

Safety data sheet

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SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1 Product identifier

Trade name: **Gerstaecker Natural shellac**

Article number: 67349

1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

No further relevant information available.

Application of the substance / the mixture Material for hobby and creative art

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Manufacturer/Supplier:

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1.4 Emergency telephone number:

Giftinformationszentrum-Nord (GIZ-Nord):
+49(0)55119240 (24h)

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008



flame

Flam. Liq. 2 H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapour.

2.2 Label elements

Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

The product is classified and labelled according to the GB CLP regulation.

Hazard pictograms



GHS02

Signal word Danger

Hazard statements

H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapour.

Precautionary statements

P101 If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.

P102 Keep out of reach of children.

P103 Read carefully and follow all instructions.

P210 Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.

P241 Use explosion-proof [electrical/ventilating/lighting] equipment.

P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection/hearing protection.

P240 Ground and bond container and receiving equipment.

P303+P361+P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water [or shower].

P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

2.3 Other hazards

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT: Not applicable.

vPvB: Not applicable.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.2 Mixtures

Description: Natural resin solution

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· Dangerous components:			
CAS: 64-17-5	ethanol	 Flam. Liq. 2, H225	> 50 – ≤ 100%
EINECS: 200-578-6			

· **Additional information:** For the wording of the listed hazard phrases refer to section 16.

SECTION 4: First aid measures

- **4.1 Description of first aid measures**
- **General information:** Immediately remove any clothing soiled by the product.
- **After inhalation:** Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of complaints.
- **After skin contact:** Immediately rinse with water.
- **After eye contact:** Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water.
- **After swallowing:** If symptoms persist consult doctor.
- **4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed** No further relevant information available.
- **4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**
No further relevant information available.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

- **5.1 Extinguishing media**
- **Suitable extinguishing agents:** CO₂, powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.
- **5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture** No further relevant information available.
- **5.3 Advice for firefighters**
- **Protective equipment:** No special measures required.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

- **6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**
Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.
- **6.2 Environmental precautions:**
Dilute with plenty of water.
Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.
- **6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**
Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).
Dispose contaminated material as waste according to item 13.
Ensure adequate ventilation.
- **6.4 Reference to other sections**
See Section 7 for information on safe handling.
See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.
See Section 13 for disposal information.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

- **7.1 Precautions for safe handling** No special precautions are necessary if used correctly.
- **Information about fire - and explosion protection:**
Keep ignition sources away - Do not smoke.
Protect against electrostatic charges.
- **7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **Storage:**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** Store in a cool location.
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.
- **Further information about storage conditions:**
Keep container tightly sealed.
Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed receptacles.
- **Storage class:** 3
- **7.3 Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

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SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1 Control parameters

Ingredients with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:

64-17-5 ethanol

WEL Long-term value: 1920 mg/m³, 1000 ppm

Additional information: The lists valid during the making were used as basis.

8.2 Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls No further data; see item 7.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

General protective and hygienic measures:

Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing

Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.

Respiratory protection: Not required.

Hand protection



Protective gloves

The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.

Due to missing tests no recommendation to the glove material can be given for the product/ the preparation/ the chemical mixture.

Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation

Material of gloves

The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer. As the product is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material can not be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application.

Penetration time of glove material

The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.

Eye/face protection



Tightly sealed goggles

Body protection: Protective work clothing

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

General Information

Physical state

Fluid

Colour:

Yellowish

Odour:

Alcohol-like

Odour threshold:

Not determined.

Melting point/freezing point:

Undetermined.

Boiling point or initial boiling point and boiling range

78 °C

Flammability

Highly flammable.

Lower and upper explosion limit

Lower:

≥ 3.5 Vol %

Upper:

≤ 15 Vol %

Flash point:

13 °C

Ignition temperature:

400 °C

Decomposition temperature:

Not determined.

pH at 20 °C

7 – 9

pH (10% aqueous solution)

Viscosity:

Kinematic viscosity

Not determined.

Viscosity (1%, solution)

Dynamic:

Not determined.

Solubility

water:

Fully miscible.

Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (log value)

Not determined.

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· Vapour pressure at 20 °C:	57 hPa
· Density and/or relative density	
· Density at 20 °C:	0.91 g/cm ³
· Relative density	Not determined.
· Vapour density	Not determined.
· 9.2 Other information	
· Appearance:	
· Form:	Fluid
· Important information on protection of health and environment, and on safety.	
· Auto-ignition temperature:	Product is not selfigniting.
· Explosive properties:	Product is not explosive. However, formation of explosive air/vapour mixtures are possible.
· Solvent content:	
· Organic solvents:	67.0 %
· VOC (EC)	609.7 g/l
	67.0 %
· Solids content:	38.7 %
· Change in condition	
· Evaporation rate	Not determined.
· Information with regard to physical hazard classes	
· Explosives	Void
· Flammable gases	Void
· Aerosols	Void
· Oxidising gases	Void
· Gases under pressure	Void
· Flammable liquids	Highly flammable liquid and vapour.
· Flammable solids	Void
· Self-reactive substances and mixtures	Void
· Pyrophoric liquids	Void
· Pyrophoric solids	Void
· Self-heating substances and mixtures	Void
· Substances and mixtures, which emit flammable gases in contact with water	Void
· Oxidising liquids	Void
· Oxidising solids	Void
· Organic peroxides	Void
· Corrosive to metals	Void
· Desensitised explosives	Void

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

- **10.1 Reactivity** No further relevant information available.
- **10.2 Chemical stability**
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions** No dangerous reactions known.
- **10.4 Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.
- **10.5 Incompatible materials:** No further relevant information available.
- **10.6 Hazardous decomposition products:** No dangerous decomposition products known.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

- **11.1 Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**
- **Acute toxicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Skin corrosion/irritation** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Serious eye damage/irritation** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Respiratory or skin sensitisation** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Germ cell mutagenicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Carcinogenicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Reproductive toxicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **STOT-single exposure** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **STOT-repeated exposure** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Aspiration hazard** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

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· **11.2 Information on other hazards**· **Endocrine disrupting properties**

None of the ingredients is listed.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

· **12.1 Toxicity**· **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.· **12.2 Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.· **12.3 Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.· **12.4 Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.· **12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**· **PBT:** Not applicable.· **vPvB:** Not applicable.· **12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties** The product does not contain substances with endocrine disrupting properties.· **12.7 Other adverse effects**· **Additional ecological information:**· **General notes:**

Water hazard class 1 (German Regulation) (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water

Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities of it to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

· **13.1 Waste treatment methods**· **Recommendation** Must not be disposed together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.· **Uncleaned packaging:**· **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.· **Recommended cleansing agents:** Water, if necessary together with cleansing agents.

SECTION 14: Transport information

· **14.1 UN number or ID number**· **ADR, IMDG, IATA**

UN1170

· **14.2 UN proper shipping name**· **ADR**

1170 ETHANOL SOLUTION (ETHYL ALCOHOL SOLUTION)

· **IMDG**

ETHANOL SOLUTION (ETHYL ALCOHOL SOLUTION)

· **IATA**

ETHANOL SOLUTION

· **14.3 Transport hazard class(es)**· **ADR, IMDG, IATA**· **Class**

3 Flammable liquids.

· **Label**

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· **14.4 Packing group**· **ADR, IMDG, IATA**

II

· **14.5 Environmental hazards:**

Not applicable.

· **14.6 Special precautions for user**

Warning: Flammable liquids.

· **Hazard identification number (Kemler code):**

33

· **EMS Number:**

F-E,S-D

· **Stowage Category**

A

· **14.7 Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments**

Not applicable.

· **Transport/Additional information:**· **ADR**· **Limited quantities (LQ)**

1L

· **Excepted quantities (EQ)**

Code: E2

Maximum net quantity per inner packaging: 30 ml

Maximum net quantity per outer packaging: 500 ml

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· Transport category	2
· Tunnel restriction code	D/E
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· IMDG	
· Limited quantities (LQ)	1L
· Excepted quantities (EQ)	Code: E2 Maximum net quantity per inner packaging: 30 ml Maximum net quantity per outer packaging: 500 ml
· UN "Model Regulation":	UN 1170 ETHANOL SOLUTION (ETHYL ALCOHOL SOLUTION), 3, II

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

- **15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**
- **Directive 2012/18/EU**
- **Named dangerous substances - ANNEX I** None of the ingredients is listed.
- **Seveso category P5c** FLAMMABLE LIQUIDS
- **Qualifying quantity (tonnes) for the application of lower-tier requirements** 5,000 t
- **Qualifying quantity (tonnes) for the application of upper-tier requirements** 50,000 t
- **15.2 Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

* SECTION 16: Other information

This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

- **Relevant phrases**
H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapour.
- **Department issuing SDS:** Produktmanagement
- **Contact:** E-Mail: info@gerstaecker.com
- **Abbreviations and acronyms:**
ADR: Accord relatif au transport international des marchandises dangereuses par route (European Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)
IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods
IATA: International Air Transport Association
GHS: Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals
EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances
ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances
CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)
VOC: Volatile Organic Compounds (USA, EU)
PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic
vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative
Flam. Liq. 2: Flammable liquids – Category 2
- **Sources**
Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 on the classification, labeling and packaging of substances and mixtures.
Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (UK REACH), amended by 2015/830 / EU.
Transport of dangerous goods by road, rail or inland waterways (ADR / RID / ADN).
International Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Sea Ships (IMDG).
Dangerous Goods Regulations (DGR) for the air transport (IATA).
- *** Data compared to the previous version altered.**