

# **Safety Data Sheet**

# SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1. Product identifier: **EPSON Ink Cartridge T8508** 

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

Identified uses; Ink for Inkjet Printing

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

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1.4. Emergency telephone number: Giftnotruf Berlin +49 (0) 30-30686790

#### **SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

#### 2.1. Classification of the mixture:

Classification (1999/45/EC); Not Classified

2.2. Label elements: Label in Accordance with 1999/45/EC

Symbol(s); None Indication(s) of danger; None None Risk phrase; Safety advice; None

2.3. Other hazards:

Classification (PBT,vPvB (EC)No1907/2006); No data available

## **SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

Substance / Mixture: Mixture (Ink Composition)

Ink Composition	CAS No.	EEC No.	EU registration No.	% By Weight	EU Symbols	EU R-phrase	EU OELs	Remark
Water	7732-18-5	231-791-2	Exemption	< 80	None	None	None	None
Proprietary organic materials	Trade secret	Trade secret	Not available for the moment	10 - 15	None	None	None	None
Glycerols	Trade secret	Trade secret	Exemption	about 10	None	None	None	None
Carbon black	1333-86-4	215-609-9	Not available for the moment	5 - 10	None	None	None	None
Triisopropanolamine	122-20-3	204-528-4	Not available for the moment	1 - 5	Xi	R36, R52/53	None	None

Please refer to the section 16, where the full text of each relevant R-phrase.

#### **SECTION 4: First aid measures**

#### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

4.1.1. Eyes: Immediately flush with room temperature, low pressure and clean water for at least 15 minutes.

Seek medical attention if eye irritation continues.

4.1.2. Skin: Wash surface areas with soap and water. Wash soiled clothing before wearing again.

Consult a physician if irritation continues.



- **4.1.3.** *Inhalation*: Remove subject to ventilated fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration right away. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Seek immediate medical attention.
- 4.1.4. Ingestion: Seek medical advice; and attention if stomach continues to be upset.
- 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed:

Skin:Ink contact with skin may cause irritation, swelling or redness.

4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed: Not necessary

## **SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures**

- 5.1. Extinguishing Media
  - **5.1.1.Suitable extinguishing media:** Dry chemical, carbon dioxide or water.
  - 5.1.2.Unsuitable extinguishing media: None
- 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture: None
- **5.3.** *Advice for firefighters:* No special fire fighting procedures are required other than breathing apparatus. No special explosion hazards are known.

#### **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

- 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures
  - 6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel: Eye or Skin protection required during clean-up. Use proper ventilation.
  - 6.1.2. For emergency responders: None
- **6.2.** Environmental precautions: Do not release to sewer, surface- or ground-water.
- 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up
  - 6.3.1. Advice on how to contain a spill: Use sponges to wipe-up ink.
  - 6.3.2. Advice how to clean-up a spill: Rinse area with damp cloth. Place waste in closed container for disposal.

Wash hands with soap and water.

**6.3.3.** Any other information: Do not dispose of waste to the sewer.

**6.4. Reference to other sections:** None

#### **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

- 7.1. Precautions for safe handling
  - 7.1.1. Recommendations: Keep out of reach of children and do not drink ink. Do not dismantle cartridge.
  - 7.1.2. Advice on general occupational hygiene:

Avoid contact with eyes or clothing. In the case of skin contact, wash with soap and water.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities:

Do not store the cartridge in high or freezing temperatures. Keep the cartridge out of direct sunlight.

Do not store the cartridge with oxidizing agents or explosives.

Make sure the cartridge is dry before insertion into printer housing.

7.3. Specific end use(s): Not specified

# **SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

8.1. Control parameters:

Triisopropanolamine (2-PROPANOL, 1,1',1"-NITRILOTRIS-) (CAS No. 122-20-3)

US: Texas: Texas. Effects Screening Levels, December 2010

The Short-term ESL is 400 ug/m3 Short-term exposure time: 1 hr

Annual ESL: 40 ug/m3

- 8.2. Exposure Controls
  - **8.2.1.** Appropriate engineering controls: Proper ventilation, in prevention
  - 8.2.2. Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment
    - 8.2.2.1. Use of personal protective equipment:

Not required under suitable use as setting the cartridge on the printer.

8.2.2.2. Detailed specification on equipment to provide adequate and suitable protection

(a) eye/face protection: Not required under suitable use as setting the cartridge on the printer.



## (b) skin protection: hand protection & others:

Not required under suitable use as setting the cartridge on the printer.

- (c) respiratory protection: Not required under suitable use as setting the cartridge on the printer.
  (d) thermal hazards: Not required under suitable use as setting the cartridge on the printer.
- **8.2.3.** *Environmental exposure controls:* Not established

## **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

## 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties:

Appearance: Black Liquid Odour: Slightly

Odour threshold:No data availablepH: $9.0 \sim 10.4$  at  $20^{\circ}$ CMelting point / freezing point:No data availableInitial boiling point and boiling range:No data available

Flash point: Not detected until 100°C (Closed cup, ASTM D3278)

Evaporation rate: No data available Flammability (solid, gas): Not applicable (liquid)

Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits: None

Vapor pressure:No data availableVapor density:No data availableRelative density:about 1.07 at 20°C

Solubility: Soluble

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water:

Auto-ignition temperature:

Decomposition temperature:

Viscosity:

No data available

No data available

No data available

Explosive properties: None Oxidizing properties: None 9.2. Other information: None

# **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

10.1. Reactivity:Stable under normal temperature10.2. Chemical stability:Stable under normal temperature

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions: None

10.4. Conditions to avoid: High and freezing temperatures10.5. Incompatible materials: Oxidizers and explosives

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products: No data available

#### **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

# 11.1. Information on toxicological effects:

Acute toxicity: Not meet the criteria for classification according to EU Directive 1999/45/EC Irritation Eye: Not meet the criteria for classification according to EU Directive 1999/45/EC

Skin: Not meet the criteria for classification according to EU Directive 1999/45/EC

Corrosivity: Not meet the criteria for classification according to EU Directive 1999/45/EC

Sensitisation Skin: Not meet the criteria for classification according to EU Directive 1999/45/EC Carcinogenicity: Not meet the criteria for classification according to EU Directive 1999/45/EC

With excessive exposure, carbon black has been listed as a possible human carcinogen. However, as engineered within this ink cartridge, emissions to air of carbon black during normal printing use have not been found. IARC, the International Agency for Research on Cancer, has

found printing inks to be not classifiable as human carcinogens.



Mutagenicity: Not meet the criteria for classification according to EU Directive 1999/45/EC

Negative (Ames test)

*Toxicity for reproduction:* Not meet the criteria for classification according to EU Directive 1999/45/EC

#### **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

12.1. Toxicity: No data available 12.2. Persistence and degradability: No data available 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential: No data available 12.4. Mobility in soil: No data available

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment: Has not carried out PBT and vPvB assessment

12.6. Other adverse effects: No data available

## **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

13.1Waste treatment methods: Disposal should be in accordance with federal, state, and local requirements.

## **SECTION 14: Transport information**

14.1. UN number: Not applicable 14.2. UN proper shipping name: Not applicable 14.3. Transport hazard class(es): Not applicable 14.4. Packing group: Not applicable 14.5. Environmental hazards: Not applicable 14.6. Special precautions for user: Not applicable

14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code: Not applicable

# **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

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

EU Information:

Regulation (EC) No 2037/2000: Is not subject Regulation (EC) No 850/2004: Is not subject Is not subject Regulation (EC) No 689/2008:

US Information:

TSCA Section 4(a) Final Test Rules Regulated: Not regulated TSCA Section 5 Significant New Use Rule Regulation: Not regulated TSCA Section 8(a) Preliminary Assessment Information Rule (PAIR): Not regulated TSCA Section 12(b) One-Time Export Notification Regulated: Not regulated California Proposition 65: Not regulated

Canada Information:

WHMIS Controlled Product: Not applicable (Manufactured article)

Australia Information:

Statement of Hazardous Nature: Not classified as hazardous according to criteria of NOHSC

New Zealand Information:

Hazardous Substances and New Organisms Act 1996: Not regulated

15.2. Chemical safety assessment: This ink has not carried out any Chemical Safety Assessment yet.

#### **SECTION 16: Other information**

*List of relevant R-phrases:* 

R-36 Irritating to eyes.

R-52/53 Harmful to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the Aquatic environment.



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