

SAFETY DATA SHEET

1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE PREPARATION AND COMPANY

Products: WICKES INTERIOR DAMP SEAL

Product Use: Interior liquid waterproofer

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2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

The product is polymer emulsion.

It is not classified as dangerous under the Chemicals (Hazard Information and Packaging for Supply) Regulations 2002 (CHIP 3).

3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

No hazards identified in the normal use of the product.

4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

IN ALL CASES IF SYMPTOMS ARE SEVERE, PERSIST OR CAUSE CONCERN, OBTAIN IMMEDIATE MEDICAL ADVICE.

Eyes: May cause slight irritation and soreness. Irrigate thoroughly with clean water for 10-15 minutes.
Skin: Use soap and or proprietary skin cleanser and warm water to remove from skin. Do not use solvents.
Ingestion: May cause nausea. Drink plenty of water. Obtain immediate medical advice.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

The product is water based and non-flammable. The dried polymer is combustible. In the event of a fire, wear protective clothing. In confined areas fire-fighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus.
 Extinguish fire with foam, dry powder, sand or earth. Water spray may be used but not water jet.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Absorb and contain spillage with sand or other inert material. Do not allow to enter drains. Transfer to labelled container for disposal (see Section 13).

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

DO NOT ALLOW TO FREEZE. Store in sealed containers between 5°-35°C, away from direct sunlight.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Precautionary Measures: Good general ventilation is normally adequate.
Respiratory Protection: If spraying product, use suitable approved HSE respirator.
Hands/skin Protection: Wear protective gloves and protective clothing.
Eye Protection: Goggles, face visor or safety glasses recommended as necessary.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance:	Liquid
Colour:	White
Odour:	Faint aromatic
Solubility in water:	Completely miscible
Flash point:	N/A (water based)

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Product is stable under recommended storage conditions.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

No known hazard.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

The product is miscible with water and could be transported considerable distances if allowed to enter waterways. The product will degrade only very slowly in the environment. There is no evidence of any tendency for bioaccumulation. In low concentrations (<100mg/litre) latex exhibits low toxicity to fish, but in higher concentrations may be harmful to fish and aquatic life. Low concentrations of latex in water for sewage treatment do not affect the biomass; the polymer particles are absorbed onto the sludge and eliminated from the water stream. The BOD of dilute latex is relatively low.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Must not be discharged directly into drains or waterways without treatment. The polymer content may be separated by coagulation and disposed of to landfill or by incineration. Waste water containing latex may be treated by coagulation/settling, flotation or ultrafiltration. Disposal should always comply with local and national regulations.

Waste, including emptied containers, should be disposed of in accordance with the general requirements of the Control of Pollution Act 1974 and the Environmental Protection Act 1990.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Not classified for Road, Rail, Sea or Air Transport.

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

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16. OTHER INFORMATION

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