



# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## 1. CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

**Product Name:** ChemTools 8454 Cyanoacrylate Adhesive Gel  
**Product Type:** Cyanoacrylate Adhesive  
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## 2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Hazardous components	CAS #	%	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL
ethyl cyanoacrylate ester	Proprietary	90-95	0.2 ppm TWA	None
hydroquinone	123-31-9	0.1-1	2mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA	2mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA 4mg/m <sup>3</sup> STEL

## 3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

**Hazard Classification:** Hazardous according to the classification of NOHSC. This material is classified as Irritant (Xi)  
**Risk Phrase(s)** R36/37/38 Irritating to eyes respiratory system and skin.  
**Safety Phrase(s)** S2 Keep out of reach of children.  
S23 Do not breathe vapour.  
S24/25 - Avoid contact with skin and eyes.  
S26 - In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice  
S28 - After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of soap suds.  
S37/39 - Wear suitable gloves and eye/face protection.  
S46 - If swallowed, seek medical advice immediately and show this container or label.

**Relevant routes of exposure:** Skin, Inhalation, Eyes

**Potential Health Effects**

**Inhalation:** May cause respiratory tract irritation.

**Skin contact:** May cause allergic skin reaction. May cause skin irritation or burns. Bonds skin rapidly and strongly.

**Eye contact:** Contact with eyes will cause irritation. Vapour irritating to eyes and mucous membranes above TLV

**Ingestion:** Not expected to be harmful by ingestion.

## 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

**Inhalation:** Remove to fresh air. If symptoms develop and persist, get medical attention.

**Skin contact:** Soak and wash with soap and water. Do not pull bonded skin apart. It may be peeled apart using a blunt object (eg a spoon).  
Acetone may be used to dissolve the cured adhesive. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes.  
Wash clothing before reuse.  
Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

**Eye contact:** Flush with copious amounts of water, preferably lukewarm, for at least 15 minutes, holding eyelids open all the time. Get medical attention.

**Ingestion:** Do not induce vomiting. Keep individual calm. Obtain medical attention.

## 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

**Flash point:** Greater than 70°C (160°F) Tag closed cup

**Auto ignition temperature:** Not available

**Flammable/Explosive limits-lower %:** Not determined

**Flammable/Explosive limits-upper %:** Not determined

**Extinguishing media:** Foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

**Special fire fighting procedures:** None

**Unusual fire or explosion hazards:** None

**Hazardous combustion products:** Oxides of carbon. Oxides of nitrogen. Irritating organic vapours.

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

- Environmental precautions:** Polymerise with water and scrape up. Use PPE if spill is large. Prevent product from entering drains or open waters.
- Clean-up methods:** Soak up with inert absorbent material (eg sand, earth, vermiculite). Store in a partly filled, closed container until disposal. Dispose of solid residues in accordance with relevant State and Federal requirements.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

- Handling:** Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Avoid breathing vapour and mist. Wash thoroughly after handling.
- Storage:** For safe storage, store at or below 24°C (75°F). Keep in a cool, well ventilated area away from heat, Sparks and open flame. Keep container tightly closed until ready for use.
- Incompatible products:** Refer to Section 10.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

- Engineering controls:** No specific ventilation requirements noted, but forced ventilation may still be required if concentrations exceed occupational exposure limits.
- Respiratory protection:** Use NIOSH approved respirator if there is potential to exceed exposure limit(s).
- Skin protection:** Use impermeable gloves and protective clothing as necessary to prevent skin contact. Neoprene gloves. Butyl rubber gloves. Natural rubber gloves.
- Eye/face protection:** Safety goggles or safety glasses with side shields.
- See Section 2 for exposure limits.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

- Physical state:** Liquid Gel
- Colour:** Clear
- Odour:** Mild
- Vapour pressure:** Less than 5 mm Hg at 27°C (80°F)
- pH:** Not applicable
- Boiling point/range:** Greater than 149°C (300°F)
- Melting point/range:** Not available
- Specific gravity:** 1.1 at 23.9°C (75°F)
- Vapour density:** Not available
- Evaporation rate:** Not available
- Solubility in water:** Slight. Polymerises in the presence of water.

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

- Stability:** Stable.
- Hazardous polymerization:** Will not occur.
- Hazardous decomposition products:** Oxides of carbon. Oxides of nitrogen. Irritating organic vapours.
- Incompatibility:** Strong oxidizers. Free radical initiators. Strong reducing agents. Alkalies. Oxygen scavengers. Other polymerisation initiators. Copper. Iron. Zinc. Aluminium. Rust.
- Conditions to avoid:** See "Handling and Storage" (Section 7) and "Incompatibility" (Section 10).

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

- Acute:**
- Ingestion:** Cyanoacrylates are considered to have relatively low toxicity. This material will rapidly polymerise in the mouth.
- Skin:** Irritating to the skin. Bonds skin rapidly.
- Eyes:** Contact with the eyes will cause irritation. The material will bond eyelids. In a dry atmosphere, vapours may irritate the eyes.
- Inhalation:** Inhalation of vapours can cause respiratory irritation.
- Chronic:** Prolonged exposure to high concentrations of vapours may lead to chronic effects in sensitive individuals.
- Product toxicity data:** Acute oral LD50 greater than 5,000 mg/kg (rat). Acute dermal LD50 greater than 2,000 mg/kg (rabbit).

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

- Ecological information:** Do not allow material to contaminate the soil or waterways.



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## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

**Recommended method of disposal:** Dispose of according to Federal, State and local governmental regulations.  
**EPA hazardous waste number:** Not a RCRA hazardous waste.

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Not classified as Dangerous Goods according to the criteria of the Australian Code for the transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail (ADG Code)

Not classified as Dangerous Goods for air transport.

**UN Number:** None  
**Proper Shipping Name:** Unrestricted  
**Class:** Unrestricted  
**Packing Group:** -  
**Hazchem Code:** -

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

**SUSDP Poison Schedule:** 5

## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

### Abbreviations/Acronyms:

NOHSC – National Occupational Health and Safety Commission.  
NIOSH – National Institute of Occupational Health and Safety.  
ACGIH – American Conference of Government Industrial Hygienists.  
SUSDP – Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Drugs and Poisons.  
TWA – Time Weighted Average  
TLV – Threshold Limit Value.  
STEL – Short Term Exposure Limit  
PEL – Permissible Exposure Limit

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