1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name: ben, WATERBORNE EXTERIOR SOFT GLOSS FINISH BASE 1
Product Code: K5431X
Alternate Product Code: K5431X
Product Class: Water thinned paint
Color: All
Recommended use: Paint
Restrictions on use: No information available

Manufactured For:
Benjamin Moore & Co., Limited
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Concord ON L4K 2N1
Phone: 1-800-361-5898
www.benjaminmoore.com

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Montvale, NJ 07645
Phone: 1-866-708-9180
www.benjaminmoore.com

Emergency Telephone:
CANUTEC: 613-996-6666

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification
This chemical is considered hazardous by the Hazardous Products Regulations (HPR: SOR/2015-17)

<table>
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<th>Germ cell mutagenicity</th>
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<tr>
<td>Reproductive toxicity</td>
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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

Other information
No information available

3. COMPOSITION INFORMATION ON COMPONENTS

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<th>Chemical name</th>
<th>CAS No.</th>
<th>Weight-%</th>
<th>Hazardous Material Information Review Act registry number (HMIRA registry #)</th>
<th>Date HMIRA filed and date exemption granted (if applicable)</th>
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<tr>
<td>Titanium dioxide</td>
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<td>10 - 30%</td>
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<td>Silica amorphous</td>
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<td>1-Methyl-2-pyrrolidinone</td>
<td>872-50-4</td>
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*The exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret

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.

Notes To Physician

Treat symptomatically.

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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<tr>
<th>Chemical name</th>
<th>ACGIH TLV</th>
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<th>Quebec</th>
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Legend
ACGIH - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists
Alberta - Alberta Occupational Exposure Limits
British Columbia - British Columbia Occupational Exposure Limits
Ontario - Ontario Occupational Exposure Limits
Quebec - Quebec Occupational 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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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

ATEmix (oral) 40470 mg/kg

ATEmix (dermal) 113393 mg/kg

**Component Information**

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<th>Chemical name</th>
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<td>Titanium dioxide 13463-67-7</td>
<td>&gt; 10000 mg/kg (Rat)</td>
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<td>Silica amorphous 7631-86-9</td>
<td>&gt; 5000 mg/kg (Rat)</td>
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<td>Zinc oxide 1314-13-2</td>
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<td>1-Methyl-2-pyrrolidinone 872-50-4</td>
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<td>= 2 g/kg (Rat) = 8500 mg/kg (Rabbit)</td>
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Carcinogenicity
The information below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen:

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<th>NTP</th>
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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, provincial, 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

- **TDG**: Not regulated
- **ICAO / IATA**: Not regulated
- **IMDG / IMO**: Not regulated

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### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

#### International Inventories

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

#### National Pollutant Release Inventory (NPRI)

**NPRI Parts 1-4**
This product contains the following Parts 1-4 NPRI chemicals:

<table>
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<td>0.25 - 0.5%</td>
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**NPRI Part 5**
This product contains the following NPRI Part 5 Chemicals:
None

**WHMIS Regulatory Status**

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Hazardous Products Regulations (HPR) and the SDS contains all the information required by the HPR.

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### 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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<th>HMIS</th>
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<th>Flammability: 0</th>
<th>Reactivity: 0</th>
<th>PPE: -</th>
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**HMIS Legend**

0 - Minimal Hazard  
1 - Slight Hazard  
2 - Moderate Hazard  
3 - Serious Hazard  
4 - Severe Hazard  
*X* - Chronic Hazard

X - Consult your supervisor or S.O.P. for “Special” handling instructions.

**HMIS Legend**

0 - Minimal Hazard  
1 - Slight Hazard  
2 - Moderate Hazard  
3 - Serious Hazard  
4 - Severe Hazard  
*X* - Chronic Hazard

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