

## SAFETY DATA SHEET – CRACK FLUSHING AGENT

### SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION

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<b>Product Identifier</b>	Crack Flushing Agent
<b>Other Means of Identification</b>	Inorganic acid
<b>Recommended Use</b>	Professional use only
<b>Restrictions on Use</b>	None known
<b>Supplier Identifier</b>	Multiurethanes Ltd. 5245 Creekbank Rd Mississauga, ON L4W 1N3 Canada
<b>Emergency Telephone Number</b>	1-800-663-6633 1-613-996-6666 CANUTEC (24hrs)

### SECTION 2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

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#### Classification

<u>Corrosive to Metals</u>	Category 1
<u>Skin Corrosion/Irritation</u>	Category 1
<u>Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation</u>	Category 1

#### Label Elements

Hazard Pictogram



Signal Word DANGER

Hazard Statements May be corrosive to metals.  
Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

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### Precautionary Statements

#### **Prevention**

Wear appropriate protective equipment.  
Avoid breathing fume/mist/vapours.  
Wash hands and exposed skin after handling.

#### **Response**

IF ON SKIN: Immediately take off all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Seek immediate medical attention.  
IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Seek immediate medical attention.  
IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Seek immediate medical attention.

#### **Storage**

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. Store locked up. Keep away from incompatibles. Do not freeze. Store in corrosion-resistant containers.

#### **Disposal**

Dispose of material in accordance with all applicable federal, state/provincial and local laws and regulations. Regulations may vary in different locations. Waste characterizations and compliance with applicable laws are the sole responsibility of the waste generator.

### **Other Hazards**

Contact with most metals will generate flammable hydrogen gas. Contact with water gives off heat. Burning produces obnoxious and toxic fumes. Chronic skin contact with low concentrations may cause dermatitis. May cause respiratory tract irritation.

## SECTION 3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

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### Mixture containing acids

<u>Chemical Name</u>	<u>CAS No.</u>	<u>Concentration (% by weight)</u>	<u>Common Names / Synonyms</u>	<u>Other Identifiers</u>
Phosphoric acid	7664-38-2	75%	Orthophosphoric Acid, Hydrogen Phosphate	Not available

### **Notes**

Not available

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### SECTION 4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

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<b>Inhalation</b>	Immediately remove person to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen by qualified medical personnel only. If breathing has stopped, give artificial respiration. Seek immediate medical attention.
<b>Skin Contact</b>	Wear appropriate protective equipment. Immediately remove/take off all contaminated clothing. Immediately flush skin with gently flowing, running water for at least 20 minutes. Do not rub area of contact. Seek immediate medical attention. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Contaminated leather may require disposal.
<b>Eye Contact</b>	Wear appropriate protective equipment. Protect unharmed eye. If in contact with eyes, immediately flush eyes with running water for at least 20 minutes. If contact lens is present, do not delay flushing or attempt to remove the lens until flushing is done. Seek immediate medical attention.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Do not induce vomiting. Have victim rinse mouth with water, then give one to two glasses of water to drink. Seek immediate medical attention.
<b>Most Important Symptoms and Effects, Acute and Delayed</b>	Causes severe skin irritation. Symptoms may include redness, blistering, pain and swelling. Causes serious eye damage. Symptoms may include severe pain, blurred vision, redness and corrosive damage. May cause respiratory irritation. Symptoms may include coughing, choking and wheezing. Could result in pulmonary edema (fluid accumulation). Symptoms of pulmonary edema (chest pain, shortness of breath) may be delayed. Ingestion may cause severe burns to the mucous membranes of the digestive tract. Symptoms may include abdominal pain, vomiting, burns, perforations and bleeding.
<b>Indication of Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment Needed</b>	Immediate medical attention is required. Causes chemical burns. Treat symptomatically.

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### SECTION 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

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#### Extinguishing Media

Suitable Extinguishing Media Use media suitable to the surrounding fire such as water for or fine spray, alcohol foams, carbon dioxide, and dry chemical. May react with water. Use water spray with caution.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media Do not use a heavy water stream. Use of heavy stream of water may spread fire.

#### Specific Hazards Arising from the Product

Not considered flammable. Closed containers may rupture if exposed to excess heat or flame due to a build-up of internal pressure. Hazardous combustion products include phosphorus oxides.

#### Special Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters

Firefighters must use standard protective equipment including flame retardant coat, helmet with face shield, gloves, rubber boots, and in enclosed spaces, SCBA. Firefighters should wear proper protective equipment and self-contained breathing apparatus with full face piece operated in positive pressure mode. Move containers from fire area if safe to do so. Use water to cool fire-exposed containers. Prevent runoff from fire control or dilution from entering sewers, drains, drinking water supply or any natural waterway. Dike for water control.

### SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

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#### Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures

Restrict access to area until completion of clean-up. Ensure clean-up is conducted by trained personnel only. All persons dealing with clean-up should wear the appropriate protective equipment including self-contained breathing apparatus. Refer to section 8 for additional information on acceptable personal protective equipment.

#### Methods and Material for Containment and Cleaning Up

Remove all sources of ignition. Ventilate area of release. Stop the spill at source if it is safe to do so. Dike for water control. Dilute alkali with water and neutralize with acids (e.g. acetic acid/vinegar). Contain and absorb spilled liquid with non-combustible, inert absorbent material (e.g. sand), then place absorbent material into a container for later disposal (see section 13). Notify the appropriate authorities as required.

#### Notification Procedures

If a spill/release in excess of the EPA reportable quantity is

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made into the environment, immediately notify the relevant authorities in accordance with all applicable regulations.

**Environmental Precautions** Ensure spilled product does not enter drains, sewers, waterways, or confined spaces. If necessary, dike well ahead of the spill to prevent runoff into drains, sewers, or any natural waterway or drinking supply.

### SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

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**Precautions for Safe Handling** Wear protective gloves/clothing and eye/face protection. Use only in well-ventilated areas. Refer to section 8 for additional information on acceptable personal protective equipment. Do not breathe fumes or mists. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling. Keep away from heat and flame. Keep away from incompatibles. May react with water, generating heat. When diluting, always add the product to water. Never add water to the product. When mixing with water, stir small amounts in slowly. Keep containers tightly closed when not in use. Empty containers retain residue (liquid and/or vapour) and can be dangerous. Good housekeeping is needed during storage, transfer, handling, and use of this material. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety procedures.

**Conditions for Safe Storage (including incompatibilities)** Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. Store locked up. Keep away from incompatibles. Storage area should be clearly identified, clear of obstruction and accessible only to trained and authorized personnel. Inspect periodically for damage or leaks. Do not freeze. Store in corrosion-resistant containers. Avoid contact with water, metals (e.g. tin, aluminum, zinc and alloys containing these metals), strong oxidizers (e.g. chlorine, peroxides, etc.), acids (e.g. sulfuric acid, nitric acid), caustics and amines from alcohols.

### SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

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#### Control Parameters – Occupational Exposure Limits

<u>Chemical Name</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Exposure Limit Values</u>	<u>Source</u>
Phosphoric acid	TWA	1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	ACGIH TLV
Phosphoric acid	STEL	3 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	ACGIH TLV
Phosphoric acid	Not available	1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	OSHA PEL

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### Appropriate Engineering Controls

Emergency eye wash fountains and safety showers should be available in the immediate vicinity of any potential exposure. Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Use general or local exhaust ventilation to maintain air concentrations below recommended exposure limits. Ensure all national/local regulations are observed.

### Individual Protection Measures

#### Eye/Face Protection

Chemical splash goggles must be worn when handling this material. A full-face shield may also be necessary.

#### Skin Protection

Impervious gloves must be worn when using this product. Advice should be sought from glove suppliers. Wear as appropriate: Neoprene; Polyvinylchloride; Viton; Butyl rubber; Nitrile rubber; Polyethylene. Unsuitable material: polyvinyl alcohol. Wear chemically protective gloves (impervious), boots, aprons, and gauntlets to prevent prolonged or repeated skin contact.

#### Respiratory Protection

Respiratory protection is required if the concentrations exceed the TLV. NIOSH-approved respirators are recommended. A self-contained breathing apparatus should be used in emergency situations or instances where exposure levels are not known. Seek advice from respiratory protection specialists. Respirators should be selected based on the form and concentration of contaminants in air, and in accordance with OSHA (29 CFR 1910.134) or CSA Z94.4-02.

#### Hygiene Measures

Do not breathe fumes or mists. Do not ingest. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Do not eat, drink, smoke or use cosmetics while working with this product. Upon completion of work, wash hands before eating, drinking, smoking or use of toilet facilities. Remove soiled clothing and wash it thoroughly before reuse.

## SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

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<b>Appearance</b>	Clear colourless liquid
<b>Odour</b>	None
<b>Odour Threshold</b>	Not applicable
<b>pH</b>	< 1.0 (1% solution = 2.1)

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<b>Melting Point / Freezing Point</b>	-17.5°C (0.5°F)
<b>Initial Boiling Point and Boiling Range</b>	135°C (275°F)
<b>Flash Point</b>	Not applicable
<b>Evaporation Rate (BuAe = 1)</b>	Not available
<b>Flammability (solid, gas)</b>	Not applicable
<b>Upper/Lower Flammability or Explosive Limits</b>	Not applicable
<b>Vapour Pressure</b>	5.63
<b>Vapour Density (air = 1)</b>	3.5
<b>Relative Density (water = 1)</b>	1.573
<b>Solubility in Water</b>	Very soluble
<b>Solubility (other)</b>	Not available
<b>Partition Coefficient, n-octanol / water (logKow)</b>	Not applicable
<b>Auto-ignition Temperature</b>	Not applicable
<b>Decomposition Temperature</b>	Not available
<b>Viscosity</b>	18 cSt @ 20°C (68°F)

### SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

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<b>Reactivity</b>	Not normally reactive. May be corrosive to metals. Contact with most metals will generate flammable hydrogen gas. Contact with water will generate considerable heat.
<b>Chemical Stability</b>	Stable under recommended handling and storage conditions (refer to section 7).

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<b>Possibility of Hazardous Reactions</b>	Hazardous polymerization does not occur.
<b>Conditions to Avoid</b>	Avoid heat and open flame. Keep away from incompatibles. Keep container tightly closed when not in use. Avoid contact with water.
<b>Incompatible Materials</b>	Water, metals (e.g. tin, aluminum, zinc and alloys containing these metals), strong oxidizers (e.g. chlorine, peroxides, etc.), acids (e.g. sulfuric acid, nitric acid), caustics and amines from alcohols.
<b>Hazardous Decomposition Products</b>	None known

### SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

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#### Information on Likely Routes of Exposure

<u>Inhalation</u>	Yes
<u>Skin Contact</u>	Yes
<u>Eye Contact</u>	Yes
<u>Ingestion</u>	Yes

#### Signs and Symptoms of Exposure

*Inhalation*  
May cause severe irritation to the nose, throat and respiratory tract. Symptoms may include coughing, choking and wheezing. Could result in pulmonary edema (fluid accumulation). Symptoms of pulmonary edema (chest pain, shortness of breath) may be delayed.

*Skin Contact*  
Causes severe skin burns. Symptoms may include redness, blistering, pain and swelling.

*Eye Contact*  
Causes serious eye damage. Symptoms may include severe pain, blurred vision, redness and corrosive damage.

*Ingestion*  
May cause severe irritation and corrosive damage in the mouth, throat and stomach. Symptoms may include



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abdominal pain, vomiting, burns, perforations, bleeding and eventually death.

<b>Potential Chronic Health Effects</b>	Chronic skin contact with low concentrations may cause dermatitis.
<b>Acute Toxicity</b>	Not available
<b>Skin Corrosion/Irritation</b>	This material is classified as hazardous under U.S. OSHA regulations (29CFR 1910.1200) (Hazcom 2012) and Canadian WHMIS regulations (Hazardous Products Regulations) (WHMIS 2015). Classification: Skin Corrosion/Irritation - Category 1.
<b>Serious Eye Damage/Irritation</b>	This material is classified as hazardous under U.S. OSHA regulations (29CFR 1910.1200) (Hazcom 2012) and Canadian WHMIS regulations (Hazardous Products Regulations) (WHMIS 2015). Classification: Serious Eye Damage/Irritation - Category 1.
<b>Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Single Exposure</b>	The substance or mixture is not classified as specific target organ toxicant, single exposure.
<b>Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Repeated Exposure</b>	The substance or mixture is not classified as specific target organ toxicant, repeated exposure.
<b>Aspiration Hazard</b>	Not available
<b>Respiratory and/or Skin Sensitization</b>	Not expected to be a skin or respiratory sensitizer.
<b>Reproductive Toxicity</b>	Not expected to have other reproductive effects.
<b>Germ Cell Mutagenicity</b>	Not expected to be mutagenic in humans.
<b>Carcinogenicity</b>	No components are listed as carcinogens by ACGIH, IARC, OSHA or NTP.

### Toxicological Data

<u>Chemical Name</u>	<u>LC50</u>	<u>LD50</u>
Phosphoric acid	Not available	4400 mg/kg (oral, rat) > 3160 mg/kg (dermal, rabbit)

## SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

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**Ecotoxicity**    The ecological characteristics of this product have not been

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fully investigated. The product should not be allowed to enter drains or water courses, or be deposited where it can affect ground or surface waters. Toxicity is primarily associated with pH.

<b>Persistence and Degradability</b>	The methods for determining biodegradability are not applicable to inorganic substances.
<b>Bioaccumulative Potential</b>	No data is available on the product itself.
<b>Mobility in Soil</b>	No data is available on the product itself.
<b>Other Adverse Effects</b>	No data is available on the product itself.

### SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

<b>Disposal Methods</b>	If this product as supplied becomes a waste, it may meet the criteria of a hazardous waste as defined under the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) 40 CFR 261. Dispose of material in accordance with all applicable federal, state/provincial and local laws and regulations. Regulations may vary in different locations. Waste characterizations and compliance with applicable laws are the sole responsibility of the waste generator.
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### SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

<u>Regulation</u>	<u>UN No.</u>	<u>Proper Shipping Name</u>	<u>Technical Name (for N.O.S. entry)</u>	<u>Transport Hazard Class(es)</u>	<u>Packing Group</u>
<b>TDG</b>	UN1805	PHOSPHORIC ACID SOLUTION	Not applicable	8	III
<b>additional information</b>	<i>May be shipped as a limited quantity when transported in containers no larger than 4.0 L (1.0 gallon) for liquids or 5.0 kg (11 pounds) for solids, in packages not exceeding 30 kg (66 pounds) gross mass.</i>				
<b>49 CFR/DOT</b>	UN1805	PHOSPHORIC ACID SOLUTION	Not applicable	8	III
<b>additional information</b>	<i>May be shipped as LIMITED QUANTITY when transported in containers no larger than 1.0 Litre, in packages not exceeding 30 kg gross mass. Under the TDGR, refer to Section 1.17 for additional exemption information, if shipping under this exemption.</i>				
<b>IMDG</b>	UN1805	PHOSPHORIC ACID SOLUTION	Not applicable	8	III
<b>ICAO/IATA</b>	UN1805	PHOSPHORIC ACID SOLUTION	Not applicable	8	III

<b>Special Precautions</b>	None reported by the manufacturer.
<b>Environmental Hazards</b>	Refer to section 12.

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Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code Not available

### SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

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#### Canadian Information

WHMIS This material is classified as hazardous under Canadian WHMIS regulations (Hazardous Products Regulations) (WHMIS 2015). Refer to section 2.

CEPA All ingredients listed appear on the Domestic Substances List (DSL).

#### US Information

OSHA This material is classified as hazardous under U.S. OSHA regulations (29CFR 1910.1200) (Hazcom 2012). Refer to section 2.

TSCA Inventory All components in this product are listed on the Inventory.

CERCLA Reportable Quantity Phosphoric acid (5000 lbs / 2270 kg)

SARA Title III Section 302, Extremely Hazardous Substances – None  
 Section 311/312, Hazard Chemical Inventory – Immediate (Acute) health hazard  
 Section 313, Toxic Chemical – No

State “Right to Know” Lists *Phosphoric Acid*  
 Listed on lists for MA, MN, NJ, PA, RI.

#### International Information

<u>Ingredients</u>	<u>EU (EINECS)</u>	<u>Australia (AICS)</u>	<u>Philippines (PICCS)</u>	<u>Japan (ENCS)</u>	<u>Korea (KECI/KECL)</u>	<u>China (IECSC)</u>	<u>New Zealand (IOC)</u>
Phosphoric Acid	231-633-2	Present	Present	(1)-422	KE-27427	Present	HSR001545, HSR001571 (dilution)

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