



Product # 12-660

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## MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

### SECTION 1. Product and Company Identification

**PRODUCT NAME:** Formo-Cresol

**COMMON OR CHEMICAL NAME:** Cresol and Formaldehyde

**MANUFACTURED BY:**

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**GENERAL INFORMATION:**

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### SECTION 2. Composition/Information on Ingredients

**Product Contents:** Formo-Cresol

**Hazardous Ingredients:** Cresol (<50%), Formaldehyde (<50%), Glycerine (<5%)

### SECTION 3. Hazards Identification

For potential health hazards: SEE Section 11 below

No other hazards to man or the environment are reasonably foreseen.

### SECTION 4. First Aid Measures

**Inhalation:** Remove to fresh air. Give artificial respiration of oxygen whenever necessary.

**Skin Contact:** Wash with soap and water. Remove contaminated clothing promptly.

**Eye Contact:** Flush with water for at least 15 minutes by separating the eyelids with fingers.

**Ingestion:** Seek medical attention.

### SECTION 5. Fire-Fighting Measures

**Suitable Extinguishing Media:** Foam, dry chemical, or carbon dioxide.

**Extinguishing Media which should not be used:** None.

**Special exposure hazards from combustion products:** Do not pressurize, cut, heat, weld, or expose such containers to flames.

**Special protective equipment for fire fighters:** Use air supplied rescue equipment for enclosed area.

## SECTION 6. Accidental Release Measures

**Personal Precautions:** Avoid contact with skin or eyes.

**Environmental Precautions:** Dispose of in accordance with all federal, state, and local regulations.

**Methods for Cleaning Up:** Use foam to control vapors, Flush area with water sparingly or use absorbents to contain and/or remove spill. Neutralize with ammonia or complex with sodium sulfite.

## SECTION 7. Handling and Storage

**Handling Precautions:** Avoid contact with skin; do not breathe vapor.

**Safe Storage Conditions:** Store in closed containers.

**Other Restrictions or Recommendations:** Do not subject to higher temperatures.

## SECTION 8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

**Respiratory Protection & Ventilation:** Full face NIOSH approved formaldehyde or acid gas cartridges. Local exhaust, explosion proof ventilation, chemical fume hood, do not breathe vapor.

**Protective Clothing or Equipment:** Rubber gloves, safety goggles, impervious body covering, boots.

**Unusual Work/Hygienic Practices:** None.

## SECTION 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

**Appearance:** Clear amber liquid.

**Odor:** Strong odor of formaldehyde and phenol.

**pH:** 4.05

**Boiling Point/Range:** 392°F

**Melting Point/Range:** Not applicable.

**Flash Point:** 154°F

**Auto-Ignition Temperature:** Not applicable.

**Flammability:** Flammable.

**Explosive Limits in Air:** Not applicable.

**Oxidizing Properties:** Not applicable.

**Vapor Pressure (mm Hg):** 1.0 mmHg/48°C

**Vapor Density (Air=1):** Not applicable.

**Specific Gravity (H<sub>2</sub>O =1):** 1.058/25°C

**Solubility in Water:** Miscible.

**Reactivity in Water:** Not reactive.

**Other Data:** 36% volatile.

## SECTION 10. Stability and Reactivity

**Stability:** Stable.

**Conditions of Instability:** Higher temperatures.

**Incompatibility with Various Substances:** Strong alkalis.

**Hazardous Decomposition Products:** Carbon monoxide, formaldehyde.

**Hazardous Polymerization:** Will not occur.

**Conditions to Avoid:** Higher temperatures.

### SECTION 11. Toxicological Information

**Potential Acute Health Effects:** Burns, skin/eye irritation.

**Potential Chronic Health Effects:** Causes burns. Extremely destructive to tissue of the mucous membrane.

**Signs and Symptoms of Exposure:** Burns, skin sensitization or irritation.

**Medical Conditions Generally Aggravated by Exposure:** None known.

**Carcinogenic or Potential Carcinogenic Effects:** Suspected carcinogen.

**Other Potential Health Effects:** May be fatal if inhaled, swallowed, or absorbed through skin. Inhalation may be fatal as a result of spasm, inflammation, and edema of the larynx and bronchi, and chemical pneumonitis.

### SECTION 12. Ecological Information

No ecological damage or impact anticipated when handled as indicated.

### SECTION 13. Disposal Considerations

**Waste Disposal:** Incinerate. Landfill only, if solidified prior to disposal. Dispose in accordance with all federal, state, and local regulations.

### SECTION 14. Transport Information

**UN Classification:** Not applicable.

**Identification:** Chemicals, N.O.S.

**Special Provisions for Transport:** Combustible liquid labeling.

### SECTION 15. Regulatory Information

**U.S. FDA Dental Device:** Class II product

**EC Medical Device Directive:** Class IIa product

### SECTION 16. Other Information

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