# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

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<th><strong>Product Name</strong></th>
<th>ben WATERBORNE EXTERIOR SOFT-GLOSS FINISH BASE 3</th>
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CHEMTREC (outside US): (703)-527-3887

## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### Classification

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

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### Label elements

**Danger**

**Hazard statements**  
May cause genetic defects  
May damage fertility or the unborn child
**Precautionary Statements - Prevention**
Obtain special instructions before use
Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood
Use personal protective equipment as required

**Precautionary Statements - Response**
IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention

**Precautionary Statements - Storage**
Store locked up

**Precautionary Statements - Disposal**
Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

**Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)**
Not applicable

**Other information**
No information available

### 3. COMPOSITION INFORMATION ON COMPONENTS

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### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

**General Advice**
No hazards which require special first aid measures.

**Eye Contact**
Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician.

**Skin Contact**
Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated clothes and shoes.

**Inhalation**
Move to fresh air. If symptoms persist, call a physician.

**Ingestion**
Clean mouth with water and afterwards drink plenty of water. Consult a physician if necessary.

**Most Important Symptoms/Effects**
None known.
5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable Extinguishing Media
Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters
As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

Specific Hazards Arising From The Chemical
Closed containers may rupture if exposed to fire or extreme heat.

Sensitivity to mechanical impact
No

Sensitivity to static discharge
No

Flash Point Data
Flash point (°F) Not applicable
Flash Point (°C) Not applicable
Method Not applicable

Flammability Limits In Air
Lower flammability limit: Not applicable
Upper flammability limit: Not applicable

NFPA Health: 2 Flammability: 0 Instability: 0 Special: Not Applicable

NFPA Legend
0 - Not Hazardous
1 - Slightly
2 - Moderate
3 - High
4 - Severe

The ratings assigned are only suggested ratings, the contractor/employer has ultimate responsibilities for NFPA ratings where this system is used.

Additional information regarding the NFPA rating system is available from the National Fire Protection Agency (NFPA) at www.nfpa.org.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal Precautions
Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Ensure adequate ventilation.

Other Information
Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

Environmental precautions
See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information.

Methods for Cleaning Up
Soak up with inert absorbent material. Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE
Handling  Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Avoid breathing vapors, spray mists or sanding dust. In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment.

Storage  Keep container tightly closed. Keep out of the reach of children.

Incompatible Materials  No information available

### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### Exposure Limits

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<th>OSHA PEL</th>
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<td>Titanium dioxide</td>
<td>10 mg/m³ - TWA</td>
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<td>Zinc oxide</td>
<td>2 mg/m³ - TWA</td>
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**Legend**  
ACGIH - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists Exposure Limits  
OSHA - Occupational Safety & Health Administration Exposure Limits  
N/E - Not Established

#### Engineering Measures

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

#### Personal Protective Equipment

- **Eye/Face Protection**  
  Safety glasses with side-shields.

- **Skin Protection**  
  Protective gloves and impervious clothing.

- **Respiratory Protection**  
  In case of insufficient ventilation wear suitable respiratory equipment.

#### Hygiene Measures

Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before re-use. Wash thoroughly after handling.

### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

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<td>VOC Regulatory Limit (g/L)</td>
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<td>Boiling Point (°F)</td>
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**10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

**Reactivity**
Not Applicable

**Chemical Stability**
Stable under normal conditions.

**Conditions to avoid**
Prevent from freezing.

**Incompatible Materials**
No materials to be especially mentioned.

**Hazardous Decomposition Products**
None under normal use.

**Possibility of hazardous reactions**
None under normal conditions of use.

**11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**Product Information**

**Information on likely routes of exposure**

**Principal Routes of Exposure**
Eye contact, skin contact and inhalation.

**Acute Toxicity**

**Product Information**
No information available

**Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics**

**Symptoms**
No information available

**Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure**

**Eye contact**
May cause slight irritation.

**Skin contact**
Substance may cause slight skin irritation. Prolonged or repeated contact may dry skin and cause irritation.

**Inhalation**
May cause irritation of respiratory tract.

**Ingestion**
Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhea.

**Sensitization**
No information available
Neurological Effects  No information available.
Mutagenic Effects  No information available.
Reproductive Effects  May damage fertility or the unborn child.
Developmental Effects  No information available.
Target organ effects  No information available.
STOT - single exposure  No information available.
STOT - repeated exposure  No information available.
Other adverse effects  No information available.
Aspiration Hazard  No information available.

Numerical measures of toxicity

The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document

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Carcinogenicity

The information below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen:

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- Although IARC has classified titanium dioxide as possibly carcinogenic to humans (2B), their summary concludes: "No significant exposure to titanium dioxide is thought to occur during the use of products in which titanium dioxide is bound to other materials, such as paint."

Legend

IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer
NTP - National Toxicity Program
OSHA - Occupational Safety & Health Administration

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity Effects

The environmental impact of this product has not been fully investigated.

Product Information
**Acute Toxicity to Fish**
No information available

**Acute Toxicity to Aquatic Invertebrates**
No information available

**Acute Toxicity to Aquatic Plants**
No information available

**Persistence / Degradability**
No information available.

**Bioaccumulation**
There is no data for this product.

**Mobility in Environmental Media**
No information available.

**Ozone**
No information available

**Component Information**

**Acute Toxicity to Fish**

Titanium dioxide
LC50: > 1000 mg/L (Fathead Minnow - 96 hr.)

Carbamic acid, 1H-benzimidazol-2-yl-, methyl ester
LC50: 1.5 mg/L (Rainbow Trout - 96 hr.)

**Acute Toxicity to Aquatic Invertebrates**

Carbamic acid, 1H-benzimidazol-2-yl-, methyl ester
LC50: 0.22 mg/L (water flea - 48 hr.)

**Acute Toxicity to Aquatic Plants**
No information available

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**13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

**Waste Disposal Method**
Dispose of in accordance with federal, state, and local regulations. Local requirements may vary, consult your sanitation department or state-designated environmental protection agency for more disposal options.

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**14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

**DOT**
Not regulated

**ICAO / IATA**
Not regulated
15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

International Inventories

TSCA: United States
Yes - All components are listed or exempt.

DSL: Canada
Yes - All components are listed or exempt.

Federal Regulations

SARA 311/312 hazardous categorization

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SARA 313
Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product contains a chemical or chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372:

None

Clean Air Act, Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) (see 40 CFR 61)
This product contains the following HAPs:

None

US State Regulations

California Proposition 65

⚠️ WARNING: Cancer and Reproductive Harm— www.P65warnings.ca.gov

State Right-to-Know

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Legend

X - Listed

16. OTHER INFORMATION
WARNING! If you scrape, sand, or remove old paint, you may release lead dust. LEAD IS TOXIC. EXPOSURE TO LEAD DUST CAN CAUSE SERIOUS ILLNESS, SUCH AS BRAIN DAMAGE, ESPECIALLY IN CHILDREN. PREGNANT WOMEN SHOULD ALSO AVOID EXPOSURE. Wear a NIOSH approved respirator to control lead exposure. Clean up carefully with a HEPA vacuum and a wet mop. Before you start, find out how to protect yourself and your family by contacting the National Lead Information Hotline at 1-800-424-LEAD or log on to www.epa.gov/lead.

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