

SAFETY DATA SHEET
GLOBAL POLARGALV
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1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Trade Name	GLOBAL POLARGALV
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2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON THE COMPONENTS

A blend of aromatic hydrocarbon solvent(s), drier(s), resin(s), ketone(s), dispersion aid(s), Pigment(s) and hydrocarbon propellants.

For details of substances presenting a health hazard within the meaning of the Chemicals (Hazard Information & Packing) Regulations 1993 see under Section 8 of this Safety Data Sheet.

3. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

Prolonged or repeated exposure to products containing refined mineral oil or HBPF distillates may Result in dermatitis unless good personal hygiene is used.
Pressurised container. Protect from sunlight and do not expose to temperatures exceeding 50°C.
Do not pierce or burn even after use. Do not spray on a naked flame or any incandescent material. Deliberately concentrating and inhaling contents of this container is dangerous and can be fatal.

Extremely flammable.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

General –	In all cases of doubt or when symptoms persist, seek medical attention. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.
First Aid - Eyes	Contact lenses should be removed. Irrigate copiously with clean, fresh water for at least 10 mins holding the eyelids apart. Seek medical advice.
First Aid - Skin	Remove contaminated clothing. Wash skin thoroughly with soap and water or use a proprietary skin cleaner. DO NOT use solvents or thinners.
First Aid - Ingestion	If accidentally swallowed obtain immediate medical attention. Keep at rest. DO NOT induce vomiting.
First Aid - Inhalation	Remove to fresh air, keep warm and at rest. If breathing is irregular or stopped give artificial respiration. Give nothing by mouth. If unconscious place in recovery position and seek medical advice.

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Extinguishing Media

Carbon dioxide, dry powder, Halogenated Hydrocarbons, sand, foam.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media

Do not use water.

Special Instructions for Fire-Fighting Personnel

Fire will produce dense black smoke containing hazardous products of combustion (see section 10). Decomposition products may be a hazard to health. Appropriate self-contained breathing apparatus may be required. Cool closed containers exposed to fire with a water spray. Do not allow run off from fire fighting to enter drains or water course.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Contain and collect spillages with non-combustible absorbent materials e.g. sand, earth and place in suitable container for disposal in accordance with the waste regulations. Do not allow large quantities to enter drains or water courses. If it does local water companies should be contacted.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Vapours are heavier than air and may spread along floors. They may form explosive mixtures with air. Prevent mixtures and avoid vapour concentrations higher than OEL.

Avoid skin and eye contact. For personal protection see section 8. Good housekeeping and regular removal of waste materials will minimise risks. Observe the label precautions. Store between 5 and 30°C in a dry well ventilated area.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Engineering Control Measures

Provide adequate ventilation. Where reasonably practicable this should be achieved by the use of local exhaust ventilation and good general extraction. If extraction methods are insufficient to maintain concentrations of particulates and/or solvent vapours below relevant OEL's, suitable respiratory protective equipment should be worn

Substance Name	% Conc Range	Symbol	OES 8hr ppm	OES 15 min ppm	Risk Phrases	Notation
XYLENE MIXTURE OF ISOMERS	>10% & = < 25%	Xn, Xi	100.00	150.00	20/21-38-10	Sk OES
1-METHOXY – 2 - PROPANOL	>2.5% & = < 10%		100.00	300.00	10	Sk OES
ACETONE	>25% & = < 50%	F	750.00	1500.00	11	OES
METHANOL	>1% & = < 2.5%	T, F	200.00	250.00	23/25-11	Sk OES
PROPANE	>10% & = < 25%	F+			12	
BUTANE (1), ISOBUTANE (2)	>10% & = 25%	F+	600.00	750.00	12	OES

NOTES

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OEL's are from EH40 except where marked SUP which are assigned by the supplier of the substance.

General Protection

All ppe, including rpe, used to control exposure to hazardous substances must be selected to meet the requirements of the COSHH regulations.

Respiratory Protection

Air fed respiratory equipment should be worn when sprayed if levels cannot be controlled Below OEL's and engineering methods cannot be reasonably improved.

Skin Protection

Cotton or cotton/synthetic overalls or coveralls Are normally suitable. Grossly contaminated Clothing should be removed and the skin washed with soap and water or a proprietary skin cleaner.

Eye Protection

Eye protection designed to protect against liquid splashes should be worn.

Hnad Protection

Full physical protection is best. Seek relevant advise from glove manufacturers. Barrier cream may be of help but should not be applied after exposure has occurred.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical State

Grey liquid

Flash Point (°C)

<0°C Method Abel Apparatus to British Standards BS 2000 Pt.170

Explosion Limits (%)

Solubility in Water

Immiscible

Vapour Density

Heavier than air

Viscosity (cSt)

Specific Gravity

1.030 gms/cc method hydrometer

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stable under the recommended storage and handling conditions (see Sect.7). In a fire, hazardous decomposition products such as smoke, carbon monoxide, and oxides of nitrogen may be produced. Keep away from oxidising agents and strongly alkaline and acid materials to prevent the possibility of an exothermic reaction.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Repeated or prolonged contact with the product may lead to removal of natural fats from the skin resulting in non-allergic contact dermatitis and absorption through the skin. Splashes in the eye may cause irritation and reversible local damage. Exposure to organic solvent vapours may result in adverse health effects such as irritation of the mucous membrane and respiratory system and adverse effects on the renal system and central nervous system. Symptoms include headache, dizziness, fatigue muscular weakness, drowsiness and in extreme cases unconsciousness.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

There is no data available on the product itself. Large quantities of the product should not be allowed to enter drains or water courses or be deposited where it can affect ground or surface waters. The Air Pollution Control requirements of regulations made under the Environmental Protection Act may apply to the use of this product.

13. DISPOSAL

Do not allow large quantities to enter the drains or water courses or dispose of where ground or surface waters may be affected. Wastes, including emptied containers, are controlled wastes and should be disposed of in accordance with regulations made under the Control of Pollution & Environmental Protection Acts.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Road / Rail	SI Number 1950	Class 9
Sea	Marine Pollutant No UN Number 1950	
	Ems 2-13 MFAG 260***	
	Main Risk Harmful	
	Sub Risk Flammable IMDG PAGE NO: 9022	
	Shipping Name Aerosol Dispensers Nos	

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Classification	F+ Extremely flammable Xn Harmful
Contains	Xylene, mixture of isomers
Risk phrases 20/21	Harmful by inhalation and in contact with skin
12	Extremely flammable
Safety phrases	2 Keep out of reach of children 46 If swallowed seek medical advice immediately and show Container or label. 26 In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of cold water and seek medical advice. 16. Keep away from sources of ignition – No smoking
P phrases	Do not breathe vapour or spray

The information contained in this Safety Data Sheet does not constitute the user's own assessment of The workplace risks as required by other Health & Safety legislation. The provision of the Health & Safety at Work Act and the Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations apply to the use of this product at work.

16. OTHER INFORMATION

Text of Risk Phrases listed in section 8

R10	Flammable
R11	Highly flammable
R12	Extremely flammable
R20/21	Harmful by inhalation and in contact with skin
R23/25	Toxic by inhalation and if swallowed
R38	Irritating to skin
Product Use	For industrial use only..
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MSDS data revised	

17. NATIONAL LEGISLATION

EC Legislation	EC Directive 91/155/EEC defining the laying down and detailed arrangements for the system of specific information relating to dangerous preparations. EC Directive 88/379/EEC relating to the classification, packaging and labelling of dangerous preparations. EC Directive 94/1/EC adapting some technicalities of Council Directive 75/324/EEC on the approximation of the laws of Member States relating to aerosol dispensers.
UK Guidance Publications	EH40, Occupational Exposure Limits, HSE. Revised Annually.

