

Material Safety Data Sheet

1. Product and Company Identification

Product Name: Cutek Wood Preservative
Trade Name: Cutek/CD50
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Hazardous according to the criteria of Safe Work Australia
Not classified as hazardous for transport (ADG, UN, IATA/ICAO)
Classified as a Combustible Liquid C1, AS 1940-1993

2. Composition/Information on Ingredients

Ingredients considered hazardous according to the criteria of Safe Work Australia:

Chemical Name	CAS #	Proportion	EU Classification
Heavy Aromatic Petroleum Solvent	[64742-94-5]	10-<30%	Xn; R65
Phosphoric Esters	[12645-31-7]	<10%	Xi; R36, R38
Copper-8-Hydroxyquinoline	[10380-28-6]	<10%	N; R52

Ingredients determined not to be hazardous to 100%

Notes on EU Symbols: Xn Harmful, Xi Irritant

3. Hazards Identification

Harmful: Low viscosity material may cause lung damage if swallowed.
Irritating to eyes and skin.
Harmful to aquatic organisms and may cause long term adverse effects in the aquatic environment

4. First Aid Measures

Eyes:

Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes holding eyelids apart to ensure flushing of the entire eye surface. Seek medical attention as soon as possible.

Ingestion:

DO NOT induce vomiting. If vomiting occurs spontaneously, keep airway clear. Seek medical attention IMMEDIATELY. NEVER induce vomiting or give anything by mouth to an unconscious patient.

Inhalation:

Remove victim to fresh air. Persons administering first aid to overexposure victims should carefully wash off any visible product from the victims face. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If not breathing, give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth. If breathing is difficult administer oxygen. Get medical attention IMMEDIATELY.

Skin:

Wash with plenty of soap and water. Remove contaminated clothing and footwear. Wash clothing and contaminated footwear before reuse. Seek medical attention if irritation persists.

Note to doctor:

Treat symptomatically. Aspiration of material into lungs due to vomiting may cause chemical pneumonitis.

5. Fire-Fighting Measures

Flash Point:	80 degrees Celsius (ASTM D92)
Extinguisher Media:	Foam, carbon dioxide, dry chemical.
Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards:	None known
Special Protective Equipment:	Fires in confined spaces should be dealt with by trained personnel wearing approved breathing apparatus.
Combustion Products:	Toxic fumes may be evolved on burning or exposure to heat, along with oxides of carbon.

6. Accidental Release Measures

Hazards:

This product is technically harmful to aquatic organisms and may cause long term adverse effects in the aquatic environment. Do not contaminate waterways.

Steps to be taken if material is released or spilled:

Wear appropriate protective clothing. Eliminate all ignition sources. Restrict access to contaminated area. Stop spill at source. Dike to prevent spreading. Collect free liquid into a recovery vessel. Absorb remainder with sand or clay and place in a properly labelled waste receptacle. Follow all government and local body regulations for disposal. Do not contaminate water while cleaning equipment or disposing of wastes. Prohibit contamination of streams, lakes and other bodies of water.

Container Disposal:

DO NOT reuse container. Dispose of safely.

7. Handling and Storage

Handling:

Avoid contact with skin, eyes and all other personal contact. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practises. Wash hands thoroughly after contact. Wear protective clothing when risk of exposure occurs. Avoid inhalation of vapour or mist. Only use in a well-ventilated area. Do not smoke. Extinguish any flames.

Storage:

Store in a cool, dry place out of reach of children.
Incompatible with unlined metal containers.

Other Precautions:

Do not pressurise, cut, weld, solder, drill, grind or expose containers to heat, flames, sparks or other potential sources of ignition.

8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Exposure Controls: In absence of standards it is recommended that the time weighted average concentration (TWA) for this product be determined at 100 mg/m³ (17 ppm). This defines the highest allowable exposure concentration in an eight-hour day for a five-day working week. The short-term exposure limit (STEL) is not specified, which is the maximum allowable exposure concentration at any time.

Biological Limit: No biological limit allocated

Ventilation Requirements:

Good industrial hygiene practise dictates that indoor work areas should be isolated and provided with adequate local exhaust ventilation, if risk of overexposure occurs. Ventilate via mechanical methods (general or local exhaust) to maintain exposure below 5mg/m³.

Eye Protection:

Eye contact must be avoided. If accidental eye contact is possible then wear safety goggles or a face visor with side shields.

Skin Protection:

Skin contact must be avoided and good personal hygiene practises observed. Protective clothing including impervious chemical nitrile gloves should be worn. Care must be taken while removing gloves and other skin protective equipment to avoid skin contact.

Respiratory Protection:

None normally required if good ventilation is maintained. Avoid breathing vapours. If mist is generated during application process, an approved mist respirator with organic vapour filters must be used if ventilation requirements cannot be maintained. Reference should be made to AS/NZS 1715 and AS/NZS 1716 Use and Maintenance of Respiratory Protective Devices for individual circumstances.

9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance:	Dark green/amber liquid.
Odour:	Slight petroleum distillate odour.
PH Range:	2.8 – 3.8
Specific Gravity:	0.92 @ 20 degrees Celsius
Solubility in Water:	Negligible
Flash Point:	80 degrees Celsius (ASTM D92)

10. Stability and Reactivity

Stability: Products of this type are stable and unlikely to react in a hazardous manner under normal conditions.

Incompatibility: Strong Oxidising Agents

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Oxides of Carbon.

Hazardous Polymerisation: Will not occur

9. Toxicological Data

Eyes:

Not available. Can cause severe irritation, redness, tearing, and blurred vision. Can cause irreversible damage on prolonged contact.

Ingestion:

Not available. Can cause gastro-intestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting, and diarrhoea.

Inhalation:

Not available. At normal ambient temperatures this product will be unlikely to present an inhalation hazard because of its low volatility. Can cause nasal and respiratory irritation, dizziness, nausea, vomiting, headache, and weakness.

Skin:

Not available. Prolonged or repeated contact may result in itching, defatting, dermatitis or more serious irreversible skin disorders.

RTECS: CAS# 10380-28-6: Copper-8-Hydroxyquinoline

LD50/LC50: Oral rat 19930 mg/kg
Skin rabbit >2 gm/kg

RTECS: CAS# 64742-94-5: Heavy Aromatic Petroleum Solvent

LD50/LC50: Inhalation rat >590 mg/m³/4H
Skin rabbit >2 mL/kg

12. Ecological Information

Hazard:

This product is technically harmful to aquatic organisms and may cause long term adverse effects in the aquatic environment; however this product also has negligible solubility so is unlikely to pose a significant long term risk to the environment. Do not contaminate waterways.

Mobility:

Spillages may penetrate the soil however the product has negligible solubility in water so is unlikely to pose a significant long term risk to the environment.

13. Disposal Considerations

Dispose of via an authorised person/licensed waste disposal contractor in accordance with local regulations.

Incineration may be carried out under controlled conditions provided that local regulations for emissions are met.

Dispose of product and container responsibly and carefully.

Do not dispose of near waterways, down drains or into soil.

14. Transport Information

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15. Regulatory Information

Australian Classifications:

UN Number:	NA
HAZCHEM Code:	NA
Dangerous Goods Class	NA
Packaging Group:	NA
EC Labelling:	Xn; R65, Xi; R36/R38, R51/53 S2, S23, S24, S25, S62

16. Other Information

References:

Supplier MSDS

<http://hsis.ascc.gov.au/>

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