



# Material Safety Data Sheet

## 1. Identification of the substance/mixture and supplier

Product Name: **ECS LA 6337 Resin**

Recommended use: Epoxy resin

Supplier: Uroxsys Ltd

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ERMA Approval: HSR002670

## 2. Hazards identification

Classified as hazardous according to criteria in the HS (Minimum Degrees of Hazard) Regulations 2001  
Classified as Dangerous Goods by NZS 5433:1999 Transport of Dangerous Goods on Land.

Subclass 6.3 Category A - Substances that are irritating to the skin

Subclass 6.4 Category A - Substances that are irritating to the eye

Subclass 6.5 Category B - Substances that are contact sensitisers

Subclass 9.1 Category B - Substances that are ecotoxic in the aquatic environment

Risk phrases: R36/38 Irritating to eyes and skin  
R43 May cause sensitisation by skin contact.  
R51/53 Toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

Safety Phrases S24/25 Avoid contact with skin and eyes  
S26 In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.  
S28 After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of soap and water.  
S36/37/39 Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection.

## 3. Composition/information on hazardous ingredients

Bisphenol A/epichlorohydrin	25085-99-8	>60%	R36/38,R43,R51/53
Bisphenol F/epichlorohydrin	28064-14-4	10-30%	R36/38,R43,R51/53
Alkyl glycidyl ether	68609-97-2	10-30%	R36/38,R43,R51/53

## 4. First-aid measures

If poisoning occurs, contact a doctor or Poisons Information Centre Phone 0800 764 766.

**Ingestion:** If swallowed, do not induce vomiting. Seek immediate medical assistance. Begin artificial respiration if breathing has stopped. Use mouth to nose rather than mouth to mouth.

**Inhalation:** Remove victim from area of exposure. Remove contaminated clothing and loosen remaining clothing. Allow patient to assume most comfortable position and keep warm. Keep at rest until fully recovered. Seek medical advice.

**Skin Contact:** If skin contact occurs, immediately remove contaminated clothing and wash skin with water. If irritation occurs seek medical advice.

**Eye Contact:** Immediately flush eyes with water for at least 15 minutes and see a doctor.

**Notes to physician:**

If burn is present, treat as any thermal burn, after decontamination. Supportive care.  
Treatment based on judgement of the physician in response to reactions of the patient.

**5. Fire-fighting measures**

**Specific Hazards:** Not classified as flammable but will burn. Carbon monoxide may be evolved if incomplete combustion occurs.

**Fire-fighting advice:** Fire fighters to wear self-contained breathing apparatus and suitable protective clothing. Keep adjacent containers cool by spraying with water.

**Suitable Extinguishing Media:**

Carbon dioxide, dry chemical, foam or water fog.

**Hazchem Code:** 2X

**6. Accidental release measures**

**Emergency procedures:** If contamination of sewers or waterways has occurred advise local emergency services.

**Methods for containment & clean up:**

For small spills: Avoid accidents, clean up immediately. Wear protective equipment to prevent skin & eye contact. Wipe up with rag or absorbent paper.

For large spills: Wear protective equipment to prevent skin and eye contamination and inhalation of vapours. Contain - prevent runoff into drains and waterways. Use absorbent material (sand or earth). Collect and seal in properly labeled containers for disposal.

**7. Handling and storage**

**Handling advice:** Avoid contact with skin and eyes and clothing. Avoid breathing vapours. No smoking, open flames or sources of ignition in handling and storage areas. Electrically ground all equipment.

**Storage advice:** Keep container tightly closed and dry. Store at ambient temperatures.

**8. Exposure controls/personal protection****Occupational Exposure Limits:**

No value assigned for this specific material by the New Zealand Occupational Safety and Health Service (OSH).

**Engineering Control Measures:**

Ensure ventilation is adequate. Local exhaust ventilation may be necessary for some operations.

**Personal Protective Equipment:**

Wear overalls, chemical goggles and gloves. Use with adequate ventilation. If inhalation risk exists wear organic vapour/particulate respirator meeting the requirements of AS/NZS 1715 and AS/NZS 1716. Always wash hands before smoking, eating, drinking or using the toilet. Wash contaminated clothing and other protective equipment before storage or re-use.

**9. Physical and chemical properties**

Physical state: Clear liquid

Colour:	Pale yellow
Solubility:	Negligible
Specific Gravity:	1.2
Flash Point (°C):	177°C
Flammability Limits (%):	not determined
Boiling Point/Range (°C):	Decomposes

#### 10. Stability and reactivity

**Stability:** Stable at normal temperatures and storage conditions. Reacts with strong oxidizing agents.

**Hazardous decomposition products:** Not expected to form any during normal storage.

#### 11. Toxicological information

No adverse health effects expected if the product is handled in accordance with this Safety Data Sheet and the product label. Symptoms or effects that may arise if the product is mishandled and overexposure occurs are:

**Ingestion:** Single dose oral toxicity is considered to be extremely low.

**Eye contact:** Slightly irritating to eyes.

**Skin contact:** Slightly irritating to skin. Repeated exposure may cause skin irritation.

**Inhalation:** At room temperatures, vapours are minimal due to physical properties.

**Long Term Effects:**

Prolonged or repeated exposure may cause skin sensitization.

**Toxicological Data:**

No LD50 data available for the product.

However, for constituent Bisphenol A/epichlorhydrin:

Oral LD50 (rat) >5000 mg/kg, Dermal LD50 (rabbit) >20000 mg/kg

#### 12. Ecotoxicological information

Avoid contaminating waterways. Not readily biodegradable. Has the potential to bioaccumulate. If product enters soil, it will be mobile and may contaminate groundwater.

Acute toxicity – fish; Toxic, 1>LC/EC/IC 50 <= 10 mg/l. Toxic to aquatic organisms.

#### 13. Disposal considerations

Incineration through a licensed waste contractor. If not possible then refer to Waste Management Authority.

#### 14. Transport information

Road and Rail Transport

Classified as Dangerous Goods by NZS 5433:1999 Transport of Dangerous Goods on Land

UN No.: 3082

Class: 9

Proper shipping name: ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, NOS (EPOXY RESIN)

Hazchem: 2X

Packing Group: III

#### Marine Transport

Classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code (IMDG Code) for transport by sea.

UN No.: 3082

Class: 9

Proper shipping name: ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, NOS (EPOXY RESIN)

Packing Group: III

#### Air Transport

Classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the International Air Transport Association (IATA) Dangerous Goods Regulations for transport by air.

UN No.: 3082

Class: 9

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Packing Group: III

### 15. Regulatory information

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### 16. Other information

This MSDS summarises to our best knowledge at the date of issue, the chemical health and safety hazards of the material and general guidance on how to safely handle the material in the workplace. Since Uroxsys Limited cannot anticipate or control the conditions under which the product may be used, each user must, prior to usage, assess and control the risks arising from its use of the material.

If clarification or further information is needed, the user should contact Uroxsys Limited at the contact details on page 1.

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