



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

1.1 Product identifier

Trade name : Sika® Thinner C

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

Product use : Thinner

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company : Sika Limited
Watchmead
Welwyn Garden City
Hertfordshire AL7 1BQ
United Kingdom

Telephone : +44 (0)1707 394444

1.4 Emergency telephone number

Emergency telephone number : +44 (0)1707 363899 (available during office hours)

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Type of product : Mixture

Classification (REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008)

Flammable liquids, Category 3	H226: Flammable liquid and vapour.
Acute toxicity, Category 4	H332: Harmful if inhaled.
Acute toxicity, Category 4	H312: Harmful in contact with skin.
Skin irritation, Category 2	H315: Causes skin irritation.
Eye irritation, Category 2	H319: Causes serious eye irritation.
Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure, Category 3, Respiratory system	H335: May cause respiratory irritation.
Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure, Category 2	H373: May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.
Aspiration hazard, Category 1	H304: May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.



2.2 Label elements

Labelling (REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008)

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Signal word	:	Danger				
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Hazardous components which must be listed on the label:

- 215-535-7 xylene

2.3 Other hazards

This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.2 Mixtures

Hazardous components

Chemical name CAS-No. EC-No. Registration number	Classification (REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008)	Concentration [%]



xylene 1330-20-7 215-535-7 01-2119488216-32-XXXX Contains: ethylbenzene <= 25 %	Flam. Liq.3; H226 Acute Tox.4; H332 Acute Tox.4; H312 Skin Irrit.2; H315 Eye Irrit.2; H319 STOT SE3; H335 STOT RE2; H373 Asp. Tox.1; H304	>= 50 - <= 100
4-methylpentan-2-one 108-10-1 203-550-1 01-2119473980-30-XXXX	Flam. Liq.2; H225 Acute Tox.4; H332 Eye Irrit.2; H319 STOT SE3; H335	>= 5 - < 10

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1 Description of first aid measures

- General advice : Move out of dangerous area.
 Consult a physician.
 Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.
- If inhaled : Move to fresh air.
 Consult a physician after significant exposure.
- In case of skin contact : Take off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately.
 Wash off with soap and plenty of water.
 If symptoms persist, call a physician.
- In case of eye contact : Immediately flush eye(s) with plenty of water.
 Remove contact lenses.
 Keep eye wide open while rinsing.
 If eye irritation persists, consult a specialist.
- If swallowed : Do not induce vomiting without medical advice.
 Rinse mouth with water.
 Do not give milk or alcoholic beverages.
 Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

- Symptoms : Aspiration may cause pulmonary oedema and pneumonitis.
 Cough
 Respiratory disorder
 Excessive lachrymation
 Erythema
 Headache
 Dermatitis
 Skin disorders
 See Section 11 for more detailed information on health effects



and symptoms.

Risks : Risk of serious damage to the lungs (by aspiration).
irritant effects

May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.
Harmful in contact with skin or if inhaled
Causes skin irritation.
Causes serious eye irritation.
May cause respiratory irritation.
May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treatment : Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media : Alcohol-resistant foam, Carbon dioxide (CO₂), Dry chemical

Unsuitable extinguishing media : Water, High volume water jet

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Specific hazards during fire-fighting : Do not use a solid water stream as it may scatter and spread fire.

Hazardous combustion products : No hazardous combustion products are known

5.3 Advice for firefighters

Special protective equipment for firefighters : In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

Further information : Use water spray to cool unopened containers.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions : Use personal protective equipment.
Remove all sources of ignition.
Deny access to unprotected persons.

Beware of vapours accumulating to form explosive concentrations. Vapours can accumulate in low areas.



6.2 Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions : Prevent product from entering drains.
If the product contaminates rivers and lakes or drains inform
respective authorities.

6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up : Contain spillage, and then collect with non-combustible ab-
sorbent material, (e.g. sand, earth, diatomaceous earth, ver-
miculite) and place in container for disposal according to local
/ national regulations (see section 13).

6.4 Reference to other sections

For personal protection see section 8.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling : Avoid exceeding the given occupational exposure limits (see
section 8). Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. For
personal protection see section 8. Smoking, eating and drink-
ing should be prohibited in the application area. Take precau-
tionary measures against static discharge. Provide sufficient
air exchange and/or exhaust in work rooms. Open drum care-
fully as content may be under pressure. Take necessary ac-
tion to avoid static electricity discharge (which might cause
ignition of organic vapours). Follow standard hygiene
measures when handling chemical products

Advice on protection against : Use explosion-proof equipment. Keep away from
fire and explosion heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. No smoking. Take pre-
cautionary measures against electrostatic discharges.

Hygiene measures : Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety
practice. When using do not eat or drink. When using do not
smoke. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Requirements for storage : Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated
areas and containers place. Containers which are opened must be carefully re-
sealed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Store in accord-
ance with local regulations.

Other data : No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.

7.3 Specific end use(s)



Specific use(s) : No data available

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1 Control parameters

Components with workplace control parameters

Components	CAS-No.	Value	Control parameters *	Basis *
xylene	1330-20-7	STEL	100 ppm 441 mg/m ³	GB EH40
		TWA	50 ppm 220 mg/m ³	GB EH40
		TWA	50 ppm 221 mg/m ³	2000/39/EC
		STEL	100 ppm 442 mg/m ³	2000/39/EC
4-methylpentan-2-one	108-10-1	TWA	50 ppm 208 mg/m ³	GB EH40
		STEL	100 ppm 416 mg/m ³	GB EH40

Biological occupational exposure limits

Substance name	CAS-No.	Control parameters	Sampling time	Basis
xylene	1330-20-7	methyl hippuric acid: 650mmol/mol creatinine (Urine)	After shift	GB EH40 BAT
4-methylpentan-2-one	108-10-1	4-methylpentan-2-one: 20micromol per litre (Urine)	After shift	GB EH40 BAT

8.2 Exposure controls

Personal protective equipment

Eye protection : Safety glasses with side-shields conforming to EN166
 Eye wash bottle with pure water

Hand protection : Chemical-resistant, impervious gloves complying with an approved standard must be worn at all times when handling chemical products. Reference number EN 374. Follow manufacturer specifications.

Suitable for short time use or protection against splashes:
 Butyl rubber/nitrile rubber gloves (0,4 mm),



Contaminated gloves should be removed.
Suitable for permanent exposure:
Viton gloves (0.4 mm),
breakthrough time >30 min.

Skin and body protection : Protective clothing (e.g. Safety shoes acc. to EN ISO 20345, long-sleeved working clothing, long trousers). Rubber aprons and protective boots are additionally recommended for mixing and stirring work.

Respiratory protection : Respirator selection must be based on known or anticipated exposure levels, the hazards of the product and the safe working limits of the selected respirator.
organic vapor filter (Type A)
A1: < 1000 ppm; A2: < 5000 ppm; A3: < 10000 ppm
Ensure adequate ventilation. This can be achieved by local exhaust extraction or by general ventilation. (EN 689 - Methods for determining inhalation exposure). This applies in particular to the mixing / stirring area. In case this is not sufficient to keep the concentrations under the occupational exposure limits then respiration protection measures must be used.

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

Environmental exposure controls

General advice : Prevent product from entering drains.
If the product contaminates rivers and lakes or drains inform respective authorities.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance : liquid
Colour : colourless
Odour : hydrocarbon-like
Odour Threshold : No data available
Flash point : ca. 24 °C
Autoignition temperature : ca. 432 °C
Decomposition temperature : No data available
Lower explosion limit (Vol-%) : 1 %(V)



Upper explosion limit (Vol-%) :	7 %(V)
Flammability :	No data available
Explosive properties :	No data available
Oxidizing properties :	No data available
pH :	Not applicable
Melting point/range / Freezing point :	No data available
Boiling point/boiling range :	ca. 116 - 140 °C
Vapour pressure :	7,9993 hPa
Density :	ca.0,86 g/cm ³ at 20 °C
Water solubility :	insoluble
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water :	No data available
Viscosity, dynamic :	No data available
Viscosity, kinematic :	< 6,9 mm ² /s at 40 °C
Relative vapour density :	No data available
Evaporation rate :	No data available

9.2 Other information

No data available

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1 Reactivity

No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.

10.2 Chemical stability

The product is chemically stable.

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous reactions : Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Vapours may form explosive mixture with air.

10.4 Conditions to avoid



Conditions to avoid : Heat, flames and sparks.

10.5 Incompatible materials

Materials to avoid : No data available

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products : No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity

Harmful in contact with skin or if inhaled

Components:

xylene:

Acute oral toxicity : LD50 Oral (Rat): 3.523 mg/kg

Acute dermal toxicity : LD50 Dermal (Rabbit): 1.700 mg/kg

4-methylpentan-2-one:

Acute oral toxicity : LD50 Oral (Rat): 2.080 mg/kg

Acute dermal toxicity : LD50 Dermal (Rabbit): 16.000 mg/kg

Skin corrosion/irritation

Causes skin irritation.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Causes serious eye irritation.

Respiratory or skin sensitisation

Skin sensitisation: Not classified based on available information.

Respiratory sensitisation: Not classified based on available information.

Germ cell mutagenicity

Not classified based on available information.

Carcinogenicity

Not classified based on available information.

Reproductive toxicity

Not classified based on available information.

STOT - single exposure

May cause respiratory irritation.

STOT - repeated exposure

May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.



Aspiration toxicity

May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1 Toxicity

Components:

xylene :

Toxicity to fish : 3,3 mg/l, 96 h, *Oncorhynchus mykiss* (rainbow trout)

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

Product:

Assessment : This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

12.6 Other adverse effects

Product:

Additional ecological information : There is no data available for this product.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1 Waste treatment methods

Product : The generation of waste should be avoided or minimized wherever possible.
Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way.
Dispose of surplus and non-recyclable products via a licensed waste disposal contractor.
Disposal of this product, solutions and any by-products should at all times comply with the requirements of environmental



protection and waste disposal legislation and any regional local authority requirements.
Avoid dispersal of spilled material and runoff and contact with soil, waterways, drains and sewers.

European Waste Catalogue : 08 01 11* waste paint and varnish containing organic solvents or other dangerous substances

Contaminated packaging : 15 01 10* packaging containing residues of or contaminated by dangerous substances

SECTION 14: Transport information

ADR

14.1 UN number : 1263
14.2 Description of the goods : PAINT RELATED MATERIAL
14.3 Class : 3
14.4 Packing group : III
Classification Code : F1
Labels : 3
Tunnel restriction code : (D/E)
14.5 Environmentally hazardous : no

IATA

14.1 UN number : 1263
14.2 Description of the goods : Paint related material
14.3 Class : 3
14.4 Packing group : III
Labels : 3
14.5 Environmentally hazardous : no

IMDG

14.1 UN number : 1263
14.2 Description of the goods : PAINT RELATED MATERIAL
14.3 Class : 3
14.4 Packing group : III
Labels : 3
EmS Number 1 : F-E
EmS Number 2 : S-E
14.5 Marine pollutant : no

14.6 Special precautions for user

No data available

14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol and the IBC Code

Not applicable



SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

Prohibition/Restriction

REACH - Restrictions on the manufacture, placing on the market and use of certain dangerous substances, preparations and articles (Annex XVII) : Not applicable

REACH - Candidate List of Substances of Very High Concern for Authorisation (Article 59). : None of the components are listed (=> 0.1 %).

REACH - List of substances subject to authorisation (Annex XIV) : Not applicable

REACH Information: All substances contained in our Products are
- preregistered or registered by our upstream suppliers, and/or
- preregistered or registered by us, and/or
- excluded from the regulation, and/or
- exempted from the registration.

Seveso III: Directive 2012/18/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council on the control of major-accident hazards involving dangerous substances.

		Quantity 1	Quantity 2
P5c	FLAMMABLE LIQUIDS	5.000 t	50.000 t
VOC-CH (VOCV)	: 100 %		
VOC-EU (solvent)	: 100 %		

If other regulatory information applies that is not already provided elsewhere in the Safety Data Sheet, then it is described in this subsection.

Health, safety and environmental regulation/legislation specific for the substance or mixture: : Environmental Protection Act 1990 & Subsidiary Regulations
Health and Safety at Work Act 1974 & Subsidiary Regulations
Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations (COSHH)
May be subject to the Control of Major Accident Hazards Regulations (COMAH), and amendments.

Other regulations : Take note of Directive 92/85/EEC regarding maternity protection or stricter national regulations, where applicable.

15.2 Chemical safety assessment

This product contains substances for which Chemical Safety Assessments are still required.



SECTION 16: Other information

Full text of H-Statements

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Full text of other abbreviations

Acute Tox.	Acute toxicity
Asp. Tox.	Aspiration hazard
Eye Irrit.	Eye irritation
Flam. Liq.	Flammable liquids
Skin Irrit.	Skin irritation
STOT RE	Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure
STOT SE	Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure
ADR	Accord européen relatif au transport international des marchandises Dangereuses par Route
CAS	Chemical Abstracts Service
DNEL	Derived no-effect level
EC50	Half maximal effective concentration
GHS	Globally Harmonized System
IATA	International Air Transport Association
IMDG	International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods
LD50	Median lethal dose (the amount of a material, given all at once, which causes the death of 50% (one half) of a group of test animals)
LC50	Median lethal concentration (concentrations of the chemical in air that kills 50% of the test animals during the observation period)
MARPOL	International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships, 1973 as modified by the Protocol of 1978
OEL	Occupational Exposure Limit
PBT	Persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic
PNEC	Predicted no effect concentration
REACH	Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 December 2006 concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH), establishing a European Chemicals Agency
SVHC	Substances of Very High Concern
vPvB	Very persistent and very bioaccumulative

The information contained in this Safety Data Sheet corresponds to our level of knowledge at the time of publication. All warranties are excluded. Our most current General Sales Conditions shall apply. Please consult the product data sheet prior to any use and processing.



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