

**SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION**

Catalog No. (N/A)

Product Name: **POR-15 Solvent**  
 Manufacturer Name: POR-15, Inc.  
 General Use: Cleaner Degreaser  
 Product Description: Aromatic Hydrocarbon

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**CHEMTREC Numbers:**

**For emergencies in the US, call CHEMTREC: 800-424-9300**

**For emergencies outside US, call INTERNATIONAL: (703)527-3887**

Manufacturer MSDS Revision Date: 07/02/2008  
 Chemical Family: Petroleum Hydrocarbon  
 NFPA  
     Health: 1  
     Flammability: 2  
     Reactivity: 0  
     Other:  
 HMIS  
     Health Hazard: 1  
     Fire Hazard: 2  
     Reactivity: 0  
     Personal Protection:

**Physical Description / Properties**

Physical State/Appearance: Clear liquid  
 Color: Colorless  
 Odor: Mild aromatic odor  
 Vapor Pressure: 3 mmHg @ 100°F; 4 mmHg @ 68°C  
 Flash Point: 42.2°C (108°F)  
 Auto Ignition Temperature: 471°C (880°F) Approximate  
 Upper Explosive Limit: 12.6% @ 77 deg F  
 Lower Explosive Limit: 1.9  
 Boiling Point: 182 - 202°C (360 - 396°F)  
 Freezing Point: <0°C (32°F)  
 Melting Point: 0°C (32°F)  
 Solubility: 0.02 wt. % in water @ 77 °F (Calculated)  
 Specific Gravity: 0.90 @ 60°F (Water = 1)  
 Density: 7.5 pounds/gallon at 59°  
 Evaporation Point: 0.3 (Butyl Acetate = 1)  
 Viscosity: 1 CST @ 25°C (77°F) approximate for liquid  
 Molecular Formula: Mixture

Molecular Weight: Varies

## Ingredients

| Chemical Name                  | CAS#       | Lower Percent | Upper Percent |
|--------------------------------|------------|---------------|---------------|
| Aromatic Petroleum Distillates | 64742-95-6 |               |               |
| 1,2,4-Trimethylbenzene         | 95-63-6    |               |               |
| 1,3,5-Trimethylbenzene         | 108-67-8   |               |               |
| Diethylbenzene                 | 25340-17-4 |               |               |
| Xylene                         | 1330-20-7  |               |               |
| Isopropylbenzene               | 98-82-8    |               |               |

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## SECTION 2 : HEALTH HAZARD INFORMATION

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### Health Effects

**Emergency Overview:** Hazardous according to criteria of Worksafe Australia

**Applies to All Ingredients:**

**Potential Health Effects:**

- Eye Contact:** Slightly irritating but does not injure eye tissue
- Skin Contact:** Frequent or prolonged contact may irritate and cause dermatitis. Low order of toxicity.  
Skin contact may aggravate an existing dermatitis condition.
- Inhalation:** High vapor/aerosol concentrations (greater than approx. 1000 ppm) are irritating to the eyes and the respiratory tract, may cause headaches, dizziness, anesthesia, drowsiness, unconsciousness, and other central nervous system effects, including death.
- Ingestion:** Small amounts of this product aspirated in to the respiratory system during ingestion or vomiting may cause mild to severe pulmonary injury, possibly progressing to death. Minimal toxicity.

### First Aid

- Eye Contact:** Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for 15 to 20 minutes occasionally lifting eyelids. Get medical attention, if irritation or symptoms of overexposure persists.
- Skin Contact:** Immediately wash skin with plenty of soap and water for 15 to 20 minutes, while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. Get medical attention if irritation develops or persists. Wash contaminated clothing thoroughly before re-use.
- Inhalation:** If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration or give oxygen by trained personnel. Seek immediate medical attention if necessary.
- Ingestion:** If swallowed, do NOT induce vomiting. Call a physician or poison control center immediately. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

**Aromatic Petroleum Distillates :**

**1,2,4-Trimethylbenzene :**

**1,3,5-Trimethylbenzene :**

**Diethylbenzene :**

**Xylene :**

**Isopropylbenzene :**

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**SECTION 3 : PRECAUTIONS FOR USE**

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**Engineering Controls / Personal Protection / Flammability**

|   |   |
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| <b>Engineering Controls:</b>                | Use appropriate engineering control such as process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to control airborne levels below recommended exposure limits.  |
| <b>Ventilation System:</b>                  | Use in well-ventilated areas only. Have adequate general exhaust.   |
| <b>Skin Protection Description:</b>         | Cover as much of the exposed skin area as possible with appropriate clothing. If skin creams are used, keep the area covered to a minimum.  |
| <b>Hand Protection Description:</b>         | Wear appropriate protective gloves. Consult glove manufacturer's data for permeability data.  |
| <b>Eye/Face Protection:</b>                 | Wear appropriate protective glasses or splash goggles as described by 29 CFR 1910.133, OSHA eye and face protection regulation, or the European standard EN 166. Contact lenses should not be worn.   |
| <b>Protective Clothing/Body Protection:</b> | Wear long sleeves.  |
| <b>Respiratory Protection:</b>              | A NIOSH approved air-purifying respirator with an organic vapor cartridge or canister may be permissible under certain circumstances where airborne concentrations are expected to exceed exposure limits. Protection provided by air purifying respirators is limited. Use a positive pressure air supplied respirator if there is any potential for an uncontrolled release, exposure levels are not known, spray painting, or any other circumstances where air purifying respirators may not provide adequate protection. |
| <b>Other Protective:</b>                    | Eyewash and deluge shower should be available.  |

**Exposure Standards**

**Ingredient Guidelines**

**Ingredient:** 1,2,4-Trimethylbenzene

|                        |                              |
|------------------------|------------------------------|
| Guideline Type:        | OSHA PEL-TWA                 |
| Guideline Information: | Not Established              |
| Guideline Type:        | ACGIH TLV-TWA                |
| Guideline Information: | 25 ppm                       |
| Guideline Type:        | Australian Exposure Standard |
| Guideline Information: | 25 ppm                       |

**Ingredient:** 1,3,5-Trimethylbenzene

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|------------------------|------------------------------|
| Guideline Type:        | OSHA PEL-TWA                 |
| Guideline Information: | Not Established              |
| Guideline Type:        | ACGIH TLV-TWA                |
| Guideline Information: | 25 ppm                       |
| Guideline Type:        | Australian Exposure Standard |
| Guideline Information: | 25 ppm                       |

**Ingredient:** Aromatic Petroleum Distillates

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| Guideline Type:        | OSHA PEL-TWA                 |
| Guideline Information: | Not Established              |
| Guideline Type:        | ACGIH TLV-TWA                |
| Guideline Information: | Not Established              |
| Guideline Type:        | Australian Exposure Standard |

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| Guideline Information: | Not Established                            |
|                        | <b>Ingredient:</b> <u>Diethylbenzene</u>   |
| Guideline Type:        | OSHA PEL-TWA                               |
| Guideline Information: | Not Established                            |
| Guideline Type:        | ACGIH TLV-TWA                              |
| Guideline Information: | Not Established                            |
| Guideline Type:        | Australian Exposure Standard               |
| Guideline Information: | Not Established                            |
|                        | <b>Ingredient:</b> <u>Isopropylbenzene</u> |
| Guideline Type:        | OSHA PEL-TWA                               |
| Guideline Information: | Not Established                            |
| Guideline Type:        | ACGIH TLV-STEL                             |
| Guideline Information: | Not Established                            |
| Guideline Type:        | Australian Exposure Standard               |
| Guideline Information: | Not Established                            |
|                        | <b>Ingredient:</b> <u>Xylene</u>           |
| Guideline Type:        | OSHA PEL-TWA                               |
| Guideline Information: | 100 ppm (435 mg/m3)                        |
| Guideline Type:        | ACGIH TLV-TWA                              |
| Guideline Information: | 100 ppm                                    |
| Guideline Type:        | Australian Exposure Standard               |
| Guideline Information: | 100 ppm                                    |

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## SECTION 4 : SAFE HANDLING INFORMATION

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### Storage And Transport

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| <b>Handling:</b>                  | Keep container closed. Handle and open containers with care.  |
| <b>Storage:</b>                   | Store in a cool, well ventilated place away from incompatible materials. Do not handle or store near an open flame, heat, or other sources of ignition. Protect from direct sunlight. |
| <b>DOT Shipping Name:</b>         | Paint or Paint related material   |
| <b>DOT UN Number:</b>             | UN1263  |
| <b>DOT Hazard Class:</b>          | 3   |
| <b>DOT Identification Number:</b> | UN 1255   |
| <b>DOT Packing Group:</b>         | III   |

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### Spills And Disposal

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| <b>Waste Disposal:</b> | Consult with the US EPA Guidelines listed in 40 CFR Part 261.3 for the classifications of hazardous waste prior to disposal. Furthermore, consult with your state and local waste requirements or guidelines, if applicable, to ensure compliance. Arrange disposal in accordance to the EPA and/or state and local guidelines. Triple-rinse drum prior to offering for recycle. |
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### Fire / Explosion Hazard

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| <b>Fire:</b>                               | Combustible liquid. At elevated temperatures, vapors can form an ignitable mixture with air. Vapors can flow along surfaces to distant ignition sources and flash back. |
| <b>Flash Point:</b>                        | 42.2°C (108°F)  |
| <b>Flash Point Method:</b>                 | TCC   |
| <b>Upper Flammable or Explosive Limit:</b> | 12.6% @ 77 deg F  |
| <b>Lower Flammable or Explosive</b>        | 1.9   |

Limit:

Auto Ignition Temperature: 471°C (880°F) Approximate

Extinguishing Media: Dry chemical (e.g. monoammonium phosphate, potassium sulfate, and potassium chloride), carbon dioxide, high expansion (proteinic) chemical foam, sand.

Fire Fighting Instructions: Use water spray to cool fire exposed surfaces & to protect personnel.

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

Static Discharge Effects: Static discharge, material can accumulate static charges which can cause an incendiary electrical discharge.

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**OTHER INFORMATION**

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**Aromatic Petroleum Distillates :**

Section 313 Toxic Release Form: This product contains the following Section 313 Reportable Ingredients:  
 Component: Solvent/mixture  
 Cas No.: 64742-94-5  
 Maximum %: 100%

OSHA 29 CFR 1200: This product is combustible as defined in 29 CFR 1910.1200, based on the above compositional information.

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**HMIS:**

Health Hazard: 1 = Slight  
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 Reactivity: 0 = Minimal

**NFPA:**

Health: 1 = Slight  
 Fire Hazard: 2 = Moderate  
 Reactivity: 0 = Minimal

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Should further information be required, this can be obtained through the sales office whose address is at the top of this data sheet. We welcome any additional information about our products that customers have obtained by personal experience.

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This information is for people trained in: National Paint & Coatings Association's Hazardous Materials Identification System (HMIS), National Fire Protection Association (NFPA 704) Identification of the Fire Hazards of Materials.  
NPCA-HMIS  
NFPA 704

KEY:  
4 = Severe  
3 = Serious  
2 = Moderate  
1 = Slight  
0 = Minimal

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