



# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

**Product Name** STEP ONE PRIMER  
**Product Code** K08200  
**Alternate Product Code** K08200  
**Product Class** WATER THINNED PAINT  
**Color** White  
**Recommended use** Paint  
**Restrictions on use** No information available

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## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### Classification

This chemical is not considered hazardous by the Hazardous Products Regulations (HPR: SOR/2015-17)

### Label elements

Not a dangerous substance or mixture according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS)

**Appearance** liquid

**Odor** little or no odor

**Other information**

No information available

**3. COMPOSITION INFORMATION ON COMPONENTS**

Chemical Name	CAS-No	Weight % (max)
Limestone	1317-65-3	10 - 30%
Titanium dioxide	13463-67-7	7 - 13%
Kaolin, calcined	92704-41-1	3 - 7%
Diatomaceous earth	61790-53-2	1 - 5%
Propylene glycol	57-55-6	1 - 5%

**4. FIRST AID MEASURES**

<b>General Advice</b>	No hazards which require special first aid measures.
<b>Eye Contact</b>	Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician.
<b>Skin Contact</b>	Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated clothes and shoes.
<b>Inhalation</b>	Move to fresh air. If symptoms persist, call a physician.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Clean mouth with water and afterwards drink plenty of water. Consult a physician if necessary.
<b>Most Important Symptoms/Effects</b>	None known.
<b>Notes To Physician</b>	Treat symptomatically.

**5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

<b>Suitable Extinguishing Media</b>	Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.
<b>Protective Equipment And Precautions For Firefighters</b>	As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.
<b>Specific Hazards Arising From The Chemical</b>	Closed containers may rupture if exposed to fire or extreme heat.
<b>Sensitivity To Mechanical Impact</b>	No
<b>Sensitivity To Static Discharge</b>	No
<b>Flash Point Data</b>	
Flash Point (°F)	Not applicable
Flash Point (°C)	Not applicable

**Flash Point Method** Not applicable

### Flammability Limits In Air

**Lower Explosion Limit** Not applicable  
**Upper Explosion Limit** Not applicable

**NFPA**    **Health:** 1        **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](http://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 Clean-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

Chemical Name	ACGIH	Alberta	British Columbia	Ontario	Quebec
Limestone	N/E	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> - TWA	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> - TWA 3 mg/m <sup>3</sup> - TWA 20 mg/m <sup>3</sup> - STEL	N/E	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> - TWA EV
Titanium dioxide	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> - TWA	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> - TWA	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> - TWA 3 mg/m <sup>3</sup> - TWA	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> - TWA	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> - TWA EV

Diatomaceous earth	N/E	N/E	4 mg/m <sup>3</sup> - TWA 1.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> - TWA	N/E	6 mg/m <sup>3</sup> - TWAEV
Propylene glycol	N/E	N/E	N/E	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> - TWA 50 ppm - TWA 155 mg/m <sup>3</sup> - TWA	N/E

**Legend****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

<b>Appearance</b>	liquid
<b>Odor</b>	little or no odor
<b>Odor Threshold</b>	No information available
<b>Density (lbs/gal)</b>	11.5 - 11.8
<b>Specific Gravity</b>	1.37 - 1.41
<b>pH</b>	No information available
<b>Viscosity (cps)</b>	No information available
<b>Solubility</b>	No information available
<b>Water Solubility</b>	No information available
<b>Evaporation Rate</b>	No information available
<b>Vapor Pressure</b>	No information available
<b>Vapor Density</b>	No information available
<b>Wt. % Solids</b>	50 - 60
<b>Vol. % Solids</b>	30 - 40
<b>Wt. % Volatiles</b>	40 - 50
<b>Vol. % Volatiles</b>	60 - 70
<b>VOC Regulatory Limit (g/L)</b>	< 100
<b>Boiling Point (°F)</b>	212
<b>Boiling Point (°C)</b>	100
<b>Freezing Point (°F)</b>	32
<b>Freezing Point (°C)</b>	0
<b>Flash Point (°F)</b>	Not applicable
<b>Flash Point (°C)</b>	Not applicable
<b>Flash Point Method</b>	Not applicable
<b>Flammability (solid, gas)</b>	Not applicable
<b>Upper Explosion Limit</b>	Not applicable
<b>Lower Explosion Limit</b>	Not applicable
<b>Autoignition Temperature (°F)</b>	No information available
<b>Autoignition Temperature (°C)</b>	No information available
<b>Decomposition Temperature (°F)</b>	No information available
<b>Decomposition Temperature (°C)</b>	No information available
<b>Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water)</b>	No information available

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

<b>Reactivity</b>	Not Applicable
<b>Chemical Stability</b>	Stable under normal conditions.
<b>Conditions To Avoid</b>	Prevent from freezing.
<b>Incompatible Materials</b>	No materials to be especially mentioned.
<b>Hazardous Decomposition Products</b>	None under normal use.
<b>Possibility Of Hazardous Reactions</b>	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

#### Information on toxicological effects

#### **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**

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)**

24311 mg/kg

**ATEmix (dermal)**

1389776 mg/kg

**Component**Titanium dioxide

LD50 Oral: &gt; 10000 mg/kg (Rat)

Kaolin, calcined

LD50 Oral: &gt; 5000 mg/kg (Rat) vendor data

Propylene glycol

LD50 Oral: 20000 mg/kg (Rat)

LD50 Dermal: 20800 mg/kg (Rabbit)

**Chronic Toxicity****Carcinogenicity***The information below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen:.*

<b>Chemical Name</b>	<b>IARC</b>	<b>NTP</b>
Titanium dioxide	2B - Possible Human Carcinogen	

• 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 &amp; 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 / Accumulation**

No information available.

**Mobility in Environmental Media**

No information available.

**Ozone**

No information available

**Component****Acute Toxicity to Fish**Titanium dioxide

LC50: &gt; 1000 mg/L (Fathead Minnow - 96 hr.)

Propylene glycol

LC50: 710 mg/L (Fathead Minnow - 96 hr.)

**Acute Toxicity to Aquatic Invertebrates**Propylene glycol

EC50: &gt; 10000 mg/L (Daphnia magna - 24 hr.)

**Acute Toxicity to Aquatic Plants**

No information available

**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.

**14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

TDG

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

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:

<u>Chemical Name</u>	<u>CAS-No</u>	<u>Weight % (max)</u>	<u>NPRI Parts 1- 4</u>
Propylene glycol	57-55-6	1 - 5%	Listed

**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.

## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

**HMIS - Health: 1 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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**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 logging onto Health Canada @ [http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/ewh-semt/contaminants/lead-plomb/asked\\_questions-questions\\_posees-eng.php](http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/ewh-semt/contaminants/lead-plomb/asked_questions-questions_posees-eng.php).

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