

Safety Data Sheet

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1 Identification

- **Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** CorShield VpCI Transit Coating
- **Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**
No further relevant information available.
- **Application of the substance / the preparation** Coating
- **Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**
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Product safety department.
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USA and Canada 1-800-424-9300
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2 Hazard(s) identification

- **Classification of the substance or mixture**



GHS05 Corrosion

H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

- **Classification according to Directive 67/548/EEC or Directive 1999/45/EC**



Corrosive

Causes burns.

- **Information concerning particular hazards for human and environment:**

The product has to be labelled due to the calculation procedure of the "General Classification guideline for preparations of the EU" in the latest valid version.

- **Label elements**

- **GHS label elements** The product is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).

- **Hazard pictograms** GHS05

- **Signal word** Danger

- **Hazard statements**

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

- **Precautionary statements**

Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.

IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do.

Continue rinsing.

Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

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Store locked up.

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

- **Classification system**
- **NFPA ratings (scale 0-4)**



Health = 2
Fire = 1
Reactivity = 1

- **HMIS rating system (0-4)**



Health = 2
Flammability = 1
Reactivity = 1

- **Other hazards**
- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.

3 Composition/information on ingredients

- **Chemical characterization: Mixtures**
- **Description:** Mixture of the substances listed below with nonhazardous additions.

Dangerous components:

CAS: 1310-73-2	sodium hydroxide	C R35	≤ 2.5%
EINECS: 215-185-5		H314	

- **Additional information** For the wording of the listed risk phrases refer to section 16.

4 First-aid measures

- **Description of first aid measures**
- **General information** Immediately remove any clothing soiled by the product.
- **After inhalation** In case of unconsciousness place patient stably on side position for transportation.
- **After skin contact**
If skin irritation continues, consult a doctor.
Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.
- **After eye contact** Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Then consult a doctor.
- **After swallowing** Drink copious amounts of water and provide fresh air. Immediately call a doctor.
- **Information for doctor**
- **Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed** No further relevant information available.
- **Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**
No further relevant information available.

5 Fire-fighting measures

- **Extinguishing media**
- **Suitable extinguishing agents**
CO₂, extinguishing powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.
- **Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**
Carbon monoxide (CO)

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- Sulphur dioxide (SO₂)
- **Advice for firefighters**
- **Protective equipment:** Wear self-contained respiratory protective device.

6 Accidental release measures

- **Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**



Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.

- **Environmental precautions:** Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.
- **Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**
Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).
Use neutralizing agent.
Ensure adequate ventilation.
- **Reference to other sections**
See Section 7 for information on safe handling
See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.
See Section 13 for disposal information.

7 Handling and storage

- **Handling**
- **Precautions for safe handling**
Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.
Prevent formation of aerosols.
- **Information about protection against explosions and fires:** No special measures required.
- **Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **Storage**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** No special requirements.
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.
- **Further information about storage conditions:** Keep receptacle tightly sealed.
- **Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

8 Exposure controls/personal protection

- **Additional information about design of technical systems:** No further data; see item 7.
- **Control parameters**
- **Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**
The product does not contain any relevant quantities of materials with critical values that have to be monitored at the workplace.
- **Additional information:** The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.
- **Exposure controls**
- **Personal protective equipment**
- **General protective and hygienic measures**
Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.
Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing
Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.

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Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

- **Breathing equipment:**



In case of brief exposure or low pollution use respiratory filter device. In case of intensive or longer exposure use respiratory protective device that is independent of circulating air.

- **Protection of hands:**

Protective gloves

The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.

Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation

- **Penetration time of glove material**

The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.

- **Eye protection:** Tightly sealed goggles.

- **Body protection:** Protective work clothing.

9 Physical and chemical properties

- **Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

- **General Information**

- **Appearance:**

Form: Liquid

Color: Brown

- **Odor:** Characteristic

- **Odour threshold:** Not determined.

- **pH-value at 20 °C (68 °F):** 12.0-12.8 (Neat)

- **Change in condition**

Melting point/Melting range: undetermined

Boiling point/Boiling range: 100 °C (212 °F)

- **Flash point:** > 94 °C (> 201 °F)

- **Flammability (solid, gaseous)** Not applicable.

- **Ignition temperature:**

Decomposition temperature: Not determined.

- **Auto igniting:** Product is not selfigniting.

- **Danger of explosion:** Product does not present an explosion hazard.

- **Explosion limits:**

Lower: Not determined.

Upper: Not determined.

- **Vapor pressure at 20 °C (68 °F):** 23 hPa (17 mm Hg)

- **Density at 20 °C (68 °F):** 0.98-1.01 g/cm³ (8.178-8.428 lbs/gal)

- **Relative density** Not determined.

- **Vapour density** Not determined.

- **Evaporation rate** Not determined.

- **Solubility in / Miscibility with**

Water: Emulsifiable

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· Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):	Not determined.
· Viscosity:	
dynamic:	Not determined.
kinematic:	Not determined.
· Solvent content:	
Organic solvents:	0.0 %
Water:	80-90 %
· Solids content:	10-20 %
· Other information	The above data are typical values and do not constitute a specification. Vapor pressure data are calculated unless otherwise noted.

10 Stability and reactivity

- **Reactivity**
- **Chemical stability**
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **Possibility of hazardous reactions** No dangerous reactions known
- **Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.
- **Incompatible materials:** No further relevant information available.
- **Hazardous decomposition products:** No dangerous decomposition products known

11 Toxicological information

- **Information on toxicological effects**
- **Acute toxicity:**
- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **on the skin:** Repeated or prolonged skin contact with this product may produce skin irritation.
- **on the eye:** Irritating effect.
- **Sensitization:** No sensitizing effects known.
- **Additional toxicological information:**
The product shows the following dangers according to the calculation method of the General EU Classification Guidelines for Preparations as issued in the latest version:
Corrosive
Swallowing will lead to a strong caustic effect on mouth and throat and to the danger of perforation of esophagus and stomach.
- **Carcinogenic categories**

· IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)

None of the ingredients is listed.

· NTP (National Toxicology Program)

None of the ingredients is listed.

12 Ecological information

- **Toxicity**
- **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.
- **Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.

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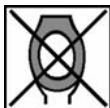
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- **Behavior in environmental systems:**
- **Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.
- **Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.
- **Additional ecological information:**
- **General notes:**
 Must not reach bodies of water or drainage ditch undiluted or unneutralized.
 Rinse off of bigger amounts into drains or the aquatic environment may lead to increased pH-values. A high pH-value harms aquatic organisms. In the dilution of the use-level the pH-value is considerably reduced, so that after the use of the product the aqueous waste, emptied into drains, is only low water-dangerous.
 Water hazard class 2 (Self-assessment): hazardous for water.



Do not allow product to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.

Danger to drinking water if even small quantities leak into the ground.

- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.
- **Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.

* 13 Disposal considerations

- **Waste treatment methods**
- **Recommendation**
 Dispose of in accordance with local, state, and federal regulations.



Must not be disposed of together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.

- **Uncleaned packagings:**
- **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.
- **Recommended cleansing agent:** Water, if necessary with cleansing agents.

* 14 Transport information

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| · UN-Number | |
| · DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA | UN1760 |
| · UN proper shipping name | |
| · DOT | Corrosive liquids, n.o.s. (Sodium hydroxide) |
| · ADR | 1760 Corrosive liquids, n.o.s. (Sodium hydroxide) |
| · IMDG, IATA | CORROSIVE LIQUID, N.O.S. (SODIUM HYDROXIDE) |

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· Transport hazard class(es)
· DOT


· **Class** 8 Corrosive substances.
 · **Label** 8

· ADR, IMDG, IATA


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· Packing group

· **DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA** III

· Environmental hazards:

· **Marine pollutant:** No

· **Special precautions for user** Warning: Corrosive substances

· **Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code** Not applicable.

· **UN "Model Regulation":** UN1760, Corrosive liquids, n.o.s. (Sodium hydroxide), 8, III

15 Regulatory information

· Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture
· SARA Section 355 (extremely hazardous substances)

None of the ingredients is listed.

· SARA Section 313 (specific toxic chemical listings)

None of the ingredients is listed.

· TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act)

All ingredients are listed.

· Prop 65 - Chemicals known to cause cancer

None of the ingredients is listed.

· Cancerogenity categories
· EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)

None of the ingredients is listed.

· NIOSH-Ca (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)

None of the ingredients is listed.

· OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety & Health Administration)

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- **Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

16 Other information

This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.
Cortec Corporation does not warranty any translation of this SDS not created by Cortec Corporation.

- **Abbreviations and acronyms:**

ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)
IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods
DOT: US Department of Transportation
IATA: International Air Transport Association
EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances
ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances
CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)
NFPA: National Fire Protection Association (USA)
HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)

- *** Data compared to the previous version altered.**

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