



# SAFETY DATA SHEET

## SDS No. 1196A

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GHS Compliant

### Section 1 - Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company

#### 1.1 Product Identifier

Trade Name: **FLEXER® Epoxy Flexibilizer**

#### 1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

General Use: Epoxy Additive

Restrictions on Use: None known

#### 1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet:

Company: Smooth-On, Inc.  
5600 Lower Macungie Rd., Macungie, PA 18062

Telephone: Domestic: 1 (877) 706-5303  
International: (610) 252-5800 (collect calls accepted)

E-mail address: Visit our website at [www.smooth-on.com](http://www.smooth-on.com) or email  
[www.sds@smooth-on.com](mailto:www.sds@smooth-on.com)

1.4 **Emergency Contact:** Chem-Tel Domestic: 800-255-3924 International: 813-248-0585

### Section 2 – Hazard(s) Identification

#### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

**GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910.1200 (OSHA HCS)**

**H360** Reproductive toxicity – Category 1

**H400** Aquatic toxicity, acute – Category 1

**H410** Aquatic toxicity, chronic – Category 1

#### 2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements



**Pictogram(s):**

**Signal word:** Danger

#### Health Hazards

H360 May damage fertility or the unborn child

#### Environmental Hazards

H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

#### General Precautions

P101 If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.

P102 Keep out of reach of children.

P103 Read label before use.

#### Prevention Precautions

P201 Obtain special instructions before use.

P202 Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.

- P273 Avoid release to the environment.  
 P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

**Response Precautions**

- P308 + P313 IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention.  
 P391 Collect spillage.

**Storage Precautions**

- P405 Store locked up.

**Disposal Precautions**

- P501 Dispose of contents/container according to local, state and federal law

**2.3 Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS – none known****Section 3 - Composition / Information on Ingredients****3.1 Substances/Mixtures**

The following ingredients are hazardous according to Regulation 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard: 29 CFR 1910.1200:

Chemical name	CAS-No.	Concentration (% w/w)
Butyl benzyl phthalate	85-68-7	>99

**Section 4 - First Aid Measures****4.1 Description of first aid measures****Inhalation**

Remove source(s) of contamination and move victim to fresh air. If breathing has stopped, give artificial respiration, then oxygen if needed. Contact physician immediately.

**Eye Contact**

Flush eyes with plenty of water. If irritation persists, seek medical attention.

**Skin Contact**

In case of skin contact, wash thoroughly with soap and water.

**Ingestion**

Do not induce vomiting unless instructed by a physician. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

**4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed.**

None known.

**4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and specific treatment needed.**

None known.

**Section 5 - Fire-Fighting Measures****5.1 Extinguishing Media**

Water Fog, Dry Chemical, and Carbon Dioxide Foam

**5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**

None known.

**5.3 Advice for firefighters**

Use water spray to cool fire-exposed surfaces and to protect personnel. Shut off "fuel" to fire. If a leak or spill has not ignited, use water spray to disperse the vapors. Either allow fire to burn under controlled conditions or extinguish with foam or dry chemical. Try to cover liquid spills with foam. Because fire may produce toxic thermal decomposition products, wear a self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) with a full-face piece operated in pressure demand or positive-pressure mode.

**Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures****6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Only properly protected personnel should remain in the spill area; dike and contain spill. Stop or reduce discharge if it can be done safely.

**6.2 Environmental precautions**

Stop spill/release if it can be done safely. Prevent spilled material from entering sewers, storm drains or unauthorized drainage systems and natural waterways by using sand, earth, or other appropriate barriers. No special environmental precautions required.

**6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up**

Put on appropriate protective gear including NIOSH/MSHA approved self-contained breathing apparatus, rubber boots and heavy rubber gloves. Dike and contain spill; absorb or scrape up excess into suitable container for disposal; wash area with dilute ammonia solution. Stop or reduce discharge if it can be done safely. Follow applicable OSHA regulations (29 CFR 1910.120) for disposal.

**6.4 Reference to other sections**

See Section 3 for list of Hazardous Ingredients; Sections 8 for Exposure Controls; and Section 13 for Disposal.

**Section 7 - Handling and Storage****7.1 Precautions for safe handling**

Use good general housekeeping procedures. Wash hands after use. Do not get in eyes, on skin or on clothing. Do not breathe vapors or mists. Use good personal hygiene practices.

**7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**

Keep container(s) tightly closed and properly labeled. Store in cool, dry, well ventilated place away from heat, direct sunlight, strong oxidizers and any incompatibles. Store in approved containers and protect against physical damage. Keep containers securely sealed when not in use. Indoor storage should meet local standards and appropriate fire codes. Containers that have been opened must be carefully resealed to prevent leakage. Empty containers retain residue and may be dangerous. Avoid water contamination.

**7.3 Specific end use(s)**

These precautions are for room temperature handling. Other uses including elevated temperatures or aerosol/spray applications may require added precautions.

**Section 8 - Exposure Controls / Personal Protection****8.1 Control parameters**

None defined

**8.2 Exposure controls****Respiratory Protection**

Respiratory protection is not normally required when using this product with adequate local exhaust ventilation. Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate, follow OSHA respirator regulations 29 CFR 1910.134 and European Standards EN 141, 143 and 371; wear an MSHA/NIOSH or European Standards EN 141, 143 and 371 approved respirators equipped with appropriate filter cartridges as a backup to engineering controls.

**Hand Protection**

Wear any liquid-tight gloves such as butyl rubber, neoprene or PVC.

**Eye Protection**

Safety glasses with side shields per OSHA eye- and face-protection regulations 29 CFR 1910.133 and European Standard EN166. Contact lenses are not eye protective devices. Appropriate eye protection must be worn instead of, or in conjunction with contact lenses.

**Other Protective Clothing/Equipment**

Additional protective clothing or equipment is not normally required. Provide eye bath and safety shower.

**Comments**

Never eat, drink, or smoke in work areas. Practice good personal hygiene after using this material, especially before eating, drinking, smoking, using the toilet, or applying cosmetics. Wash thoroughly after handling.

<b>Section 9 - Physical and Chemical Properties</b>
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**9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

<b>Appearance:</b>	colorless oily liquid	<b>Vapor pressure:</b>	14.4 mmHg @ 482.0 °F 0.2 mmHg @ 302.0 °F
<b>Odor:</b>	Not available	<b>Vapor density (Air=1):</b>	10.8
<b>pH:</b>	No date	<b>Evaporation rate:</b>	No data
<b>Flash Point:</b>	No date	<b>Solubility in water:</b>	26.9 mg/l @ 77 °F (OECD TG 105) – negligible
<b>Melting / freezing point:</b>	< -31 °F	<b>Specific Gravity (H2O=1, at 4 °C):</b>	1.12 @ 77 °F
<b>Low / high boiling point:</b>	698 °F	<b>Relative density:</b>	No data
<b>Upper flammability limits:</b>	f.p. at or above 200 °F	<b>Decomposition temperature:</b>	No data
<b>Lower flammability limits:</b>	No data	<b>Viscosity:</b>	395 cPs @ 77 °F
<b>Partition coefficient</b>	low Pow: 4.91 @ 68 °F	<b>Auto-ignition temperature:</b>	449.6 °F

<b>Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity</b>
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**10.1 Reactivity**

No hazardous reactions if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated., No corrosive effect on metal. Not fire propagating.

**10.2 Chemical stability**

These products are stable at room temperature in closed containers under normal storage and handling conditions.

**10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions**

Hazardous polymerization cannot occur

**10.4 Conditions to avoid**

None known

**10.5 Incompatible materials**

Strong bases and acids

**10.6 Hazardous decomposition products**

Thermal oxidative decomposition can produce carbon oxides, gasses/vapors, and traces of incompletely burned carbon compounds.

**Section 11- Toxicological Information****11.1 Information on toxicological effects****Acute Toxicity**

Oral LD50: 2330 mg/kg (rat, OECD TG 401)

Dermal LD 50: 6700 mg/kg (rat)

Inhalation LC50: >6.7 mg/l (rat – 4h)

**Skin Corrosion/Irritation**

No data

**Serious Eye Damage/Irritation**

No data

**Respiratory/Skin Sensitization**

Guinea pig – result: does not cause skin sensitization

**Germ Cell Mutagenicity**

Ames test, *S. typhimurium* – result: negative

**Carcinogenicity**

No component of these products present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by IARC, ACGIH or NTP.

**Reproductive Toxicity**

No data

**Specific Target Organ Toxicity – Single Exposure**

No data

**Specific Target Organ Toxicity – Repeated Exposure**

No data

**Aspiration Hazard**

No data

**Chronic Exposure**

No data

**Potential Health Effects – Miscellaneous**

RTECS: TH9990000; may cause endocrine disruptions.

**Section 12 - Ecological Information****12.1 Toxicity**

fish: LC50, *Lepomis macrochirus* (bluegill) – 1.7 mg/l (96 h)  
 NOEC, *Oncorhynchus mykiss* (rainbow trout) – 0.48 mg/l (96 h)  
 flow through test LC50, *Pimephales promelas* (fathead minnow) – 2.1 mg/l (96 h,  
 OECD TG 203)

daphnia static test LC50, *Daphnia magna* (water flea) – 1.8 mg/l (48 h)

algae Growth inhibition EC50, *Desmodesmus subspicatus* (green algae) – 0.31 mg/l (OECD TG 201)

**12.2 Persistence and Degradability**

aerobic – exposure time 14 d: result 81% - readily biodegradable

**12.3 Bioaccumulative Potential**

bioaccumulation *Lepomis macrochirus* (bluegill) – 21 d: 0.00973 mg/l  
 bioaccumulation factor (BCF): 663

**12.4 Mobility in Soil**

No data available

**12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

No data available

**12.6 Other Adverse Effects**

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects; avoid release to the environment.

**Section 13 - Disposal Considerations****13.1 Waste treatment methods**

Under Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) it is the responsibility of the user of the product to determine at the time of disposal whether the product meets RCRA criteria for hazardous waste as defined in 40 CFR Part 261. Waste management should be in full compliance with federal, state and local laws. Regulations may vary in various locations. Waste characterizations and compliance with applicable laws are the responsibility solely of the waste generator.

**Container disposal**

Steel drums must be emptied and can be sent to a licensed drum reconditioner for reuse, a scrap metal dealer or an approved landfill. Do not attempt to refill or clean containers since residue is difficult to remove. Under no circumstances should empty drums be burned or cut open with gas or electric torch as toxic decomposition products may be liberated. Do not reuse empty containers

**Section 14 - Transport Information**

**DOT: for packages containing less than 100 lb, this product is not regulated for transport by DOT. For IATA or IMDG Limited Quantity (LQ) is 5 L**

	<i>Land transport (DOT)</i>	<i>Sea transport (IMDG)</i>	<i>Air transport (ICAO/IATA)</i>
<i>UN number:</i>	3082	3082	3082

<b>UN proper shipping name:</b>	Environmentally hazardous substances, liquid, n.o.s	Environmentally hazardous substances, liquid, n.o.s	Environmentally hazardous substances, liquid, n.o.s
<b>Transport hazard class(s):</b>	9	9	9
<b>Packing group:</b>	III	III	III
<b>Environmental hazards:</b>	Marine Pollutant	Marine Pollutant	Marine Pollutant
<b>Special precautions for user:</b>	Reportable Quantity (RQ): 100 lb	Reportable Quantity (RQ): 5L	Reportable Quantity (RQ): 5L
<b>Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code</b>	N/A	N/A	N/A

### Section 15 - Regulatory Information

#### 15.1 Safety health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

##### **REACH: Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of The European Parliament and of The Council of December 2006 (including amendments and corrigenda as of June 2022)**

This product is subject to regulation under REACH. The product contains the following ingredient(s) listed on either the Candidate List or Authorization List for Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC):

Butyl benzyl phthalate                      85-68-7

##### **In the United States (EPA Regulations) TSCA Inventory Status (40 CFR710)**

All components of this formulation are listed in the TSCA Inventory. No component of this formulation has been determined to be subject to manufacturing or use restrictions under the Significant New Use Rules (SNURs).

##### **CERCLA Hazardous Substance List (40 CFR 302.4)**

Butyl benzyl phthalate                      85-68-7    (RQ 100 lb)

##### **SARA 302 Components**

No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

##### **Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 Title III (Emergency Planning and community Right-to-Know Act of 1986) Sections 311 and 312**

Immediate (Acute), Delayed (Chronic), Fire, None

##### **Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 Title III (Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act of 1986) Section 313**

This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

##### **State Right-to-Know**

<u>Component</u>	<u>CAS#</u>	<u>State</u>
Butyl benzyl phthalate	85-68-7	IL
		MD
		RI      AAL 24 h avg. 700 µg/m <sup>3</sup> ; AAL w/LAER 24 h avg. 700 µg/m <sup>3</sup> ; minimum quantity 2,000 lb/yr
		NJ

DE DRQ 100 lb  
 NY Air RQ 100 lb, Land/Air RQ 1 lb.  
 MA

### **KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN**



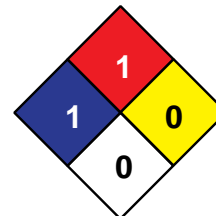
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#### **15.2 Chemical safety assessment**

No chemical safety assessment has been carried out for this substance/mixture by the supplier.

### 16 - Other Information

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#### **Abbreviations and acronyms**

ACGIH-American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists; ANSI-American National Standards Institute; Canadian TDG-Canadian Transportation of Dangerous Goods; CAS-Chemical Abstract Service; Chemtrec-Chemical Transportation Emergency Center (US); CHIP-Chemical Hazard Information and Packaging; DSL-Domestic Substances List; EC-Equivalent Concentration; EH40 (UK)-HSE Guidance Note EH40 Occupational Exposure Limits; EPCRA-Emergency Planning and Community Right-To-Know Act; ESL-Effects screening levels; GHS-Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals; HMIS-Hazardous Material Information Service; IATA-International Air Transport Association; IMDG-International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code; LC-Lethal Concentration; LD-Lethal Dose; NFPA-National Fire Protection Association; OEL-Occupational Exposure Limit; OSHA-Occupational Safety and Health Administration, US Dept. of Labor; PEL- Permissible Exposure Limit; SARA (Title III)-Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act; SARA 313-Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act, Section 313; SCBA-Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus; STEL-Short Term Exposure Limit; TCEQ-Texas Commission on Environmental Quality; TLV-Threshold Limit Value; TSCA-Toxic Substances Control Act Public Law 94-469; TWA-Time Weighted Value; US DOT-US Department of Transportation; WHMIS-Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System.

#### **Disclaimer**

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This SDS is prepared to comply with the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (GHS) as prescribed by the United States (US) Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200), the Canadian Workplace Hazardous



Materials Information System (WHMIS), and European Union Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 December 2006 (REACH).

Classifications of the chemical in accordance with 29 CFR 1910.1200, signal word, hazard and precautionary statement(s), symbol(s) and other information are based on listed concentration of each hazardous ingredient. Unlisted ingredients are not "hazardous" per the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200), WHMIS and EC No 1907/2006 and are considered trade secrets under US Federal Law (29 CFR and 40 CFR), Canadian Law (Health Canada Legislation), and European Union Directives.