

## Safety Data Sheet Joncryl® HPD 671

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#### **1. Product and Company Identification**

Use: polymers for inks, varnishes or coatings

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#### 2. Hazards Identification

#### Emergency overview

CAUTION: AVOID CREATING DUST. CAN FORM EXPLOSIVE DUST-AIR MIXTURES. Avoid inhalation of dusts. Keep the formation and deposition of dust to a minimum. Avoid contact with the skin, eyes and clothing. Take precautionary measures against static discharges. Proper precautions should be taken to eliminate fire and explosion hazards. Ensure adequate ventilation.

State of matter: solid Colour: white Odour: acrylic-like

#### Potential health effects

#### Primary routes of exposure:

Routes of entry for solids and liquids include eye and skin contact, ingestion and inhalation. Routes of entry for gases include inhalation and eye contact. Skin contact may be a route of entry for liquified gases.

#### Potential environmental effects

#### Aquatic toxicity:

At the present state of knowledge, no negative ecological effects are expected.

#### 3. Composition / Information on Ingredients

CAS Number

<u>Content (W/W)</u> >= 95.0 % <u>Chemical name</u> Modified acrylic copolymer

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#### 4. First-Aid Measures

#### General advice:

Remove contaminated clothing.

#### If inhaled:

If difficulties occur after dust has been inhaled, remove to fresh air and seek medical attention.

#### If on skin:

Wash thoroughly with soap and water.

If irritation develops, seek medical attention.

#### If in eyes:

Wash affected eyes for at least 15 minutes under running water with eyelids held open.

Seek medical attention.

#### If swallowed:

Rinse mouth and then drink plenty of water. Do not induce vomiting. Immediate medical attention required.

#### Note to physician

Treatment:

Treat according to symptoms (decontamination, vital functions), no known specific antidote.

#### 5. Fire-Fighting Measures

Flash point:		not applicable
Autoignition:		not applicable
Flammability:	does not ignite	

Suitable extinguishing media: dry powder, foam

Unsuitable extinguishing media for safety reasons: carbon dioxide

#### Additional information:

Avoid whirling up the material/product because of the danger of dust explosion.

#### Hazards during fire-fighting:

Evolution of fumes/fog. The substances/groups of substances mentioned can be released in case of fire.

#### Protective equipment for fire-fighting:

Firefighters should be equipped with self-contained breathing apparatus and turn-out gear.

#### Further information:

Dusty conditions may ignite explosively in the presence of an ignition source causing flash fire.

#### 6. Accidental release measures

#### **Personal precautions:**

Avoid dust formation. Use personal protective clothing. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

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#### **Environmental precautions:**

Contain contaminated water/firefighting water. Do not discharge into drains/surface waters/groundwater.

#### Cleanup:

Avoid raising dust. For small amounts: Pick up with suitable appliance and dispose of. For large amounts: Contain with dust binding material and dispose of.

#### 7. Handling and Storage

#### Handling

#### General advice:

Closed containers should only be opened in well-ventilated areas.

#### Protection against fire and explosion:

Electrostatic charge is possible when unpacking the product. Prevent electrostatic charge - sources of ignition should be kept well clear - fire extinguishers should be kept handy. Dust can form an explosive mixture with air.

#### **Storage**

#### General advice:

Keep container tightly closed and dry; store in a cool place. Protect from the effects of light. Keep container in a well-ventilated place.

#### 8. Exposure Controls and Personal Protection

#### Personal protective equipment

#### **Respiratory protection:**

Wear a NIOSH-certified (or equivalent) organic vapour/particulate respirator.

#### Hand protection: Chemical resistant protective gloves

#### Eye protection:

Safety glasses with side-shields.

#### General safety and hygiene measures:

Wear protective clothing as necessary to minimize contact. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

#### 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Form: Odour: Colour:	solid acrylic-like white	
pH value:	Winto	of low solubility
Boiling point:		not applicable
Vapour pressure:		not applicable
Density:	1.14 g/cm3	( 20 °C)
Bulk density:	approx. 400 - 700 kg/m3	
% volatiles:	0.34 - 0.39 %	
Solubility in water:		slightly soluble
Other Information:	No data available.	

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#### 10. Stability and Reactivity

#### Conditions to avoid:

No conditions known that should be avoided.

#### Substances to avoid:

No substances known that should be avoided.

#### Hazardous reactions:

No hazardous reactions when stored and handled according to instructions. The product is chemically stable.

#### **Decomposition products:**

Hazardous decomposition products: No hazardous decomposition products if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

#### 11. Toxicological information

#### Acute toxicity

**Oral:** Type of value: LD50 Species: rat Value: > 5,000 mg/kg

#### Irritation / corrosion

Skin: Species: rabbit Result: non-irritant Method: BASF-Test

Eye:

Species: rabbit Result: non-irritant Method: BASF-Test

#### **Other Information:**

The product has not been tested. The statements on toxicology have been derived from products of a similar structure and composition.

#### 12. Ecological Information

#### Degradability / Persistence Biological / Abiological Degradation

Evaluation:

The polymer component of the product is poorly biodegradable.

#### Other adverse effects:

The product has not been tested. The statements on ecotoxicology have been derived from products of a similar structure and composition.

#### 13. Disposal considerations

Waste disposal of substance:

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Do not discharge into drains/surface waters/groundwater. Dispose of in accordance with national, state and local regulations.

Container disposal:

Dispose of in accordance with national, state and local regulations. Recommend crushing, puncturing or other means to prevent unauthorized use of used containers.

#### 14. Transport Information

Land transport USDOT Not classified as a dangerous good under transport regulations Sea transport IMDG Not classified as a dangerous good under transport regulations

Air transport IATA/ICAO

Not classified as a dangerous good under transport regulations

#### 15. Regulatory Information

**Federal Regulations** 

**Registration status:** TSCA, US released / listed Chemical

**OSHA** hazard category: No data available .:

EPCRA 311/312 (Hazard categories):

**CERCLA RQ** CAS Number 5000 LBS

79-10-7

**Chemical name** acrylic acid

State regulations

State RTK MA, NJ, PA CAS Number

Chemical name Modified acrylic copolymer

Not hazardous:

16. Other Information

HMIS III rating Flammability: 1 Physical hazard: 0 Health: 1

NFPA and HMIS use a numbering scale ranging from 0 to 4 to indicate the degree of hazard. A value of zero means that the substance possesses essentially no hazard; a rating of four indicates extreme danger. Although similar, the two rating systems are intended for different purposes, and use different criteria. The NFPA system was developed to provide an on-

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the-spot alert to the hazards of a material, and their severity, to emergency responders. The HMIS system was designed to communicate workplace hazard information to employees who handle hazardous chemicals.

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