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1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

Product identifier

Product code **NSC29**
Product name **Mixing Clear**
Product category **NSC Crystal Clear Transparent UV Screen Ink**

Other means of identification

Synonyms None

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use Printing operations

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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Emergency telephone number

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24 Hour Emergency Phone Number

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification

Skin Corrosion/irritation	Category 2 - (H315)
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 2 - (H319)
Skin sensitization	Category 1B - (H317)
Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure)	Category 2 - (H373)

Label elements



Signal Word
Warning

Hazard Statements

H315 - Causes skin irritation
H317 - May cause an allergic skin reaction
H319 - Causes serious eye irritation
H373 - May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure

Precautionary Statements

P280 - Wear eye protection/ face protection

P260 - Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray

P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

May be harmful if swallowed.

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**Mixture**

Component	CAS-No	Weight %	Trade Secret	Note
Glycol Ether Acrylate	Trade Secret	10 - 30	*	
Acrylated Monomer	Trade Secret	10 - 30	*	
Acrylated Monomer	Trade Secret	10 - 30	*	
Vinyl Functional Monomer	Trade Secret	5 - 10	*	
Acrylated Monomer	Trade Secret	1 - 5	*	
Photoinitiator	Trade Secret	1 - 5	*	
Photoinitiator	Trade Secret	1 - 5	*	
Photoinitiator	Trade Secret	1 - 5	*	
Xylenes (o-, m-, p- isomers)	1330-20-7	1 - 5	*	
Ethyl benzene (constituent)	100-41-4	< 0.5	*	1

*The exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

Note 1. Type of chemical: Constituent

4. FIRST AID MEASURES**Description of first aid measures****General Advice**

Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

Eye Contact

Immediately flush with plenty of water. After initial flushing, remove any contact lenses and continue flushing for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

Skin Contact

Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contaminated clothing. If irritation (redness, rash, blistering) develops, get medical attention.

Inhalation

Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. If breathing is irregular or stopped, administer artificial respiration. Get medical attention immediately.

Ingestion

DO NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Call a physician or poison control center immediately.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

None under normal use conditions.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**Notes to Physician**

Treat symptomatically.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**Suitable Extinguishing Media**

Foam. Carbon dioxide (CO2). Dry chemical. Water spray. Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media

No information available.

Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors. May emit toxic fumes under fire conditions. Hazardous polymerization may take place during a fire due to heat. Closed containers could violently rupture.

Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear. Cool containers / tanks with water spray. Sealed containers may rupture when heated.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal Precautions

Remove all sources of ignition. Ventilate the area. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Avoid breathing dust or vapor. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak.

Environmental precautions

Prevent product from entering drains. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Keep out of drains, sewers, ditches and waterways. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Contain spillage, and then collect with non-combustible absorbent material, (e.g. sand, earth, diatomaceous earth, vermiculite) and place in container for disposal according to local / national regulations (see section 13). Use clean non-sparking tools to collect absorbed material.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

Handling

Use personal protective equipment as required. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Ensure adequate ventilation.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage

Keep at temperatures between 18°-32°C (65°-90°F). Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep container closed when not in use. Keep out of the reach of children. Protect from direct sunlight. Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition.

Incompatible Products

Strong acids. Strong bases. Strong oxidizing agents. Reducing agent.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control parameters

Exposure limits

Component	ACGIH TLV
Xylenes (o-, m-, p- isomers) 1330-20-7	TWA: 100 ppm STEL: 150 ppm
Ethyl benzene (constituent) 100-41-4	TWA: 20 ppm

Component	OSHA PEL
Xylenes (o-, m-, p- isomers) 1330-20-7	TWA: 100 ppm TWA: 435 mg/m ³ STEL: 150 ppm STEL: 655 mg/m ³
Ethyl benzene (constituent) 100-41-4	TWA: 100 ppm TWA: 435 mg/m ³ STEL: 125 ppm STEL: 545 mg/m ³

Component	Ontario TWAEV
Xylenes (o-, m-, p- isomers) 1330-20-7	TWA: 100 ppm STEL: 150 ppm
Ethyl benzene (constituent) 100-41-4	TWA: 100 ppm STEL: 125 ppm

Component	Mexico OEL (TWA)
Xylenes (o-, m-, p- isomers) 1330-20-7	TWA/LMPE-PPT: 100 ppm TWA/LMPE-PPT: 435 mg/m ³ STEL/LMPE-CT: 150 ppm STEL/LMPE-CT: 655 mg/m ³
Ethyl benzene (constituent) 100-41-4	TWA/LMPE-PPT: 100 ppm TWA/LMPE-PPT: 435 mg/m ³ STEL/LMPE-CT: 125 ppm STEL/LMPE-CT: 545 mg/m ³

Appropriate engineering controls

Engineering Measures Provide a good standard of general ventilation. Natural ventilation is from doors, windows etc. Controlled ventilation means air is supplied or removed by a powered fan. Users are advised to consider national Occupational Exposure Limits or other equivalent values. In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face Protection Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles). If splashes are likely to occur. Wear suitable face shield. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.

Skin Protection Wear impervious protective clothing, including boots, gloves, lab coat, apron or coveralls, as appropriate, to prevent skin contact.

Respiratory Protection If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, NIOSH/MSHA approved respiratory protection should be worn. Respiratory protection must be provided in accordance with current local regulations.

General Hygiene Considerations Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before eating, drinking or smoking. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Wear suitable gloves and eye/face protection. Regular cleaning of equipment, work area and clothing is recommended.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical State	Liquid	Appearance	Colored Liquid
Odor	Mild Sweet Acrylic	Odor Threshold	No information available

<u>Property</u>	<u>Values</u>	<u>Remarks • Method</u>
pH		No data available
Melting point/freezing point		No data available
Boiling point/Boiling Range	> 149 °C / 300 °F	
Flash Point	> 94 °C / > 201 °F	Pensky Martens Closed Cup (PMCC)
Evaporation rate		No data available
Flammability Limit in Air		
Upper flammability limit		No data available
Lower flammability limit		No data available
Vapor Pressure		No data available
Vapor Density		No data available
Specific Gravity	1.07	
Water Solubility		No data available
Solubility in other solvents		No data available
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water		No data available

Autoignition Temperature No data available
 Decomposition temperature No data available
 Kinematic viscosity No data available
 Dynamic viscosity No data available

Explosive Properties No data available
 Oxidizing Properties No data available

Other Information

Photochemically Reactive No
 Weight Per Gallon (lbs/gal) 8.91

VOC by weight % (less water)	VOC by volume % (less water)	VOC lbs/gal (less water)	VOC grams/liter (less water)
1.76	2.02	0-1	18.82

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity
 No information available.

Chemical stability
 Stable under normal conditions.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions
 None under normal processing. Do not store for longer periods at temperatures above 93°C (200°F).

Conditions to avoid
 Temperatures above 93 °C / 200 °F. Protect from direct sunlight. Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition.

Incompatible materials
 Strong acids. Strong bases. Strong oxidizing agents. Reducing agent.

Hazardous Decomposition Products
 Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors. Carbon dioxide (CO₂). Carbon monoxide.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on likely routes of exposure

Inhalation There is no data for this product.
Eye Contact There is no data for this product.
Skin Contact There is no data for this product.
Ingestion There is no data for this product.

Component	Oral LD50
Glycol Ether Acrylate	4660 µL/kg (Rat)
Acrylated Monomer	5 g/kg (Rat)
Xylenes (o-, m-, p- isomers) 1330-20-7	4300 mg/kg (Rat)
Ethyl benzene (constituent) 100-41-4	3500 mg/kg (Rat)

Component	LD50 Dermal
Glycol Ether Acrylate	2540 µL/kg (Rabbit)
Acrylated Monomer	3600 µL/kg (Rabbit)
Acrylated Monomer	13 g/kg (Rabbit)

Xylenes (o-, m-, p- isomers) 1330-20-7	>1700 mg/kg (Rabbit)
Ethyl benzene (constituent) 100-41-4	15354 mg/kg (Rabbit)

Component	Inhalation LC50
Xylenes (o-, m-, p- isomers) 1330-20-7	5000 ppm (Rat) 4 h 47635 mg/L (Rat) 4 h
Ethyl benzene (constituent) 100-41-4	17.2 mg/L (Rat) 4 h

Information on toxicological effects

Symptoms There is no data for this product.

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Skin corrosion/irritation There is no data for this product.
Eye damage/irritation There is no data for this product.
Irritation There is no data for this product.
Corrosivity There is no data for this product.
Sensitisation There is no data for this product.
Mutagenic Effects There is no data for this product.
Reproductive Effects There is no data for this product.
STOT - single exposure There is no data for this product.
STOT - repeated exposure There is no data for this product.
Chronic Toxicity There is no data for this product.
Aspiration hazard There is no data for this product.
Carcinogenicity The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen.

Component	ACGIH
Ethyl benzene (constituent) 100-41-4	A3

Component	IARC
Ethyl benzene (constituent) 100-41-4	Group 2B

Component	OSHA
Ethyl benzene (constituent) 100-41-4	X

Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information

The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document

ATEmix (oral) 3,587.00 mg/kg
ATEmix (dermal) 9,804.00 mg/kg mg/l
ATEmix (inhalation-dust/mist) 113.60 mg/l
ATEmix (inhalation-vapor) 833.00 mg/l

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

None known

0% of the mixture consists of components(s) of unknown hazards to the aquatic environment

Component	Algae/aquatic plants
Ethyl benzene (constituent) 100-41-4	96h EC50 Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata: 1.7 - 7.6 mg/L [static] 72h EC50 Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata: 2.6 - 11.3 mg/L [static]

	72h EC50 Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata: 4.6 mg/L 96h EC50 Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata: >438 mg/L
Component	Fish
Ethyl benzene (constituent) 100-41-4	96h LC50 Oncorhynchus mykiss: 11.0 - 18.0 mg/L [static] 96h LC50 Pimephales promelas: 7.55 - 11 mg/L [flow-through] 96h LC50 Pimephales promelas: 9.1 - 15.6 mg/L [static] 96h LC50 Lepomis macrochirus: 32 mg/L [static] 96h LC50 Oncorhynchus mykiss: 4.2 mg/L [semi-static] 96h LC50 Poecilia reticulata: 9.6 mg/L [static]
Component	Crustacea
Ethyl benzene (constituent) 100-41-4	48h EC50 Daphnia magna: 1.8 - 2.4 mg/L

Persistence and Degradability

No information available.

Bioaccumulation

No information available.

Component	Partition coefficient
Xylenes (o-, m-, p- isomers) 1330-20-7	2.96
Ethyl benzene (constituent) 100-41-4	3.118

Other adverse effects

No information available

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste treatment methods

Waste Disposal Methods

Contain and dispose of waste according to local regulations.

Contaminated Packaging

Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT

Proper Shipping Name

Not regulated
Printing Ink

ICAO / IATA / IMDG / IMO

Proper Shipping Name

Not Regulated
Printing Ink

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

International Inventories

All components are listed on the TSCA Inventory. For further information, please contact: Supplier (manufacturer/importer/downstream user/distributor).

U.S. Federal Regulations

SARA 313

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product contains a chemical or chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372.

Component	CAS-No	Weight %	SARA 313 - Threshold Values
Glycol Ether Acrylate	Trade Secret	10 - 30	1.0
Xylenes (o-, m-, p- isomers)	1330-20-7	1 - 5	1.0

Ethyl benzene (constituent)	100-41-4	< 0.5	0.1
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The above glycol ether acrylate is considered a reactive chemical in ultraviolet curable inks. Once initiated by a high dose of ultraviolet light, this glycol ether acrylate rapidly polymerizes (i.e. hardens) and becomes part of the ink film. The polymerization process of UV curable inks is measured in milliseconds.

Clean Air Act, Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) (see 40 CFR 61)

This product contains the following substances which are listed hazardous air pollutants (HAPS) under Section 112 of the Clean Air Act:

Component	CAS-No	Weight %
Glycol Ether Acrylate	Trade Secret	10 - 30
Xylenes (o-, m-, p- isomers)	1330-20-7	1 - 5

U.S. State Regulations

Component	Massachusetts Right To Know
Xylenes (o-, m-, p- isomers) 1330-20-7	X
Ethyl benzene (constituent) 100-41-4	X

Component	Minnesota Right To Know
Acrylated Monomer	X
Xylenes (o-, m-, p- isomers) 1330-20-7	X
Ethyl benzene (constituent) 100-41-4	X

Component	New Jersey Right To Know
Glycol Ether Acrylate	X
Xylenes (o-, m-, p- isomers) 1330-20-7	X
Ethyl benzene (constituent) 100-41-4	X

Component	Pennsylvania Right To Know
Glycol Ether Acrylate	X
Xylenes (o-, m-, p- isomers) 1330-20-7	X
Ethyl benzene (constituent) 100-41-4	X

California Prop. 65

This product contains chemical(s) known to the State of California to cause cancer and/or to cause birth defects or other reproductive harm

Component	California Prop. 65
Ethyl benzene (constituent)	Carcinogen

Canada

Component	NPRI - National Pollutant Release Inventory
Xylenes (o-, m-, p- isomers) 1330-20-7	Part 1, Group A Substance total of all isomers of Xylene, including m-Xylene, CAS No. 108-38-3, o-Xylene, CAS No. 95-47-6, and p-Xylene, CAS No. 106-42-3 Part 5, Isomer Groups total of all isomers of Xylene, including m-Xylene, CAS No. 108-38-3, o-Xylene, CAS No. 95-47-6, and p-Xylene, CAS No. 106-42-3 Part 4 Substance as set out in Section 65 of the List of Toxic Substances in Schedule 1 of the Canadian Environmental Protection Act, 1999

Ethyl benzene (constituent) 100-41-4	Part 1, Group A Substance Part 4 Substance as set out in Section 65 of the List of Toxic Substances in Schedule 1 of the Canadian Environmental Protection Act, 1999
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16. OTHER INFORMATION

HMIS:	Health	Flammability	Reactivity	Personal Protection
	2	1	1	X

Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet

Legend - Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

TWA	TWA (time-weighted average)
STEL	STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit)
Ceiling	Maximum limit value

ACGIH: (American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists)

- A1 - Known Human Carcinogen
- A2 - Suspected Human Carcinogen
- A3 - Animal Carcinogen

IARC: (International Agency for Research on Cancer)

- Group 1 - Carcinogenic to Humans
- Group 2A - Probably Carcinogenic to Humans
- Group 2B - Possibly Carcinogenic to Humans

NTP: (National Toxicity Program)

- Known - Known Carcinogen
- Reasonably Anticipated to be a Human Carcinogen

OSHA: (Occupational Safety & Health Administration)

- X - Present

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