



M520-0002 SOLAR-LUX RETARDER

# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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Health: 2                      Flammability: 3                      Reactivity 0

PRODUCT NAME: M520-0002 SOLAR-LUX RETARDER

## I. CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

REVISION DATE: 24/11/04  
SUPERCEDES: 23/09/04  
MSDS NO. M520-0002

## II. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

| CHEMICAL NAME    | %     | CAS #   | PEL                          |
|------------------|-------|---------|------------------------------|
| acetone          | 51-60 | 67-64-1 | 1000 ppm TWA; 2400 mg/m3 TWA |
| propylene glycol | 11-20 | 57-55-6 | No PEL established           |

## III. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

**Routes of Entry:** Inhalation., Ingestion., Skin contact., Eye contact.  
**Medical Conditions Aggravated:** No medical conditions affected by exposure.

### Immediate (Acute) Health Effects

**Inhalation:** Can cause moderate respiratory irritation, dizziness, weakness, fatigue, nausea and headache.

**Skin Contact:** Substance causes moderate skin irritation. Can cause minor skin irritation, defatting, and dermatitis.

**Eye Contact:** Mildly irritating but will not injure eye tissue. Can cause moderate irritation, tearing and reddening, but not likely to permanently injure eye tissue.

**Skin Absorption:** No absorption hazard in normal industrial use.

**Ingestion:** Irritating to mouth, throat, and stomach. Can cause abdominal discomfort, nausea, vomiting and diarrhea.

**Target Organ Acute Toxicity:**

Acetone respiratory system, skin, eyes, CNS

**Long-Term (Chronic) Health Effects:**

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| <b>Carcinogenicity:</b>                         | ACGIH. IARC. NIOSH. NTP. OSHA. None of the substances have been shown to cause cancer in long term animal studies. Not a carcinogen according to NTP, IARC, or OSHA. |
| <b>Reproductive and Developmental Toxicity:</b> | No information available. Contains a substance(s) that is a possible reproductive system hazard based on high dose tests with laboratory animals.                    |
| <b>Mutagenicity:</b>                            | No data available to indicate product or any components present at greater than 0.1% is mutagenic or genotoxic.  |
| <b>Inhalation:</b>                              | Upon prolonged and/or repeated exposure, can cause moderate respiratory irritation, dizziness, weakness, fatigue, nausea and headache.                               |
| <b>Skin Contact:</b>                            | Prolonged or repeated contact may cause irritation. Upon prolonged or repeated contact, can cause minor skin irritation, defatting, and dermatitis.                  |
| <b>Eye Contact:</b>                             | Upon prolonged or repeated contact, can cause minor irritation, tearing and reddening.   |
| <b>Skin Absorption:</b>                         | Upon prolonged or repeated exposure, no hazard in normal industrial use.   |
| <b>Target Organ Chronic Toxicity:</b>           | Respiratory Tract.   |
| <b>Supplemental Health Hazard Information:</b>  | No additional health information available.  |

**IV. FIRST AID**

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| <b>Inhalation:</b>   | Remove to fresh air. Get medical attention immediately. Have a trained individual administer humidified oxygen. If not breathing, give artificial respiration.   |
| <b>Eyes:</b>         | Use an eye wash to remove a chemical from your eye regardless of the level of hazard. Flush the affected eye for at least twenty minutes. Tilt the head to prevent chemical from transferring to the uncontaminated eye. Seek medical advice after flushing. |
| <b>Skin Contact:</b> | Wash with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation develops or persists.  |
| <b>Ingestion:</b>    | Do not induce vomiting and seek medical attention immediately. Drink two glasses of water or milk to dilute. Provide medical care provider with this MSDS.   |
| <b>Notes to MD:</b>  | No additional first aid information available.   |

**V. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES****Flammability Summary:**

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| <b>Flash Point:</b>                               | -4 (CALC.) °F |
| <b>Upper Flammable/Explosive Limit, % in air:</b> | 12.8 @ 77° F  |

**Lower Flammable/Explosive Limit, % in air:** 2.5 @ 77° F

**Fire Hazards:** Flammable Liquid. Can release vapors that form explosive mixtures at temperatures at or above the flash point. Vapors may be ignited by heat, sparks, flames or other sources of ignition at or above the low flash point giving rise to a Class B fire. Vapors are heavier than air and may travel to a source of ignition and flash back.

**Extinguishing Media:** Use alcohol resistant spray, Carbon Dioxide, water spray or dry chemical to extinguish a fire involving this chemical. Flammable component(s) of this material may be lighter than water and burn while floating on the surface. Use methods suitable to fight surrounding fire. Use alcohol resistant foam, carbon dioxide, or dry chemical extinguishing agents. Water spray or fog may also be effective for extinguishing if swept across the base of the fire. Water can also be used to absorb heat and keep exposed material from being damaged by fire.

**Fire Fighting Instructions:** Flammable component(s) of this material may be lighter than water and burn while floating on the surface. Do not enter fire area without proper protection including self-contained toxic breathing apparatus and full protective equipment. Fight fire from a safe distance and a protected location due to the potential of hazardous vapors and decomposition products. Flammable component(s) of this material may be lighter than water and burn while floating on the surface. Use water spray/fog for cooling.

**Hazardous Combustion Products:** Carbon dioxide, Carbon monoxide

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#### **VI. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

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**Health Consideration for Spill Response:** Exposure to the spilled material may be irritating or harmful. Follow personal protective equipment recommendations found in Section VIII of this MSDS. Additional precautions may be necessary based on special circumstances created by the spill including; the material spilled, the quantity of the spill, the area in which the spill occurred. Also consider the expertise of employees in the area responding to the spill.

**Spill Mitigation Procedures General Methods:** Prevent the spread of any spill to minimize harm to human health and the environment if safe to do so. Wear complete and proper personal protective equipment following the recommendation of Section VIII at a minimum. Dike with suitable absorbent material like granulated clay. Gather and store in a sealed container pending a waste disposal evaluation.

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#### **VII. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

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**Handling:** Use spark-proof tools and explosion-proof equipment. Wash thoroughly after handling. Avoid contact with material. Keep in air-tight containers- material is hygroscopic. "Empty" containers retain product residue (liquid and/or vapor) and can be dangerous. Harmful or irritating material. Avoid contact and avoid breathing the material. Use only in a well ventilated area.

**Storage:** Keep away from heat, sparks, and flame. Keep away from sources of ignition. Do not store near combustible materials. Store in a cool dry ventilated location. Isolate from incompatible materials and conditions. Keep container(s) closed.

## VIII. ENGINEERING CONTROLS AND PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

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**Engineering Controls:** Ventilation should effectively remove and prevent buildup of any vapor/mist/fume generated from the handling of this product. No exposure limits exist for the constituents of this product. Use local exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls to minimize exposures and maintain operator comfort.

### Protective Equipment

**Respiratory Tract:** Respirators should be selected by and used under the direction of a trained health and safety professional following requirements found in OSHA's respirator standard (29 CFR 1910.134) and ANSI's standard for respiratory protection (Z88.2-1992). A written respiratory protection program, including provisions for medical certification, training, fit testing, exposure assessments, maintenance, inspection, cleaning, and convenient, sanitary storage should be implemented.

**Eyes:** Wear chemically resistant safety glasses with side shields when handling this product. Wear additional eye protection such as chemical splash goggles and/or face shield when the possibility exists for eye contact with splashing or spraying liquid, or airborne material. Do not wear contact lenses. Have an eye wash station available.

**Skin:** Avoid skin contact by wearing chemically resistant gloves, an apron and other protective equipment depending upon conditions of use. Inspect gloves for chemical break-through and replace at regular intervals. Clean protective equipment regularly. Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking, and when leaving work.

## IX. PHYSICAL DATA

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| <b>Physical State:</b>       | CLEAR LIQUID              |
| <b>Odor:</b>                 | MODERATELY STRONG ALCOHOL |
| <b>Solids Vol %:</b>         | 0.0000                    |
| <b>Solids Wt %:</b>          | 0.0000                    |
| <b>Material VOC lbs/gal:</b> | 1.0034                    |
| <b>Material VOC gms/l:</b>   | 120.494                   |
| <b>Coatings VOC lbs/gal:</b> | 8.6351                    |
| <b>Coatings VOC gms/l:</b>   | 1037.00                   |
| <b>Weight per gallon:</b>    | 7.3914                    |

## X. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

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**Stability Information:** Stable. Normally stable. Keep away from heat, sparks and flame.

**Conditions to Avoid:** Avoid: heat, sparks, flame and oxidizing agents. None known.

**Chemical Incompatibility:** Acids. Strong reducing agents. Strong oxidizing agents. Strong acids.

## XI. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

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| Chemical Name   | CAS Number | LD50/LC50  |
|-----------------|------------|--|
| Acetone         | 67-64-1    | Inhalation LC50 Rat : 50100 mg/m <sup>3</sup> /8H; Inhalation LC50 Mouse : 44 gm/m <sup>3</sup> /4H; Oral LD50 Rat : 5800 mg/kg; Oral LD50 Mouse : 3 gm/kg |
| 1,2-Propanediol | 57-55-6    | Oral LD50 Rat : 20 gm/kg; Oral LD50 Mouse : 22 gm/kg; Dermal LD50 Rabbit : 20800 mg/kg   |

## **XII. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**Overview (for ingredients):** Keep out of waterways. This material is not expected to be harmful to the ecology.

## **XIII. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

**Waste Description for Spent Product:** The waste may be a listed and/or characteristic hazardous waste. Spent or discarded material is a hazardous waste. Spent or discarded material is not expected to be a hazardous waste.

**Disposal Methods:** Comply with all Local, State, Federal, and Provincial Environmental Regulations. Perform waste water treatment. Dispose of by incineration following Federal, State, Local, or Provincial regulations.

**Potential EPA Waste Codes:** D001

### **Components Subject to USEPA Land Disposal Restrictions:**

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|---------|---------|---------|
| Acetone | 67-64-1 | 51.02 % |
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## **XIV. TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION**

**DOT** PAINT RELATED MATERIAL, 3, UN 1263, II  
See 49CFR 172.101 for Special Provisions, Packaging, and Quantity Limitations.

## **XV. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

| <b>Chemical Name</b>                    | <b>Regulation</b>         | <b>CASRN</b> | <b>%</b> |
|---|---------------------------|--------------|----------|
| No 313-listed chemicals in this product | SARA 313 Reportable:      |              |          |
| acetone                                 | New Jersey Right To Know: | 67-64-1      | 51.02    |
| propylene glycol                        | New Jersey Right To Know: | 57-55-6      | 13.61    |

## **XVI. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

**Other Information:** IMPORTANT: WHILE THE DESCRIPTIONS, DATA AND INFORMATION CONTAINED HEREIN ARE PRESENTED IN GOOD FAITH AND BELIEVED TO BE ACCURATE, IT IS PROVIDED FOR YOUR GUIDANCE ONLY. BECAUSE MANY FACTORS MAY AFFECT PROCESSING OR APPLICATION/USE, WE RECOMMEND THAT YOU PERFORM AN ASSESSMENT TO DETERMINE THE SUITABILITY OF A PRODUCT FOR YOUR PARTICULAR PURPOSE PRIOR TO USE. NO WARRANTIES OF ANY KIND, EITHER EXPRESSED OR IMPLIED, INCLUDING FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE, ARE MADE REGARDING PRODUCTS DESCRIBED, DATA OR INFORMATION SET FORTH. IN NO CASE SHALL THE DESCRIPTIONS, INFORMATION, OR DATA PROVIDED BE CONSIDERED A PART OF OUR TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE. FURTHER, THE DESCRIPTIONS, DATA AND INFORMATION FURNISHED HEREUNDER ARE GIVEN GRATIS. NO OBLIGATION OR LIABILITY FOR THE DESCRIPTION, DATA AND INFORMATION GIVEN ARE ASSUMED. ALL SUCH BEING GIVEN AND ACCEPTED AT YOUR RISK.

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