



**SAFETY DATA SHEET**  
GARNET POLISH

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**Section 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking**

**1.1. Product identifier**

Product name: GARNET POLISH

**1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**

**1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**

Company name: FLAG Paints Ltd  
8 Springfield Road  
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Essex  
CM0 8UA  
United Kingdom

Tel: +44 (0) 1621 785 173

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Email: [sales@flagfinishes.co.uk](mailto:sales@flagfinishes.co.uk)

**1.4. Emergency telephone number**

Emergency tel: +44 (0) 1621 785 173

**Section 2: Hazards identification**

**2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture**

Classification under CLP: STOT SE 2: H371; Acute Tox. 4: H302; Flam. Liq. 2: H225

Most important adverse effects: Highly flammable liquid and vapour. Harmful if swallowed. May cause damage to organs

**2.2. Label elements**

**Label elements:**

Hazard statements: H225: Highly flammable liquid and vapour.

H302: Harmful if swallowed.

H371: May cause damage to organs .

Signal words: Danger

Hazard pictograms: GHS02: Flame

GHS07: Exclamation mark

GHS08: Health hazard



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**Precautionary statements:** P102: Keep out of reach of children.  
P210: Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.  
P233: Keep container tightly closed.  
P234: Keep only in original container.  
P264: Wash hands thoroughly after handling.  
P281: Use personal protective equipment as required.  
P305+351+338: IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.  
P302+352: IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water/.  
P301+330+331: IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

## 2.3. Other hazards

**Other hazards:** In use, may form flammable / explosive vapour-air mixture.

**PBT:** This product is not identified as a PBT/vPvB substance.

## Section 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.2. Mixtures

#### Hazardous ingredients:

##### ETHANOL

EINECS	CAS	PBT / WEL	CLP Classification	Percent
200-578-6	64-17-5	Substance with a Community workplace exposure limit.	Flam. Liq. 2: H225	50-70%

##### METHANOL

200-659-6	67-56-1	-	Flam. Liq. 2: H225; Acute Tox. 3: H331; Acute Tox. 3: H311; Acute Tox. 3: H301; STOT SE 1: H370	1-10%
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## Section 4: First aid measures

### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

**Skin contact:** Remove all contaminated clothes and footwear immediately unless stuck to skin.

Drench the affected skin with running water for 10 minutes or longer if substance is still on skin. Consult a doctor.

**Eye contact:** Bathe the eye with running water for 15 minutes. Consult a doctor.

**Ingestion:** Wash out mouth with water. Do not induce vomiting. If conscious, give half a litre of water to drink immediately. Consult a doctor.

**Inhalation:** Remove casualty from exposure ensuring one's own safety whilst doing so. Consult a doctor.

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## 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

**Skin contact:** There may be irritation and redness at the site of contact.

**Eye contact:** There may be irritation and redness. The eyes may water profusely.

**Ingestion:** There may be soreness and redness of the mouth and throat. Nausea and stomach pain may occur. There may be vomiting.

**Inhalation:** There may be irritation of the throat with a feeling of tightness in the chest.

**Delayed / immediate effects:** Immediate effects can be expected after short-term exposure.

## 4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

**Immediate / special treatment:** Not applicable.

## Section 5: Fire-fighting measures

### 5.1. Extinguishing media

**Extinguishing media:** Alcohol or polymer foam. Carbon dioxide. Dry chemical powder. Use water spray to cool containers.

### 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

**Exposure hazards:** Highly flammable. In combustion emits toxic fumes. Forms explosive air-vapour mixture. Vapour may travel considerable distance to source of ignition and flash back.

### 5.3. Advice for fire-fighters

**Advice for fire-fighters:** Wear self-contained breathing apparatus. Wear protective clothing to prevent contact with skin and eyes.

## Section 6: Accidental release measures

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

**Personal precautions:** Refer to section 8 of SDS for personal protection details. If outside do not approach from downwind. If outside keep bystanders upwind and away from danger point. Mark out the contaminated area with signs and prevent access to unauthorised personnel. Turn leaking containers leak-side up to prevent the escape of liquid. Eliminate all sources of ignition.

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

**Environmental precautions:** Do not discharge into drains or rivers. Contain the spillage using bunding.

### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

**Clean-up procedures:** Absorb into dry earth or sand. Transfer to a closable, labelled salvage container for disposal by an appropriate method. Do not use equipment in clean-up procedure which may produce sparks.

### 6.4. Reference to other sections

**Reference to other sections:** Refer to section 8 of SDS.

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## Section 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

**Handling requirements:** Avoid direct contact with the substance. Ensure there is sufficient ventilation of the area.  
Do not handle in a confined space. Avoid the formation or spread of mists in the air.  
Smoking is forbidden. Use non-sparking tools.

### 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

**Storage conditions:** Store in a cool, well ventilated area. Keep container tightly closed. Keep away from sources of ignition. Prevent the build up of electrostatic charge in the immediate area.  
Ensure lighting and electrical equipment are not a source of ignition.

**Suitable packaging:** Must only be kept in original packaging.

### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

**Specific end use(s):** No data available.

## Section 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1. Control parameters

#### Workplace exposure limits:

#### Respirable dust

State	8 hour TWA	15 min. STEL	8 hour TWA	15 min. STEL
UK	1000ppm	250ppm	-	-

#### Hazardous ingredients:

##### ETHANOL

#### Workplace exposure limits:

#### Respirable dust

State	8 hour TWA	15 min. STEL	8 hour TWA	15 min. STEL
UK	1920 mg/m3	-	-	-

##### METHANOL

UK	266 mg/m3	333 mg/m3	-	-
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### DNEL/PNEC Values

**DNEL / PNEC** No data available.

### 8.2. Exposure controls

**Engineering measures:** Ensure there is sufficient ventilation of the area. Ensure lighting and electrical equipment are not a source of ignition.

**Respiratory protection:** Self-contained breathing apparatus must be available in case of emergency.

**Hand protection:** Impermeable gloves.

**Eye protection:** Safety glasses. Ensure eye bath is to hand.

**Skin protection:** Impermeable protective clothing.

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## Section 9: Physical and chemical properties

### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

**State:** Liquid  
**Colour:** Dark brown  
**Odour:** Alcoholic  
**Solubility in water:** Insoluble  
**Viscosity:** Non-viscous  
**Kinematic viscosity:** 1.2c/p  
**Boiling point/range°C:** 78  
**Flash point°C:** 17.5  
**Relative density:** 0.850 - 0.90  
**Melting point/range°C:** -112  
**Vapour pressure:** 58mbar  
**pH:** 7

### 9.2. Other information

**Other information:** No data available.

## Section 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1. Reactivity

**Reactivity:** Stable under recommended transport or storage conditions.

### 10.2. Chemical stability

**Chemical stability:** Stable under normal conditions. Stable at room temperature.

### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

**Hazardous reactions:** Hazardous reactions will not occur under normal transport or storage conditions.  
Decomposition may occur on exposure to conditions or materials listed below.

### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

**Conditions to avoid:** Heat. Hot surfaces. Sources of ignition. Flames.

### 10.5. Incompatible materials

**Materials to avoid:** Strong oxidising agents. Strong acids.

### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

**Haz. decomp. products:** In combustion emits toxic fumes.

## Section 11: Toxicological information

### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

**Hazardous ingredients:**

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## ETHANOL

IVN	RAT	LD50	1440	mg/kg
ORL	MUS	LD50	3450	mg/kg
ORL	RAT	LD50	7060	mg/kg

## METHANOL

IVN	RAT	LD50	2131	mg/kg
ORL	MUS	LD50	7300	mg/kg
ORL	RAT	LD50	5628	mg/kg

### Relevant hazards for substance:

Hazard	Route	Basis
Acute toxicity (ac. tox. 4)	ING	Hazardous: calculated
STOT-single exposure	-	Hazardous: calculated

### Symptoms / routes of exposure

**Skin contact:** There may be irritation and redness at the site of contact.

**Eye contact:** There may be irritation and redness. The eyes may water profusely.

**Ingestion:** There may be soreness and redness of the mouth and throat. Nausea and stomach pain may occur. There may be vomiting.

**Inhalation:** There may be irritation of the throat with a feeling of tightness in the chest.

**Delayed / immediate effects:** Immediate effects can be expected after short-term exposure.

## Section 12: Ecological information

### 12.1. Toxicity

**Ecotoxicity values:** No data available.

### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

**Persistence and degradability:** Biodegradable.

### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

**Bioaccumulative potential:** No bioaccumulation potential.

### 12.4. Mobility in soil

**Mobility:** Readily absorbed into soil.

### 12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

**PBT identification:** This product is not identified as a PBT/vPvB substance.

### 12.6. Other adverse effects

**Other adverse effects:** Negligible ecotoxicity.

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## Section 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

**Disposal operations:** Transfer to a suitable container and arrange for collection by specialised disposal company.

**Disposal of packaging:** Dispose of as normal industrial waste.

**NB:** The user's attention is drawn to the possible existence of regional or national regulations regarding disposal.

## Section 14: Transport information

### 14.1. UN number

**UN number:** UN1263

### 14.2. UN proper shipping name

**Shipping name:** ETHANOL SOLUTION (ETHYL ALCOHOL SOLUTION)

### 14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

**Transport class:** 3

### 14.4. Packing group

**Packing group:** II

### 14.5. Environmental hazards

**Environmentally hazardous:** No

**Marine pollutant:** No

### 14.6. Special precautions for user

**Special precautions:** No special precautions.

**Tunnel code:** D/E

**Transport category:** 1

## Section 15: Regulatory information

### 15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

### 15.2. Chemical Safety Assessment

**Chemical safety assessment:** A chemical safety assessment has not been carried out for the substance or the mixture by the supplier.

## Section 16: Other information

### Other information

**Other information:** This safety data sheet is prepared in accordance with Commission Regulation (EU) No 453/2010.

\* indicates text in the SDS which has changed since the last revision.

**Phrases used in s.2 and s.3:** H225: Highly flammable liquid and vapour.

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H301: Toxic if swallowed.

H302: Harmful if swallowed.

H311: Toxic in contact with skin.

H331: Toxic if inhaled.

H370: Causes damage to organs <or state all organs affected, if known> <state route of exposure if it is conclusively proven that no other routes of exposure cause the hazard>.

H371: May cause damage to organs <or state all organs affected, if known> <state route of exposure if it is conclusively proven that no other routes of exposure cause the hazard>.

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