



## Rockhard WB Urethane Hardener B

### 1 PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

**Product Identifier:** Rockhard WB Urethane Hardener  
**Common Name:** Aliphatic Polyisocyanate  
**Chemical Family:** Hydrophilic Aliphatic Polyisocyanate based on Hexamethylene Diisocyanate  
**Product Use:** Component for Coatings in Flooring applications

### 2 HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### Classification of the Substance or Mixture

##### GHS Classification in Accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS):

Health, Respiratory or skin sensitization, 1 Respiratory  
Environmental, Hazards to the aquatic environment - Acute, 2  
Health, Skin sensitization, 1  
Health, Acute toxicity, 4 Inhalation  
Environmental, Hazards to the aquatic environment - Chronic, 3  
Health, Specific target organ toxicity - Single exposure, 3

#### GHS Label Elements, Including Precautionary Statements

GHS Signal Word: **DANGER**

GHS Hazard Pictograms:



#### GHS Hazard Statements:

H334 - May cause allergy or asthma symptoms of breathing difficulties if inhaled  
H401 - Toxic to aquatic life  
H317 - May cause an allergic skin reaction  
H332 - Harmful if inhaled  
H412 - Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects  
H335 - May cause respiratory irritation

#### GHS Precautionary Statements:

P210 - Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. No smoking  
P241 - Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/light/equipment.  
P242 - Use only non-sparking tools.  
P243 - Take precautionary measures against static discharge.  
P261 - Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.  
P272 - Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.  
P273 - Avoid release to the environment.  
P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.  
P284 - Wear respiratory protection.





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### 3 COMPOSITION/INFORMATION OF INGREDIENTS

#### Ingredients:

Cas#	%	Chemical Name
28182-81-2	40-90%	Hexane, 1,6-diisocyanato-, homopolymer
-40-7	5-12%	Proprietary
822-06-0	<0.5%	Hexamethylene diisocyanate

### 4 FIRST AID MEASURES

- Inhalation:** Treatment is symptomatic. An individual having a sensitization reaction should be removed from further exposure. If symptoms develop, move victim to fresh air. If symptoms persist, obtain medical attention.
- Skin Contact:** Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. Wash with soap and water. Use lukewarm water if possible.
- Eye Contact:** Get immediate medical attention. Stain for evidence of corneal injury. If cornea is burned, instill antibiotic/steroid preparation as needed. Workplace vapors could produce reversible corneal epithelial edema impairing vision.
- Ingestion:** Wash out mouth with water. Do NOT induce vomiting or attempt chemical neutralization. Get prompt, qualified medical attention.

#### Most Important Symptom(s)/Effect(s)

Acute: Isocyanate Vapors or mist at concentrations above the exposure limits or guidelines can irritate (burning sensation) the mucous membranes in the respiratory tract (nose, throat, lungs) with symptoms of runny nose, sore throat, coughing, chest discomfort, shortness of breath and reduced lung function (breathing difficulty). Persons with a preexisting, nonspecific bronchial hyperreactivity can respond to concentrations below the exposure limits or guidelines with similar symptoms as well as asthma attack or asthma-like symptoms. Exposure well above the exposure limits or guidelines may lead to bronchitis, bronchial spasm and pulmonary edema (fluid in lungs). Chemical or hypersensitivity pneumonitis, with flu-like symptoms (e.g. fever, chills) has also been reported. These symptoms can be delayed up to several hours after exposure. These effects are usually reversible.

### 5 FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

- Flash Point:** 365 F  
**Flash Point Method:** Tag COC

Dry powder, foam, carbon dioxide. Water fog.

Special Firefighting Procedures: Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing. Water spray is useful in cooling fire-exposed vessels and in dispersing vapors.

### 6 ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Pick up excess with inert absorbant material and place into separate waste container.  
Evacuate non-essential personnel from area.  
Keep away from drains and ground water.

Pour decontamination solution over spill and allow to react for at least 15 minutes. Collect material in open containers with further amounts of decontamination solution.

Decontamination solution: 20% Non-ionic surfactant (Tergitol TMN-10) with 80% Water





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### 7 HANDLING AND STORAGE

**Handling Precautions:** Keep material out of reach of children. Avoid breathing vapors or mist. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, or clothing. Use approved containers only. Wash thoroughly after handling. Wash clothing before reuse and decontaminate or discard contaminated shoes.

**Storage Requirements:** Keep away from heat, sparks, and flames. Store in cool/dry area. Suitable packing materials.

### 8 EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

**Engineering Controls:** Use local exhaust at filling zones and where leakage is probable.

**Personal Protective Equipment:** Chemical resistant gloves; Chemical safety glasses; Exhaust ventilation; Respirator.

**Hexamethylene Diisocyanate Polymer**  
**Exposure Limits:**

USA OSHA (TWA<sub>s</sub>)/PEL): 5 mg/m<sup>3</sup> 8 hours  
ACGIH (TWA/TLV): 0.03 mg/m<sup>3</sup> 8 hours

**Hexamethylene - 1,6 Diisocyanate**  
ACGIH (TWA/TLV): 0.005 ppm

### 9 PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

<b>Appearance:</b>	Colorless liquid.	<b>Odor:</b>	Faint ethereal and sweetish odor.
<b>Physical State:</b>	Liquid	<b>Solubility:</b>	Insoluble in water. Reacts slowly with water less than 10%
<b>Odor Threshold:</b>	Not determined	<b>Percent Volatile:</b>	
<b>Spec Grav./Density:</b>	1.07-1.09	<b>Freezing/Melting Pt.:</b>	ND
<b>Viscosity:</b>	ND	<b>Flash Point:</b>	ND
<b>Boiling Point:</b>	ND	<b>Vapor Density:</b>	ND
<b>Partition Coefficient:</b>	ND	<b>Auto-Ignition Temp:</b>	ND
<b>Vapor Pressure:</b>	ND	<b>UFL/LFL:</b>	ND
<b>pH:</b>	ND		
<b>Evap. Rate:</b>	ND		
<b>Decomp Temp:</b>	ND		

### 10 STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**Reactivity:** Contact with moisture, other materials that react with isocyanates, or temperatures above 350 F may cause polymerization

**Chemical Stability:** Product is stable under normal conditions.

**Conditions to Avoid:** heat, flames and sparks.

**Materials to Avoid:** Water, amines, strong bases, alcohols, copper alloys

**Hazardous Decomposition:** CO, CO<sub>2</sub>, Oxides of Nitrogen, HCN, HDI by high Heat

**Hazardous Polymerization:** May occur. Contact with moisture or other materials that react with isocyanates or temperatures over 400F may cause polymerization





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### 11 TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### Acute Toxicity:

Oral ( LD 50): 2500 mg/kg (rat)

Inhalation ( LC 50): 0.467 mg/l

Skin irritation: Isocyanates react with skin protein and moisture and can cause irritation. Symptoms include reddening, swelling, rash, scaling or blistering. Some may develop skin sensitization from skin contact. Cured material is difficult to remove. Repeated or prolonged contact can result in dry, defatted and cracked skin causing increased susceptibility to infection.

Eye irritation: Vapors are irritating and can cause pain, tearing, reddening and swelling. If left untreated, corneal damage can occur and injury is slow to heal but usually reversible

Sensitation:

Chronic Toxicity: ND

### 12 ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Aquatic Toxicity: No data on the product itself. Based on the components, the product is acutely harmful for aquatic organisms.

Acute Toxicity to Fish: 100mg/l

Acute Toxicity to Aquatic Invertebrates: 127 mg/l

Not readily biodegradable

### 13 DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

The generation of waste should be avoided or minimized wherever possible. Disposal of this product, solutions and any by-products should at all times comply with the requirements of environmental protection and waste disposal legislation and any regional local authority requirements. Dispose of surplus and non-recyclable products via a licensed waste disposal contractor. Waste should not be disposed of untreated to the sewer unless fully compliant with the requirements of all authorities with jurisdiction. Waste packaging should be recycled. Incineration or landfill should only be considered when recycling is not feasible. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way. Care should be taken when handling emptied containers that have not been cleaned or rinsed out. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. Avoid dispersal of spilled material and runoff and contact with soil, waterways, drains and sewers





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### 14 TRANSPORT INFORMATION

NA3082, Other regulated substances, liquid, n.o.s., 9, PGIII

Not Regulated

### 15 REGULATORY INFORMATION

Component (CAS#) [%] - CODES

Hexane, 1,6-diisocyanato-, homopolymer (28182-81-2) [40-90%] TSCA

Proprietary (-40-7) [5-12%]

RQ(100LBS), Hexamethylene diisocyanate (822-06-0) [<0.5%] CERCLA, HAP, MASS, SARA313, TSCA, TXAIR

Regulatory CODE Descriptions

RQ = Reportable Quantity

TSCA = Toxic Substances Control Act

CERCLA = Superfund clean up substance

HAP = Hazardous Air Pollutants

MASS = MA Massachusetts Hazardous Substances List

SARA313 = SARA 313 Title III Toxic Chemicals

TXAIR = TX Air Contaminants with Health Effects Screening Level

### 16 OTHER INFORMATION

The above information is not claiming characteristics of the product in term of legal claims of performance / guarantee.

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