



# Material Safety Data Sheet

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

Product Name: **Watermarque 2K Primer Hardener**

Recommended use: Hardener component for Watermarque 2K Primer

Supplier: Uroxsys Ltd  
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Telephone Number: +64 9 2740808  
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ERMA Approval: HSR002662

## 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 3.1 Category C (medium hazard) - Flammable liquid  
Subclass 6.1 Category E - Substances which are acutely toxic.  
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 A - Substances that are respiratory sensitisers

Risk phrases: R10 Flammable  
R36 Irritating to eyes  
R65 Harmful: May cause lung damage if swallowed

Safety Phrases S16 Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking  
S24/25 Avoid contact with skin and eyes  
S28 After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of soap and water.  
S29 Do not empty into drains  
S38 In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment.

## 3. Composition/information on hazardous ingredients

aliphatic polyisocyanate		>60%	R43
hexamethylene-1,6-diisocyanate	822-06-0	<0.15%	R23,R36/37/38,R42/43
propylene glycol monomethyl ether acetate	108-65-6	<10%	R10,R36

## 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 - avoid becoming a casualty. Remove contaminated clothing and loosen remaining clothing. Allow patient to assume most comfortable position and keep warm. Keep at rest until fully recovered. If patient finds breathing difficult and develops a bluish discolouration of the skin (which suggests a lack of oxygen in the blood - cyanosis), ensure airways are clear of any obstruction and have a qualified person give oxygen through a face mask. Apply artificial respiration if patient is not breathing. Get to a hospital or doctor quickly.

**Skin Contact:** If skin or hair contact occurs, immediately remove contaminated clothing and clean skin and hair with plenty of soap and water. If irritation occurs seek medical advice.

**Eye Contact:** If in eyes, hold eyes open, flood with water for at least 15 minutes and see a doctor.

**Notes to physician:**  
No information available.

## 5. Fire-fighting measures

**Hazards from combustion:** On burning may emit toxic fumes including those of carbon oxides, nitrogen oxides, isocyanate vapours and hydrogen cyanide.

**Fire-fighting advice:** Fire fighters to wear self-contained breathing apparatus and suitable protective clothing if risk of exposure to vapour or products of combustion. Flammable liquid. May form flammable vapour mixtures with air. Avoid all ignition sources. Heating can cause expansion or decomposition of the material, which can lead to the containers exploding. If safe to do so, remove containers from the path of fire. Keep containers cool with water spray.

**Suitable Extinguishing Media:** Foam, dry agent (carbon dioxide, dry chemical powder).

**Hazchem Code:** 3[Y]

## 6. Accidental release measures

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

**Methods for containment & clean up:**  
Shut off all possible sources of ignition. Clear area of all unprotected personnel. Slippery when spilt. Avoid accidents, clean up immediately. Wear protective equipment to prevent skin and eye contact and breathing in vapours. Work up wind or increase ventilation. Contain - prevent run off into drains and waterways. Use absorbent (soil, sand or other inert material). Collect in properly labeled containers.

## 7. Handling and storage

**Handling advice:**  
Avoid skin and eye contact and breathing in vapour. May form flammable vapour mixtures with air. All potential sources of ignition must be eliminated both in and near the work area. Do NOT smoke. Flameproof equipment is necessary in all areas where this chemical is being used. Nearby equipment must be earthed. Vapour may travel a considerable distance to a source of ignition and flash back.

**Storage advice:**  
Store in a cool, dry, well ventilated place and out of direct sunlight. Store away from sources of heat or ignition. Store away from foodstuffs. Store away from incompatible materials described in Section 10. Keep containers closed when not in use - check regularly for leaks.

## 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). However, Workplace Exposure Standard(s) for constituent(s): Isocyanates, all (as-NCO) (sen):TWA 0.02 mg/m<sup>3</sup>; STEL 0.07 mg/m<sup>3</sup>  
'Sen' Notice – sensitiser. The substance can cause a specific immune response in some people. An affected individual may subsequently react to exposure to minute levels of that substance.

propylene glycol monomethyl ether acetate: TWA 50ppm, 270 mg/m<sup>3</sup> (Federal Republic of Germany Maximum concentration values in the workplace).

#### **Engineering Control Measures:**

Ensure ventilation is adequate and that air concentrations of components are controlled below quoted Exposure Standards. Keep containers closed when not in use. Vapour heavier than air - prevent concentration in hollows or sumps. DO NOT enter confined spaces where vapour may have collected.

#### **Personal Protective Equipment:**

Wear overalls, chemical goggles and impervious gloves. Use with adequate ventilation. If spraying or 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:	liquid
Colour:	white
Solubility:	partly
Specific Gravity:	1.0
Flash Point (°C):	40°C
Flammability Limits (%):	1.5-7.0
Boiling Point/Range (°C):	146

### **10. Stability and reactivity**

<b>Stability:</b>	Stable under normal conditions.
<b>Conditions to avoid:</b>	Avoid contact with foodstuffs. Avoid exposure to heat, sources of ignition and open flame. Reacts with moisture
<b>Incompatible materials:</b>	Incompatible with oxidising agents

### **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:

<b>Ingestion:</b>	May cause irritation of the mouth, throat and gastrointestinal tract. May cause headache, pain, dizziness, diarrhea and nausea.
<b>Eye contact:</b>	May cause severe burns, destruction of eye tissue and possible permanent injury or blindness.
<b>Skin contact:</b>	Contact with skin may result in irritation. Repeated or prolonged skin contact may lead to irritant contact dermatitis.
<b>Inhalation:</b>	Breathing of mists, vapours or fumes may irritate the nose, throat and lungs. Symptoms may include headache, dizziness, incoordination, drowsiness, blurred vision, stomach pain, nausea or vomiting. Breathing in high concentrations can produce central nervous system depression, which can lead to loss of co-ordination, impaired judgement and if exposure is prolonged, unconsciousness. May cause respiratory sensitisation in sensitive individuals, producing asthma-like symptoms.

**Long Term Effects:**

Prolonged or repeated exposure may cause liver or kidney damage. Over-exposure, especially when spraying without the necessary precautions entails the risk of concentration-dependent irritating effects on eyes, nose, throat and respiratory tract. Delayed appearance of the complaints and development of hyper-sensitivity are possible. Hypersensitive persons may suffer from these effects even at low isocyanate concentrations.

**Toxicological Data:**

No LD50 data available for the product. The toxicity of the product may be attributed to the solvents it contains.

Additive effects may occur with mixtures of solvents. Similar effects can occur where the consumption of alcohol is also involved. However, for constituents:

isocyanate: oral LD50 (rat): >5000 mg/kg, inhalation LC50 (rat) 390-453 mg/m<sup>3</sup>, aerosol

**12. Ecotoxicological information**

Avoid contaminating waters, wastewater or soil. Notify authorities if water supply is contaminated.

**13. Disposal considerations**

Refer to Waste Management Authority. Advise flammable nature. Dispose of material through a licensed waste contractor. Normally suitable for incineration by an approved agent.

Empty containers:

Do not contaminate storm water with product or product washing. Do not pour product down the drain. React residue with appropriate amount of resin, allow to cure and then dispose of via waste collection. Check with your local council first.

**14. Transport information**

Road and Rail Transport

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

UN No: 1263

Class-primary 3 Flammable Liquid

Packing Group: III

Proper Shipping Name: PAINT OR PAINT RELATED MATERIAL

Hazchem Code: 3[Y]

Marine Transport

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

UN No: 1263

Class-primary: 3

Packing Group: III

Proper Shipping Name: PAINT OR PAINT RELATED MATERIAL

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: 1263

Class-primary: 3 Flammable Liquid

Packing Group: III

Proper Shipping Name: PAINT OR PAINT RELATED MATERIAL

## 15. Regulatory information

Classification: This material is hazardous according to the criteria in the HS (Minimum Degrees of Hazard) Regulations 2001.

ERMA Approval: HSR002662  
Group Standard: Surface Coatings and Colourants (Flammable) Group Standard

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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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