1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name: ADVANCE MATTE FINISH BASE 2  
Product Code: 7912X  
Alternate Product Code: 7912X  
Product Class: WATER THINNED PAINT  
Color: All  
Recommended use: Paint  
Restrictions on use: No information available

Manufacturer: Benjamin Moore & Co.  
101 Paragon Drive  
Montvale, NJ  07645  
Phone: 1-866-708-9180  
www.benjaminmoore.com

Emergency Telephone:  
CHEMTREC (US): 800-424-9300  
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)

Skin sensitization: Category 1

Label elements

Warning

Hazard statements
May cause an allergic skin reaction

Appearance: liquid  
Odor: little or no odor
Precautionary Statements - Prevention
Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray
Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace
Wear protective gloves

Skin
IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water
If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention
Wash contaminated clothing before reuse

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

Other hazards
Avoid breathing vapors or mists

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. If skin irritation persists, call a physician. Wash clothing before reuse. Destroy contaminated articles such as 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
May cause allergic skin reaction.

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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#### 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

- **Appearance**: liquid
- **Odor**: little or no odor
- **Odor Threshold**: No information available
- **Density (lbs/gal)**: 10.85 - 10.95
- **Specific Gravity**: 1.30 - 1.32
- **pH**: No information available
- **Viscosity (cps)**: No information available
- **Solubility(ies)**: No information available
- **Water solubility**: No information available
- **Evaporation Rate**: No information available
- **Vapor pressure @20 °C (kPa)**: No information available
- **Vapor density**: No information available
- **Wt. % Solids**: 50 - 60
- **Vol. % Solids**: 35 - 45
- **Wt. % Volatiles**: 40 - 50
- **Vol. % Volatiles**: 55 - 65
- **VOC Regulatory Limit (g/L)**: < 50
- **Boiling Point (°F)**: 212
- **Boiling Point (°C)**: 100
Freezing Point (°F) 32
Freezing Point (°C) 0
Flash Point (°F) Not applicable
Flash Point (°C) Not applicable
Method Not applicable
Flammability (solid, gas) Not applicable
Upper flammability limit: Not applicable
Lower flammability limit: Not applicable
Autoignition Temperature (°F) No information available
Autoignition Temperature (°C) No information available
Decomposition Temperature (°F) No information available
Decomposition Temperature (°C) No information available
Partition coefficient No information available

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 Prolonged skin contact may cause skin irritation and/or dermatitis. May cause sensitization by skin contact.
Inhalation Inhalation of vapors in high concentration may cause irritation of respiratory system. Avoid breathing vapors or mists.
Ingestion Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhea.
Sensitization May cause an allergic skin reaction
Neurological Effects No information available.
Mutagenic Effects  No information available.
Reproductive Effects  No information available.
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)  20299 mg/kg

Component Information

Titanium dioxide
LD50 Oral: > 10000 mg/kg (Rat)
Silicon dioxide, wax coated
LD50 Oral: > 3300 mg/kg (Rat)
LD50 Dermal: > 5000 mg/kg (Rat)
Polyalkylene glycol alkyl ether
LD50 Oral: 2000 mg/kg (Rat)
LC50 Inhalation (Vapor): 2 mg/L (Rat, 4 hr.)
Tetramethyl-5-decyne-4,7-diol, 2,4,7,9-
LC50 Inhalation (Vapor): > 20 mg/L (Rat, 1 hr.)

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**
No information available.

**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.)
Tetramethyl-5-decyne-4,7-diol, 2,4,7,9-
LC50: 42 mg/L (Carp (Cyprinus carpio) - 24 hr.)

**Acute Toxicity to Aquatic Invertebrates**

Tetramethyl-5-decyne-4,7-diol, 2,4,7,9-
LC50: 91 mg/L (Daphnia magna - 48 hr.)

**Acute Toxicity to Aquatic Plants**

Tetramethyl-5-decyne-4,7-diol, 2,4,7,9-
EC50: 82 mg/L (Algae (Selenastrum capricornutum) - 72 hrs.)

### 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.

### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

**DOT**
Not regulated

**ICAO / IATA**
Not regulated

**IMDG / IMO**
Not regulated

### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION
International Inventories

TSCA: United States  Yes - All components are listed or exempt.
DSL: Canada  No - Not all of the components are listed.

Federal Regulations

SARA 311/312 hazardous categorization

- Acute health hazard  Yes
- Chronic Health Hazard  No
- Fire hazard  No
- Sudden release of pressure hazard  No
- Reactive Hazard  No

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

HMIS -  Health: 2  Flammability: 0  Reactivity: 0  PPE: -

HMIS Legend
0 - Minimal Hazard  
1 - Slight Hazard  
2 - Moderate Hazard  
3 - Serious Hazard  
4 - Severe Hazard  
* - Chronic Hazard  
X - Consult your supervisor or S.O.P. for "Special" handling instructions.  
Note: The PPE rating has intentionally been left blank. Choose appropriate PPE that will protect employees from the hazards the material will present under the actual normal conditions of use.

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