BYK-W 909

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SECTION 1: Identification of the hazardous chemical and of the supplier

Product identifier

Product name	:	BYK-W 909
Recommended use	:	Wetting & Dispersing Additive

Manufacturer or supplier's details

Company	:	BYK-Chemie GmbH
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SECTION 2: Hazards identification

Classification of the hazardous chemical

Flammable liquids	:	Category 3
Skin corrosion/irritation	:	Category 2
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	:	Category 1
Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure	:	Category 3 (Respiratory system, Central nervous system)

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.
P261 Avoid breathing dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapours/ spray.
P264 Wash skin thoroughly after handling.
P280 Wear protective gloves/ eye protection/ face protection.

Response:

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 or doctor/ physician.
P370 + P378 In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol-resistant foam for extinction.

Other hazards which do not result in classification

None known.

SECTION 3: Composition and information of the ingredients of the hazardous chemical

Substance / Mixture : Mixture
Chemical nature : Solution of a boric acid ester

Components

Chemical name	CAS-No.	Concentration (% w/w)
iso-butanol	78-83-1	>= 50 -<= 100
1-methoxy-2-propanol	107-98-2	>= 25 -< 30
Boric acid ester	-	>= 10 -< 12.5
Xylene, mixture of isomers	1330-20-7	>= 1 -< 3

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.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and : None known.

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SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media	:	Alcohol-resistant foam Carbon dioxide (CO2) Dry chemical
Unsuitable extinguishing media	:	High volume water jet

Physicochemical hazards arising from the chemical

Specific hazards during firefighting	:	Do not allow run-off from fire fighting to enter drains or water courses.

Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters

Special protective equipment for firefighters	:	Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.
Specific extinguishing methods	:	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.

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

Handling

Precautions for safe handling

Advice on protection against fire and explosion	:	Do not spray on a naked flame or any incandescent material. Take necessary action to avoid static electricity discharge (which might cause ignition of organic vapours). Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of

ignition.

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.

Storage

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

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

Further information on storage stability : No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls and personal protection

Control parameters

Components	CAS-No.	Value type (Form of exposure)	Control parameters / Permissible concentration	Basis
iso-butanol	78-83-1	TWA	50 ppm 152 mg/m3	MY PEL
		TWA	50 ppm	ACGIH
1-methoxy-2-propanol	107-98-2	TWA	100 ppm 369 mg/m3	MY PEL
		TWA	50 ppm	ACGIH
		STEL	100 ppm	ACGIH
Xylene, mixture of isomers	1330-20-7	TWA	100 ppm 434 mg/m3	MY PEL
		TWA	100 ppm	ACGIH
		STEL	150 ppm	ACGIH

Biological occupational exposure limits

Components	CAS-No.	Control parameters	Biological specimen	Sampling time	Permissible concentration	Basis
Xylene, mixture of isomers	1330-20-7	Methylhippuric acids	Urine	End of shift (As soon as possible	1.5 g/g creatinine	ACGIH BEI

				after exposure ceases)		

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection	:	Eye wash bottle with pure water Tightly fitting safety goggles Wear face-shield and protective suit for abnormal processing problems.
Skin protection	:	Impervious clothing Choose body protection according to the amount and concentration of the dangerous substance at the work place.
Hand protection		
Material	:	PE glove (4H)
Break through time	:	240.00 min
Remarks	:	Wear suitable gloves.
Respiratory protection	:	In the case of vapour formation use a respirator with an approved filter.
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
Odour	:	alcohol-like
Odour Threshold	:	No data available
pH	:	5 (20 °C) Concentration: 1 % Method: Universal pH-value indicator
Melting point/freezing point	:	< 0 °C Method: derived
Initial boiling point and boiling range	:	106 °C (1,013 hPa) Method: derived
Flash point	:	27.00 °C Method: 48 (Abel-Pensky) DIN 51755
Evaporation rate	:	No data available
Flammability (liquids)	:	Sustains combustion
Upper explosion limit / Upper flammability limit	:	13.70 %(V)

Lower explosion limit / Lower flammability limit	:	1.00 %(V)
Vapour pressure	:	10 hPa (20.00 °C) Method: derived
Relative vapour density	:	No data available
Relative density	:	No data available
Density	:	0.8500 g/cm3 (20.00 °C, 1,013 hPa) Method: 4 (20°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
Auto-ignition temperature	:	> 200 °C Method: DIN 51794
Decomposition temperature	:	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

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

Information on likely routes of exposure : None known.

Acute toxicity

Product:

Acute oral toxicity	:	Remarks: No data available
Acute inhalation toxicity	:	Acute toxicity estimate: > 20 mg/l

Exposure time: 4 h
Test atmosphere: vapour
Method: Calculation method

Acute dermal toxicity : Acute toxicity estimate: > 2,000 mg/kg
Method: Calculation method

Components:

iso-butanol:

Acute oral toxicity : LD50 (Rat, male): > 2,830 mg/kg
Method: OECD Test Guideline 401
GLP: yes

Acute dermal toxicity : LD50 (Rabbit, male): > 2,000 mg/kg
Method: OECD Test Guideline 402
GLP: yes

1-methoxy-2-propanol:

Acute oral toxicity : LD50 (Rat, male and female): 4,016 mg/kg
Method: EC Directive 92/69/EEC B.1 Acute Toxicity (Oral)
GLP: yes

Acute dermal toxicity : LD50 (Rabbit, male and female): > 2,000 mg/kg
Method: Directive 67/548/EEC, Annex V, B.3.
GLP: yes

Xylene, mixture of isomers:

Acute oral toxicity : LD50 (Rat): 4,300 mg/kg
Method: EC Directive 92/69/EEC B.1 Acute Toxicity (Oral)
GLP: no

Acute dermal toxicity : LD50 (Rabbit): > 4,200 mg/kg
GLP: No information available.

Skin corrosion/irritation

Product:

Remarks : May irritate skin.
May cause skin irritation in susceptible persons.

Components:

iso-butanol:

Species : Rabbit
Result : Skin irritation

1-methoxy-2-propanol:

Species : Rabbit
Method : Directive 67/548/EEC, Annex V, B.4.
Result : No skin irritation
GLP : yes

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Product:

Remarks : May cause irreversible eye damage.

Components:

iso-butanol:

Species : Rabbit
Result : Eye irritation
Method : OECD Test Guideline 405
GLP : yes

1-methoxy-2-propanol:

Species : Rabbit
Result : No eye irritation
Method : Directive 67/548/EEC, Annex V, B.5.
GLP : yes

Respiratory or skin sensitisation

Product:

Remarks : No data available

Components:

iso-butanol:

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

1-methoxy-2-propanol:

Test Type : Maximisation Test
Exposure routes : Dermal
Species : Guinea pig
Method : Directive 67/548/EEC, Annex V, B.6.
Result : Does not cause skin sensitisation.
GLP : yes

Repeated dose toxicity

Product:

Remarks : No data available

Components:

Boric acid ester:

Remarks : No data available

Aspiration toxicity

Components:

iso-butanol:

No aspiration toxicity classification

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

Components:

iso-butanol:

Toxicity to fish : LC50 (Pimephales promelas (fathead minnow)): 1,430 mg/l
Exposure time: 96 h

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates : EC50 (Daphnia pulex (Water flea)): 1,100 mg/l
Exposure time: 48 h
Test Type: static test

Toxicity to algae/aquatic plants : ErC50 (Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae)): 1,799 mg/l
Exposure time: 72 h
Method: OECD Test Guideline 201
GLP: yes

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates (Chronic toxicity) : NOEC (Daphnia magna (Water flea)): 20 mg/l
End point: Reproduction
Exposure time: 21 d
Test Type: semi-static test

1-methoxy-2-propanol:

Toxicity to fish : LC50 (Leuciscus idus (Golden orfe)): 6,812 mg/l
Exposure time: 96 h
Test Type: static test
Method: DIN 38412
GLP: no

Xylene, mixture of isomers:

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates	:	EC50 (Daphnia magna (Water flea)): 1 mg/l Exposure time: 24 h Test Type: Immobilization Method: OECD Test Guideline 202
Toxicity to algae/aquatic plants	:	EC50 (Selenastrum capricornutum (green algae)): 2.2 mg/l Exposure time: 72 h Test Type: static test Method: OECD Test Guideline 201 GLP: yes NOEC (Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae)): 0.44 mg/l Exposure time: 72 h Test Type: Growth inhibition Method: OECD Test Guideline 201
Toxicity to fish (Chronic toxicity)	:	NOEC (Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout)): > 1.3 mg/l Exposure time: 56 d
Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates (Chronic toxicity)	:	NOEC (Daphnia sp. (water flea)): 1.17 mg/l Exposure time: 7 d NOEC (Daphnia sp. (water flea)): 0.96 mg/l Exposure time: 7 d

Persistence and degradability

Product:

Biodegradability	:	Remarks: No data available

Components:

iso-butanol:

Biodegradability	:	Result: Readily biodegradable. Method: OECD Test Guideline 301D

1-methoxy-2-propanol:

Biodegradability	:	Result: Readily biodegradable. Method: OECD Test Guideline 301 GLP: yes

Xylene, mixture of isomers:

Biodegradability	:	aerobic Result: Readily biodegradable. Method: OECD Test Guideline 301F GLP: yes

Bioaccumulative potential

Product:

Bioaccumulation : Remarks: No data available

Components:

iso-butanol:

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water : log Pow: 1
Method: OECD Test Guideline 117
GLP: yes

1-methoxy-2-propanol:

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water : log Pow: 0.37 (20 °C)
pH: 6.8
Method: OECD Test Guideline 117
GLP: No information available.

Xylene, mixture of isomers:

Bioaccumulation : Species: Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout)
Bioconcentration factor (BCF): 25.9
Exposure time: 56 d
GLP: no

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water : Pow: 3.2 (20 °C)
pH: 7

Mobility in soil

No data available

Other adverse effects

Product:

Additional ecological information : No data available

SECTION 13: Disposal information

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. (Isobutanol, 1-Methoxy-2-propanol)
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. (Isobutanol, 1-Methoxy-2-propanol)
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.

Special precautions for user

The transport classification(s) provided herein are for informational purposes only, and solely based upon the properties of the unpackaged material as it is described within this Safety Data Sheet. Transportation classifications may vary by mode of transportation, package sizes, and variations in regional or country regulations.

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

Safety, health, and environmental regulations specific for the hazardous chemical

Occupational Safety and Health (Classification, Labelling and Safety Data Sheet of Hazardous Chemicals) Regulations 2013.
Occupational Safety and Health (Use and Standards of Exposure of Chemicals Hazardous to Health) Regulations 2000.

SECTION 16: Other information

Date format	:	dd.mm.yyyy

Full text of other abbreviations

ACGIH	:	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)
ACGIH BEI	:	ACGIH - Biological Exposure Indices (BEI)
MY PEL	:	Malaysia. Occupational Safety and Health (Use and Standards of Exposure of Chemicals Hazardous to Health) Regulations 2000.
ACGIH / TWA	:	8-hour, time-weighted average
ACGIH / STEL	:	Short-term exposure limit
MY PEL / TWA	:	Eight-hour time-weighted average airborne concentration

AIIC - Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals; ANTT - National Agency for Transport by Land of Brazil; ASTM - American Society for the Testing of Materials; bw - Body weight; CMR - Carcinogen, Mutagen or Reproductive Toxicant; DIN - Standard of the German Institute for Standardisation; DSL - Domestic Substances List (Canada); ECx - Concentration associated with x% response; ELx - Loading rate associated with x% response; EmS - Emergency Schedule; ENCS - Existing and New Chemical Substances (Japan); ErCx - Concentration associated with x% growth rate response; ERG - Emergency Response Guide; GHS - Globally Harmonized System; GLP - Good Laboratory Practice; IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer; IATA - International Air Transport Association; IBC - International Code for the Construction and Equipment of Ships carrying Dangerous Chemicals in Bulk; IC50 - Half maximal inhibitory concentration; ICAO - International Civil Aviation Organization; IECSC - Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China; IMDG - International Maritime Dangerous Goods; IMO - International Maritime Organization; ISHL - Industrial Safety and Health Law (Japan); ISO - International Organisation for Standardization; KECI - Korea Existing Chemicals Inventory; LC50 - Lethal Concentration to 50 % of a test population; LD50 - Lethal Dose to 50% of a test population (Median Lethal Dose); MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships; n.o.s. - Not Otherwise Specified; Nch - Chilean Norm; NO(A)EC - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Concentration; NO(A)EL - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Level; NOELR - No Observable Effect Loading Rate; NOM - Official Mexican Norm; NTP - National Toxicology Program; NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals; OECD - Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development; OPPTS - Office of Chemical Safety and Pollution Prevention; PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic substance; PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances; (Q)SAR - (Quantitative) Structure Activity Relationship; REACH - Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals; SADT - Self-Accelerating Decomposition Temperature; SDS - Safety Data Sheet; TCSI - Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory; TDG - Transportation of Dangerous Goods; TECI - Thailand Existing Chemicals Inventory; TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act (United States); UN - United Nations; UNRTDG - United Nations Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods; vPvB - Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative; WHMIS - Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System

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