



# Material Safety Data Sheet

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## Section 1 - Product Identification

PRODUCT NUMBER

S00738

HMIS CODES

Health 2  
Flammability 4  
Reactivity 0

PRODUCT NAME

SPRAYON® Welder's Stainless Steel Protective Coating

PRODUCT CLASS

Aerosol Specialty Product

## Section 2 - Hazardous Ingredients

INGREDIENT CAS No.	% by WT	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	UNITS	V.P.
Propane 74-98-6	14	2500	1000	PPM	760.00
Butane 106-97-8	13	800	800	PPM	760.00
Ethylbenzene 100-41-4	3	100 STEL 125	100 125	PPM PPM	7.10
Xylene. 1330-20-7	18	100 STEL 150	100 150	PPM PPM	5.90
Acetone. 67-64-1	35	500 STEL 750	1000	PPM PPM	180.00

## Section 3 - Physical Data

PRODUCT WEIGHT 6.33 lb/gal 758 g/l  
SPECIFIC GRAVITY 0.76  
BOILING POINT <0 - 292 F <-18 - 144 C  
MELTING POINT Not Available  
VOLATILE VOLUME 91 %  
EVAPORATION RATE Faster than ether  
VAPOR DENSITY Heavier than air  
SOLUBILITY IN WATER N.A.  
VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS (VOC Theoretical)  
Volatile Weight 48.18 % Less Federally Exempt Solvents

## Section 4 - Fire and Explosion Hazard Data

FLASH POINT LEL UEL  
Propellant < 0 F 1.0 12.8

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EXTINGUISHING MEDIA  
Carbon Dioxide, Dry Chemical, Foam

## UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS

Isolate from heat, electrical equipment, sparks, and open flame. Closed containers may explode when exposed to extreme heat. Application to hot surfaces requires special precautions. During emergency conditions overexposure to decomposition products may cause a health hazard. Symptoms may not be immediately apparent. Obtain medical attention.

## SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES

Full protective equipment including self-contained breathing apparatus should be used. Water spray may be ineffective. If water is used, fog nozzles are preferable. Water may be used to cool closed containers to prevent pressure build-up and possible autoignition or explosion when exposed to extreme heat.

**Section 5 - Health Hazard Data**

## ROUTES OF EXPOSURE

Exposure may be by INHALATION and/or SKIN or EYE contact, depending on conditions of use. To minimize exposure, follow recommendations for proper use, ventilation, and personal protective equipment.

## ACUTE Health Hazards

## EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE

Irritation of eyes, skin and respiratory system. May cause nervous system depression. Extreme overexposure may result in unconsciousness and possibly death.

## SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF OVEREXPOSURE

Headache, dizziness, nausea, and loss of coordination are indications of excessive exposure to vapors or spray mists.

Redness and itching or burning sensation may indicate eye or excessive skin exposure.

## MEDICAL CONDITIONS AGGRAVATED BY EXPOSURE

None generally recognized.

## EMERGENCY AND FIRST AID PROCEDURES

If INHALED: If affected, remove from exposure. Restore breathing. Keep warm and quiet.

If on SKIN: Wash affected area thoroughly with soap and water. Remove contaminated clothing and launder before re-use.

If in EYES: Flush eyes with large amounts of water for 15 minutes. Get medical attention.

If SWALLOWED: Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING. Give conscious patient several glasses of water. Seek medical attention.

## CHRONIC Health Hazards

No ingredient in this product is an IARC, NTP or OSHA listed carcinogen. Prolonged overexposure to solvent ingredients in Section 2 may cause adverse effects to the liver, urinary and reproductive systems.

Reports have associated repeated and prolonged overexposure to solvents with permanent brain and nervous system damage.

**Section 6 - Reactivity Data**

STABILITY -- Stable

## CONDITIONS TO AVOID

None known.

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## INCOMPATIBILITY

None known.

## HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS

By fire: Carbon Dioxide, Carbon Monoxide

## HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION

Will not occur

**Section 7 - Spill or Leak Procedures**

## STEPS TO BE TAKEN IN CASE MATERIAL IS RELEASED OR SPILLED

Remove all sources of ignition. Ventilate and remove with inert absorbent.

## WASTE DISPOSAL METHOD

Waste from this product may be hazardous as defined under the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) 40 CFR 261.

Waste must be tested for ignitability to determine the applicable EPA hazardous waste numbers.

Do not incinerate. Depressurize container. Dispose of in accordance with Federal, State, and Local regulations regarding pollution.

**Section 8 - Protection Information**

## PRECAUTIONS TO BE TAKEN IN USE

Use only with adequate ventilation. Avoid breathing vapor and spray mist. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Wash hands after using.

## VENTILATION

Local exhaust preferable. General exhaust acceptable if the exposure to materials in Section 2 is maintained below applicable exposure limits. Refer to OSHA Standards 1910.94, 1910.107, 1910.108.

## RESPIRATORY PROTECTION

If personal exposure cannot be controlled below applicable limits by ventilation, wear a properly fitted organic vapor/particulate respirator approved by NIOSH/MSHA for protection against materials in Section 2.

## PROTECTIVE GLOVES

None required for normal application of aerosol products where minimal skin contact is expected. For long or repeated contact, wear chemical resistant gloves.

## EYE PROTECTION

Wear safety spectacles with unperforated sideshields.

**Section 9 - Precautions**

## DOL STORAGE CATEGORY

1A

## PRECAUTIONS TO BE TAKEN IN HANDLING AND STORING

Keep away from heat, sparks, and open flame. Vapors will accumulate readily and may ignite explosively.

During use and until all vapors are gone: Keep area ventilated - Do not smoke - Extinguish all flames, pilot lights, and heaters - Turn off stoves, electric tools and appliances, and any other sources of ignition.

Consult NFPA Code. Use approved Bonding and Grounding procedures.

Contents under pressure. Do not puncture, incinerate, or expose to temperature above 120F. Heat from sunlight, radiators, stoves, hot water, and other heat sources could cause container to burst. Do not take internally. Keep out of the reach of children.

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OTHER PRECAUTIONS  
Intentional misuse by deliberately concentrating and inhaling the contents can be harmful or fatal.

**Section 10 - Other Regulatory Information**

## SARA 313 (40 CFR 372.65C) SUPPLIER NOTIFICATION

CAS No.	CHEMICAL/COMPOUND	% by WT	% Element
100-41-4	Ethylbenzene	3	
1330-20-7	Xylene.	18	

## CALIFORNIA PROPOSITION 65

WARNING: This product contains chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer and birth defects or other reproductive harm.

## TSCA CERTIFICATION

All chemicals in this product are listed, or are exempt from listing, on the TSCA Inventory.

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