# SAFETY DATA SHEET



### 1. Identification

Product identifier Wire Pulling Lubricant

Other means of identification

SDS number SDS-00038

**Product code** 15-231, 15-236, 15-111, 15-233, 15-236-E

Recommended use Wire Pulling Lubricant

**Recommended restrictions** None known.

Manufacturer/Importer/Supplier/Distributor information

Company name Thomas & Betts Corporation

Address 8155 T & B Boulevard

Memphis, TN 38125

USA

**Telephone** 901-252-5000 ext.8324

**E-mail** Not available.

**Emergency phone number** For Hazardous Materials [or Dangerous Goods] Incident

Spill, Leak, Fire, Exposure, or Accident Call CHEMTREC Day or Night +1 703-741-5970

## 2. Hazard(s) identification

Physical hazards Not classified.

Health hazards Serious eye damage/eye irritation Category 2A

Sensitization, skin Category 1

OSHA defined hazards Not classified.

Label elements



Signal word Warning

Hazard statement May cause an allergic skin reaction. Causes serious eye irritation.

Precautionary statement

**Prevention** Avoid breathing mist or vapor. Wash thoroughly after handling. Contaminated work clothing must

not be allowed out of the workplace. Wear eye protection/face protection. Wear protective gloves.

**Response** If on skin: Wash with plenty of water. If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes.

Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention. Wash

contaminated clothing before reuse.

**Storage** Store away from incompatible materials.

**Disposal** Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

Hazard(s) not otherwise

classified (HNOC)

None known.

Supplemental information None.

## 3. Composition/information on ingredients

#### **Mixtures**

Chemical name	CAS number	%
Carbopol	9003-01-4	< 10
Distillates (petroleum), hydrotreated heavy paraffinic	64742-54-7	< 10

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Sodium Benzoate	532-32-1	< 10
Sodium dodecyl sulphate	151-21-3	< 10
Triethanolamine	102-71-6	< 10

### 4. First-aid measures

Eye contact

Inhalation Move to fresh air. Call a physician if symptoms develop or persist.

Remove contaminated clothing immediately and wash skin with soap and water. In case of Skin contact

eczema or other skin disorders. Seek medical attention and take along these instructions.

Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

Rinse mouth. Get medical attention if symptoms occur. Ingestion

Most important symptoms/effects, acute and

delaved

Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Provide general supportive measures and treat symptomatically. Keep victim under observation. Symptoms may be delayed.

Severe eye irritation. Symptoms may include stinging, tearing, redness, swelling, and blurred

**General information** Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to protect themselves. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

vision. May cause an allergic skin reaction. Dermatitis. Rash.

5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable extinguishing media Alcohol resistant foam. Dry powder. Carbon dioxide (CO2). Use fire-extinguishing media

appropriate for surrounding materials.

Unsuitable extinguishing media

Do not use water jet as an extinguisher, as this will spread the fire.

Specific hazards arising from

the chemical

During fire, gases hazardous to health may be formed.

Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters Self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.

Fire fighting

equipment/instructions

Move containers from fire area if you can do so without risk.

Specific methods Use standard firefighting procedures and consider the hazards of other involved materials.

General fire hazards No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted.

# 6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Wear appropriate protective equipment and clothing during clean-up. Avoid breathing mist or vapor. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing. Ensure adequate ventilation. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained. For personal protection, see section 8 of the SDS.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up Use water spray to reduce vapors or divert vapor cloud drift.

Large Spills: Stop the flow of material, if this is without risk. Dike the spilled material, where this is possible. Absorb in vermiculite, dry sand or earth and place into containers. Following product recovery, flush area with water.

Never return spills to original containers for re-use. For waste disposal, see section 13 of the SDS.

Small Spills: Wipe up with absorbent material (e.g. cloth, fleece). Clean surface thoroughly to remove residual contamination.

**Environmental precautions** Avoid discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground.

7. Handling and storage

Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Avoid breathing mist or vapor. Provide adequate Precautions for safe handling

ventilation. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment. Observe good industrial hygiene

practices.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities Store in original tightly closed container. Store away from incompatible materials (see Section 10 of the SDS).

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## 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

### Occupational exposure limits

#### US. OSHA Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants (29 CFR 1910.1000)

Components	Туре	Value	Form	
Distillates (petroleum), hydrotreated heavy	PEL	5 mg/m3	Mist.	
paraffinic (CAS 64742-54-7)				

#### **US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values**

Components	Туре	Value	Form	
Distillates (petroleum), hydrotreated heavy	TWA	5 mg/m3	Inhalable fraction.	_
paraffinic (CAS 64742-54-7) Triethanolamine (CAS 102-71-6)	TWA	5 mg/m3		

### **US. NIOSH: Pocket Guide to Chemical Hazards**

Components	Туре	Value	Form	
Distillates (petroleum), hydrotreated heavy paraffinic (CAS 64742-54-7)	STEL	10 mg/m3	Mist.	
	TWA	5 mg/m3	Mist.	

**Biological limit values** No biological exposure limits noted for the ingredient(s).

Occupational Exposure Limits are not relevant to the current physical form of the product. **Exposure guidelines** 

Appropriate engineering

controls

Good general ventilation (typically 10 air changes per hour) should be used. Ventilation rates should be matched to conditions. If applicable, use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to maintain airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If exposure limits have not been established, maintain airborne levels to an acceptable level. Provide eyewash station.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Face shield is recommended. Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles). Eye/face protection

Skin protection

Hand protection For prolonged or repeated skin contact use suitable protective gloves.

Skin protection

Other Wear appropriate chemical resistant clothing. Use of an impervious apron is recommended.

In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment. Respiratory protection

Thermal hazards Wear appropriate thermal protective clothing, when necessary.

**General hygiene** considerations

Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing after handling the material and before eating, drinking, and/or smoking. Routinely wash work clothing and protective equipment to remove contaminants. Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.

# 9. Physical and chemical properties

**Appearance** 

Physical state Liquid.

**Form** Liquid. Viscous paste. Paste.

Yellow. Color Slight lemon. Odor **Odor threshold** Not available. 8.5 - 8.6 Melting point/freezing point Not available. Initial boiling point and boiling Not available. range

> 400 ° F Flash point **Evaporation rate** Not available.

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Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits

Flammability limit - lower

Not available.

(%)

Flammability limit - upper

(%)

Not available.

Explosive limit - lower (%) Not available. Not available. Explosive limit - upper (%)

Vapor pressure Not available. Vapor density Not available.

Relative density 0.974

Solubility(ies)

Not available. Solubility (water) Partition coefficient Not available. (n-octanol/water)

**Auto-ignition temperature** Not available. **Decomposition temperature** Not available.

**Viscosity** 55000 - 65000 SUS @ 75 °F

Other information

Density 8.11 lbs/gal **Explosive properties** Not explosive. **Oxidizing properties** Not oxidizing.

# 10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity The product is stable and non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.

**Chemical stability** Material is stable under normal conditions.

Possibility of hazardous

reactions

No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.

Conditions to avoid Contact with incompatible materials.

Strong oxidizing agents. Calcium hypochlorite. Sodium hypochlorite. Peroxides. Chlorine. Phenols. Incompatible materials

Concentrated oxygen Nitrites.

**Hazardous decomposition** 

products

Nitrosamines.

## 11. Toxicological information

Information on likely routes of exposure

Inhalation No adverse effects due to inhalation are expected.

Skin contact May cause an allergic skin reaction.

Eye contact Causes serious eye irritation.

Ingestion Expected to be a low ingestion hazard.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics Causes serious eye damage. Symptoms may include stinging, tearing, redness, swelling, and

blurred vision. May cause an allergic skin reaction. Dermatitis. Rash.

Information on toxicological effects

May cause an allergic skin reaction. **Acute toxicity** 

Components **Species Test Results** 

Triethanolamine (CAS 102-71-6)

Acute

Dermal

LD50 Rabbit > 20000 mg/kg

Oral

LD50 Rat 8 g/kg

Skin corrosion/irritation Prolonged skin contact may cause temporary irritation.

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Serious eye damage/eye

irritation

Causes serious eye irritation.

Respiratory or skin sensitization

**Respiratory sensitization** Not a respiratory sensitizer.

**Skin sensitization** May cause an allergic skin reaction.

**Germ cell mutagenicity**No data available to indicate product or any components present at greater than 0.1% are

mutagenic or genotoxic.

Carcinogenicity This product is not considered to be a carcinogen by IARC, ACGIH, NTP, or OSHA.

IARC Monographs. Overall Evaluation of Carcinogenicity

Carbopol (CAS 9003-01-4) 3 Not classifiable as to carcinogenicity to humans. Triethanolamine (CAS 102-71-6) 3 Not classifiable as to carcinogenicity to humans.

**NTP Report on Carcinogens** 

Distillates (petroleum), hydrotreated heavy paraffinic Known To Be Human Carcinogen.

(CAS 64742-54-7)

OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1050)

Not regulated.

**Reproductive toxicity**This product is not expected to cause reproductive or developmental effects.

Specific target organ toxicity -

single exposure

Not classified.

Specific target organ toxicity -

repeated exposure

Not classified.

**Aspiration hazard** Not an aspiration hazard.

Chronic effects May be harmful if absorbed through skin.

12. Ecological information

**Ecotoxicity** The product is not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does not exclude the

possibility that large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging effect on the environment.

Components Species Test Results

Sodium dodecyl sulphate (CAS 151-21-3)

Aquatic

Crustacea LC50 Water flea (Daphnia magna) 8.4 - 11 mg/l, 48 hours

Triethanolamine (CAS 102-71-6)

**Aquatic** 

Crustacea EC50 Water flea (Daphnia magna) 2038 mg/l, 24 hours

Persistence and degradability No data is available on the degradability of this product.

Bioaccumulative potential

Partition coefficient n-octanol / water (log Kow)

Sodium dodecyl sulphate (CAS 151-21-3) 1.6 Triethanolamine (CAS 102-71-6) -1

**Mobility in soil** The product is insoluble in water.

Other adverse effects No other adverse environmental effects (e.g. ozone depletion, photochemical ozone creation

potential, endocrine disruption, global warming potential) are expected from this component.

13. Disposal considerations

**Disposal instructions**Collect and reclaim or dispose in sealed containers at licensed waste disposal site. Dispose of

contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

**Local disposal regulations** Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.

Hazardous waste code

The waste code should be assigned in discussion between the user, the producer and the waste

disposal company.

Waste from residues / unused

products

Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe manner (see:

Disposal instructions).

Contaminated packaging Since emptied containers may retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is

emptied. Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or

disposal.

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## 14. Transport information

DOT

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

IATA

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

**IMDG** 

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

Transport in bulk according to Not established. Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and

Affilex II Of MARPOL 73/76 at

the IBC Code

## 15. Regulatory information

**US** federal regulations

This product is a "Hazardous Chemical" as defined by the OSHA Hazard Communication

Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200.

All components are on the U.S. EPA TSCA Inventory List.

# TSCA Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpt. D)

Not regulated.

OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1050)

Not regulated.

CERCLA Hazardous Substance List (40 CFR 302.4)

Not listed.

### Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)

Hazard categories Immediate Hazard - Yes

Delayed Hazard - No Fire Hazard - Yes Pressure Hazard - No Reactivity Hazard - No

#### SARA 302 Extremely hazardous substance

Not listed.

SARA 311/312 Hazardous No

chemical

### SARA 313 (TRI reporting)

Not regulated.

#### Other federal regulations

## Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) List

Not regulated.

## Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112(r) Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130)

Not regulated.

Safe Drinking Water Act

Not regulated.

(SDWA)

### **US state regulations**

#### **US. Massachusetts RTK - Substance List**

Distillates (petroleum), hydrotreated heavy paraffinic (CAS 64742-54-7)

Triethanolamine (CAS 102-71-6)

## US. New Jersey Worker and Community Right-to-Know Act

Distillates (petroleum), hydrotreated heavy paraffinic (CAS 64742-54-7)

Triethanolamine (CAS 102-71-6)

#### US. Pennsylvania Worker and Community Right-to-Know Law

Distillates (petroleum), hydrotreated heavy paraffinic (CAS 64742-54-7)

Triethanolamine (CAS 102-71-6)

### **US. Rhode Island RTK**

Not regulated.

## **US. California Proposition 65**

California Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986 (Proposition 65): This material is not known to contain any chemicals currently listed as carcinogens or reproductive toxins.

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#### **International Inventories**

Country(s) or region	Inventory name	On inventory (yes/no)*
Australia	Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS)	Yes
Canada	Domestic Substances List (DSL)	Yes
Canada	Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)	No
China	Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China (IECSC)	Yes
Europe	European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS)	No
Europe	European List of Notified Chemical Substances (ELINCS)	No
Japan	Inventory of Existing and New Chemical Substances (ENCS)	No
Korea	Existing Chemicals List (ECL)	Yes
New Zealand	New Zealand Inventory	Yes
Philippines	Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances (PICCS)	Yes

<sup>(</sup>PICCS)

United States & Puerto Rico Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory \*A "Yes" indicates this product complies with the inventory requirements administered by the governing country(s).

# 16. Other information, including date of preparation or last revision

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**HMIS®** ratings Health: 2

> Flammability: 1 Physical hazard: 0

NFPA ratings



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Yes

A "No" indicates that one or more components of the product are not listed or exempt from listing on the inventory administered by the governing country(s).