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## MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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Transport/Fire Emergency: **000** (Emergency Services)  
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### Art Spectrum Damar Varnish

1. CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION	
PRODUCT NAME:	Art Spectrum Damar Varnish
OTHER NAMES:	Gum Damar Solution
APPLICATION OF SUBSTANCE:	Artwork
MANUFACTURED BY:	ART SPECTRUM MANUFACTURING CO. PTY. LTD. ACN 060 705 679 P.O. Box 287, Brunswick, 3056, Victoria. Australia
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2. HAZARDOUS INFORMATION	
Classified as hazardous according to criteria of NOHSC	
MANUFACTURER'S CODE:	N/A
SHIPPER'S NAME:	Turpentine
UN NUMBER:	1299
DANGEROUS GOODS CLASS AND SUBSIDIARY RISK:	3.3
HAZCHEM CODE:	3Y
POISONS SCHEDULE NUMBER:	N/A (Gum Turpentine: S5)
PACKAGING GROUP:	III
HAZARD CATEGORY:	3
CLASS:	N/A
FLAMMABILITY LIMITS (%):	Lower: 3.5%, Upper: 19.0%
OTHER PROPERTIES:	N/A

### 3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Gum damar (natural gum)  
CAS No.: 9000-16-2  
Proportion: < 30%

Gum turpentine (liquid hydrocarbon)  
CAS No.: 9005-90-7  
Proportion: 60-70%

Ethanol  
CAS No.: 64-17-5  
Proportion: < 10%

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

INHALATION:	Move subject to fresh air if smell affects.  <b>If used in an unventilated area, vapour or mist can cause headache.</b>
EYE CONTACT:	Flush eye with water for at least 15 minutes. seek medical attention if irritation persists.  <b>May cause slight eye irritation.</b>
SKIN CONTACT:	Wash with soap and water. apply moisturiser if skin is dry.  <b>May cause slight irritation.</b>
INGESTION:	Do not induce vomiting. give patient water or milk. seek medical attention.  <b>May cause slight irritation to mouth and throat.</b>
CHRONIC EXPOSURE:	<b>Can cause bladder irritation.</b>
RECOMMENDATIONS:	Treat symptomatically.

### 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:	Dry chemical foam or CO2 extinguishers only
DO NOT USE:	Do not use a solid (straight) water stream as it may scatter and spread fire.
DEGREE OF FIRE RISK:	Highly flammable.
RECOMMENDATIONS:	Burning can produce vapours which may cause irritation to eye and throat. Wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.  For larger fires, use water spray or fog.

### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Normal sized spills: wipe up with rag.  
Large spills: contain with sand, dirt, saw dust or other absorbent materials. Remove as solid waste.

<b>7. HANDLING AND STORAGE</b>	
HANDLING:	Keep containers closed when not in use. Do not smoke while using. Keep away from ignition sources.
STORAGE:	Store in cool, dry area away from ignition sources and oxidising agents.

<b>8. EXPOSURE CONTROL AND PERSONAL PROTECTION</b>	
ENGINEERING MEASURES:	Work in ventilated area. At normal room temperature and when using material as received, there is no requirement for special protection.
<i>PERSONAL PROTECTION</i>	
RESPIRATORY PROTECTION:	N/A
HAND PROTECTION:	N/A
EYE PROTECTION:	N/A
SKIN PROTECTION:	N/A

<b>9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES</b>	
APPEARANCE:	Transparent pale yellow liquid with pungent odour
FLASH POINT:	32°C
BOILING POINT:	140°C-190°C
VAPOUR PRESSURE:	N/A
VAPOUR DENSITY:	N/A
SPECIFIC GRAVITY:	< 1.0 at 25°C
SOLUBILITY IN WATER:	Insolubule
MELTING POINT:	N/A

<b>10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY</b>
Stable under recommended storage conditions. Can react vigorously with oxidising agents.

<b>11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION</b>
N/A

<b>12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION</b>
Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

<b>13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS</b>
Dispose of according to local, state, federal regulation.

**14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

Dangerous Goods according to the criteria of the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road & Rail (ADG Code)

Proper shipping name: Turpentine

**15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

N/A

**16. OTHER INFORMATION**

For any further technical information, phone (03) 9388 0766

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