# Safety Data Sheet

# Section 1 - Identification

Product Name: K-Chem CARC Paint Stripper III

(ST37)

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**Emergency Phone: 800-255-3924** 

Product Use: Highly effective paint remover ideal for removing oil and latex-based paints, shellacs, laquest and polyurethanes from a variety of surfaces

# Section 2 - Hazards Identification

#### **OSHA Hazards**

Combustible Liquid, Target Organ Effect, Harmful by ingestion., Corrosive

#### **GHS Ratings:**

Oral Toxicity	Acute Tox. 4	Oral>300+<=2000mg/kg
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Inhalation Toxicity Acute Tox. 3 Gases>500+<=2500ppm, Vapors>2+<=10mg/l,

Dusts&mists>0.5+<=1mg/l

Skin corrosive 1A Destruction of dermal tissue: Exposure < 3 min.

> Observation < 1 hour, visible necrosis in at least one animal Serious eye damage: Irreversible damage 21 days after

exposure, Draize score: Corneal opacity >= 3, Iritis > 1.5

#### **GHS Hazards**

Eye corrosive

H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

H318 Causes serious eye damage

H331 Toxic if inhaled

#### **GHS Precautions**

P260	Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray
P261	Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray

P264 Wash hands thoroughly after handling

P270 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product P271 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area

P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection P310

Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell after

exposure of this product.

P311 Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician P321 Specific treatment (see First Aid below or label)

P330 Rinse mouth

P363 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse

P301+P312 IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell P301+P330+P331 IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician. Rinse mouth. Do

NOT induce vomiting

P303+P361+P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing .

Rinse skin with water/shower

P304+P340 IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable

for breathing

P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse continuously with water for several minutes. Remove contact

lenses if present and easy to do - continue rinsing

P405 Store locked up

P403+P233 Store in a well ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed

P501 Dispose of contents/container in conformance with State, Local, and Federal

regulations.

# Signal Word: Danger



Chemical Name	CAS number	Weight Concentration %
Hydrogen carboxylic acid	64-18-6	50.00% - 60.00%
Phenylcarbinol	100-51-6	30.00% - 40.00%

(1) A respiratory protection program that meets OSHA's 29 CFR 1910.134 or ANSI Z88.2 requirements must be followed whenever workplace conditions warrant respirator use.

# Section 4 - First Aid Measures

# If inhaled

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.

## In case of eye contact

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician. Continue rinsing eyes during transport to hospital.

# In case of skin contact

Take off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately. Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Take victim immediately to hospital. Consult a physician.

# If swallowed

Do NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

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# Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures

Flash Point: N/A

LEL: 15.00 UEL: 43.00

## Conditions of flammability

Flammable in the presence of a source of ignition when the temperature is above the flash point. Keep away from heat/sparks/open flame/hot surface. No smoking.

## Suitable extinguishing media

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

May burn but do not ignite readily. Containers may explode when heated. Runoff may pollute waterways. Fire will produce irritating, poisonous and/or corrosive gases.

## **Hazardous combustion products**

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides

#### Special protective equipment for firefighters

Wear SCBA and chemical splash suit. Fully encapsulating, gas-tight suits should be worn for maximum protection. Structural firefighters uniform is NOT effective for these materials.

# Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

# Personal precautions

Wear respiratory protection. Avoid breathing vapors, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Remove all sources of ignition. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Beware of vapours accumulating to form explosive concentrations. Vapours can accumulate in low areas.

# **Environmental precautions**

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

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

Contain spillage, and then collect with an electrically protected vacuum cleaner or by wet-brushing and place in container for disposal according to local regulations

# Section 7 - Handling & Storage

Precautions for safe handling

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Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid inhalation of vapour or mist.

Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking. Take measures to prevent the build up of electrostatic charge.

#### Conditions for safe storage

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Containers which are opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Vent periodically. Handle and open container with care. Hygroscopic.

Chemical Name / CAS No.	OSHA Exposure Limits	ACGIH Exposure Limits	Other Exposure Limits
Hydrogen carboxylic acid 64-18-6	TWA: 5 ppm 9 mg/m3 Eye, skin, & Upper Respiratory Tract irritation	STEL: 10 ppm Eye, skin, & Upper Respiratory Tract irritation	Not Established
Phenylcarbinol 100-51-6	Not Established	Not Established	Not Established

In industrial siturations maintain the concentration values below the

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entilation is not adequate, respiratory protection may be required. Avoid breathing dust, vapors or

mists. Filter capacity and respiratory type depends of exposure levels. In evennt of emergency or planned entry into undknow concentrations a positive pressure, f used. If

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ory protection is required, institute a complete respiratory protection program including selection, fit testing and training, maintenance and inspection.

## Respiratory protection

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face respirator with multi-purpose combination (US) or type ABEK (EN 14387) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. If the respirator is the sole means of protection, use a full-face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

# **Hand protection**

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good manufacturing practices. Wash and dry hands.

#### Immersion protection

Material: butyl-rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.3 mm Break through time: > 480 min

Material tested:Butoject® (Aldrich Z677647, Size M)

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TWA. This may be achieved by process modification, use of local exhaust ventilation, capturing substances at the source or other methods .

#### Splash protection

Material: Nature latex/chloroprene Minimum layer thickness: 0.6 mm Break through time: > 30 min

Material tested:Lapren® (Aldrich Z677558, Size M)

data source: KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, phone +49 (0)6659 873000, e-mail sales@kcl.de, test method:EN374 If used in solution, or mixed with other substances, and under conditions which differ from EN 374, contact the supplier of the CE approved gloves. This recommendation is advisory only and must be evaluated by an Industrial Hygienist familiar with the specific situation of anticipated use by our customers. It should not be construed as offering an approval for any specific use scenario.

#### Eye protection

Tightly fitting safety goggles. Faceshield (8-inch minimum). Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU)

## Skin and body protection

Complete suit protecting against chemicals, Flame retardant antistatic protective clothing, The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

#### Hygiene measures

Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

# Section 9 - Physical & Chemical Properties

Boiling Range 100 to 205 °C

Color Straw

Specific Gravity 1.128

Odor Threshold N/A

Boiling Range N/A

**Evaporation Rate N/A** 

Solubility in Water Partial

Flammability N/A

Partition coefficient: n- N/A octanol/water

Decomposition temperature N/A

**Appearance** Clear Liquid

**pH** <=1

**Odor** Characteristic

Freezing Point N/A

Flash Point N/A

Vapor Pressure N/A

Viscosity <=10

Upper/lower flammability N/A

Auto-ignition temperature N/A

Section 10 - Stability & Reactivity

Oxidizers, alkaline materials

Strong oxidizing agents, acids, acid halides, and iron

Carbon Monoxide, Carbon dioxide

Carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, acrid smoke and Fumes

Hazardous polymerization will not occur.

# Section 11 - Toxicological Information

#### **Mixture Toxicity**

Oral Toxicity LD50: 1,066mg/kg Inhalation Toxicity LC50: 7mg/L

**Component Toxicity** 

100-51-6 Phenylcarbinol

Oral LD50: 1,620 mg/kg (Rat) Dermal LD50: 2,000 mg/kg (Rabbit)

#### **TargetOrgans**

Blood, Central nervous system, Liver, KidneyKidney, Liver, Central nervous system, Blood

## Carcinogenicity

IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

ACGIH: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH.

NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

CAS NumberDescription% WeightCarcinogen RatingNoneNo data found

Section 12 - Ecological Information

#### **Component Ecotoxicity**

Hydrogen carboxylic acid Harmful to aquatic life.

# Section 13 - Disposal Considerations

# Section 14 - Transportation Information

AgencyProper Shipping NameUN NumberPacking GroupHazard ClassDOT(Formic Acid)3412II8

Section 15 - Regulatory Information

Country Regulation All Components Listed

**EU Risk Phrases** 

**Safety Phrase** 

- None

# Section 16 - Other Information

## **Hazardous Material Information System (HMIS)**



National Fire Protection Association (NFPA)



HMIS & NFPA Hazard Rating Legend

\* = Chronic Health Hazard

0 = INSIGNIFICANT

1 = SLIGHT

2 = MODERATE

3 = HIGH

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