

Safety Data Sheet

175-42 Medium Hardener

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1. Identification

Product identifier used on the label

175-42 Medium Hardener

Recommended use of the chemical and restriction on use

Recommended use*: Paints, Coatings and Related Materials; for industrial use only

Unsuitable for use: Not intended for sale to or use by the general public.

* The "Recommended use" identified for this product is provided solely to comply with a Federal requirement and is not part of the seller's published specification. The terms of this Safety Data Sheet (SDS) do not create or infer any warranty, express or implied, including by incorporation into or reference in the seller's sales agreement.

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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Emergency telephone number

24 Hour Emergency Response Information

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BASF HOTLINE: (800) 454-COPE (2673)

Other means of identification

Chemical family: Coating

2. Hazards Identification

According to Hazardous Products Regulations (HPR) (SOR/2015-17)

Classification of the product

Skin Corr./Irrit.	2	Skin corrosion/irritation
Eye Dam./Irrit.	2B	Serious eye damage/eye irritation
Skin Sens.	1	Skin sensitization
STOT SE	3 (Vapours may cause drowsiness and dizziness.)	Specific target organ toxicity — single exposure

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Aquatic Acute	3	Hazardous to the aquatic environment - acute
Flam. Liq.	3	Flammable liquids
Resp. Sens.	1	Respiratory sensitization
STOT RE	2	Specific target organ toxicity — repeated exposure

Label elements

Pictogram:



Signal Word:

Danger

Hazard Statement:

H226	Flammable liquid and vapour.
H315	Causes skin irritation.
H317	May cause an allergic skin reaction.
H320	Causes eye irritation.
H334	May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.
H336	May cause drowsiness or dizziness.
H402	Harmful to aquatic life.
H373	May cause damage to organs (Auditory organ, Central nervous system, Liver, Kidney) through prolonged or repeated exposure.

Precautionary Statements (Prevention):

P280	Wear protective gloves, protective clothing and eye protection or face protection.
P261	Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.
P284	In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection.
P264	Wash contaminated body parts thoroughly after handling.
P271	Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.
P242	Use only non-sparking tools.
P241	Use explosion-proof electrical, ventilating and lighting equipment.
P243	Take action to prevent static discharges.
P233	Keep container tightly closed.
P210	Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.
P240	Ground and bond container and receiving equipment.
P260	Do not breathe dust or mist.
P272	Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.
P273	Avoid release to the environment.

Precautionary Statements (Response):

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P312	Call a POISON CENTER or physician if you feel unwell.
P305 + P351 + P338	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P302 + P352	IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.
P370 + P378	In case of fire: Use water spray for extinction.
P362 + P364	Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.
P333 + P313	If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical attention.
P303 + P361 + P353	IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove or Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water or shower.
P304 + P340	IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
P337 + P313	If eye irritation persists: Get medical attention.
P342 + P311	If experiencing respiratory symptoms: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.
P314	Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.

Precautionary Statements (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.

Precautionary Statements (Disposal):

P501	Dispose of contents and container to hazardous or special waste collection point.
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Hazards not otherwise classified

No applicable information available.

3. Composition / Information on Ingredients

According to Hazardous Products Regulations (HPR) (SOR/2015-17)

ethylbenzene

CAS Number: 100-41-4
Content (W/W): ≥ 3.0 - $< 5.0\%$
Synonym: Ethylbenzene

isobutyl acetate

CAS Number: 110-19-0
Content (W/W): ≥ 3.0 - $< 5.0\%$
Synonym: Acetic acid, butyl ester, 2-methylpropyl ester

n-Butyl acetate

CAS Number: 123-86-4
Content (W/W): ≥ 25.0 - $< 50.0\%$
Synonym: n-Butyl acetate

Propanoic acid, 3-ethoxy-, ethyl ester

CAS Number: 763-69-9
Content (W/W): ≥ 1.0 - $< 3.0\%$
Synonym: 3-Ethoxypropanoic acid ethyl ester; Ethyl 3-ethoxypropionate

1,6-hexamethylene diisocyanate

CAS Number: 822-06-0
Content (W/W): ≥ 0.1 - $< 0.2\%$

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Synonym: Hexamethylene diisocyanate

Xylene

CAS Number: 1330-20-7

Content (W/W): ≥ 10.0 - $< 15.0\%$

Synonym: Xylene; Dimethylbenzene

Hexane, 1,6-diisocyanato-, homopolymer

CAS Number: 28182-81-2

Content (W/W): ≥ 25.0 - $< 50.0\%$

Synonym: 1,6-Diisocyanatohexane homopolymer

4. First-Aid Measures

Description of first aid measures

General advice:

Remove contaminated clothing.

If inhaled:

Keep patient calm, remove to fresh air. If breathing difficulties develop, aid in breathing and seek immediate medical attention.

If on skin:

Immediately wash thoroughly with soap and water, seek medical attention.

If in eyes:

Flush with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. Hold eyelids open to facilitate rinsing. If irritation develops, seek medical attention. Seek medical attention.

If swallowed:

Immediate medical attention required. Never induce vomiting or give anything by mouth if the victim is unconscious or having convulsions. Do not induce vomiting. Rinse mouth and then drink 200-300 ml of water.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms: Information, i.e. additional information on symptoms and effects may be included in the GHS labeling phrases available in Section 2 and in the Toxicological assessments available in Section 11.

Information on: isobutyl acetate

Symptoms: Overexposure may cause: , unconsciousness, vomiting, nausea, dizziness

Information on: Propanoic acid, 3-ethoxy-, ethyl ester

Symptoms: Overexposure may cause: , unconsciousness, vomiting, lethargy, nausea, headache, dizziness

Information on: Xylene

Symptoms: Overexposure may cause: , coma, weakness, lethargy, confusion, dyspnea, nausea, headache, dizziness

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

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Note to physician

Treatment:

Treat according to symptoms (decontamination, vital functions), no known specific antidote.

5. Fire-Fighting Measures

Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media:

carbon dioxide, foam, dry powder, water spray

Unsuitable extinguishing media for safety reasons:

water jet

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Hazards during fire-fighting:

Vapors and/or decomposition products are irritant and/or toxic. If product is heated above decomposition temperature acrid smoke and fumes will be released.

Advice for fire-fighters

Protective equipment for fire-fighting:

Firefighters should be equipped with self-contained breathing apparatus and turn-out gear.

Further information:

Avoid water contamination in closed containers of confined areas, because carbon dioxide gas is generated. Notify proper authorities. Do not flood burning material with water due to potential spreading of fire. Flash fire may occur. Run-off water from fire may cause pollution. Contain contaminated water/firefighting water. Remove product from areas of fire, or otherwise cool sealed containers with water in order to avoid pressure build up due to heat. Vapours are heavier than air and may accumulate in low areas and travel a considerable distance up to the source of ignition.

6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Use antistatic tools. Extinguish sources of ignition nearby and downwind. Avoid prolonged inhalation. Wear suitable personal protective clothing and equipment. Ensure adequate ventilation.

Environmental precautions

Do not discharge into drains/surface waters/groundwater.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Dike spillage. Wash down spill area with decontamination solution. Spill area can be decontaminated with the following recommended decontamination solution: Allow solution to stand for at least 10 minutes. Remove containers to a safe place, cover loosely, and allow to stand for 24 to 48 hours before sealing and disposing. Shovel into open container. Add additional decontamination solution to waste container. Mixture of 80 % water and 20 % non-ionic surfactant, or 90 - 95 % water, 3 - 8 % concentrated ammonia and 2 % detergent.

7. Handling and Storage

Precautions for safe handling

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Handle and open container with care. Avoid water contamination in closed containers of confined areas, because carbon dioxide gas is generated. **WARNING:** Empty containers may still contain hazardous residue. If bulging of drum occurs, transfer to well ventilated area, puncture to relieve pressure, open vent and let stand for 48 hours before resealing. Do not reseal container if contamination of the product is suspected. Use static lines when mixing and transferring material. Do not puncture, drop, or slide containers. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid contact with the skin, eyes and clothing.

Protection against fire and explosion:

Risk of explosion if heated under confinement. Use antistatic tools. Exhaust fans should be explosion proof. Avoid all sources of ignition: heat, sparks, open flame. Provide adequate ventilation to remove solvent vapors from lower levels or work areas and to prevent solvent contact with ignition sources. Sealed containers should be protected against heat as this results in pressure build-up.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Segregate from strong bases. Segregate from oxidizing agents. Segregate from incompatible substances. Segregate from metals. Segregate from strong acids. Keep away from water.

Suitable materials for containers: Carbon steel (Iron), tinned carbon steel (Tinplate)

Further information on storage conditions: Keep container tightly closed. Protect against moisture. Carbon dioxide gas can cause containers to expand and possibly rupture explosively. Store protected against freezing. Protect from direct sunlight. If moisture enters isocyanate containers, CO₂ forms and pressure builds up.

Storage stability:

Storage temperature: 25 - 35 °C

Consult local fire marshal for storage requirements.

Slow non-hazardous polymerization possible when at or exceeding maximum temperatures.

Protect from temperatures above: 49 °C

8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Components with occupational exposure limits

ethylbenzene	ACGIH, US: OSHA Z1:	TWA value 20 ppm ; PEL 100 ppm 435 mg/m3 ;
isobutyl acetate	ACGIH, US: ACGIH, US: OSHA Z1:	TWA value 50 ppm ; STEL value 150 ppm ; PEL 150 ppm 700 mg/m3 ;
n-Butyl acetate	ACGIH, US: ACGIH, US: OSHA Z1:	STEL value 150 ppm ; TWA value 50 ppm ; PEL 150 ppm 710 mg/m3 ;
1,6-hexamethylene diisocyanate	ACGIH, US:	TWA value 0.005 ppm ;
Xylene	ACGIH, US: ACGIH, US: OSHA Z1:	TWA value 100 ppm ; STEL value 150 ppm ; PEL 100 ppm 435 mg/m3 ;

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Advice on system design:

Provide local exhaust ventilation to maintain recommended P.E.L.

Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection:

Do not exceed the maximum use concentration for the respirator facepiece/cartridge combination. For situations where the airborne concentrations may exceed the level for which an air purifying respirator is effective, or where the levels are unknown or Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health (IDLH), use NIOSH-certified full facepiece pressure demand self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) or a full facepiece pressure demand supplied-air respirator (SAR) with escape provisions. Respiratory protection equipment must be approved for use with isocyanates.

Hand protection:

Use appropriate chemically impervious gloves as determined by an evaluation of glove performance characteristics and the hazards and potential hazards identified, including but not limited to butyl, natural and synthetic rubber, nitrile, or neoprene.

Eye protection:

Wear face shield if splashing hazard exists. Tightly fitting safety goggles (chemical goggles).

Body protection:

Body protection must be chosen based on level of activity and exposure.

General safety and hygiene measures:

Work place should be equipped with a shower and an eye wash. Remove contaminated clothing. Remove contaminated clothing immediately and clean before re-use or dispose it if necessary. Contact lenses should not be worn. Hands and/or face should be washed before breaks and at the end of the shift.

9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Form:	liquid	
Odour:	aromatic	
Odour threshold:	No applicable information available.	
Colour:	water white	
pH value:	No applicable information available.	
Melting point:	No applicable information available.	
Freezing point:	No applicable information available.	
Boiling range:	117.00 - 220.00 °C	
Sublimation point:	No applicable information available.	
Flash point:	26.11 °C	
Flammability:	No applicable information available.	
Lower explosion limit:	1.10 %(V)	
Upper explosion limit:	6.60 %(V)	
Autoignition:	No applicable information available.	
Vapour pressure:	No applicable information available.	
Density:	0.9669 g/cm ³ (20 °C)	(calculated)
Relative density:	0.9669 (20 °C)	
Vapour density:	No applicable information available.	
Partitioning coefficient n-octanol/water (log Pow):	No applicable information available.	

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Thermal decomposition:	Risk of polymerization above the indicated temperature in the presence of moisture and isocyanate reactive substances. No applicable information available.
Viscosity, dynamic:	No applicable information available.
Viscosity, kinematic:	> 20.500 mm ² /s
Solubility in water:	No applicable information available.
Solubility (quantitative):	No applicable information available.
Solubility (qualitative):	No applicable information available.
Molar mass:	No applicable information available.
Evaporation rate:	No applicable information available.

10. Stability and Reactivity

Reactivity

No applicable information available.

Chemical stability

The product is chemically stable.

Possibility of hazardous reactions

On contact with water, gaseous decomposition products are formed, which cause build-up of pressure in tightly closed containers. Reacts with water.

Conditions to avoid

Avoid all sources of ignition: heat, sparks, open flame. Avoid direct contact with water. Avoid electrostatic discharge.

Incompatible materials

strong oxidizing agents, strong bases, strong acids, thiols, transition metal salts, water, amines, alcohols

Hazardous decomposition products

Decomposition products:

nitrogen oxides, carbon dioxide, carbon monoxide, hydrogen cyanide

Thermal decomposition:

Risk of polymerization above the indicated temperature in the presence of moisture and isocyanate reactive substances. No applicable information available.

11. Toxicological information

Primary routes of exposure

Routes of entry for solids and liquids are ingestion and inhalation, but may include eye or skin contact. Routes of entry for gases include inhalation and eye contact. Skin contact may be a route of entry for liquefied gases.

Primary routes of entry

Solvents are absorbed through the skin.

Acute Toxicity/Effects

Acute toxicity

Assessment of acute toxicity: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

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Information on: ethylbenzene

Assessment of acute toxicity: Of moderate toxicity after short-term inhalation. Virtually nontoxic after a single skin contact. Of low toxicity after single ingestion.

Information on: Propanoic acid, 3-ethoxy-, ethyl ester

Assessment of acute toxicity: Of low toxicity after single ingestion. The inhalation of a highly enriched/saturated vapor-air-mixture represents an unlikely acute hazard. Of low toxicity after short-term skin contact.

Information on: 1,6-hexamethylene diisocyanate

Assessment of acute toxicity: Of high toxicity after short-term inhalation. In animal studies the substance is virtually nontoxic after a single skin contact. Of moderate toxicity after single ingestion.

Information on: Xylene

Assessment of acute toxicity: Of low toxicity after single ingestion. Of low toxicity after short-term inhalation. Virtually nontoxic after a single skin contact. The European Union (EU) has classified this substance as 'harmful' after inhalation. The European Union (EU) has classified this substance as 'harmful' after dermal exposure. High concentrations in the air may cause narcosis.

Oral

Type of value: LD50

Species: rat

Value: 3,500.000000 mg/kg

Inhalation

Type of value: LC50

Species: rat

Value: 0.390000 mg/l

Dermal

Type of value: LD50

Species: rabbit

Value: > 4,300.000000 mg/kg

Assessment other acute effects

Assessment of STOT single:

Possible narcotic effects (drowsiness or dizziness).

Irritation / corrosion

Assessment of irritating effects: Eye contact causes irritation. Skin contact causes irritation.

Information on: ethylbenzene

Assessment of irritating effects: May cause slight irritation to the skin. May cause slight irritation to the eyes.

Information on: n-Butyl acetate

Assessment of irritating effects: Not irritating to the skin. Not irritating to the eyes. Not irritating to the skin. May cause slight irritation to the eyes.

Information on: 1,6-hexamethylene diisocyanate

Assessment of irritating effects: Irritating to eyes and skin.

Information on: Xylene

Assessment of irritating effects: Skin contact causes irritation. Eye contact causes irritation.

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Sensitization

Assessment of sensitization: The substance may cause sensitization of the respiratory tract.
Sensitization after skin contact possible.

Information on: 1,6-hexamethylene diisocyanate

Assessment of sensitization:

The substance may cause sensitization of the respiratory tract. Sensitization after skin contact possible.

Aspiration Hazard

No aspiration hazard expected.

Chronic Toxicity/Effects

Repeated dose toxicity

Assessment of repeated dose toxicity: Repeated exposure may affect certain organs.

Information on: ethylbenzene

Assessment of repeated dose toxicity: The substance may cause damage to the liver after repeated ingestion of high doses, as shown in animal studies. The substance may cause deafness after repeated inhalation. The substance may cause deafness after repeated ingestion.

Information on: n-Butyl acetate

Assessment of repeated dose toxicity: After repeated exposure the prominent effect is local irritation.

Information on: 1,6-hexamethylene diisocyanate

Assessment of repeated dose toxicity: After repeated exposure the prominent effect is local irritation. Based on the chemical structure a neurotoxic effect by repeated administration cannot be excluded.

Information on: Xylene

Assessment of repeated dose toxicity: Overexposure may cause liver and kidney toxicity.

Repeated exposure may affect certain organs. Damages the central nerve system. The substance can cause changes in the following organs after repeated exposure to large quantities: Liver Kidney

Genetic toxicity

Assessment of mutagenicity: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Carcinogenicity

Assessment of carcinogenicity: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Information on: ethylbenzene

Assessment of carcinogenicity: Indication of possible carcinogenic effect in animal tests. The effect is caused by an animal specific mechanism that has no human counter part. A clear indication of an increased risk of cancer in humans has so far not been shown. IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer) has classified this substance as group 2B (The agent is possibly carcinogenic to humans).

Reproductive toxicity

Assessment of reproduction toxicity: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Teratogenicity

Assessment of teratogenicity: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

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Medical conditions aggravated by overexposure

Medical supervision of all employees who handle or come into contact with isocyanates is recommended. Persons with asthmatic conditions, chronic bronchitis, other chronic respiratory diseases, recurrent eczema or pulmonary sensitization should be excluded from working with isocyanates. Once a person is diagnosed as having pulmonary sensitization (allergic asthma) to isocyanates, further exposure is not recommended. The isocyanate component is a respiratory sensitizer. It may cause allergic reaction leading to asthma-like spasms of the bronchial tubes and difficulty in breathing.

12. Ecological Information

Toxicity

Aquatic toxicity

Assessment of aquatic toxicity:

Harmful to aquatic life. There are no test results available for this product. Do not allow to enter drains or waterways.

13. Disposal considerations

Waste disposal of substance:

Do not incinerate closed containers. The use and processing of this product, or addition of other constituents, may cause it to be considered a hazardous waste. Do not discharge into drains/surface waters/groundwater.

Must be disposed of or incinerated in accordance with local regulations.

Container disposal:

WARNING: Empty containers may still contain hazardous residue.

14. Transport Information

Land transport

TDG

Hazard class:	3
Packing group:	II
ID number:	UN 1866
Hazard label:	3
Proper shipping name:	RESIN SOLUTION

Sea transport

IMDG

Hazard class:	3
Packing group:	II
ID number:	UN 1866
Hazard label:	3
Marine pollutant:	NO
Proper shipping name:	RESIN SOLUTION

Air transport

IATA/ICAO

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Hazard class:	3
Packing group:	II
ID number:	UN 1866
Hazard label:	3
Proper shipping name:	RESIN SOLUTION

15. Regulatory Information

Federal Regulations

Registration status:

Chemical DSL, CA released / listed

NFPA Hazard codes:

Health: 2 Fire: 3 Reactivity: 0 Special:

16. Other Information

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