SAFETY DATA SHEET

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**BEVA® GESSO**  
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**1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION**

Product Name Beva® Gesso

**Supplier's details**

Company Conservator's Products Company

Address 5 Corey Road  
Flanders, New Jersey 07836 –USA

Telephone 1-973-927-4855

Emergency telephone number 1-973-652-9110

**Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use**

Recommended use Artist putty

Restrictions on use For industrial use only

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**2. HAZARDOUS IDENTIFICATION****Emergency Overview**

Appearance solid at room temperature

Color gray

Odor hydrocarbon

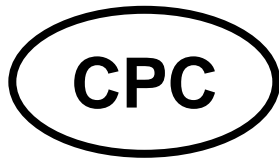
**GHS Classification**

Combustible Solid

**Label element**

None

**Potential Health Effects**



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**Overview:**

Vapor may be harmful. Harmful if swallowed. Can cause eye, skin or respiratory tract irritation.

**Signs and Symptoms of Acute Exposure:**

Inhalation of vapor	Breathing high concentrations of vapor may be harmful and cause symptoms including nausea, headache, dizziness, fatigue, or drowsiness.
Eye contact	This product can cause transient mild eye irritation with short-term contact with liquid sprays or mists. Symptoms include stinging, watering, redness, and swelling.
Skin contact	This material can cause skin irritation. Symptoms include redness, itching, and burning of the skin.
Ingestion	If swallowed, this material may irritate the mucous membranes of the mouth, throat, and esophagus.

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**3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Substance/Mixture	Mixture
<b>Hazardous ingredients</b>	
<u>Chemical Name</u>	<u>Concentration [%]</u>
Petroleum distillate	48

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**4. FIRST AID MEASURES**

General advice	Show this material safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.
Inhalation of vapor	Immediately move to fresh air. If symptoms persist, call a physician.



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Skin contact	Remove contaminated shoes and clothing. Flush affected with water. Clean affected area thoroughly with soap and water. Seek medical attention if pain or irritation persists.
Eye contact	Flush eyes with cool, clean, low-pressure water at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention if eye irritation develops or persists.
Ingestion	Do not induce vomiting. Seek medical attention if symptoms develop. Provide medical care provider with this MSDS.

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**5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

Special properties	Combustible solid. This material releases vapors. When mixed with air in certain proportions and exposed to an ignition source, its vapor can cause a flash fire. Use only with adequate ventilation.
Suitable extinguishing media	Use dry chemicals, carbon dioxide, foam, inert gas (nitrogen), or water spray. Use caution when applying carbon dioxide or inert gas in confined spaces.
Specific hazards	Hazardous combustion resulting in carbon dioxide, carbon monoxide, smoke, fumes, and/or unburned hydrocarbons.
Special extinguishing methods	Cool closed containers exposed to fire with water spray.
Further information	Firefighters must use full bunker gear including NIOSH-approved positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus to protect against potential hazardous combustion or decomposition products and oxygen deficiencies.

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**6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

Personal precautions	Take proper precautions to ensure your own health and safety before attempting spill control or clean-up. For more specific information, refer to Exposure Controls and Personal Protection in Section 8 and Disposal Considerations in Section 13 of this MSDS.
Environmental precautions	Prevent products from entering drains. Do Not allow material from to contaminate ground water.
Methods for cleaning	Sweep up and place in containers for approved disposal.

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**7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

Handling	When using the product, keep away from ignition sources.
Conditions for safe storage	Keep container closed when not in use. Keep in a dry, cool place.
Materials to avoid	Do not store with oxidizing agents.
Storage temperature	Less than 40° C.

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**8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

Engineering measures to reduce exposure	Avoid contact with, eyes. Handle in accordance with good hygiene and safety practice. Work in a well ventilated area.
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Respiratory protection	When working in a closed area with poor ventilation, use respirator mask for absorbing organic vapors.
Hand protection	Use nitrile rubber gloves.
Eye protection	Goggles or glasses with side shields.

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**9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

Form	solid at less than 65°C. Liquid above 65°C
Color	light yellow
Odor	hydrocarbon

Physical and chemical properties.

Boiling point	100° C
Melting point	65°C
Water solubility	Low
Vapor pressure	0.5 kPa@20°C
Density	0.90 g/ml

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**10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Chemical Stability	Stable under normal conditions
Conditions to avoid	Do not store with oxidizing agents
Possibility of hazardous reactions	Hazardous polymerization does not occur
Hazardous decomposition products	Stable under normal conditions

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**11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

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**Petroleum hydrocarbon solvent**

Studies on laboratory animals have associated similar materials with eye and respiratory tract irritation. Studies on laboratory animals have shown similar materials to cause skin irritation after repeated or prolonged contact.

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**12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Ecotoxicity	This mixture contains components that are potentially toxic to freshwater and saltwater ecosystems.
Environmental fate	This material may be harmful to aquatic organisms and may cause long term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

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**13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

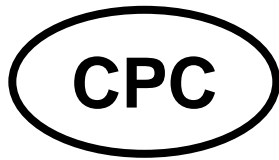
Hazard characteristic and regulatory waste stream classification can change with product use. Accordingly, it is the responsibility of the user to determine the proper storage, transportation, treatment and/or disposal methodologies for spent materials and residues at the time of disposition.

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**14. TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION**

Proper shipping name	Combustible solid
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Transport Regulation:

Not Regulated

**15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

This product contains "Petroleum Distillates" which may require special labeling if distributed in a manner intended or packaged in a form suitable for use in the household or by children. Precautionary label dialogue should display the following: DANGER: Contains Petroleum Distillates! Harmful or fatal if swallowed! Call Physician Immediately. KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN!

**16. OTHER INFORMATION**

Recommended uses	For industrial application only.
Disclaimer	The information given is designed only as a guidance for safe handling, use, processing, storage, transportation, disposal, and release. And is not to be considered a warranty or quality specification.
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