

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

The Ruscoe Company

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## 1. Identification

### Material Identity

Product Name: Ruscoe WPS-GG LV

Product Number: 56076F

Generic ID: Nitrile Rubber Sealant

### Company

The Ruscoe Company

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## 2. Hazards identification

### Classification of the substance or mixture

|                                                                                                |             |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------|
| Flammable liquids                                                                              | Category 2  |
| Serious eye damage/ eye irritation                                                             | Category 2A |
| Acute toxicity; inhalation                                                                     | Category 4  |
| Specific target organ toxicity – single exposure<br>respiratory system, central nervous system | Category 3  |
| Skin corrosion/irritation                                                                      | Category 2  |
| Carcinogenicity: inhalation                                                                    | Category 2  |
| Specific target organ toxicity- single exposure<br>respiratory tract irritation                | Category 3  |
| Specific target organ toxicity – repeated exposure<br>inhalation(ears)                         | Category 2  |
| Aspiration hazard                                                                              | Category 1  |

GHS classification scale (1=severe hazard; 4=slight hazard)

### Label elements

#### GHS label elements

The mixture is classified and labeled according to the the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).

#### Hazard pictograms



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**Signal Word:** Danger

### Hazard statements

H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapor.

H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

H332 Harmful if inhaled

H335 May cause respiratory irritation.

H336 May cause drowsiness or dizziness

### Precautionary statements

#### Prevention

P102 Keep out of reach of children.

P103 Read label before use.

P210 Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces.- No smoking

P241 Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting/equipment.

P243 Take precautionary measures against static discharge.

P261 Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.

P264 Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

P271 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area

P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

P240 Ground/bond container and receiving equipment.

P233 Keep container tightly closed.

#### Response

P370+P378 In case of fire; use water spray, carbon dioxide, dry chemical or alcohol foam for extinction.

P303+P361+P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.

P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P337+P313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical attention.

P304+P340 IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.

P312 Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

#### Storage

P405 Store locked up.

P403+P233 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

P403+P235 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.

#### Disposal

P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/International regulations.

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### 3. Composition/information on ingredients

| Ingredients                                 | CAS Number | % (by weight) |
|---------------------------------------------|------------|---------------|
| Methyl acetate                              | 79-20-9    | 30-36         |
| Synthetic rubber                            | 9003-18-3  | 12-17         |
| Acetone                                     | 67-64-1    | 11-16         |
| Hydrocarbon resin                           | 68478-07-9 | 9-11          |
| t-Butyl acetate                             | 540-88-5   | 4-7           |
| Titanium dioxide                            | 13463-67-7 | 3-5           |
| Copolymer of vinyl chloride + vinyl acetate | N/A        | 3-4           |
| Xylenes, mixed isomers                      | 1330-20-7  | 2-4           |
| Magnesium silicate                          | 14807-96-6 | 1-3           |
| Hydrated amorphous silica                   | 7631-86-9  | 1-3           |
| Ethylbenzene                                | 100-41-4   | 0.4-1.2       |
| Polymeric phenolic antioxidant              | 68610-51-5 | 0.1-0.2       |

VOC Content 90 g/l (3.9 %)

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### 4. First aid measures

#### Description of first aid measures

**Inhalation:** Remove to fresh air and keep at rest in apposition comfortable for breathing. If it is suspected that gas or vapor is still present, the rescuer should wear an appropriate mask or self-contained breathing apparatus. If not breathing, if breathing is irregular or if respiratory arrest occurs give artificial respiration or oxygen by trained personnel. It may be dangerous to the person providing aid to give mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. Get medical attention. If necessary, call a poison center or physician. If unconscious, place in recovery position. Maintain an open airway. Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie belt or waistband.

**Skin contact:** Remove contaminated clothing as needed. Wash with plenty of soap and water. Immediately flush plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse..Seek medical attention if ill effect or irritation develops.

**Eye contact:** Immediately flush with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, occasionally lifting the upper and lower eyelids. If easy to do remove contact lenses. If irritation persists seek medical attention.

**Ingestion:** Call a physician or poison control center immediately. Only induce vomiting at the instruction of medical personnel. If a person vomits when lying on his back, place him in the recovery position. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

#### Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

May irritate and cause redness and pain. Vapors have a narcotic effect and may cause headache, fatigue, dizziness and nausea.

#### Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

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Treat symptomatically. Treatment of overexposure should be directed at the control of symptoms and the clinical condition of the patient.

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### 5. Fire-fighting measures

#### Extinguishing media

**Suitable extinguishing agents:** Water spray, carbon dioxide, dry chemical, alcohol foamr.

**For safety reasons unsuitable extinguishing agents:** Solid water stream – may spread fire.

**Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture:** Vapors may cause a flash fire or ignite explosively. Vapors may travel a considerable distance to a source of ignition and flash back. Prevent buildup of vapors or gases to explosive concentrations. Runoff to sewer may create fire or explosion hazard. Water contaminated with this material be contained and prevented from being discharged to any waterway, sewer or drain.

#### Advice for firefighters

**Hazardous thermal decomposition products:** Carbon dioxide, carbon monoxide.

**Protective equipment:** Self contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.

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### 6. Accidental release measures

#### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away. Immediately evacuate personnel to safe areas. Keep people away and upwind of spill/leak. Remove all sources of ignition.

#### Environmental precautions:

Do not allow product to reach sewage system or any water course.

Inform respective authorities in case of seepage into water course or sewage system.

Do not allow to enter sewers/surface or ground water.

#### Methods and material for containment or cleaning up:

Absorb with liquid-binding material (ie. Sand, diatomite, dry earth, acid binders, or other non-combustible material).

Ensure adequate ventilation.

Do not flush with water or aqueous cleansing agents.

#### Reference to other sections

See Section 7 for information on safe handling.

See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.

See Section 13 for disposal information.

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### 7. Handling and storage

#### Precautions for safe handling

Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.

Open and handle receptacle with care.

Prevent formation of aerosols.

#### Information about protection against explosions and fire:

Keep ignition sources away – Do not smoke.

Protect from heat.

Protect against electrostatic charges.

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### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

#### Storage

**Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** Store in a cool location.

**Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.

#### Further information about storage conditions:

Keep receptacle tightly sealed.

Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed receptacles.

Protect from heat and direct sunlight.

**Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

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### 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

**Additional information about design of technical systems:** No further data; see section 7.

#### Control parameters

**Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**

##### 79-20-9 methyl acetate

TWA 200 ppm - ACGIH

STEL 250 ppm - ACGIH

PEL 200 ppm - OSHA

##### 67-64-1 acetone

TWA 500 ppm - ACGIH

STEL 750 ppm - ACGIH

REL 250 ppm - NIOSH

PEL 1000 ppm - OSHA

TWA 750 ppm - OSHA

STEL 1000 ppm - OSHA

##### 540-88-5 t-butyl acetate

TWA 200 ppm - ACGIH

IDLH 1500 ppm - NIOSH Remarks: 10% LEL

TWA 200 ppm - OSHA

STEL 1000 ppm - OSHA

##### 1330-20-7 xylenes mixed isomers

TWA 100 ppm - ACGIH

STEL 150 ppm - ACGIH 15 minute

TWA 100 ppm - OSHA

##### 100-41-4 ethylbenzene

TWA 20 ppm - ACGIH

TWA 100 ppm - OSHA

**Ingredients with biological limit values:** None known.

**Additional Information:** Not available..

#### Exposure controls

**Engineering measures:** Good general ventilation (typically 10 air changes/hour) should be used. Ventilation rates should be matched to conditions. If applicable, use process enclosures,

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local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to maintain airborne levels below recommended exposure limits.

**Personal protective equipment:**

**General protective and hygienic measures:**

Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.

Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing.

Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.

Avoid contact with the eyes.

Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

**Protection of hands:**

The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.

Due to missing tests no recommendation to the glove material can be given for the product/ the preparation/ the chemical mixture.

Select the glove material based on penetration times, rates of diffusion and degradation.

**Material of gloves**

The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer.

**Penetration time of glove material**

The exact break-through time has to be determined and observed by the manufacturer of the protective gloves.

**Eye protection:** Wear safety glasses with side shields or tightly sealed goggles. Wear a respirator if needed.

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### 9. Physical and chemical properties

**General information**

**Appearance:**

|                                       |                                |
|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| <b>Form:</b>                          | Liquid                         |
| <b>Color:</b>                         | White colored                  |
| <b>Odor:</b>                          | Pleasant to pungent ketone     |
| <b>Odor threshold:</b>                | Not Determined                 |
| <b>pH-value</b>                       | 7                              |
| <b>Change in condition</b>            |                                |
| <b>Melting point/Melting range:</b>   | -99 to -94 °C (-106 to -97 °F) |
| <b>Boiling point/Boiling range:</b>   | 55 -58°C (131 to 136°F)        |
| <b>Flash point:</b>                   | -13 to -1°C (9 - 30°F)         |
| <b>Flammability (solid, gaseous):</b> | Not applicable.                |
| <b>Ignition temperature:</b>          | 465°C (869 °F)                 |
| <b>Decomposition temperature:</b>     | Not determined                 |
| <b>Auto igniting:</b>                 | Not determined                 |
| <b>Danger of explosion:</b>           | No data available              |

**Explosion Limits:**

|               |           |
|---------------|-----------|
| <b>Lower:</b> | 1.3 Vol % |
| <b>Upper:</b> | 12 Vol %  |

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|-------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|
| <b>Vapor Pressure @ 20 °C (68 °F)</b>           | 241 hPa (181 mm Hg)                        |
| <b>Density @ 20 °C (68 °F)</b>                  | 0.97 g/cm <sup>3</sup> (8.07 lbs/gal)      |
| <b>Relative density</b>                         | Not determined                             |
| <b>Vapor density</b>                            | Not determined                             |
| <b>Evaporation rate</b>                         | Not determined                             |
| <b>Solubility in/ Miscibility with water:</b>   | Not miscible or difficult to mix           |
| <b>Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):</b> | Not determined                             |
| <b>Viscosity:</b>                               |                                            |
| <b>Dynamic:</b>                                 | Not determined                             |
| <b>Kinematic:</b>                               | Not determined                             |
| <b>Organic solvents:</b>                        | 55-60                                      |
| <b>VOC content</b>                              | 90 g/l (3.9 %)                             |
| <b>Other information</b>                        | No further relevant information available. |

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### 10. Stability and reactivity

**Reactivity** Stable under normal conditions.

**Chemical stability**

**Thermal decomposition/conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition under normal use conditions.

**Possibility of hazardous reactions** No dangerous reactions known expected.

**Conditions to avoid** Heat, sparks and flames. .

**Incompatible materials:** Acids, alkalies, nitrates, amines, ammonia, reducing agents and strong oxidizing agents.

**Hazardous decomposition products:** Carbon dioxide, carbon monoxide.

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### 11. Toxicological information

**Information on toxicological effects**

**Acute toxicity:**

**LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification:**

**79-20-9 methyl acetate**

Oral LD50 6482 mg/kg (rat) (highest dose tested)

**67-64-1 acetone**

Oral LD50 5800 mg/kg (rat)

**540-88-5 t-butyl acetate**

Oral LD50 4500 mg/kg

**1330-20-7 xylenes, mixed isomers**

Oral LD50 4300 mg/kg

**Primary irritant effect:**

**On the skin:** Mild irritant effect.

**On the eye:** May cause moderate eye irritation.

**Sensitization:** No sensitizing effects known.

**Additional toxicological information:**

**Carcinogenic categories**

**ACGIH Carcinogens**

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100-41-4 Ethylbenzene A3 Confirmed animal carcinogen with unknown relevance to humans.  
1330-20-7 Xylene A4 Not classifiable as a human carcinogen.  
**IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)**  
100-41-4 Ethylbenzene 2B Possibly carcinogenic to humans.  
1330-20-7 Xylene 3 Not classifiable as to carcinogenicity to humans.  
**NTP (National Toxicology Program)**  
None known.  
**US OSHA Specificall Regulated Substances: Potential cancer hazard**  
None known.

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### 12. Ecological information

#### Toxicity

##### 79-20-9 methyl acetate

LC50 (fathead minnow) 320-399 mg/l 96h

EC50 (daphnid) 1027 mg/l 48h

EC50 (Selenastrum capricornutum) >120 mg/l 72h

##### 67-64-1 acetone

LC50 (Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout)) 5540 mg/l 96h static test

LC50 (Lepomis macrochirus (bluegill sunfish)) 8300 mg/l 96h static test

LC50 (Daphnia magna (water flea)) 12600-12700 mg/l 48h

EC50 (Chlorella pyrenoidosa) 3020 mg/l 14d

EC50 (Photobacterium phosphoreum) 14500 mg/l 15min

##### 540-88-5 t-butyl acetate

EC50 (Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae)) 16 mg/l 72h growth inhibition

EC50 (Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae)) 64 mg/l 96h

NOEC: 2.3mg/l

Activated sludge 1.5 mg/l respiration inhibition

##### 1330-20-7 xylenes, mixed isomers

EC50 (Cypris subglobosa) fresh water 90 mg/l 48h acute

LC50 (Palaemonetes pugio - adult):marine water 8.5 ppm 48h acute

LC50 (Lepomis macrochirus – juvenile(fledging, hatchling, weanling) fresh water 15700ug/l 96h acute

LC50 (Lepomis macrochirus) fresh water 19000ug/l 96h acute

LC50 (Pimephales promelas) fresh water 13400 ug/l 96 h acute

LC50 (Carassis auratus) fresh water 16940 ug/l 96 h acute

##### 100-41-4 ethylbenzene

EC50 (Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata) fresh water 4600ug/l 72 h acute

EC50 (Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata) fresh water 3600ug/l 96 h acute

EC50 (Daphnia magna - neonate) fresh water 2930 ug/l 48 h acute

LC50 (Americamysis bahia) marine water 5200 ug/l 48 h acute

LC50 (Oncorhynchus mykiss) fresh water 4200ug/l 96 h acute

NOEC (Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata) fresh water 1000 ug/l 96 h chronic

#### Persistence and degradability



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**79-20-9 methyl acetate:** 70% (28d)

**67-64-1 acetone:** Readily biodegradable. Biodegradation 78% OECD 301 D

### Bioaccumulative potential

1330-20-7 xylenes, mixed isomers: Log Pow 3.12, BCF 8.1 – 25.9, Potential low.

100-41-4 ethylbenzene: log Pow 3.6, Potential low

**Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.

### Additional ecological information:

#### General notes:

#### Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

**PBT:** No data available.

**vPvB:** No data available.

**Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.

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## 13. Disposal considerations

### Waste treatment methods

#### Recommendation:

Contaminated product, soil, water, container residues and spill cleanup materials may be hazardous wastes. Comply with applicable federal, state, and local regulations. Since emptied containers retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is emptied. Residual vapors may explode on ignition; do not cut, drill, grind, or weld on or near this container.

#### Uncleaned packagings:

**Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

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## 14. Transport information

### UN-Number

**DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA**

UN1133

### UN proper shipping name

**DOT**

Adhesives, containing a flammable liquid.

**ADR**

Not determined

**IMDG, IATA**

Not determined

### Transport hazard class(es)

**DOT**



**Class**

3 Flammable liquids.

**Label**

3

**ADR**

Not determined

**Class**

Not determined

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|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|
| <b>IMDG&lt; IATA</b>                                                            | Not determined             |
| <b>Class</b>                                                                    | Not determined             |
| <b>Label</b>                                                                    | Not determined             |
| <b>Packing group</b>                                                            |                            |
| <b>DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA</b>                                                     | II                         |
| <b>Environmental hazards:</b>                                                   |                            |
| <b>Marine pollutant:</b>                                                        | No                         |
| <b>Special precautions for user</b>                                             | Warning: Flammable liquids |
| <b>Danger code (Kemler)</b>                                                     | 33                         |
| <b>EMS Number:</b>                                                              | Not applicable.            |
| <b>Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code</b> | Not applicable.            |
| <b>Transport/Additional information:</b>                                        |                            |
| <b>DOT</b>                                                                      |                            |
| <b>Remarks:</b>                                                                 | ERG Guide Number: 128      |
| <b>UN "Model Regulation":</b>                                                   | UN1133, Adhesives, 3, II   |

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**15. Regulatory information**

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

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**Section 355 (extremely hazardous substances):**

Mixture substances are not listed.

**Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings):**

Mixture substances are not listed.

**TSCA (Toxic Substance Control Act):**

1330-20-7 xylenes, mixed isomers is listed.

**Proposition 65**

**Chemicals known to cause cancer:**

75-07-0 acetaldehyde

75-01-4 vinyl chloride.

**Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for females:**

Mixture substances are not listed or below amounts requiring listing.

**Chemicals known to cause reproductive harm to males:**

Mixture substances are not listed.

**Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity:**

Mixture substances are not listed or below amounts requiring listing..

**TLV (Theshold Limit Value established by ACGIH)**

Not determined.

**NIOSH-Ca (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)**

Mixture substances are not listed.

**OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety & Health Administration)**

Mixture substances are not listed.

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### GHS label elements

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**Chemical safety assesment:** A chemical Safety Assesment has not been carried out.

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### 16. Other Information

The information accumulated herein is believed to be accurate but is not warranted to be whether originating with the company or not. Recipients are advised to confirm in advance of the need that the information is current, applicable, and suitable to their circumstances.

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#### Abbreviations and acronyms:

ADR: Accord European sur le transport des marchandises par Route (European Agreement concerning the international Carriage of Dangerous Goods)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

DOT: US Department of Transportation

IATA: International Air Transport Association

ACGIH: American Conference of Government Industrial Hygienists

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

NFPA: National Fire Protection Association (USA)

HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)

VOC: Volatile Organic Compounds (USA, EU)

LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent

LD50: Lethal Dose, 50 percent

End of SDS