

According to the REACH etc. (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020 No. 1577, as amended.

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

#### 1.1. Product identifier

Product name Ardex EG 18 Hardener

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

**Identified uses** As part of an epoxy resin based adhesive or grout.

# 1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Supplier Ardex UK Limited

Homefield Road Haverhill Suffolk

CB9 8QP 01440 714939

Contact person safetydatasheets@ardex.co.uk

# 1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency telephone UK and ROI:- 01865 407 333 (available 24/7/365)

# SECTION 2: Hazards identification

#### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

# Classification (SI 2019 No. 720)

Physical hazards Not Classified

Health hazards Skin Corr. 1B - H314 Eye Dam. 1 - H318 Skin Sens. 1 - H317

**Environmental hazards** Aquatic Chronic 2 - H411

#### 2.2. Label elements

#### Hazard pictograms







Signal word Danger

Hazard statements H318 Causes serious eye damage.

H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.

H411 Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

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**Precautionary statements** P102 Keep out of reach of children.

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

P261 Avoid breathing gas, fume, vapours or spray.

P273 Avoid release to the environment.

P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove

contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. P302+P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water.

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

Contains Fatty acids, C18 unsat, dimers, oligomeric reaction products with tall-oil fatty acids and

triethylenetetramine, 1,3- Cyclohexanedimethanamine, 3-

**AMINOPROPYLTRIETHOXYSILANE** 

#### 2.3. Other hazards

# SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

#### 3.2. Mixtures

# Fatty acids, C18 unsat, dimers, oligomeric reaction products with tall-oil fatty acids and triethylenetetramine

60-100%

CAS number: 68082-29-1

#### Classification

Skin Irrit. 2 - H315 Eye Dam. 1 - H318 Skin Sens. 1 - H317 Aquatic Chronic 2 - H411

#### 1,3- Cyclohexanedimethanamine

10-30%

CAS number: 2579-20-6 EC number: 219-941-5

#### Classification

Acute Tox. 4 - H302 Acute Tox. 4 - H312 Skin Corr. 1B - H314 Eye Dam. 1 - H318 Aquatic Chronic 3 - H412

#### **3-AMINOPROPYLTRIETHOXYSILANE**

1-5%

CAS number: 919-30-2 EC number: 213-048-4

#### Classification

Acute Tox. 4 - H302 Skin Corr. 1B - H314 Eye Dam. 1 - H318 Skin Sens. 1 - H317

The full text for all hazard statements is displayed in Section 16.

#### SECTION 4: First aid measures

#### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

#### Inhalation

Remove affected person from source of contamination. If breathing stops, provide artificial respiration. Keep affected person warm and at rest. Get medical attention immediately.

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Ingestion DO NOT induce vomiting. Get medical attention immediately. Rinse mouth thoroughly with

water. Give plenty of water to drink.

**Skin contact** Remove affected person from source of contamination. Remove contaminated clothing.

Continue to rinse for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention. Wash skin thoroughly with

soap and water. Get medical attention promptly if symptoms occur after washing.

Eye contact Remove affected person from source of contamination. Remove any contact lenses and open

eyelids wide apart. Continue to rinse for at least 15 minutes and get medical attention.

# 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

**General information** Get medical attention immediately.

**Inhalation** Gas or vapour may irritate the respiratory system.

Ingestion Ingestion may cause severe irritation of the mouth, the oesophagus and the gastrointestinal

tract.

**Skin contact** Causes severe burns.

**Eye contact** Causes serious eye damage.

#### 4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

#### SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

#### 5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media Extinguish with alcohol-resistant foam, carbon dioxide or dry powder.

#### 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Specific hazards In case of fire, toxic and corrosive gases may be formed. Thermal decomposition or

combustion products may include the following substances: Toxic gases or vapours.

# 5.3. Advice for firefighters

Special protective equipment

for firefighters

Wear positive-pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) and appropriate protective

clothing.

#### SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

#### 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions Wear protective clothing as described in Section 8 of this safety data sheet.

#### 6.2. Environmental precautions

**Environmental precautions** Avoid or minimise the creation of any environmental contamination.

# 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up Do not touch or walk into spilled material. Collect and place in suitable waste disposal

containers and seal securely. Label the containers containing waste and contaminated materials and remove from the area as soon as possible. Flush contaminated area with plenty

of water.

# 6.4. Reference to other sections

**Reference to other sections** For personal protection, see Section 8.

#### SECTION 7: Handling and storage

# 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

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**Usage precautions** Avoid spilling. Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage precautions Store in tightly-closed, original container in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep only in

the original container.

Storage class Corrosive storage.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

#### SECTION 8: Exposure controls/Personal protection

# 8.1. Control parameters

# Occupational exposure limits

The product does not contain any relevant quantities of materials with critical values that have to be monitored in the workplace.

Ingredient comments WEL = Workplace Exposure Limits

# 8.2. Exposure controls

#### Protective equipment





Appropriate engineering

controls

Provide adequate general and local exhaust ventilation. Observe any occupational exposure

limits for the product or ingredients.

Personal protection The following recommendations are made based on information available for the major

chemical component.

**Eye/face protection** The following protection should be worn: Chemical splash goggles.

Hand protection Use protective gloves. Nitrile rubber. Protective gloves should have a minimum thickness of

0.5 mm.

Other skin and body

protection

Wear appropriate clothing to prevent any possibility of skin contact.

Hygiene measures Provide eyewash station and safety shower. Do not smoke in work area. Wash at the end of

each work shift and before eating, smoking and using the toilet. Wash promptly if skin becomes contaminated. Promptly remove any clothing that becomes contaminated. When

using do not eat, drink or smoke.

Respiratory protection If ventilation is inadequate, suitable respiratory protection must be worn. Combination filter,

type A2/P2.

# SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

# 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance Coloured liquid.

Colour Amber.

Odour Amine.

Flash point > 100°C (Non Flammable)

Solubility(ies) Not miscible or difficult to mix.

Viscosity 202 mPa s @ 25°C

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9.2. Other information

Other information Not available.

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

**Reactivity** No further information available.

10.2. Chemical stability

Stability Stable at normal ambient temperatures.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Possibility of hazardous

No dangerous reactions known under normal conditions of use.

reactions

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Conditions to avoid Avoid excessive heat for prolonged periods of time.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Materials to avoid Strong oxidising agents. Alkali metals. Zinc, Nitrates, Peroxide.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition Thermal decomposition or combustion may liberate carbon oxides and other toxic gases or

**products** vapours. Oxides of carbon. Oxides of nitrogen.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity - oral

**ATE oral (mg/kg)** 4,434.16

Acute toxicity - dermal

**ATE dermal (mg/kg)** 11,333.33

Skin corrosion/irritation

**Skin corrosion/irritation** Causes severe burns.

Serious eye damage/irritation

Serious eye damage/irritation Causes serious eye damage.

Respiratory sensitisation

Respiratory sensitisation May cause sensitisation or allergic reactions in sensitive individuals.

Skin sensitisation

**Skin sensitisation** May cause an allergic skin reaction.

Germ cell mutagenicity

**Summary** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Carcinogenicity

Summary Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Reproductive toxicity

**Summary** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

**Summary** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

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Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

**Summary** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Aspiration hazard

**Summary** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**Inhalation** Vapour may irritate respiratory system/lungs.

Ingestion Ingestion may cause severe irritation of the mouth, the oesophagus and the gastrointestinal

tract

Skin contact May cause skin irritation/eczema.

Eye contact Causes burns.

Toxicological information on ingredients.

Fatty acids, C18 unsat, dimers, oligomeric reaction products with tall-oil fatty acids and triethylenetetramine

Acute toxicity - oral

Acute toxicity oral (LD<sub>50</sub> 2,000.0

mg/kg)

**Species** Rat

Acute toxicity - dermal

Acute toxicity dermal (LD<sub>50</sub> 2,000.0

mg/kg)

Species Rat

1,3- Cyclohexanedimethanamine

Acute toxicity - oral

Acute toxicity oral (LD<sub>50</sub> 700.0

mg/kg)

Species Rat

**ATE oral (mg/kg)** 700.0

Acute toxicity - dermal

Acute toxicity dermal (LD<sub>50</sub> 1,700.0

mg/kg)

**Species** Rabbit

**ATE dermal (mg/kg)** 1,700.0

**3-AMINOPROPYLTRIETHOXYSILANE** 

Acute toxicity - oral

Acute toxicity oral (LD<sub>50</sub> 1,780.0

mg/kg)

Species Rat

ATE oral (mg/kg) 1,780.0

Acute toxicity - dermal

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Acute toxicity dermal (LD<sub>50</sub> 4,290.0

mg/kg)

Species Rabbit

ATE dermal (mg/kg) 4,290.0

# SECTION 12: Ecological information

**Ecotoxicity** No data on possible environmental effects have been found.

12.1. Toxicity

Acute aquatic toxicity

Acute toxicity - fish LC50, 96 hour: 7.07 mg/l, Fish

Acute toxicity - aquatic plants LC<sub>80</sub>, 72 hour: 1.25 mg/l, Algae

Ecological information on ingredients.

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Acute toxicity - aquatic

plants

LC<sub>50</sub>, 72 hour: 1.25 mg/l, Algae

#### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

Persistence and degradability No further relevant information available.

Ecological information on ingredients.

Fatty acids, C18 unsat, dimers, oligomeric reaction products with tall-oil fatty acids and triethylenetetramine

Persistence and

degradability

No further relevant information available.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulative potential No further relevant information available.

Ecological information on ingredients.

Fatty acids, C18 unsat, dimers, oligomeric reaction products with tall-oil fatty acids and triethylenetetramine

**Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.

12.4. Mobility in soil

**Mobility** No further information available.

Ecological information on ingredients.

Fatty acids, C18 unsat, dimers, oligomeric reaction products with tall-oil fatty acids and triethylenetetramine

Mobility No data available.

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Results of PBT and vPvB

This product does not contain any substances classified as PBT or vPvB.

assessment

Ecological information on ingredients.

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#### Fatty acids, C18 unsat, dimers, oligomeric reaction products with tall-oil fatty acids and triethylenetetramine

**Results of PBT and vPvB** This product does not contain any substances classified as PBT or vPvB. assessment

#### 12.6. Other adverse effects

Other adverse effects Not known.

#### Ecological information on ingredients.

Fatty acids, C18 unsat, dimers, oligomeric reaction products with tall-oil fatty acids and triethylenetetramine

Other adverse effects Not available.

#### SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

#### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

Disposal methods Dispose of waste to licensed waste disposal site in accordance with the requirements of the

local Waste Disposal Authority.

Waste class 08 00 00 wastes from the manufacture, formulation, supply and use (MFSU) of coatings

(peaints, varnishes. and vitreous enamels), adhesives, sealants and printing inks. 08 02 00 Wastes from MFSU of other coatings (including ceramic materials). 08 02 99 Wastes not

otherwise specified.

#### SECTION 14: Transport information

# 14.1. UN number

UN No. (ADR/RID) 2735

**UN No. (IMDG)** 2735

UN No. (ICAO) 2735

UN No. (ADN) 2735

# 14.2. UN proper shipping name

Proper shipping name

(ADR/RID)

AMINES, LIQUID, CORROSIVE, N.O.S. (CONTAINS 1,3- Cyclohexanedimethanamine, Fatty

acids, C18 unsat, dimers, oligomeric reaction products with tall-oil fatty acids and

triethylenetetramine)

Proper shipping name (IMDG) AMINES, LIQUID, CORROSIVE, N.O.S. (CONTAINS 1,3- Cyclohexanedimethanamine, Fatty

acids, C18 unsat, dimers, oligomeric reaction products with tall-oil fatty acids and

triethylenetetramine)

Proper shipping name (ICAO) AMINES, LIQUID, CORROSIVE, N.O.S. (CONTAINS 1,3- Cyclohexanedimethanamine, Fatty

acids, C18 unsat, dimers, oligomeric reaction products with tall-oil fatty acids and

triethylenetetramine)

Proper shipping name (ADN) AMINES, LIQUID, CORROSIVE, N.O.S. (CONTAINS 1,3- Cyclohexanedimethanamine, Fatty

acids, C18 unsat, dimers, oligomeric reaction products with tall-oil fatty acids and

triethylenetetramine)

# 14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

ADR/RID class 8

ADR/RID classification code C7

ADR/RID label 8

IMDG class 8

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ICAO class/division 8
ADN class 8

Transport labels



#### 14.4. Packing group

ADR/RID packing group II
IMDG packing group II
ICAO packing group II
ADN packing group III

# 14.5. Environmental hazards

Environmentally hazardous substance/marine pollutant



# 14.6. Special precautions for user

IMDG Code segregation 18. Alkalis

group

**EmS** F-A, S-B

ADR transport category 2

Emergency Action Code 2X

Hazard Identification Number

(ADR/RID)

Tunnel restriction code (E)

# 14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL and the IBC Code

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**Transport in bulk according to** Not applicable. **Annex II of MARPOL 73/78** 

and the IBC Code

# SECTION 15: Regulatory information

# 15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

**Guidance** Workplace Exposure Limits EH40.

CHIP for everyone HSG228.

Approved Classification and Labelling Guide (Sixth edition) L131.

Safety Data Sheets for Substances and Preparations.

# 15.2. Chemical safety assessment

# SECTION 16: Other information

Revision comments 1

**Issued by** Head of R+D

# Ardex EG 18 Hardener

Revision date 20/12/2021

SDS number 20660

Hazard statements in full H302 Harmful if swallowed.

H312 Harmful in contact with skin.

H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H315 Causes skin irritation.

H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.

H318 Causes serious eye damage.

H411 Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects. H412 Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.