

Material Safety Data Sheet

Section 1 Product and Company Identification

Product Name:

DURA-INK #20, #25, #100

Revision #: 2.0

Date Prepared: June 1, 1990

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Manufacturer:

LA-CO INDUSTRIES, Inc. *Markal Co.*

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Emergency Telephone: Call CHEMTREC

USA 800-424-9300

International (Call Collect) 1-703-527-3887

Chemical Formula: Mixture

CAS No.: Not Applicable. Derivation: Not Applicable.

Synonyms: Not Applicable.

General Use: General industrial marking.

Supplier/Importer:

Section 2 Composition/Information on Ingredients

Ingredient

Xylol (Xylene) ^{1,3,4,5}

CAS No.

%

1330-20-7 65 - 75

ACGIH: TWA = 100 ppm, STEL = 150 ppm

OSHA: TWA = 100 ppm

EPA: CERCLA RQ = 1000 lbs.; RCRA designation is U239; EPCRA sec. 313 de
minimus concentration = 1.0%

SARA: Health Assessment Rank = 48

U.S. Clean Water Act: Sec. 311 Hazardous Substance

SDWA: MCL = 10 mg/l, MCLG = 10 mg/l

Cresol ^{1,3,4,5,6} (Black Ink Only)

1319-77-3 0 - 2

ACGIH: TWA = 5 ppm or 22 mg/m³; skin notation

OSHA: TWA = 5 ppm or 22 mg/m³; skin designation

EPA: CERCLA RQ = 100 lbs.; RCRA designation is U052; EPCRA sec. 313 de
minimus concentration = 1.0%

SARA: Health Assessment Rank = 252

U.S. Clean Water Act: Sec. 311 Hazardous Substance

U.S. Clean Air Act: Sec. 111 Volatile Organic Compound

(For Section 2 footnotes: See Section 15)

Section 3 Hazards Identification

EMERGENCY OVERVIEW: This product is not considered toxic under U.S. Federal Hazardous Substances Act regulations, title 16, Part 1500. This product is considered safe when used under normal use conditions. The U.S. OSHA Hazard Communication Standard does not apply to this product. The reason for the exemption is contained in 29 CFR, Part 1910.1200, (b) (6) (ix), as amended July 1, 1994 per U.S. Federal Register. The information contained in this MSDS is forwarded to you for your information but is not meant to imply that the product is covered by the Hazard Communication Standard.

POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS

Primary Exposure Routes: Eyes, Skin, Ingestion, Inhalation

Acute Effects

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Eyes: Can cause severe irritation, redness, tearing, blurred vision.

Skin: Prolonged or repeated contact can cause moderate irritation, defatting, dermatitis.

Ingestion: Can cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhea; aspiration into the lungs can cause chemical pneumonitis, which can be fatal.

Inhalation: Excessive inhalation of vapors can cause nasal and respiratory irritation, dizziness, weakness, fatigue, nausea, headache, possible unconsciousness, and even asphyxiation.

Chronic Effects

Eyes: None Known.

Skin: None Known.

Ingestion: None Known.

Inhalation: None Known.

Carcinogenicity: Not Applicable.

Target Organ Effects: Not Applicable.

Medical Conditions Aggravated by Long-Term Exposure: Not Determined.

Other Information: Not Applicable.

Section 4

First Aid

Eye Contact: Flush with plenty of water while holding eyelids open.

Skin Contact: Wash with soap and water; remove contaminated clothing and launder before reuse.

Ingestion: Do not induce vomiting; keep person warm, quiet, and get medical attention.

Inhalation: Remove person to fresh air, administer oxygen if breathing is difficult, apply artificial respiration and get medical attention if breathing has stopped.

Other Information: Not Applicable.

Section 5

Fire Fighting Measures

Flash Point (method): 100°F/38°C (TOC) for xylene

Autoignition Temperature: Not Determined.

LEL: Not Determined. **UEL:** Not Determined.

Flammability Classification: II for bulk liquid.

Extinguishing Media: Regular foam, carbon dioxide, or dry chemical.

Hazardous Combustion Products: Carbon monoxide (CO), carbon dioxide (CO₂).

Unusual Fire or Explosion Hazards: Vapors are heavier than air and may travel along the ground and be ignited by remote ignition sources.

Fire-Fighting Instructions/Equipment: Keep personnel removed and upwind of any fire. Wear full fire-fighting turn-out gear (full Bunker gear), and respiratory protection (SCBA).

Section 6

Accidental Release Measures

Wipe up with absorbent material. Use recommended personal protective equipment (see Section 8).

Section 7

Handling and Storage

Handling Precautions: Use only in well ventilated area. Do not use near heat or flame. Use recommended personal protective equipment (see Section 8). Wash thoroughly after handling.

Storage Requirements: Store away from incompatible chemicals (see Sec. 10). Store in a cool, dry area away from heat or flames.

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Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

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Eye/Face Protection: Suitable for related activities where this product is used.

Skin/Hand Protection: Suitable for related activities where this product is used.

Respiratory Protection: Suitable for related activities where this product is used.

Other Equipment: Suitable for related activities where this product is used.

Engineering Controls: Normal room ventilation. Local exhaust in confined areas. Suitable for related activities where this product is used.

Administrative Controls: Users of this product must be properly trained and qualified in its use.

Other Information: No food or beverage should be consumed in the work area. Wash thoroughly before eating, drinking, or smoking.

Section 9 Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance/Physical State: Liquid ink absorbed in felt reservoir.

Odor: Xylene

Odor Threshold (ppm): Not Determined.

Specific Gravity (H₂O = 1): <1

Solubility - Water: Insoluble

- Fat: Soluble

Coefficient of Water/Oil Solubility: <<1

Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water): >>1

pH: Not Applicable.

Melting Point: Not Determined.

Boiling Point: 281⁰F/138.5⁰C for xylene

Vapor Pressure (mm Hg at 20⁰C): 8.72 for xylene

Vapor Density (Air = 1): >1

Evaporation Rate (n-BuAc=1): 0.75 for xylene

V.O.C. (U.S. Clean Air Act Section 111): 65 - 77%(w/w), 65 - 77%(v/v), 4.7 - 5.6 lbs./gal.(U.S.), 0.57 - 0.67 kg/l

Flash Point (method): (see Section 5)

Autoignition Temperature: (see Section 5)

Flammability Classification: (see Section 5)

Unusual Fire or Explosion Hazards: (see Section 5)

Oxidizing Properties: Not Applicable.

Other Information: None.

Note: The physical data represented above are typical values and should not be construed as a specification.

Section 10 Stability and Reactivity

Chemical Stability: Stable

Hazardous Polymerization: Will Not Occur

Conditions to Avoid: None Known.

Chemicals to Avoid: Strong oxidizers.

Hazardous Decomposition Products (non-thermal): Not Determined.

Section 11 Toxicological Information

Sensitization to Product: Not Applicable.

Irritancy of Product: Irritating to eyes and skin.

Reproductive Toxicity: Not Applicable.

Teratogenicity: Not Applicable.

Mutagenicity: Not Applicable.

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Section 12

Ecological Information

Mobility: Not Determined.

Ecotoxicity: Not Determined.

Degradability: Not Determined.

Other Adverse Effects: Not Determined.

Accumulation: Not Determined.

Section 13

Disposal Considerations

Dispose of in accordance with all applicable regulations.

Section 14

Transport Information

D.O.T. (U.S.)

Proper Shipping Name: Not Regulated.

Hazard Class or Division: Not Regulated.

Hazard Label: Not Regulated.

I.D. Number: Not Regulated.

TDG (Canada): Not Regulated.

IATA: Not Regulated.

ICAO: Not Regulated.

IMO: Not Regulated.

Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods

Dangerous Goods Class and Subsidiary Risk: Not Determined.

Section 15

Regulatory Information

Footnotes for Section 2:

- 1 Subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 313.
- 2 Appears on the California Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act (Prop. 65) Substances List.
- 3 Appears on the Massachusetts Substances List.
- 4 Appears on the New Jersey Right-To-Know Hazardous Substances List.
- 5 Appears on the Pennsylvania Hazardous Substances List.
- 6 Appears on the Canadian WHMIS Ingredient Disclosure List.

U.S.A.

Federal Hazardous Substance Labeling Act: This product meets the requirements for pens and markers because it is a porous-tip ink-marking device constructed so that a) the ink is held within an absorbent material so that no free liquid is within the device, b) under reasonably foreseeable conditions of manipulation and use the ink will emerge only through the porous writing nib, and c) the device has a capacity of not more than 10g of ink which has a single dose oral LD50 of not less than 2.5 g/kg of body weight of the test animal.

OSHA Hazard Status: The U.S. OSHA Hazard Communication Standard does not apply to this product. The reason for the exemption is contained in 29 CFR, Part 1910.1200, (b) (6) (ix), as amended July 1, 1994 per U.S. Federal Register.

EPA SARA sec. 311/312 Hazard Categories: Fire Hazard.

Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA): All ingredients contained in this product are listed on the U.S. EPA TSCA Chemical Substance Inventory.

HMIS Rating: Health 2, Flammability 3, Reactivity 0

NFPA Rating: Health 2, Flammability 3, Reactivity 0

CANADA

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WHMIS Status: This product is considered to be hazardous as defined by Canadian WHMIS Controlled Products Regulations.

WHMIS Rating: B2

WHMIS Risk Phrases: None required on containers of 100 ml or less per CPR, Section 19[1][a]-[d].

WHMIS Precautionary Statements: None required on containers of 100 ml or less per CPR, Section 19[1][a]-[d].

Domestic Substances List (DSL): All ingredients contained in this product are listed on the Canadian EPA (CEPA) Domestic Substances List (DSL).

E.U.

European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances (EINECS): All ingredients contained in this product are listed on the European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances (EINECS).

Categories of Danger (Labeling Information): Not regulated per regulation 9 (7) of CHIP.

Risk (R) Phrases: None.

Safety (S) Phrases: None.

AUSTRALIA

Worksafe Australia Status: Not Determined.

HAZCHEM Code: Not Determined.

Poisons Schedule Number: Not Determined.

Further regulatory information regarding individual ingredients, if applicable, may be found in Section 2.

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the U.S. OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, the Canadian WHMIS Controlled Products Regulations, the British CHIP2 regulation 6, and the Australian NMRCWHS. This MSDS contains the information required by the above regulations and conforms to ANSI Z400.1-1993.

Section 16

Other Information

MSDS Prepared By: Director of Chemical Safety

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