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**SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION**

Product name : BYK-073

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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 : Defoamer

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

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

Flammable liquids : Category 3

Skin irritation : Category 2

Serious eye damage : Category 1

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

**GHS label elements**

Hazard pictograms :



Signal word : Danger

Hazard statements : H226 Flammable liquid and vapour.  
H315 Causes skin irritation.  
H318 Causes serious eye damage.  
H335 May cause respiratory irritation.  
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.

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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.  
 P264 Wash skin thoroughly after handling.  
 P271 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.  
 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.

P305 + P351 + P338 + P310 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/ doctor.

P332 + P313 If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/ attention.

P362 Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

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 foam destroying polysiloxanes

**Hazardous components**

Component	CAS-No.	Concentration (%)
1-Methoxy-2-propanol acetate	108-65-6	>= 30 - < 60
n-Butanol	71-36-3	>= 20 - < 30
n-Butyl Acetate	123-86-4	>= 20 - < 30

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**SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES**

- General advice : Move out of dangerous area.  
Consult a physician.  
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 skin irritation persists, call a physician.  
If on skin, rinse well with water.  
If on clothes, remove clothes.
- In case of eye contact : Small amounts splashed into eyes can cause irreversible tissue damage and blindness.  
In the case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.  
Continue rinsing eyes during transport to hospital.  
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 induce vomiting.  
Do not give milk or alcoholic beverages.  
Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.  
If symptoms persist, call a physician.  
Take victim immediately to hospital.

**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  
silicone compounds  
formaldehyde
- 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

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Special protective equipment for firefighters : separately in closed containments.  
Use a water spray to cool fully closed containers.  
: Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

**SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures : Use personal protective equipment.  
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.  
Do not breathe vapours/dust.  
Avoid contact with skin and eyes.  
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.  
To avoid spills during handling keep bottle on a metal tray.  
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**

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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
n-Butanol	71-36-3	TWA	20 ppm	ACGIH
n-Butanol		TWA	100 ppm 300 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	OSHA Z-1
n-Butyl Acetate	123-86-4	TWA	150 ppm	ACGIH
n-Butyl Acetate		STEL	200 ppm	ACGIH
n-Butyl Acetate		TWA	150 ppm 710 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	OSHA Z-1
n-Butyl Acetate		TWA	150 ppm 710 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	OSHA P0
n-Butyl Acetate		STEL	200 ppm 950 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	OSHA P0

**Personal protective equipment**

- Respiratory protection : In the case of vapour formation use a respirator with an approved filter.
- Hand protection  
 Material : Nitrile 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  
 Wear face-shield and protective suit for abnormal processing problems.
- 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 : When using do not eat or drink.  
 When using do not smoke.  
 Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

**SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

- Appearance : liquid
- Colour : colourless, clear
- Odour : solvent-like
- Odour Threshold : No data available
- pH : 4.8, Concentration: 1 % (68 °F (20 °C)) Method: DIN 19268 (1% in water)
- Melting point/freezing point : < 32 °F (< 0 °C)  
 Method: derived

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Boiling point/boiling range	: 230 °F (110 °C) (1,013 hPa) Method: derived
Vapour pressure	: 15 hPa (68 °F (20 °C)) Method: derived
Flash point	: 90 °F (32 °C) (1,013 hPa) Method: 49 (Pensky-Martens)
Upper explosion limit	: No data available
Lower explosion limit	: No data available
Evaporation rate	: No data available
Density	: 0.899 g/cm <sup>3</sup> (68 °F (20 °C)) Method: 4 (20°C oscillating U-tube)
Solubility(ies) Water solubility	: immiscible
Partition coefficient: n- octanol/water	: No data available
Ignition temperature	: > 392 °F (> 200 °C) 1,013 hPa Method: DIN 51794
Viscosity Viscosity, dynamic	: 1 mPa.s (68 °F (20 °C)) Method: P/K 20°C
Viscosity, kinematic	: 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	: Oxidizing agents

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Hazardous decomposition products : Strong oxidizing agents  
Alkalis  
Strong acids  
: 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 toxicity estimate : 3,198 mg/kg  
Method: Calculation methodAcute inhalation toxicity : Acute toxicity estimate : 100.15 mg/l  
Exposure time: 4 h  
Test atmosphere: vapour  
Method: Calculation methodAcute dermal toxicity : Acute toxicity estimate : > 5,000 mg/kg  
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: yesAcute inhalation toxicity : LC50 (Rat): > 100 ppm  
Exposure time: 4 h

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

**71-36-3 n-Butanol:**

Acute oral toxicity : LD50 (Rat): 800 mg/kg

Acute inhalation toxicity : LC50 (Rat): 2000 ppm

Acute dermal toxicity : LD50 (Rabbit): 3,400 mg/kg

**123-86-4 n-Butyl Acetate:**Acute oral toxicity : LD50 (Rat, male): > 10,000 mg/kg  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 423Acute inhalation toxicity : LC50 (Rat, male and female): > 21.1 mg/l  
Exposure time: 4 h

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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: Extremely corrosive and destructive to tissue.

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

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

**71-36-3 n-Butanol:**

Species: Rabbit  
Result: Moderate skin irritation

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

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

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

Remarks: May cause irreversible eye damage.

Remarks: Vapours may cause irritation to the eyes, respiratory system and the skin.

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

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

**71-36-3 n-Butanol:**

Species: Rabbit  
Result: Severe eye irritation

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

Species: Rabbit  
Result: No eye irritation

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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

**71-36-3 n-Butanol:**

Test Type: Maximisation Test  
Species: Guinea pig  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 406  
Result: Does not cause skin sensitisation.  
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.

**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.

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

Assessment: May cause drowsiness or dizziness.

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

Remarks: 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

**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

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**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 1993  
Proper shipping name : Flammable liquid, n.o.s.  
(1-Methoxy-2-propanol acetate, n-Butanol)
- Class : 3  
Packing group : III  
Labels : Flammable Liquids  
Packing instruction (cargo aircraft) : 366  
Packing instruction (passenger aircraft) : 355

**IMDG-Code**

- UN number : UN 1993  
Proper shipping name : FLAMMABLE LIQUID, N.O.S.  
(1-Methoxy-2-propanol acetate, n-Butanol)  
)
- Class : 3  
Packing group : III  
Labels : 3  
EmS Code : F-E, S-E  
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 1993  
Proper shipping name : Flammable liquids, n.o.s.  
(1-Methoxy-2-propanol acetate, n-Butanol)

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Class : 3  
 Packing group : III  
 Labels : FLAMMABLE LIQUID  
 ERG Code : 128  
 Marine pollutant : no

**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 (lbs)	Calculated product RQ (lbs)
n-Butanol	71-36-3	5000	19990

**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.

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

**SARA 313** : This product contains the following toxic chemical(s) subject to the reporting requirements of Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 and 40 CFR part 372.

n-Butanol 71-36-3 25.0 %

**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).

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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-Butanol	71-36-3	25.0 %
n-Butyl Acetate	123-86-4	24.9 %

Non-volatile (Wt) : 0.2 %  
Method: 22 (10min/150°C)  
DIN EN ISO 3251

**Massachusetts Right To Know**

n-Butanol	71-36-3
n-Butyl Acetate	123-86-4

**Pennsylvania Right To Know**

1-Methoxy-2-propanol acetate	108-65-6
n-Butanol	71-36-3
n-Butyl Acetate	123-86-4
Isobutanol	78-83-1

**New Jersey Right To Know**

**New Jersey Trade Secret Registry Number for the product (NJ TSRN)** : Not applicable

**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.
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

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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.