasonably attainable upper limit.

**SARA 304 - Emergency Release Notification**

Calculated RQ exceeds reasonably attainable upper limit.

**US. EPA Emergency Planning and Community Right-To-Know Act (EPCRA) SARA Title III Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substance (40 CFR 355, Appendix A)**

Calculated RQ exceeds reasonably attainable upper limit.

**SARA 311/312 Hazards** : Per the June 13, 2016 Federal Register notice, EPA harmonized the EPCRA 311/312 hazard categories with the 2012 OSHA hazard communication standard for classifying and labeling of chemicals (i.e. GHS). Please refer to Section 2 of the SDS to identify the appropriate hazard categories for reporting purposes.

**SARA 302** : No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

**SARA 313** : This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

**Clean Air Act**

This product does not contain any hazardous air pollutants (HAP), as defined by the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 112 (40 CFR 61).

This product does not contain any chemicals listed under the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 112(r) for Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130, Subpart F).

This product does not contain any chemicals listed under the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 111 SOCM Intermediate or Final VOC's (40 CFR 60.489).

Non-volatile (Wt) : 52.2 %  
Method: 51 (60min/105°C/ 1g)  
DIN EN ISO 3251

**Massachusetts Right To Know**

Hydrogen Chloride 7647-01-0

**Pennsylvania Right To Know**

Polyether modified polymethylalkylsiloxane -  
Naphtha, petroleum, hydrotreated heavy 64742-48-9  
1-Methoxy-2-propanol acetate 108-65-6

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**New Jersey Right To Know**

**New Jersey Trade Secret Registry Number for the product (NJ TSRN)** : 800963-6519

**California Prop. 65**

 **WARNING:** This product can expose you to chemicals including Ethyl benzene, Naphthalene, Cumene, which is/are known to the State of California to cause cancer. For more information go to [www.P65Warnings.ca.gov](http://www.P65Warnings.ca.gov).

**The components of this product are reported in the following inventories:**

TSCA : All substances listed as active on the TSCA inventory

Section 5a : No substances are subject to a Significant New Use Rule.

Section 4 / 12(b) : No substances are subject to TSCA 12(b) export notification requirements.

DSL : We certify that all of the components of this product are listed on the DSL.

**SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION**

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The information provided in this Safety Data Sheet is correct to the best of our knowledge, information and belief at the date of its publication. The information given is designed only as a guidance for safe handling, use, processing, storage, transportation, disposal and release and is not to be considered a warranty or quality specification. The information relates only to the specific material designated and may not be valid for such material used in combination with any other materials or in any process, unless specified in the text.