## SAFETY DATA SHEET

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# Union Rubber, Inc. Bestine Solvent and Best-Test Thinner

## 1. IDENTIFICATION

## Product identifier

Product Name Bestine Solvent / Best-Test thinner.

Other means of identification

Synonyms

None

## Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

**Recommended Use** 

Thinning rubber cement

Uses advised against

No information available

## Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

**Supplier Name** 

Union Rubber, Inc.

**Supplier Address** 

PO Box 1040

Trenton, NJ 08606

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**Supplier Phone Number** 

Phone: 609-396-9328 Fax: 609-396-3587

Supplier Email

besttest@sprynet.com

Emergency telephone number

800-222-1222

## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

## Classification

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

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	Category 2
Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 3
Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)	Category 1
Aspiration toxicity	

Flammable liquids

Category 2

#### GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

**Emergency Overview** 

Signal word

Danger

#### Hazard Statements

Causes skin irritation Mav cause drowsiness or dizziness May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways Highly flammable liquid and vapor



Appearance Straw-colored

Physical state Viscous Liquid

Odor Pleasant

#### **Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking Keep container tightly closed Ground/bond container and receiving equipment Use explosion-proof electrical/ ventilating/ lighting/ equipment Use only non-sparking tools Take precautionary measures against static discharge Keep cool

#### **Precautionary Statements - Response**

Specific treatment (see supplemental first aid instructions on this label)

#### Skin

If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower Wash contaminated clothing before reuse

#### Inhalation

IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell

#### Ingestion

IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician Do NOT induce vomiting

#### Fire

In case of fire: Use CO2, dry chemical, or foam for extinction

#### **Precautionary Statements - Storage**

Store locked up

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed

#### **Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

#### Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Not applicable

#### **Unknown Toxicity**

0% of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity

#### Other information

May be harmful in contact with skin

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

PROLONGED OR REPEATED CONTACT MAY DRY SKIN AND CAUSE IRRITATION

#### **Interactions with Other Chemicals**

Use of alcoholic beverages may enhance toxic effects.

## 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	CAS No	Weight-%	Trade Secret
Heptane	142-82-5	100	*

<sup>\*</sup>The exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret

#### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

#### First aid measures

General Advice

Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Immediate medical

attention is required.

Eye contact

Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15

minutes. Keep eye wide open while rinsing. Remove contact lenses, if present and

easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get medical attention if irritation develops and

persists. Do not rub affected area.

Skin contact

Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists. Wash off immediately with

soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated clothes and shoes.

Inhalation

Remove to fresh air. Get medical attention immediately if symptoms occur.

Aspiration into lungs can produce severe lung damage. If breathing has stopped, give artificial respiration. Get medical attention immediately. Avoid direct contact with skin. Use barrier to give mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. If breathing is difficult, (trained personnel should) give oxygen. Delayed pulmonary edema may occur.

#### Ingestion

Rinse mouth immediately and drink plenty of water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Do NOT induce vomiting. Aspiration hazard if

swallowed - can enter lungs and cause damage. If vomiting occurs spontaneously,

keep head below hips to prevent aspiration. Call a physician or poison control

center immediately.

Self-protection of the first aider Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Use personal protective equipment as required. Wear personal protective clothing (see section 8). Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, take precautions to protect themselves and prevent spread of contamination. Avoid direct contact with skin. Use barrier to give mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. Remove all sources of ignition.

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

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**Effects** 

Difficulty in breathing. Coughing and/ or wheezing. Dizziness. Inhalation of high vapor concentrations may cause symptoms like headache, dizziness, tiredness, nausea and vomiting.

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

**Notes to Physician** 

Treat symptomatically.

## 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

#### Suitable Extinguishing Media

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment. Dry chemical. Carbon dioxide (CO2). Water spray. Alcohol resistant foam.

#### Unsuitable extinguishing media

CAUTION: Use of water spray when fighting fire may be inefficient.

#### Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Risk of ignition. Keep product and empty container away from heat and sources of ignition. In the event of fire, cool tanks with water spray. Fire residues and contaminated fire extinguishing water must be disposed of in accordance with local regulations.

**Uniform Fire Code** 

Irritant: Liquid

Flammable Liquid: I-B

#### **Hazardous Combustion Products**

Carbon oxides.

#### **Explosion Data**

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact

No.

Sensitivity to Static Discharge

Yes.

#### Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

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

Personal precautions

Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment as required. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. See section 8 for more information. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. ELIMINATE all ignition sources (no smoking, flares, sparks or flames in immediate area). Pay attention to flashback. Take precautionary measures against static discharges. All equipment used when handling the product must be grounded. Do not touch or walk through spilled material.

Other Information

Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 7 and 8. Ventilate the area.

**Environmental precautions** 

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Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 7 and 8. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Prevent product from entering drains.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for containment

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not touch or walk through spilled material. A vapor suppressing foam may be used to reduce vapors. Dike far ahead of spill to collect runoff water. Keep out of drains, sewers, ditches and waterways.

Methods for cleaning up

Take precautionary measures against static discharges. Dam up. Soak up with inert absorbent material. Pick up and transfer to properly labeled containers.

### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### Precautions for safe handling

Handling

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. Use personal protection equipment. Avoid breathing vapors or mists. Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking. Use grounding and bonding connection when transferring this material to prevent static discharge, fire or explosion. Use with local exhaust ventilation. Use spark-proof tools and explosion-proof equipment. Keep in an area equipped with sprinklers. Use according to package label instructions.

#### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage

Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Protect from moisture. Store locked up. Keep out of the reach of children. Store away from other materials. Keep away from heat, sparks, flame and other sources of ignition (i.e., pilot lights, electric motors and static electricity). Keep in properly labeled containers. Do not store near combustible materials. Keep in an area equipped with sprinklers. Store in accordance with the particular national regulations. Store in accordance with local regulations.

**Incompatible Products** 

Strong acids. Strong oxidizing agents. Strong bases.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### Control parameters

#### **Exposure Guidelines**

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Chemical Name Heptane	STEL: 500 ppm TWA: 400 ppm	TWA: 500 ppm TWA: 2000 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	IDLH: 750 ppm Ceiling: 440 ppm 15 min
142-82-5	100A. 400 ppm	(vacated) TWA: 400 ppm (vacated) TWA: 1600 mg/m³ (vacated) STEL: 500 ppm (vacated) STEL: 2000 mg/m³	Ceiling: 1800 mg/m³ 15 min TWA: 85 ppm TWA: 350 mg/m³

ACGIH TLV: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists - Threshold Limit Value OSHA PEL: Occupational Safety and Health Administration - Permissible Exposure Limits Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health

**Other Exposure Guidelines** 

Vacated limits revoked by the Court of Appeals decision in AFL-CIO v. OSHA, 965 F.2d

962 (11th Cir., 1992) See section 15 for national exposure control parameters

## Appropriate engineering controls

**Engineering Measures** 

Showers

Eyewash stations Ventilation systems

## Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection

Tight sealing safety goggles.

Skin and body protection

Wear protective gloves and protective clothing. Long sleeved clothing. Impervious gloves.

Chemical resistant apron. Antistatic boots.

Respiratory protection

No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions. If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, ventilation and evacuation may be required.

Hygiene Measures

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Wear suitable gloves and eye/face protection. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace. Regular cleaning of equipment, work area and clothing is recommended. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

#### **Physical and Chemical Properties**

Physical state Appearance

Color

Viscous Liquid Straw-colored

No information available

Odor Odor Threshold Pleasant

No information available

**Property** 

На

Melting / freezing point Boiling point / boiling range

Flash Point

Values

/ No data available 100 °C / 212 °F -7 C / 20 F Remarks Method

None known None known None known None known **Evaporation Rate** No data available None known Flammability (solid, gas) No data available None known

Flammability Limit in Air

Upper flammability limit No data available Lower flammability limit No data available No data available

Vapor pressure None known Vapor density No data available None known **Specific Gravity** No data available None known Water Solubility No information available None known Solubility in other solvents No data available None known Partition coefficient: n-octanol/waterNo data available None known Autoignition temperature No data available None known **Decomposition temperature** No data available None known Kinematic viscosity No data available None known

Dynamic viscosity 6.5

**Explosive properties** No data available Oxidizing properties No data available

#### Other Information

**Softening Point** No data available **VOC Content (%)** No data available **Particle Size** No data available

**Particle Size Distribution** 

### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

#### Reactivity

No data available.

#### **Chemical stability**

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

## Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

None under normal processing.

## **Hazardous Polymerization**

Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

#### Conditions to avoid

Heat, flames and sparks.

#### **Incompatible materials**

Strong acids. Strong oxidizing agents. Strong bases.

#### **Hazardous Decomposition Products**

Carbon oxides.

### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### Information on likely routes of exposure

#### **Product Information**

Inhalation Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. May cause irritation of

respiratory tract. Aspiration into lungs can produce severe lung damage. May cause

None known

pulmonary edema. Pulmonary edema can be fatal. May cause drowsiness and dizziness.

Eye contact Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Expected to be an irritant based on components. Irritating to eyes. May cause redness, itching, and pain. May cause irritation.

Skin contact

Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Expected to be an irritant based on components. Irritating to skin. Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or

cracking.

Ingestion

Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Ingestion may cause irritation to mucous membranes. Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhea. Potential for aspiration if swallowed. May cause lung damage if swallowed. Aspiration may cause pulmonary edema and pneumonitis. May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.

#### **Component Information**

Chemical Name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50 Inhalation LC			
Heptane	-	= 3000 mg/kg (Rabbit)	= 103 g/m³ (Rat)4 h		
142-82-5					

#### Information on toxicological effects

**Symptoms** 

Erythema (skin redness). May cause redness and tearing of the eyes. Difficulty in breathing. Coughing and/ or wheezing. Asthma-like and/ or skin allergy-like symptoms. Inhalation of high vapor concentrations may cause symptoms like headache, dizziness,

tiredness, nausea and vomiting.

## Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Sensitization

No information available.

**Mutagenic Effects** 

No information available.

Carcinogenicity

Contains no ingredient listed as a carcinogen.

Reproductive toxicity

No information available.

STOT - single exposure

No information available.

STOT - repeated exposure

No information available.

**Chronic Toxicity** 

Aspiration may cause pulmonary edema and pneumonitis.

**Target Organ Effects** 

Respiratory system. Eyes. Skin. Central Nervous System (CNS).

**Aspiration Hazard** 

No information available.

## Numerical measures of toxicity Product Information

The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document

ATEmix (dermal) 3,003.00 mg/kg (ATE) ATEmix (inhalation-dust/mist) 103.00 mg/l

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## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### **Ecotoxicity**

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Chemical Name	Toxicity to Algae	Toxicity to Fish	Toxicity to Microorganisms	Daphnia Magna (Water Flea)
Heptane		96h LC50: = 375.0 mg/L		24h EC50: > 10 mg/L
142-82-5		(Cichlid fish)		

#### Persistence and Degradability

No information available.

#### **Bioaccumulation**

Chemical Name	Log Pow
Heptane	4.66
142-82-5	

#### Other adverse effects

No information available.

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

#### Waste treatment methods

Disposal methods

This material, as supplied, is a hazardous waste according to federal regulations (40 CFR

261).

**Contaminated Packaging** 

Dispose of contents/containers in accordance with local regulations.

**US EPA Waste Number** 

D001 U004

This product contains one or more substances that are listed with the State of California as a hazardous waste.

Chemical Name	California Hazardous Waste
Heptane	Toxic
142-82-5	Ignitable

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT

NOT REGULATED

Proper Shipping Name

NON REGULATED

**Hazard Class** 

N/A

**TDG** 

Not regulated

**MEX** 

Not regulated

ICAO

Not regulated

IATA

Not regulated

**Proper Shipping Name** 

NON REGULATED

**Hazard Class** 

N/A

IMDG/IMO

Not regulated N/A

Hazard Class
Marine Pollutant

Product is a marine pollutant according to the criteria set by IMDG/IMO

RID

Not regulated

ADR

Not regulated

ADN

Not regulated

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

#### **International Inventories**

**TSCA** 

Complies

DSL

All components are listed either on the DSL or NDSL.

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

#### **US Federal Regulations**

#### **SARA 313**

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372

#### SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

Acute Health HazardYesChronic Health HazardYesFire HazardYesSudden release of pressure hazardNoReactive HazardNo

#### **CWA (Clean Water Act)**

This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42)

#### **CERCLA**

This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355). There may be specific reporting requirements at the local, regional, or state level pertaining to releases of this material

#### US State Regulations

#### **California Proposition 65**

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

#### **U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations**

Chemical Name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania	Rhode Island	Illinois
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Heptane 142-82-5	Х	Х	Х		

## International Regulations

#### Mexico

National occupational exposure limits

Component	Carcinogen Status	Exposure Limits
Heptane		Mexico: TWA 400 ppm
142-82-5 ( 60 - 100 )		Mexico: TWA 1600 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
		Mexico: STEL 500 ppm
		Mexico: STEL 2000 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

Mexico - Occupational Exposure Limits - Carcinogens

#### Canada

#### WHMIS Hazard Class

B2 - Flammable liquid D2B - Toxic materials



### 16. OTHER INFORMATION

**NFPA** 

Health Hazards 2

Flammability 3

Instability 0

Physical and

**HMIS** 

**Health Hazards** 2

Flammability 3

Physical Hazard 0

Chemical Hazards -**Personal Protection** 

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