



# Safety Data Sheet

## SECTION 1 - PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

### 1.1 Product Identifier

Product Name: FLEXIBILIZING AGENT Product Code: FLX-076

### 1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture

Trade Name: UV FLEXIBILIZING AGENT

### 1.3 Details of the Supplier of the safety data sheet

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## SECTION 2 - HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).

#### GHS Ratings:

Eye Corrosive	2A	Eye irritant: Subcategory 2A, Reversible in 21 days
Skin sensitizer	1	Skin sensitizer
Carcinogen	2	Limited evidence of human or animal carcinogenicity
Reproductive Toxin	1B	Presumed, Based on experimental animals
Organ Toxin Single Exposure	2	Presumed to be harmful to human health- Animal studies with significant toxic effects relevant to humans at generally moderate exposure (guidance) - Human evidence in exceptional cases
Organ Toxin Repeated Exposure	1	Significant toxicity in humans- Reliable, good quality human case studies or epidemiological studies Presumed significant toxicity in humans- Animal studies with significant and/or severe toxic effects relevant to humans at generally low exposure (guidanc
Aquatic Toxicity	A1	Acute toxicity <= 1.00 mg/l

### 2.2 Label Elements

## GHS Hazards

H317	May cause an allergic skin reaction
H319	Causes serious eye irritation
H351	Suspected of causing cancer
H360	May damage fertility or the unborn child
H371	May cause damage to organs
H372	Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure
H400	Very toxic to aquatic life

## GHS Precautions

P201	Obtain special instructions before use
P202	Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood
P260	Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray
P261	Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray
P264	Wash ... thoroughly after handling
P270	Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product
P272	Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace
P273	Avoid release to the environment
P280	Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection
P281	Use personal protective equipment as required
P314	Get Medical advice/attention if you feel unwell
P321	Specific treatment (see ... on this label)
P363	Wash contaminated clothing before reuse
P391	Collect spillage
P302+P352	IF ON SKIN: Wash with soap and water
P305+P351+P338	IF IN EYES: Rinse continuously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do - continue rinsing
P308+P313	IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention
P309+P311	IF exposed or you feel unwell: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician
P333+P313	If skin irritation or a rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention
P337+P313	If eye irritation persists, get medical advice/attention
P405	Store locked up
P501	Dispose of contents/container to an approved landfill

## Danger



**EMERGENCY OVERVIEW:** Product is a liquid with mild acrylic odor that may be harmful if inhaled or swallowed. Product may cause serious damage to eyes, allergic skin reactions and irritation to respiratory system. Avoid breathing vapors. Avoid spillage to sewers or waterways.

**ROUTES OF ENTRY:** Dermal, Inhalation, Ingestion

**ACUTE HEALTH EFFECTS:** Irritant to skin, eyes and respiratory tract. Effects may be delayed for several hours.  
None Known

**Skin Contact:** Potential irritant and can cause allergic skin reaction. Repeated or prolonged contact may cause sensitization.

**Eye Contact:** Liquid, vapors, or mists may cause eye irritation. Protect eyes from repeated or prolonged contact.

**Ingestion:** May be harmful if swallowed. Gastrointestinal tract irritation may result.

**Inhalation:** May be harmful if inhaled. May cause irritation to upper respiratory tract upon prolonged or repeated inhalation.

#### Effects of Overexposure

**MEDICAL CONDITIONS AGGRAVATED BY EXPOSURE:** Repeated and prolonged overexposure may increase the potential for adverse health effects.

**CHRONIC HEALTH EFFECTS:** No data available for mixture. Animal studies for N-Vinyl Pyrrolidone indicate that inhalation can cause liver and nasal damage. Possible cancer hazard associated with NVP, based on animal studies.

### SECTION 3 - COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

#### 3.2 Mixtures

\*Note: The exact concentrations of the below listed chemicals are being withheld as a trade secret

Chemical Name	Percent Weight	CAS #	EC No.	Classification (GHS)
2-Propenoic acid, 1,7,7-trimethylbicyclo [2.2.1]hept-2-yl ester, exo-	40.00 - 50.00 %	5888-33-5	227-561-6	H319, H317, H335, H400, H410
N-Vinyl-2-pyrrolidone	1.00 - 5.00 %	88-12-0	201-800-4	H331, H311, H318, H372

### SECTION 4 - FIRST AID MEASURES

#### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

**INHALATION:** Move subject to fresh air and keep warm. If subject is not breathing, administer artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, have qualified personnel administer oxygen and get medical attention .

**EYE CONTACT:** Flush the eye and under lids with warm water for 15 minutes. Remove any contact lenses during the flushing. Get immediate medical attention if symptoms persist.

**SKIN CONTACT:** Remove and isolate contaminated clothing and shoes. Remove excess material from skin with clean cloth. Flush skin with running lukewarm water. Wash affected areas using mild soap.

**INGESTION:** If appreciable quantities are swallowed, seek immediate medical attention. Do NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

### SECTION 5 - FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

#### 5.1 Extinguishing Media

Evacuate area of all non-emergency personell. Firefighters must wear full emergency equipment with self contained breathing apparatus. At elevated temperatures hazardous polymerization may occur causing container rupture and in extreme cases, explosion. Fight fires from upwind and cool intact containers with water spray or stream at maximum range.

Flash Point: 100 C (212 F)

**FLAMMABLE/EXPLOSIVE LIMITS (Volume % in air):** Not established

**EXTINGUISHING METHOD:** Water fog, carbon dioxide (CO2) or dry chemical

#### 5.2 Special Hazards arising from the substance or mixture:

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors

### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

#### Protective Equipment:

Wear full emergency equipment with self-contained breathing apparatus.  
Refer to Section 8

### 5.4 Additional Information

Heating causes a rise in pressure, risk of bursting and combustion  
Shut off sources of ignition  
Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide may form upon combustion

**OSHA CLASSIFICATION:** Class III B Combustible

## SECTION 6 - ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

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

Remove all sources of ignition and ventilate area. Avoid skin and eye contact. Use respiratory protection.

### 6.2 Environmental precautions

Avoid release to the environment. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained

### 6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Absorb with inert materials such as dry clay or sand and place in closed container for disposal as solid waste in accordance with all applicable regulations.

### 6.4 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

## SECTION 7 - HANDLING AND STORAGE

### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid any unnecessary contact. Use protective clothing specified in Section 8.

### 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including and incompatibilities

Store away from heat and sunlight to prevent spontaneous polymerization. Store below 90° F (32° C). Protect containers from physical damage. Storage of containers should conform to flammable and combustible liquid regulations.

### 7.3 Specific End Use(s):

No further relevant information available

## SECTION 8 - EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

### 8.1 Control parameters

**Exposure Limits:** Not established for mixture

Chemical Name / CAS No.	OSHA Exposure Limits	ACGIH Exposure Limits	Other Exposure Limits
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2-Propenoic acid, 1,7,7-trimethylbicyclo[2.2.1]hept-2-yl ester, exo-5888-33-5	Not Established	Not Established	Not Established
N-Vinyl-2-pyrrolidone 88-12-0	Not Established	0.05 ppm TWA	Not Established

## 8.2 Exposure Controls

**VENTILATION:** Provide natural or mechanical ventilation to minimize exposure. If practical, use local mechanical exhaust ventilation at sources of air contamination.

**EYE PROTECTION:** Use splash-proof safety goggles or safety glasses that are ANSI approved to prevent eye contact. Eyewash availability is also recommended.

**HAND PROTECTION:** Use nitrile, butyl or other gloves that are resistant to chemicals in Section 2. Replace immediately if punctured or torn or when a change of appearance (color, elasticity, shape) occurs. A minimum of 0.45mm thick gloves for long duration exposure (up to 4 hours) or mechanical handling activities; single use, disposable gloves for short duration exposures not exceeding 30 minutes or where splashes are likely, are recommended.

**RESPIRATORY PROTECTION:** Use of NIOSH/MSHA approved respirators is recommended where exposure limits may be exceeded. Consult the respirator manufacturer for appropriate type and application.

**SKIN PROTECTION:** Protective or disposable outer clothing is recommended.

**Environmental Exposure Controls:** Avoid release to the environment. The product should not be allowed to enter drains, water courses or the soil.

## SECTION 9 - PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

<b>Appearance:</b>	Liquid with moderate viscosity	<b>Odor:</b>	Mild Acrylic odor
<b>Vapor Pressure:</b>	Not Established	<b>Vapor Density:</b>	Heavier than Air
<b>pH:</b>	Not Established	<b>Formula KG / Gal</b>	4.00
<b>Melting Point:</b>	Not Available	<b>Freezing Point:</b>	Not Available
<b>Solubility:</b>	Not Soluble in Water	<b>Boiling range:</b>	Not Available
<b>Flash Point:</b>	See Section 5.1	<b>Evaporation Rate:</b>	<1
<b>Flammability:</b>	See Section 5.4	<b>Explosive Limits:</b>	See Section 5.4
<b>Viscosity:</b>	See Certificate of Analysis	<b>Specific Gravity (SG)</b>	1.057
<b>Grams VOC less water:</b>	<1%	<b>Partition Coefficient</b>	Not Available
<b>Auto-Ignition Temperature</b>	Not Available	<b>Decomposition Temperature</b>	Not Available

## SECTION 10 - REACTIVITY / STABILITY HAZARD DATA

### 10.1 Reactivity

None known

### 10.2 Chemical Stability

This material is stable under recommended storage and handling conditions.

### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reaction

Under certain conditions (excess temperatures and contamination) hazardous polymerization may occur. Avoid high temperature and contamination with foreign materials.

**10.4 CONDITIONS TO AVOID:**

Excessive heat, ignition sources and contamination with dirt and other foreign materials.

**10.5 Incompatible Materials:**

Avoid contamination or inappropriate mixing with strong oxidizing agents, peroxides, strongly caustic materials and metal corrosion products including rust. Do not expose to UV light during storage.

**10.6 Hazardous decomposition products**

Thermal oxidation or pyrolysis (as in fire) may yield carbon dioxide, carbon monoxide and volatile organic fragments which are flammable, irritating or toxic.

Hazardous polymerization will not occur.

**SECTION 11 - TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**Component Toxicity:**

Component Description Oral, Dermal, Inhalation Toxicity	Ecotoxicity:
2-Propenoic acid, 1,7,7-trimethylbicyclo[2.2.1]hept-2-yl ester, exo- Oral:4,890.00 mg/kg (Rat) Dermal: 5.00 g/kg (Rabbit)	N/A
N-Vinyl-2-pyrrolidone Oral:830.00 mg/kg (Rat) Dermal: 560.00 mg/kg (Rabbit) Inhalation: Rat mg/m3 (Rat)	EC50 48 h Daphnia species 45 mg/L (IUCLID) EC50 72 h Desmodesmus subspicatus 780 mg/L (IUCLID)

**TOXICOLOGICAL DATA:** Slightly Toxic by injection. Prolonged or repeated exposure may result in sensitization.

**LC50** - No additional information

**LD50** - No additional information

**MUTAGENICITY:** No additional information

**REPRODUCTIVE EFFECTS:**

No additional information

**CARCINOGENICITY:**

NVP, cas # 88-12-0, one component of this product is a possible cancer hazard based upon animal studies. Acute Oral LD50 is 1470 mg/kg (rat). Acute Dermal LD50 is 560 mg/kg (rabbit). Acute Inhalation LC50 is 3.2 mg/l (rat). Negative results and no chromosome-damaging effects were found with mutagenicity studies. Carcinogenicity studies (Rat, 2-year inhalation) showed tumors observed in nasal mucosa of both sexes at 20 ppm and in males at 10ppm. Liver and laryngeal tumors at 20ppm and liver damage at 5ppm in both sexes.

None Known

Carcinogenicity:

**SECTION 12 - ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**12.1 Toxicity**

No determination has been made on ecological impact. However, it is recommended to prevent contamination of the

environment with this product, i.e. soil, landfills, drains, sewers, surface waters, etc.

### **12.2 Persistence and degradability**

No determination has been made on ecological impact. however, it is highly recommended to prevent contamination of the environment with this product, i.e. soil, landfills, drains, sewers, surface waters, etc

### **12.3 Bioaccumulative potential**

No determination has been made on ecological impact. However, it is highly recommended to prevent contamination of the environment with this product, i.e. soil, landfills, drains, sewers, surface waters, etc.

### **12.4 mobility in soil**

No determination has been made on ecological impact. However, it is highly recommended to prevent contamination of the environment with this product, e.i. soil, landfills, drains, sewers, surface waters, etc.

## **SECTION 13 - DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

### **13.1 Waste Water methods**

If material becomes a waste, it does not meet the criteria of a hazardous waste as defined under the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) 40 CFR 261 as supplied. Dispose of this material in accordance with all applicable federal, state, provincial, and local laws and regulations.

## **SECTION 14 - TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION**

Transport this product in accordance with all applicable laws and regulations. This product, as supplied, is not regulated nor classified as a hazardous material/dangerous good by United States Department of Transportation (DOT), the International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO), the International Maritime Organization (IMO), the Canadian Transportation of Dangerous Goods Act (TDG), or the International Air Transport Association (IATA).

**14.1 UN Number:** Not Applicable

**14.2 UN Proper Shipping Name:** Not Applicable

**14.3 Transport Hazard Class:** Not Applicable      **DOT (49 CFR)/IATA/IMDG Hazard Class:** Not Applicable

**14.4 Packing Group:** Not Applicable

## **SECTION 15 - REGULATORY INFORMATION**

### **15.1 Safety, Health and Environmental regulations / legislation specific for the substance or mixture**

This safety data sheet has been formatted to the best of our ability in accordance to Directive 67/548/EEC or Directive 1999/45EC, American National Standards Institute (ANSI) and contains hazard criteria and all information required by the Canadian Controlled Products Regulation (CPR) in regard to this product.

**Clean Air Act - Ozone Depleting Substances (ODS):** This product and its components do not contain Ozone Depleting Substances.

**Canadian Inventory Status:** Components of this product are currently listed on the Canadian Domestic Substance List (DSL) or the Canadian Non-Domestic Substance List (NDSL).

**Coalition of Northeastern Governors (CONEG):** This product meets the requirements of CONEG pertaining to heavy metals total content of no more than 100 PPM. No heavy metals are added as a part of the formulation, but raw materials may contain residual parts per million as naturally occurring elements.

**European Inventory Status:** Components of this product are listed on the European Inventory of Existing Commercial Substances (EINECS), the European List of Notified Chemical Substances (ELINCS), or are exempt from being listed.

**Food and Drug Administration (FDA) Food Packaging Status:** Components of this product have not been cleared by FDA for use in food packaging and/or other applications as an indirect food additive .

**European Union Directive 2011/65/EC Restriction of Hazardous Substances (RoHS):** This product is in compliance with the requirements of the RoHS2 Directive.

**California Proposition 65 RTK:**

The following components of this mixture are listed under California Proposition 65:

- None

If CAS numbers 13463-67-7 and/or 1333-86-4 are listed they are not supplied in respirable form.

**The following substances from Section 3.2 are considered to be PBT, or vPvB**

- None

**REACH :** This product is compliant with the registration of the REACH Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 as all its components are either excluded, exempt and/or preregistered.

The following Substances of Very High Concern are present (updated January 15, 2018 to review for the 181 SVHC)

- None

The following RoHS2 2011/65/EU components are present

- None

**Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA) Title III: Section 302:**

- None

**Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA) Title III: SARA 313:**

This product contains the following components that are regulated under the Toxic Chemical Release Reporting requirements 40 CFR 372:

- None

**Global Inventories:** The components of these products are listed in the following or exempt from listing:

Europe (EINECS): Yes



USA (TSCA): Yes  
 Canada (DSL): Yes  
 Japan (ENCS): Yes  
 Philippines (PICCS): Yes  
 China (IECSC): Yes  
 Australia (AICS): Yes  
 Korea (KECI): Yes  
 New Zealand (NZIoC): Yes  
 Taiwan (ECSI): Yes

**SECTION 16 - OTHER INFORMATION**

**Hazardous Material Information System (HMIS)**

HEALTH	2
FLAMMABILITY	1
PHYSICAL HAZARD	1
PERSONAL PROTECTION	C

**HMIS & NFPA Hazard Rating**

**Legend**

\* = Chronic Health Hazard

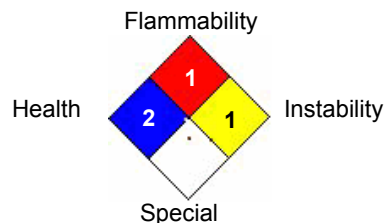
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1 = SLIGHT

2 = MODERATE

3 = HIGH

**National Fire Protection Association (NFPA)**



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- \* = Chronic health effect    PPE Index
- 4 = Severe Hazard    A = Safety Glasses
- 3 = Serious Hazard    B = Safety Glasses and Gloves
- 2 = Moderate Hazard    C = Safety Glasses, Gloves and Protective Apron
- 1 = Slight Hazard    D = Face Shield, Gloves and Protective Apron
- 0 = Minimal Hazard    E = Safety Glasses, Gloves and Respirator

**Definitions**

- TWA - Time Weighted Average
- TLV - Threshold Limit Value
- STEL - Short Term Exposure Limit
- CAS# - Chemical Abstract Service Number
- NTP - National Toxicology Program
- PEL - Permissible Exposure Limit
- IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer
- ANSI - American National Standards Institute

- SKIN CORR.    Skin corrosive
- EYE    Eye corrosive
- RESP. SENS.    Respiratory sensitizer
- SKIN SENS.    Skin sensitizer
- MUTA.    Mutagen
- CARC.    Carcinogen
- REPR.    Reproductive toxin
- STOT SE    Organ toxin single exposure
- STOT RE    Organ toxin repeated exposure
- AH    Aspiration hazard
- HHNOC    Health hazard not otherwise classified

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