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MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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SECTION I				
MANUFACTURER'S NAME MONSANTO COMPANY			EMERGENCY TELEPHONE NO. (314) 694-1000	
ADDRESS (Number, Street, City, State, and ZIP Code) 800 North Lindbergh Boulevard, St. Louis, Missouri 63166				
CHEMICAL NAME AND SYNONYMS Mixture			TRADE NAME AND SYNONYMS Aroclor 1248	
CHEMICAL FAMILY Chlorinated aromatic			FORMULA Mixture	
SECTION II HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS				
PAINTS, PRESERVATIVES, & SOLVENTS	%	TLV (Units)	ALLOYS AND METALLIC COATINGS	% TLV (Units)
PIGMENTS			BASE METAL	
CATALYST			ALLOYS	
VEHICLE			METALLIC COATINGS	
SOLVENTS			FILLER METAL PLUS COATING OR CORE FLUX	
ADDITIVES			OTHERS	
OTHERS				
HAZARDOUS MIXTURES OF OTHER LIQUIDS, SOLIDS, OR GASES				% TLV (Units)
SECTION III PHYSICAL DATA				
BOILING POINT (P.F.)	760 mm	345-385°C	SPECIFIC GRAVITY (H ₂ O=1) (25/25°C)	1.445
VAPOR PRESSURE (mm Hg.)	165-210°C	3 mm	PERCENT VOLATILE BY VOLUME (%)	N.A.
VAPOR DENSITY (AIR=1)		Not Avail	EVAPORATION RATE (BuAc =1)	<1
SOLUBILITY IN WATER	20°C negligible	<0.01%		
APPEARANCE AND ODOR	colorless to yellow oil aromatic odor			
SECTION IV FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA				
FLASH POINT (Method used)	C.O.C. 196°C		FLASHABLE LIMITS	Loi N.A. Uoi N.A.
EXTINGUISHING MEDIA				
SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES				
Respiratory protection when fighting fires where exposure to vapor or gases is possible:				
UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS				
Highly toxic gases (chlorides and chlorine) can be evolved in fires of this product.				

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Aroclor 1248 SECTION V HEALTH HAZARD DATA

THRESHOLD LIMIT VALUE	
EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE Skin irritation in the form of chloracne. Systematic intoxication leads to nausea, vomiting, loss of weight, edema and abdominal pain.	
EMERGENCY AND FIRST AID PROCEDURES Remove from exposure. Remove contaminated clothing. Wash contacted area with large amounts of water and soap. Refer to physician.	

SECTION VI REACTIVITY DATA

STABILITY	UNSTABLE		CONDITIONS TO AVOID
	STABLE	X	
INCOMPATIBILITY (Materials to avoid)			
HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS CO, CO2, smoke, soot, chlorides and chlorine.			
HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION	MAY OCCUR		CONDITIONS TO AVOID
	WILL NOT OCCUR	X	

SECTION VII SPILL OR LEAK PROCEDURES

STEPS TO BE TAKEN IN CASE MATERIAL IS RELEASED OR SPILLED	
Absorb on clay, sawdust or other absorbant material. Place in drums. Bury in approved chemical landfill in accordance with local and state regulations.	
WASTE DISPOSAL METHOD	
Burn in an approved incinerator in accordance with local and state regulations.	

SECTION VIII SPECIAL PROTECTION INFORMATION

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION (Specify type)		
Bureau of Mines approved respirator for organic vapors.		
VENTILATION	LOCAL EXHAUST	SPECIAL
	MECHANICAL (General)	OTHER
PROTECTIVE GLOVES Rubber		EYE PROTECTION Chemical goggles
OTHER PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT		

SECTION IX SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS

PRECAUTIONS TO BE TAKEN IN HANDLING AND STORING	
Avoid skin and eye contact, avoid inhalation of vapors.	
OTHER PRECAUTIONS	

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While the information and recommendations set forth herein are believed to be accurate as of the date hereof, MONSANTO COMPANY MAKES NO WARRANTY WITH RESPECT THERETO AND DISCLAIMS ALL LIABILITY FROM RELIANCE THEREON.

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