

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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Methyl Cyanoacrylate M5, M60, M100 and M1000

1. General Information: Chemical Name: Cyanoacrylate

General Description: Super Glue, Instant Adhesive

DOT: Ground: Unrestricted, combustible liquid

Air: Unrestricted, combustible Liquid

NFPA Code: Health 2 Fire 2 Reactivity 1

HMIS Code: Health 2 Flammability 2 Reactivity 1

2. Composition:

<u>Ingredient:</u>	<u>CAS #</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>TLV(OSHA)</u>
Methyl Cyanoacrylate	137-05-3	90-98	2ppm TWA
Poly Methyl Methacrylate	9011-14-7	5-10	None
Hydroquinone	123-31-9	0.1-0.5	2 mg/m3 TWA

3. Chemical/Physical Properties: Appearance: Colorless Liquid

Odor: Slightly Pungent

Specific Gravity: 1.05

Boiling Point: Greater than 150°F

Solubility in water: Polymerized by water

Vapor Density: Greater than one

4. Flammability and Explosive Properties:

Flash Point: 185° - 200°F

Flammability limits in air: Lower N.D. Upper N.D.

Extinguishing agents: Carbon Dioxide, foam, dry chemical

Hazardous products formed by fire or thermal decomposition:

Irritating organic vapors

Unusual fire and explosion hazards: Do not use cloth to wipe up

Spills. Use water on spills to polymerize and then scrape up residue.

Special fire fighting procedures: Wear self contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing to prevent contact with skin, eyes, or inhalation of vapors.

Over exposure to decomposition of products may be a health hazard

5. Spill or leak and disposal procedures: Steps to be taken if material is spilled or leaks:

Flood area with water to polymerize (cure). Soak up with an inert absorbent. Recommended methods of disposal: Polymerize as above. Incinerate, or solid adhesive can be land filled in accordance with all applicable federal, state and local environmental regulations.

6. **Storage and Handling:** Storage: Store out of direct sunlight at or below 72°F to preserve shelf life. Handling: Avoid contact with eyes and skin. Avoid breathing vapor.
7. **Reactivity Data:** Stability: Stable. Hazardous polymerization: Will not occur. Hazardous decomposition (non thermal): None. Incompatibility: Polymerized by contact with water, alcohols, amines, alkalines.
8. **Emergency treatment procedures:** Ingestion: See supplement. Inhalation: Remove to fresh air. Treat symptomatically. Skin Contact: See supplement. Eye contact: See supplement. Ventilation: Local exhaust, cross air movement. Vent downwards, as vapors are heavier than air. Protective gloves: polyethylene. Eye protection: Safety glasses. Other: Eye bath and washing Station nearby.
9. **Health Hazard Data:** Toxicity: Bonds skin rapidly and strongly. Skin and eye Irritant. Estimated oral LD50 greater than 5,000 mg/kg. Estimated dermal LD50 greater than 2,000 mg/kg. Primary routes of entry: Not available. Signs and symptoms of overexposure: Vapor is irritating to eyes and mucous membranes above TLV. Prolonged and repeated overexposure to vapors may produce allergic reactions with asthma like symptoms in sensitive individuals.
10. **Other Precautions:** Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Keep out of reach of children! See supplement and read instructions carefully.

SUPPLEMENT: **Skin Adhesion:** First immerse the bonded surface in warm soapy water. Peel or roll the surface apart with the aid of a blunt edge. (pencil, spoon handle, etc.), then remove the adhesive from the skin with soap and water. **DO NOT** try to pull surfaces apart with a direct opposing action. **Eyelid to eyelid or eyeball adhesion:** In the event that eyelids are stuck together or bonded to the eyeball, wash thoroughly with warm water and apply a gauze patch. The eye will open without further action, typically in one to four days. There will be no residual damage. **DO NOT** try to open eyes by manipulation. Let the natural cleansing action of the eye take place. **Adhesive on the eyeball:** Cyanoacrylate introduced into the eyes will attach itself to the eye protein and will disassociate from it over intermittent periods, generally covering several hours. This will cause periods of tearing until clearance is achieved. The adhesive residue will flush out of the eye normally in a matter of hours, even with gross contamination. **Mouth:** If lips are accidentally stuck together, apply lots of warm water to the lips and encourage maximum wetting and pressure from saliva inside the mouth. Peel or roll lips apart. Do not try to pull the lips apart with a direct opposing action. It is almost impossible to swallow cyanoacrylate. The adhesive solidifies and adheres in the mouth. Saliva will lift the adhesive in ½ to 2 days. **Burns:** Cyanoacrylates give off heat on solidification. In rare cases a large amount will increase the temperature enough to cause a burn. Should a burn occur, it should be treated using normal medical procedures.