

Safety data sheet

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SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

- **1.1 Product identifier**
- **Trade name: Histomount**
- **Article number:** AGR1351, AGR1352
- **1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**
No further relevant information available.
- **Application of the substance / the preparation:** Mountant
- **1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- **Supplier.**
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Tel: +44 (0) 1279 813 519
- **Further information obtainable from:** Technical Support
- **1.4 Emergency telephone number:** 24 hours: +44 (0)1856 407333

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

- **2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture**
- **Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**



GHS02 flame

Flam. Liq. 3 H226 Flammable liquid and vapour.



GHS07

Skin Irrit. 2 H315 Causes skin irritation.

- **2.2 Label elements**
- **Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**
The product is classified and labelled according to the CLP regulation.
- **Hazard pictograms**



GHS02 GHS07

- **Signal word** Warning
- **Hazard statements**
H226 Flammable liquid and vapour.
H315 Causes skin irritation.
- **Precautionary statements**

P101	If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.
P102	Keep out of reach of children.
P103	Read label before use.
P210	Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.
P240	Ground and bond container and receiving equipment.
P241	Use explosion-proof [electrical/ventilating/lighting] equipment.
P280	Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

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P303+P361+P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water [or shower].

P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

- **2.3 Other hazards**
- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.2 Chemical characterisation: Mixtures

· **Description:** Mixture of substances listed below with nonhazardous additions.

· **Dangerous components:**

CAS: 1330-20-7	xylene	30-50%
EINECS: 215-535-7	⚠ Flam. Liq. 3, H226; ⚠ Acute Tox. 4, H312; Acute Tox. 4, H332; Skin Irrit. 2, H315	

· **Additional information:** For the wording of the listed hazard phrases refer to section 16.

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1 Description of first aid measures

- **General information:** Immediately remove any clothing soiled by the product.
- **After inhalation:** No adverse effects are anticipated from inhalation.
- **After skin contact:** Wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.
- **After eye contact:** Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water.
- **After swallowing:** If symptoms persist consult doctor.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

No further relevant information available.

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No further relevant information available.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1 Extinguishing media

- **Suitable extinguishing agents:** Water fog - dried resin only.
- **For safety reasons unsuitable extinguishing agents:** Water with full jet

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

No further relevant information available.

5.3 Advice for firefighters

- **Protective equipment:** No special measures required.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Wear protective gloves and glasses.

6.2 Environmental precautions: Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.

6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:

Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).

Dispose contaminated material as waste according to item 13.

Ensure adequate ventilation.

6.4 Reference to other sections

See Section 7 for information on safe handling.

See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.

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See Section 13 for disposal information.

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SECTION 7: Handling and storage

- **7.1 Precautions for safe handling** No special precautions are necessary if used correctly.
- **Information about fire - and explosion protection:**
The dried resin is combustible, similar to wood. Burning dry resin emits dense, black smoke. As latex, material is not combustible.
Protect against electrostatic charges.
- **7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **Storage:**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** No special requirements.
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.
- **Further information about storage conditions:** Keep container tightly sealed.
- **7.3 Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

- **Additional information about design of technical facilities:** No further data; see item 7.
- **8.1 Control parameters**

· **Ingredients with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**

1330-20-7 xylene

WEL	Short-term value: 441 mg/m ³ , 100 ppm Long-term value: 220 mg/m ³ , 50 ppm Sk; BMGV
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· **Ingredients with biological limit values:**

1330-20-7 xylene

BMGV	650 mmol/mol creatinine Medium: urine Sampling time: post shift Parameter: methyl hippuric acid
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- **Additional information:** The lists valid during the making were used as basis.
- **8.2 Exposure controls**
- **Personal protective equipment:**
- **General protective and hygienic measures:**
Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.
Remove all soiled and contaminated clothing
Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.
Avoid contact with the skin.
Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.
- **Respiratory protection:** Not required.
- **Protection of hands:**



Protective gloves

The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.
Due to missing tests no recommendation to the glove material can be given for the product/ the preparation/ the chemical mixture.
Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation

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Material of gloves

The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer. As the product is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material can not be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application.

Penetration time of glove material

The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.

Eye protection:



Tightly sealed goggles

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

General Information

Appearance:

Form:	Liquid
Colour:	Colourless
Odour:	Sweetish
Odour threshold:	Not determined.

pH-value: Not determined.

Change in condition

Melting point/freezing point:	-25 °C
Initial boiling point and boiling range:	137-143 °C

Flash point: 30 °C

Flammability (solid, gas): Not applicable.

Ignition temperature: 500 °C

Decomposition temperature: Not determined.

Auto-ignition temperature: Product is not selfigniting.

Explosive properties: Product is not explosive. However, formation of explosive air/vapour mixtures are possible.

Explosion limits:

Lower:	1.1 Vol %
Upper:	7 Vol %

Vapour pressure at 20 °C: 6.7-8.2 hPa

Density at 20 °C: 0.522-1.45 g/cm³

Relative density: Not determined.

Vapour density: Not determined.

Evaporation rate: Not determined.

Solubility in / Miscibility with

water: Not miscible or difficult to mix.

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water: Not determined.

Viscosity:

Dynamic:	Not determined.
Kinematic:	Not determined.

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- **Solvent content:**
 - Organic solvents:** 30-50 %
 - VOC (EC)** 30-50 %
- **Solids content:** 50-70 %
- **9.2 Other information** No further relevant information available.

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

- **10.1 Reactivity** No further relevant information available.
- **10.2 Chemical stability**
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:**
No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions** No dangerous reactions known.
- **10.4 Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.
- **10.5 Incompatible materials:** No further relevant information available.
- **10.6 Hazardous decomposition products:** No dangerous decomposition products known.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

- **11.1 Information on toxicological effects**
- **Acute toxicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **LD/LC50 values relevant for classification:**
- 1330-20-7 xylene**

Oral	LD50	4,300 mg/kg (rat)
Dermal	LD50	2,000 mg/kg (rabbit)
- **Skin corrosion/irritation**
Causes skin irritation.
- **Serious eye damage/irritation** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Respiratory or skin sensitisation** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **CMR effects (carcinogenity, mutagenicity and toxicity for reproduction)**
- **Germ cell mutagenicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Carcinogenicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Reproductive toxicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **STOT-single exposure** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **STOT-repeated exposure** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Aspiration hazard** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

- **12.1 Toxicity**
- **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.
- **12.2 Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.
- **12.3 Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.
- **12.4 Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.
- **Additional ecological information:**
- **General notes:**
Water hazard class 2 (German Regulation) (Self-assessment): hazardous for water
Do not allow product to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.
Danger to drinking water if even small quantities leak into the ground.
- **12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.

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· **12.6 Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.

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SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

- **13.1 Waste treatment methods**
- **Recommendation**
Must not be disposed together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.
- **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

SECTION 14: Transport information

· 14.1 UN-Number	UN1307
· ADR, IMDG, IATA	
· 14.2 UN proper shipping name	1307 XYLENES solution
· ADR	XYLENES solution
· IMDG, IATA	
· 14.3 Transport hazard class(es)	
· ADR, IMDG, IATA	
	
· Class	3 Flammable liquids.
· Label	3
· 14.4 Packing group	III
· ADR, IMDG, IATA	
· 14.5 Environmental hazards:	Not applicable.
· 14.6 Special precautions for user	Warning: Flammable liquids.
· Danger code (Kemler):	30
· EMS Number:	F-E,S-D
· Stowage Category	A
· 14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol and the IBC Code	Not applicable.
· Transport/Additional information:	
· ADR	
· Limited quantities (LQ)	5L
· Excepted quantities (EQ)	Code: E1 Maximum net quantity per inner packaging: 30 ml Maximum net quantity per outer packaging: 1000 ml
· Transport category	3
· Tunnel restriction code	D/E
· IMDG	
· Limited quantities (LQ)	5L
· Excepted quantities (EQ)	Code: E1 Maximum net quantity per inner packaging: 30 ml Maximum net quantity per outer packaging: 1000 ml

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· **UN "Model Regulation":**

UN 1307 XYLENES SOLUTION, 3, III

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

- **15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**
- **Directive 2012/18/EU**
- **Named dangerous substances - ANNEX I** None of the ingredients is listed.
- **Seveso category** P5c FLAMMABLE LIQUIDS
- **Qualifying quantity (tonnes) for the application of lower-tier requirements** 5,000 t
- **Qualifying quantity (tonnes) for the application of upper-tier requirements** 50,000 t
- **REGULATION (EC) No 1907/2006 ANNEX XVII** Conditions of restriction: 3
- **15.2 Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

SECTION 16: Other information

This information is based on our present knowledge and should assist the user with the safe handling of this material when properly applied. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

- **Relevant phrases**
H226 Flammable liquid and vapour.
H312 Harmful in contact with skin.
H315 Causes skin irritation.
H332 Harmful if inhaled.
- **Department issuing SDS:** Sales department
- **Contact:**
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Tel: +44 (0) 1279 813 519
- **Abbreviations and acronyms:**
ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)
IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods
IATA: International Air Transport Association
GHS: Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals
EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances
ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances
CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)
VOC: Volatile Organic Compounds (USA, EU)
LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent
LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent
PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic
vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative
Flam. Liq. 3: Flammable liquids – Category 3
Acute Tox. 4: Acute toxicity – Category 4
Skin Irrit. 2: Skin corrosion/irritation – Category 2