

**CERACOL 615**

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**SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION**

Product name : CERACOL 615

**Manufacturer or supplier's details**Company : BYK USA LLC  
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number 703-527-3887**Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use**

Recommended use : Wax Additive

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

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

Flammable liquids : Category 4

**GHS label elements**

Signal word : Warning

Hazard statements : H227 Combustible liquid.

Precautionary statements : **Prevention:**  
P210 Keep away from heat/ sparks/ open flames/ hot surfaces.  
No smoking.

P280 Wear protective gloves/ eye protection/ face protection.

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

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**Hazardous components**

Component	CAS-No.	Concentration (%)
2-Methoxymethylethoxypropanol [DPM]	34590-94-8	>= 80 - < 81

The specific chemical identity/weight percent of proprietary ingredient(s) is a trade secret

**SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES**

General advice	: 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.
Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed	: No information available.

**SECTION 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

Suitable extinguishing media	: Carbon dioxide (CO <sub>2</sub> ) Dry chemical
Unsuitable extinguishing media	: High volume water jet
Specific hazards during firefighting	: Handle as an industrial chemical. Will not explode on mechanical impact. Cool closed containers exposed to fire with water spray.
Hazardous combustion products	: Carbon oxides
Further information	: 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.

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### SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

- Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures : Eliminate all sources of ignition. Wear protective equipment: safety glasses, gloves and an appropriate respirator.
- Environmental precautions : Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.
- 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).  
Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

### 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.  
Provide sufficient air exchange and/or exhaust in work rooms.  
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.  
Observe label precautions.  
Electrical installations / working materials must comply with the technological safety standards.
- Materials to avoid : Keep away from oxidizing agents.  
Keep away from strong acids.

### SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### Components with workplace control parameters

Components	CAS-No.	Value type (Form of exposure)	Control parameters / Permissible concentration	Basis
2-Methoxymethylethoxypropanol [DPM]	34590-94-8	TWA	100 ppm	ACGIH
2-Methoxymethylethoxypropanol [DPM]		STEL	150 ppm	ACGIH
2-Methoxymethylethoxypropanol		TWA	100 ppm 600 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	OSHA Z-1

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[DPM]				
<b>Engineering measures</b>	:	Use with local exhaust ventilation.		
<b>Personal protective equipment</b>				
Respiratory protection	:	Unless air monitoring demonstrates vapor/mist/dust levels are below the PEL/TLV wear a properly fitted respirator (NIOSH approved) or dust mask during exposure.		
Hand protection				
Material	:	Nitrile rubber		
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	:	Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Clean long legged, long sleeved work clothes. If splashing is possible, wear chemically resistant protective clothing. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.		

**SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

Appearance	:	liquid
Colour	:	off-white
Odour	:	not significant
Odour Threshold	:	No data available
pH	:	6, (68 °F (20 °C)) Method: 10% in water
Melting point/range	:	172 °F (78 °C) (1,013 hPa)
Boiling point/boiling range	:	363 °F (184 °C) (1,013 hPa)
Vapour pressure	:	No data available
Flash point	:	167 °F (75 °C) Method: 49 (Pensky-Martens), closed cup
Upper explosion limit	:	14 %(V)
Lower explosion limit	:	1.1 %(V)
Evaporation rate	:	No data available

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Flammability (solid, gas)	: No data available
Relative vapour density	: No data available
Relative Density/Specific Gravity	: No data available
Density	: 0.95 g/cm <sup>3</sup> (68 °F (20 °C))
Solubility(ies)	
Water solubility	: completely miscible
Solubility in other solvents	: No data available
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	: No data available
Ignition temperature	: No data available
Thermal decomposition	: No data available
Viscosity	
Viscosity, dynamic	: 80 mPa.s (68 °F (20 °C))

**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	: DPM may form peroxides of unknown stability.
	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 acids and oxidizing agents
Hazardous decomposition products	: No data available

**SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION****Information on likely routes of exposure**

Inhalation  
Ingestion  
Eyes  
Skin Absorption  
Skin contact

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**Acute toxicity****Product:**

Acute oral toxicity : Remarks: No data available

**Components:****34590-94-8 2-Methoxymethylethoxypropanol [DPM]:**

Acute oral toxicity : LD50 (Rat): 5,200 mg/kg

Acute inhalation toxicity : LC50 (Rat): &gt; 50 mg/l

Acute dermal toxicity : LD50 (Rabbit): 9,500 mg/kg

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

Remarks: No data available

**Components:****34590-94-8 2-Methoxymethylethoxypropanol [DPM]:**

Species: Rabbit

Result: slight irritation

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

Remarks: No data available

**Components:****34590-94-8 2-Methoxymethylethoxypropanol [DPM]:**

Species: Rabbit

Result: Mild eye irritation

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

Remarks: No data available

**Components:****34590-94-8 2-Methoxymethylethoxypropanol [DPM]:**

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.

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**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 known chronic health effects.

**Aspiration toxicity****Components:****34590-94-8 2-Methoxymethylethoxypropanol [DPM]:**

The substance or mixture is known to cause human aspiration toxicity hazards or has to be regarded as if it causes a human aspiration toxicity hazard.

**Experience with human exposure****Product:**

Inhalation:

Symptoms:

High concentrations are irritating to the respiratory tract. Has caused headaches, dizziness, nausea, vomiting and CNS depression (drowsiness, loss of coordination and fatigue).

Skin contact:

Symptoms:

Contact may cause irritation.

Eye contact:

Symptoms:

Contact may cause irritation.

Ingestion:

Symptoms:

Ingestion will probably irritate the digestive tract; high dosages may cause CNS depression.

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

Remarks: Skin absorption of 10-20 ml/kg of DPM has caused CNS depression (in rabbits).  
ACGIH-TLV-TWA for DPM = 100 ppm (skin)

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Remarks: No data available

**SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION****Ecotoxicity****Product:**Toxicity to fish :  
Remarks: No data availableToxicity 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****Product:**Results of PBT and vPvB : This substance/mixture contains no components considered  
assessment to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or  
very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of  
0.1% or higher.Regulation 40 CFR Protection of Environment; Part 82 Protection of  
Stratospheric Ozone - CAA Section 602 Class I SubstancesRemarks 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**EPA Hazardous Waste : Not applicable.  
Code(s)

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- 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**

Not regulated as a dangerous good

**IMDG-Code**

Not regulated as a dangerous good

**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**

Not regulated as a dangerous good

**SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION****EPCRA - Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act****US. EPA CERCLA Hazardous Substances (40 CFR 302)**

This material does not contain any components with a CERCLA RQ.

**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).

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

Non-volatile (Wt) : 20 %

Non-volatile information is not a specification.

### Massachusetts Right To Know

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### Pennsylvania Right To Know

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Wax -

### New Jersey Right To Know

2-Methoxymethylethoxypropanol [DPM] 34590-94-8  
Wax -

**New Jersey Trade Secret Registry Number for the product (NJ TSRN)** : 800963-5847

### 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 : We certify that all of the components of this product are either listed on the TSCA Inventory or are not subject to the notification requirements per 40 CFR 720 30(h).

TSCA Inventory Active List : All components of this product are listed active and/or are exempt

No substances are subject to a Significant New Use Rule.

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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.

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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.