

**DISPERBYK-161 TF**

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**SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION**

Product name : DISPERBYK-161 TF

**Manufacturer or supplier's details**

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Emergency telephone : 203-265-2086; CHEMTREC 1-800-424-9300 / +1  
number 703-527-3887

**Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use**

Recommended use : Wetting & Dispersing Additive  
Restrictions on use : Refer to Section 15 for any restrictions that may apply

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

Flammable liquids : Category 3

Specific target organ toxicity : Category 3 (Central nervous system)  
- single exposure

**GHS label elements**

Hazard pictograms :



Signal word : Warning

Hazard statements : H226 Flammable liquid and vapour.  
H336 May cause drowsiness or dizziness.

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.  
P261 Avoid breathing dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapours/ spray.  
P271 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

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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.

P304 + P340 + P312 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Call a POISON CENTER/ doctor if you feel unwell.

P370 + P378 In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol-resistant foam to extinguish.

**Storage:**

P403 + P233 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

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

P405 Store locked up.

**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 polyurethane

**Hazardous components**

| Component                    | CAS-No.  | Concentration (%) |
|------------------------------|----------|-------------------|
| 1-Methoxy-2-propanol acetate | 108-65-6 | >= 30 - < 60      |
| n-Butyl Acetate              | 123-86-4 | >= 10 - < 20      |

**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 : Consult a physician after significant exposure.  
If unconscious, place in recovery position and seek medical advice.
- 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.

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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

Specific hazards during firefighting : Cool closed containers exposed to fire with water spray.  
Will not explode on mechanical impact.

Do not allow run-off from fire fighting to enter drains or water courses.

Hazardous combustion products : Carbon oxides  
Nitrogen oxides (NO<sub>x</sub>)

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**

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- Advice on safe handling : Avoid formation of aerosol.  
Do not breathe vapours/dust.  
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.  
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<br>(Form of exposure) | Control parameters /<br>Permissible concentration | Basis     |
|------------------------------|----------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|-----------|
| 1-Methoxy-2-propanol acetate | 108-65-6 | TWA                              | 50 ppm                                            | US WEEL   |
| n-Butyl Acetate              | 123-86-4 | TWA                              | 150 ppm<br>710 mg/m <sup>3</sup>                  | OSHA Z-1  |
| n-Butyl Acetate              |          | TWA                              | 150 ppm<br>710 mg/m <sup>3</sup>                  | OSHA P0   |
| n-Butyl Acetate              |          | STEL                             | 200 ppm<br>950 mg/m <sup>3</sup>                  | OSHA P0   |
| n-Butyl Acetate              |          | TWA                              | 150 ppm<br>710 mg/m <sup>3</sup>                  | NIOSH REL |
| n-Butyl Acetate              |          | ST                               | 200 ppm<br>950 mg/m <sup>3</sup>                  | NIOSH REL |
| n-Butyl Acetate              |          | TWA                              | 50 ppm                                            | ACGIH     |
| n-Butyl Acetate              |          | STEL                             | 150 ppm                                           | ACGIH     |

**Personal protective equipment**

- Respiratory protection : In the case of vapour formation use a respirator with an approved filter.
- Hand protection : butyl-rubber  
Break through time : > 120 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

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| Skin and body protection | : Tightly fitting safety goggles<br>: Impervious clothing<br>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                                  | : light yellow                                                                   |
| Odour                                   | : ester-like                                                                     |
| Odour Threshold                         | : No data available                                                              |
| pH                                      | : 5, Concentration: 1 % (68 °F (20 °C)) Method: Universal pH-value indicator     |
| Melting point/freezing point            | : < 32 °F (< 0 °C)<br>Method: derived                                            |
| Initial boiling point and boiling range | : 255 °F (124 °C)<br>Method: derived                                             |
| Vapour pressure                         | : 6 hPa (68 °F (20 °C))<br>Method: derived                                       |
| Flash point                             | : 102 °F (39 °C)<br>Method: 48 (Abel-Pensky) DIN 51755                           |
| Upper explosion limit                   | : 12 %(V)                                                                        |
| Lower explosion limit                   | : 1.20 %(V)                                                                      |
| Evaporation rate                        | : No data available                                                              |
| Relative vapour density                 | : No data available                                                              |
| Relative Density/Specific Gravity       | : No data available                                                              |
| Density                                 | : 1.019 g/cm <sup>3</sup> (68 °F (20 °C))<br>Method: 4 (20°C oscillating U-tube) |
| Bulk density                            | : Not applicable                                                                 |
| Solubility(ies)<br>Water solubility     | : immiscible                                                                     |
| Solubility in other solvents            | : No data available                                                              |

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Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water : No data available  
Ignition temperature : > 392 °F (> 200 °C)  
Method: M0062 (Analytics Wesel)

Thermal decomposition : No data available

Viscosity  
Viscosity, dynamic : No data available

Viscosity, kinematic : No data available

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 : None expected  
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

Acute inhalation toxicity : Acute toxicity estimate : > 200 mg/l  
Exposure time: 4 h  
Test atmosphere: vapour  
Method: Calculation method

**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

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

Acute dermal toxicity : LD50 (Rabbit): > 5,000 mg/kg

**123-86-4 n-Butyl Acetate:**

Acute oral toxicity : LD50 (Rat, male): > 10,000 mg/kg  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 423

Acute inhalation toxicity : LC50 (Rat, male and female): > 21.1 mg/l  
Exposure time: 4 h  
Test atmosphere: vapour  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 403  
GLP: yes

Acute dermal toxicity : LD50 (Rabbit, male and female): > 14,000 mg/kg  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 402

**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  
GLP: yes

**123-86-4 n-Butyl Acetate:**

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

**Serious eye damage/eye irritation****Components:****108-65-6 1-Methoxy-2-propanol acetate:**

Species: Rabbit  
Result: No eye irritation  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 405  
GLP: yes

**123-86-4 n-Butyl Acetate:**

Species: Rabbit  
Result: No eye irritation  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 405  
GLP: yes

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**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

**123-86-4 n-Butyl Acetate:**

Test Type: Buehler Test

Species: Guinea pig

Method: OECD Test Guideline 406

Result: Does not cause skin sensitisation.

**Germ cell mutagenicity****Product:**

Genotoxicity in vitro : Remarks: No data available

Genotoxicity in vivo : Remarks: No data available

**Carcinogenicity****Product:**

Remarks: No data available

**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.

**Reproductive toxicity****Product:**

Effects on fertility : Remarks: No data available

Effects on foetal development : Remarks: No data available

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**STOT - single exposure****Product:**

Remarks: No data available

**STOT - repeated exposure****Product:**

Remarks: No data available

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

Remarks: No data available

**Aspiration toxicity****Product:**

No data available

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

Remarks: Symptoms of overexposure may be headache, dizziness, tiredness, nausea and vomiting., Concentrations substantially above the TLV value may cause narcotic effects., Solvents may degrease the skin.

**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

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**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 information

: No data available

**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.  
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, Butyl 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, BUTYL ACETATE)  
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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.  
(1-Methoxy-2-propanol acetate, Butyl acetate)  
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****EPCRA - Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act****US. EPA CERCLA Hazardous Substances (40 CFR 302)**

| Components      | CAS-No.  | Component RQ<br>(lbs) | Calculated product RQ<br>(lbs) |
|-----------------|----------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|
| n-Butyl Acetate | 123-86-4 | 5000                  | 49963                          |

**SARA 304 - Emergency Release Notification**

This material does not contain any components with a section 304 EHS RQ.

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

This material does not contain any components with a SARA 302 RQ.

**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.

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**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).

The following chemical(s) are listed under the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 111 SOCMII Intermediate or Final VOC's (40 CFR 60.489):

|                 |          |        |
|-----------------|----------|--------|
| n-Butyl Acetate | 123-86-4 | 10.0 % |
|-----------------|----------|--------|

Non-volatile (Wt) : 30 %  
Method: 23 (20min/150°C)  
DIN EN ISO 3251

**Massachusetts Right To Know**

|                 |          |
|-----------------|----------|
| n-Butyl Acetate | 123-86-4 |
|-----------------|----------|

**Pennsylvania Right To Know**

|                              |            |
|------------------------------|------------|
| 1-Methoxy-2-propanol acetate | 108-65-6   |
| Copolymer                    | -          |
| n-Butyl Acetate              | 123-86-4   |
| n-Butanol                    | 71-36-3    |
| Zinc neodecanoate            | 27253-29-8 |

**New Jersey Right To Know**

**New Jersey Trade Secret Registry Number for the product (NJ TSNR)** : 800963-6313

**California Prop. 65**

This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.

**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.

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: 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.