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Product Name : **MASTERSHIELD M50 HARDENER**

1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE MATERIAL AND SUPPLIER

Product Name MASTERSHIELD M50 HARDENER
Company Name Parchem Construction Supplies Pty Ltd (ABN 80 069 961 968)
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Recommended Use Hardener component of epoxy floor coating system.
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This MSDS summarises at the date of issue our best knowledge of the health and safety hazard information of the product, and in particular how to safely handle and use the product in the workplace. Since Parchem Construction Supplies Pty Ltd cannot anticipate or control the conditions under which the product may be used, each user must, prior to usage, review this MSDS in the context of how the user intends to handle and use the product in the workplace.

If clarification or further information is needed to ensure that an appropriate assessment can be made, the user should contact this company. Our responsibility for product as sold is subject to our standard terms and conditions, a copy of which is sent to our customers and is also available upon request.

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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Hazard Classification New Zealand:
Classified as Hazardous according to the Hazardous Substances (Minimum Degrees of Hazard) Regulations 2001, New Zealand.
Not classified as Dangerous Goods for transport according to the New Zealand Standard NZS 5433:2007 Transport of Dangerous Goods on Land.

HSNO Classification:
6.3A - Substance that is irritating to the skin.
6.4A - Substance that is irritating to the eye.
6.5B - Substance that is a contact sensitiser.

Hazard Statement Codes:
H315 Causes skin irritation.
H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.
H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

Precautionary Statement Codes - Prevention:
P103 Read label before use. - This statement applies only where the substance is available to the general public.
P104 Read Safety Data Sheet before use.
P261 Avoid breathing mist, vapours or spray.
P264 Wash skin thoroughly after handling.
P272 Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.
P280 Wear protective gloves, protective clothing and eye protection.

Precautionary Statement Codes - Response:
P302+P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.
P333+P313 If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.



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P362 Take off contaminated clothing and wash before re-use.
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 advice/attention.

Precautionary Statement Codes - Storage:
No storage statements.

Precautionary Statement Codes - Disposal:
P501 In the case of a substance that is in compliance with a HSNO approval other than a Part 6A (Group Standards) approval, a label must provide a description of one or more appropriate and achievable methods for the disposal of a substance in accordance with the Hazardous Substances (Disposal) Regulations 2001. This may also include any method of disposal that must be avoided.

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

<u>Ingredients</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>CAS</u>	<u>Proportion</u>
	Polyamide resin	Proprietary	10-30 %
	5-chloro-2-methyl-2H-isothiazol-3-one and 2-methyl-2H-isothiazol-3-one (3:1)	55965-84-9	0-0.01 %
	Ingredients determined not to be hazardous, including water		To 100%

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Inhalation	If inhaled, remove from contaminated area. Keep warm and at rest. If symptoms persist seek medical attention.
Ingestion	Do NOT induce vomiting. Wash out mouth with water. Seek medical attention.
Skin	Wash affected area thoroughly with soap and water. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse or discard. Seek medical attention.
Eye	If in eyes, hold eyelids apart and flush the eye continuously with running water. Continue flushing until advised to stop by the Poisons Information Centre or a doctor, or for at least 15 minutes. Take care not to rinse contaminated water into the non-affected eye. Seek medical attention.
First Aid Facilities	Eye wash and normal washroom facilities.
Advice to Doctor	Treat symptomatically.
Other Information	For advice in an emergency, contact a Poisons Information Centre (Phone New Zealand 0800 764 766) or a doctor at once.

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable Extinguishing Media	Foam, water spray, water fog, carbon dioxide or dry chemical powder.
Hazards from Combustion Products	Under fire conditions this product may emit toxic and/or irritating fumes and gases including carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide.
Specific Hazards	Non-combustible due to water content, however upon evaporation of water the organic component will burn under fire conditions.
Precautions in connection with Fire	Fire-fighters should wear full protective clothing and self contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) operated in positive pressure mode. Use water spray to cool storage containers and fire-exposed surfaces.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Emergency Procedures	Wear appropriate personal protective equipment and clothing to prevent exposure. Extinguish or remove all sources of ignition and stop leak if safe to do so. Increase ventilation. Evacuate all unprotected personnel. If possible contain the spill. Place inert absorbent, non-combustible material onto spillage. Use clean non-sparking tools to collect the material and place
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into suitable labelled containers for subsequent recycling or disposal. Dispose of waste according to the applicable local and national regulations. If contamination of sewers or waterways occurs inform the local water authorities and EPA in accordance with local regulations.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for Safe Handling	Use in a well ventilated area. DO NOT store or use in confined spaces. Build up of mists or vapours in the atmosphere must be prevented. Avoid breathing in spray or mists or vapours. Wear appropriate protection. It is essential that all who come into contact with this material maintain high standards of personal hygiene ie. Washing hands prior to eating, drinking, smoking or using toilet facilities.
Conditions for Safe Storage	Store in a cool, dry well-ventilated area. Keep containers closed when not in use and securely sealed and protected against physical damage. Inspect regularly for deficiencies such as damage or leaks.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

National Exposure Standards	No exposure standards have been established for the mixture by the Occupational Safety and Health Service (OSH) of the New Zealand Department of Labour. However, over-exposure to some industrial chemicals may result in enhancement of pre-existing adverse medical conditions and/or allergic reactions and should be kept to the least possible levels.
Biological Limit Values	No biological limit allocated.
Engineering Controls	Provide sufficient ventilation to keep airborne levels as low as possible. Where natural ventilation is inadequate, a local exhaust ventilation system, drawing vapours/mists away from workers' breathing zone, is required.
Respiratory Protection	If engineering controls are not effective in controlling airborne exposure then an approved respirator with a replaceable vapour/mist filter should be used. Reference should be made to Australian Standards AS/NZS 1715, Selection, Use and maintenance of Respiratory Protective Devices; and AS/NZS 1716, Respiratory Protective Devices, in order to make any necessary changes for individual circumstances.
Eye Protection	Safety glasses with side shields or goggles should be worn. Final choice of appropriate eye/face protection will vary according to individual circumstances. This can include methods of handling, and engineering controls as determined by appropriate risk assessments. Eye protection should conform with Australian/New Zealand Standard AS/NZS 1337 - Eye Protectors for Industrial Applications.
Hand Protection	Wear laminated film, nitrile or other suitable gloves conforming to AS/NZS 2161: Occupational protective gloves. Final choice of appropriate glove type will vary according to individual circumstances. This can include methods of handling, and engineering controls as determined by appropriate risk assessments.
Body Protection	Suitable protective workwear, e.g. cotton overalls buttoned at neck and wrist. Industrial clothing should conform to the specifications detailed in AS/NZS 2919: Industrial clothing.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance	Opaque liquid with a slight odour.
Melting Point	Not available
Boiling Point	Not available
Solubility in Water	Miscible
Specific Gravity	1.0 at 23°C
pH Value	Not available
Vapour Pressure	Not available
Vapour Density (Air=1)	Not available
Flash Point	Not applicable

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Flammability Non-combustible, water based product.

Auto-Ignition Not applicable

Temperature

Flammable Limits - Not applicable

Lower

Flammable Limits - Not applicable

Upper

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Chemical Stability Stable under normal conditions of handling and storage.

Incompatible Strong oxidising agents.

Materials

Hazardous Thermal decomposition and combustion produce noxious fumes containing oxides of carbon.

Decomposition

Products

Hazardous Will not occur.

Polymerization

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Toxicology Not available

Information

Inhalation Inhalation of product vapours may cause irritation of the nose, throat and respiratory system.

Ingestion Ingestion of this product may irritate the gastric tract causing nausea and vomiting.

Skin Irritating to skin resulting in redness and itching. This product may cause sensitisation by skin contact in some individuals.

Eye Irritating to eyes. On eye contact this product will cause tearing, stinging, blurred vision, and redness.

Chronic Effects Prolonged or repeated skin contact may lead to allergic contact dermatitis and sensitisation in some individuals.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity Not available

Persistence / Not available

Degradability

Mobility Not available

Bioaccumulative Not available

Potential

Environ. Protection Do not discharge the product into drains, waterways or sewers.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal The disposal of the spilled or waste material must be done in accordance with applicable local and national regulations.

Considerations

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Transport New Zealand:

Information Not classified as Dangerous Goods for transport according to the NZS 5433:2007 Transport of Dangerous Goods on Land.

Marine Transport:

Not classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code (IMDG Code) for transport by sea.

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Regulatory New Zealand:

Information Classified as Hazardous according to the Hazardous Substances (Minimum degrees of hazard) Regulations 2001.

Group Standard:

Surface Coatings and Colourants (Subsidiary Hazard) Group Standard 2006



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16. OTHER INFORMATION

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