

# Safety Data Sheet



## 1. Identification

**Product Information:** M716-1706

**Product Name:** FLATTING PASTE QT

**Recommended Use:** Surface Preparation or Protection

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## 2. Hazards Identification

### GHS Classification

Flam. Liq. 3, STOT SE 3 NE

### Symbol(s) of Product



### Signal Word

Warning

### GHS HAZARD STATEMENTS

Flammable Liquid, category 3	H226	Flammable liquid and vapour.
STOT, single exposure, category 3, NE	H336	May cause drowsiness or dizziness.

### GHS LABEL PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

P210	Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.
P261	Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.
P312	Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.
P403+P233	Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

### GHS SDS PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

P240	Ground/bond container and receiving equipment.
P241	Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting/ equipment.
P242	Use only non-sparking tools.
P243	Take precautionary measures against static discharge.

### 3. Composition/Information on ingredients

<u>Chemical Name</u>	<u>CAS-No.</u>	<u>Wt. %</u>	<u>GHS Symbols</u>	<u>GHS Statements</u>
n-butyl acetate	123-86-4	40-55	GHS02-GHS07	H226-336
amorphous silica	112926-00-8	10-25	No Information	No Information
pm acetate	108-65-6	2.5-10	GHS02-GHS07	H226-332
m-xylene	108-38-3	1.0-2.5	GHS02-GHS07	H226-315-332
ethylbenzene	100-41-4	0.1-1.0	GHS02-GHS07-GHS08	H225-304-332-373
toluene	108-88-3	0.1-1.0	GHS02-GHS07-GHS08	H225-304-315-332-336-373
p-xylene	106-42-3	0.1-1.0	GHS02-GHS07	H226-312-315-332

The exact percentage (concentration) of ingredients is being withheld as a trade secret.

The text for GHS Hazard Statements shown above (if any) is given in the "Other information" Section.

### 4. First-aid Measures



**FIRST AID - EYE CONTACT:** IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

**FIRST AID - SKIN CONTACT:** IF ON SKIN: Gently wash with plenty of Soap and Water. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

**FIRST AID - INGESTION:** IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. IF exposed or if you feel unwell: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

**FIRST AID - INHALATION:** IF INHALED: If breathing is difficult, remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. IF exposed or if you feel unwell: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

### 5. Fire-fighting Measures

**SPECIAL FIREFIGHTING PROCEDURES:** Evacuate all persons from the fire area to a safe location. Move non-burning material, as feasible, to a safe location as soon as possible. Fire fighters should be protected from potential explosion hazards while extinguishing the fire. Wear self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) and full fire-fighting protective clothing. Thoroughly decontaminate all protective equipment after use. Containers of this material may build up pressure if exposed to heat (fire). Use water spray to cool fire-exposed containers. Use water spray to disperse vapors if a spill or leak has not ignited. DO NOT extinguish a fire resulting from the flow of flammable liquid until the flow of the liquid is effectively shut off. This precaution will help prevent the accumulation of an explosive vapor-air mixture after the initial fire is extinguished.

**FIREFIGHTING EQUIPMENT:** This is a NFPA/OSHA Class 1B or less flammable liquid. Follow NFPA30, Chapter 16 for fire protection and fire suppression. Use a dry chemical, carbon dioxide, or similar ABC fire extinguisher for incipient fires. Water may be used to cool and prevent rupture of containers that are exposed to heat from fire.

### 6. Accidental Release Measures

**ENVIRONMENTAL MEASURES:** No Information

**STEPS TO BE TAKEN IN CASE MATERIAL IS RELEASED OR SPILLED:** Follow personal protective equipment recommendations found in Section VIII. Personal protective equipment needs must be evaluated based on information provided on this sheet and the special circumstances created by the spill including; the material spilled, the quantity of the spill, the area in which the spill occurred, and the training and the expertise of employees in the area responding to the spill. Never exceed any occupational exposure limits. Shut off ignition sources; including electrical equipment and flames. Do not allow smoking in the area. Do not allow the spilled product to enter public drainage system or open waterways.

## 7. Handling and Storage



**HANDLING:** Avoid inhalation and contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Wash hands thoroughly after handling and before eating or drinking. In keeping with safe handling practices, avoid ignition sources (smoking, flames, pilot lights, electrical sparks); ground and bond containers when transferring the material to prevent static electricity sparks that could ignite vapor and use spark proof tools and explosion proof equipment. Empty containers may retain product residue or vapor. Do not pressurize, cut, weld, braze, solder, drill, grind, or expose container to heat, flame, sparks, static electricity, or other sources of ignition. Any of these actions can potentially cause an explosion that may lead to injury.

**STORAGE:** Keep containers closed when not in use. Store in cool well ventilated space away from incompatible materials.

## 8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

### Ingredients with Occupational Exposure Limits

<u>Chemical Name</u>	<u>ACGIH TLV-TWA</u>	<u>ACGIH-TLV STEL</u>	<u>OSHA PEL-TWA</u>	<u>OSHA PEL-CEILING</u>
n-butyl acetate	50 ppm	150 ppm	150 ppm	N.D.
amorphous silica	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.
pm acetate	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.
m-xylene	100 ppm	150 ppm	100 ppm	N.D.
ethylbenzene	20 ppm	N.D.	100 ppm	N.D.
toluene	20 ppm	N.D.	200 ppm	300 ppm
p-xylene	100 ppm	150 ppm	100 ppm	N.D.

**Further Advice:** MEL = Maximum Exposure Limit OES = Occupational Exposure Standard SUP = Supplier's Recommendation  
Sk = Skin Sensitizer N.E. = Not Established N.D. = Not Determined

### Personal Protection



**RESPIRATORY PROTECTION:** A NIOSH-approved air-purifying respirator with the appropriate cartridge 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 potential for an uncontrolled release, exposure levels are not known or any other circumstances where air-purifying respirators may not provide adequate protection.



**SKIN PROTECTION:** Wear chemical resistant footwear and clothing such as gloves, an apron or a whole body suit as appropriate.



**EYE PROTECTION:** Wear chemical-resistant glasses and/or goggles and a face shield when eye and face contact is possible due to splashing or spraying of material.



**OTHER PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT:** No Information



**HYGIENIC PRACTICES:** It is good practice to avoid contact with the product and/or its vapors, mists or dust by using appropriate protective measures. Wash thoroughly after handling and before eating or drinking.

## 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

<b>Appearance:</b>	Solid	<b>Physical State:</b>	LIQUID
<b>Odor:</b>	Ester-like - Sweet	<b>Odor Threshold:</b>	Not determined
<b>Density, g/cm<sup>3</sup>:</b>	1.011	<b>pH:</b>	Not determined
<b>Freeze Point, °F:</b>	Not determined	<b>Viscosity:</b>	Not determined
<b>Solubility in Water:</b>	Not determined	<b>Partition Coefficient, n-octanol/ water:</b>	Not determined
<b>Decomposition temperature, °F:</b>	Not determined	<b>Explosive Limits, %:</b>	Not determined
<b>Boiling Range, °F:</b>	> 100 °F	<b>Flash Point, °F:</b>	81 ° F
<b>Combustibility:</b>	Supports Combustion	<b>Auto-Ignition Temperature, °F:</b>	Not determined
<b>Evaporation Rate:</b>	Faster than Diethyl Ether	<b>Vapor Pressure, mmHg:</b>	Not determined
<b>Vapor Density:</b>	Not determined		

N.I. = No Information

## 10. Stability and reactivity

**STABILITY:** Stable under normal conditions.

**CONDITIONS TO AVOID:** Heat, flames and sparks.

**INCOMPATIBILITY:** Acids, Bases, Oxidizing agents

**HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS:** Not determined.

## 11. Toxicological information



### Practical Experiences

**EMERGENCY OVERVIEW:** No Information

**EFFECT OF OVEREXPOSURE - EYE CONTACT:** No Information

**EFFECT OF OVEREXPOSURE - INGESTION:** No Information

**EFFECT OF OVEREXPOSURE - INHALATION:** No Information

**EFFECT OF OVEREXPOSURE - SKIN CONTACT:** No Information

**CARCINOGENICITY:** No Information

**PRIMARY ROUTE(S) OF ENTRY:**

### Acute Toxicity Values

The acute effects of this product have not been tested. Data on individual components are tabulated below

<u>CAS-No.</u>	<u>Chemical Name</u>	<u>Oral LD50</u>	<u>Dermal LD50</u>	<u>Vapor LC50</u>
123-86-4	n-butyl acetate	14130 mg/kg Rat	>17600 mg/kg Rabbit	23.4 mg/l Rat
112926-00-8	amorphous silica	>31000 mg/kg Rat	>2000 mg/kg Rat	N.I.

108-65-6	pm acetate	8532 mg/kg Rat	>5000 mg/kg Rabbit	>20 mg/L
108-38-3	m-xylene	5000 mg/kg Rat	6500 mg/kg Rabbit	>20 mg/l Rat
100-41-4	ethylbenzene	3500 mg/kg Rat	15400 mg/kg Rabbit	17.2 mg/L Rat
108-88-3	toluene	2600 mg/kg Rat	12000 mg/kg Rabbit	12.5 mg/L Rat
106-42-3	p-xylene	4029 mg/kg Rat	N.I.	>20 mg/l Rat

N.I. = No Information

## 12. Ecological information

**ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION:** Ecological evaluation of this material has not been performed; however, do not allow the product to be released to the environment without governmental approval/permits.

## 13. Disposal Information



Product

**DISPOSAL METHOD:** Waste from this material may be a listed and/or characteristic hazardous waste. Dispose of material, contaminated absorbent, container and unused contents in accordance with local, state, and federal regulations.

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## 14. Transport Information

**SPECIAL TRANSPORT PRECAUTIONS:** No Information

DOT: CONSUMER COMMODITY  
 IATA: CONSUMER COMMODITY, ID 8000  
 IMDG: LIMITED QUANTITY UN1263

## 15. Regulatory Information

### U.S. Federal Regulations:

#### CERCLA - SARA Hazard Category

This product has been reviewed according to the EPA 'Hazard Categories' promulgated under Sections 311 and 312 of the Superfund Amendment and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA Title III) and is considered, under applicable definitions, to meet the following categories:

Fire Hazard, Acute Health Hazard

#### SARA SECTION 313

This product contains the following substances subject to the reporting requirements of Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendment and Reauthorization Act of 1986 and 40 CFR part 372:

<u>Chemical Name</u>	<u>CAS-No.</u>
m-xylene	108-38-3

**TOXIC SUBSTANCES CONTROL ACT**

This product contains the following chemical substances subject to the reporting requirements of TSCA 12(B) if exported from the United States:

No TSCA components exist in this product.

**U.S. State Regulations:****CALIFORNIA PROPOSITION 65 CARCINOGENS**

WARNING: This product contains a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer.

**CALIFORNIA PROPOSITION 65 REPRODUCTIVE TOXINS**

WARNING: This product contains a chemical known to the State of California to cause birth defects or other reproductive harm.

**16. Other Information**

Revision Date: 5/19/2017 Supersedes Date: 2/17/2017  
Reason for revision: Product Composition Changed  
Datasheet produced by: Regulatory Department

**HMIS Ratings:**

Health:	2	Flammability:	3	Reactivity:	0	Personal Protection:	X
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Volatile Organic Compounds, gr/ltr: 576

**Text for GHS Hazard Statements shown in Section 3 describing each ingredient:**

H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapour.  
H226 Flammable liquid and vapour.  
H304 May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.  
H312 Harmful in contact with skin.  
H315 Causes skin irritation.  
H332 Harmful if inhaled.  
H336 May cause drowsiness or dizziness.  
H373 May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

**Icons for GHS Pictograms shown in Section 3 describing each ingredient:**

GHS02



GHS07



GHS08



**The information on this sheet corresponds to our present knowledge. It is not a specification and it does not guarantee specific properties. The information is intended to provide general guidance as to health and safety based upon our knowledge of the handling, storage, and use of the product. It is not applicable to unusual or non-standard uses of the product where instructions and recommendations are not followed.**

**Only the original U.S. - English version is authoritative.**