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## 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

### Product Identification

**Product ID:** 140.0001706.007  
**Product Name:** THE FINISH NEUTRAL BASE  
**Product Use:** Paint product.  
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### Company Identification

The Valspar Corporation - Architectural Coatings Division  
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Phone:** 1-888-345-5732

## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### Primary Routes of Exposure:

Inhalation  
Ingestion  
Skin absorption

### Eye Contact:

- May cause eye irritation.

### Skin Contact:

- Dermatitis

### Ingestion:

None known.

### Inhalation:

- May cause irritation of respiratory tract.

**Target Organ and Other Health Effects:**

- Blood disorders
- Causes headache, drowsiness or other effects to the central nervous system.
- Kidney injury may occur.
- Liver injury may occur.

**This product contains ingredients that may contribute to the following potential chronic health effects:**

- Prolonged exposure over TLV may produce pneumoconiosis.

**Teratogens:**

- Contains material that may cause adverse reproductive effects.
- May cause birth defects.

**3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS**

<b>Ingredient Name CAS-No.</b>	<b>Approx. Weight %</b>	<b>Chemical Name</b>
PROPRIETARY INERT	1 - 5	PROPRIETARY INERT
BUTYLBENZYL PHTHALATE 85-68-7	1 - 5	Butyl benzyl phthalate

If this section is blank there are no hazardous components per OSHA guidelines.

**4. FIRST AID MEASURES****Eye Contact:**

Get medical attention, if symptoms develop or persist. Immediately flush eye(s) with plenty of water.

**Skin Contact:**

Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention, if symptoms develop or persist.

**Ingestion:**

Give one or two glasses of water. Only induce vomiting at the instruction of medical personnel. Get medical attention.

**Inhalation:**

Move to fresh air. Get medical attention, if symptoms develop or persist.

**Medical conditions aggravated by exposure:**

Any respiratory or skin condition.

**5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

Flash point (Fahrenheit):	205
Flash point (Celsius):	96
Lower explosive limit (%):	not determined
Upper explosive limit (%):	not determined
Autoignition temperature:	not determined
Sensitivity to impact:	no
Sensitivity to static discharge:	Sensitivity to static discharge is not expected.
Hazardous combustion products:	See Section 10.

**Unusual fire and explosion hazards:**

None known.

**Extinguishing media:**

Carbon dioxide, dry chemical, foam and/or water fog.

**Fire fighting procedures:**

Firefighters should be equipped with self-contained breathing apparatus and turn out gear. Keep containers and surroundings cool with water spray.

**6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES****Action to be taken if material is released or spilled:**

Ventilate the area. Contain spillage, soak up with non-combustible absorbent material, (e.g. sand, earth, diatomaceous earth, vermiculite) and transfer to a container for disposal according to local / national regulations (see section 13). Avoid contact with eyes.

**7. HANDLING AND STORAGE****Precautions to be taken in handling and storage:**

Keep container closed when not in use. Do not freeze. Since emptied containers may contain product residue, follow all label warnings, even after container is emptied. Do not cut, drill, grind, or weld on or near this container.

**8. PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT AND EXPOSURE CONTROLS****Personal Protective Equipment****Eye and face protection:**

Chemical goggles, also wear a face shield if splashing hazard exists.

**Skin protection:**

Appropriate chemical resistant gloves should be worn.

**Other Personal Protection Data:**

To prevent skin contact wear protective clothing covering all exposed areas.

**Respiratory protection:**

If exposure cannot be controlled below applicable limits, use the appropriate NIOSH approved respirator such as an air purifying respirator with organic vapor cartridge and dust/mist filter. Consult the respirator manufacturer's literature to ensure that the respirator will provide adequate protection. Read and follow all respirator manufacturer's instructions.

**Ventilation**

Use only in well-ventilated areas. Ovens used for curing should contain a fresh air purge to prevent vapours from accumulating and creating a possible explosive mixture. Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

**Exposure Guidelines****OSHA Permissible Exposure Limits (PEL's)**

Ingredient Name CAS-No.	Approx. Weight %	TWA (final)	Ceilings limits (final)	Skin designations
PROPRIETARY INERT	1 - 5	15 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA dust total 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA respirable fraction		

**ACGIH Threshold Limit Value (TLV's)**

Ingredient Name CAS-No.	Approx. Weight %	TWA	STEL	Ceiling limits	Skin designations
PROPRIETARY INERT	1 - 5	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA respirable fraction, particulate matter containing no asbestos and <1% crystalline silica			

## 9. PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

Odor:	Normal for this product type.
Physical State:	liquid
pH:	not determined
Vapor pressure:	24 mmHg @ 77°F (25°C)
Vapor density (air = 1.0):	0.6
Boiling point:	not determined
Solubility in water:	not determined
Coefficient of water/oil distribution:	not determined
Density (lbs per US gallon):	9.5
Specific Gravity:	1.14
Evaporation rate (butyl acetate = 1.0):	0.1
Flash point (Fahrenheit):	205
Flash point (Celsius):	96
Lower explosive limit (%):	not determined
Upper explosive limit (%):	not determined
Autoignition temperature:	not determined

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability:	Stable under normal conditions.
Conditions to Avoid:	None known.
Incompatibility:	Avoid water-reactive materials, heat or contact with peroxides or other catalysts.
Hazardous Polymerization:	None anticipated.
Hazardous Decomposition Products:	Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide. Nitrogen compounds.

**Sensitivity to static discharge:** Sensitivity to static discharge is not expected.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ingredient Name CAS-No.	Approx. Weight %	NIOSH - Selected LD50s and LC50s
BUTYLBENZYL PHTHALATE 85-68-7	1 - 5	= 2330 mg/kg Oral LD50 Rat = 6700 mg/kg Dermal LD50 Rat > 6.7 mg/L Inhalation LC50 Rat 4 h

### Mutagens/Teratogens/Carcinogens:

Contains material that may cause adverse reproductive effects. May cause birth defects.

Ingredient Name CAS-No.	Approx. Weight %	California Prop 65 - Developmental Toxicity	California Prop 65 - Reproductive (Male)
BUTYLBENZYL PHTHALATE 85-68-7	1 - 5	Listed. initial date 12/2/05 - developmental toxicity	

Ingredient Name CAS-No.	Approx. Weight %	NTP Known Carcinogens	NTP Suspect Carcinogens	NTP Evidence of Carcinogenicity
BUTYLBENZYL PHTHALATE 85-68-7	1 - 5			male rat-inadequate; female rat-positive; male mice-negative; female mice-negative; male rat- some evidence; female rat-equivocal evidence

## 12. ECOLOGICAL DATA

No information on ecology is available.

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal should be made in accordance with federal, state and local regulations.

## 14. TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

### U.S. Department of Transportation

UN ID Number (msds): NRPAIN  
Proper Shipping Name: PAINT, NOT REGULATED

### U.S Hazmat and/or International DG shipment exceptions

The supplier may apply one of the following exceptions: Combustible Liquid, Consumer Commodity, Limited Quantity, Viscous Liquid, Does Not Sustain Combustion, or others, as allowed under 49CFR Hazmat Regulations. Please consult 49CFR Subchapter C to ensure that subsequent shipments comply with these exceptions.

### Reportable Quantity Description:

### International Air Transport Association (IATA):

UN ID Number (msds): NRPAIN  
Proper Shipping Name: PAINT, NOT REGULATED

### International Maritime Organization (IMO):

IMO UN/ID Number (msds): NRPAIN  
Proper Shipping Name: PAINT, NOT REGULATED

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

### U.S. FEDERAL REGULATIONS:

Ingredient Name CAS-No.	Approx. Weight %	SARA 302	SARA 313	CERCLA RQ in lbs.
BUTYLBENZYL PHTHALATE 85-68-7	1 - 5			100

### SARA 311/312 Hazard Class:

Acute: yes  
Chronic: yes  
Flammability: no

Reactivity: no  
Sudden Pressure: no

## U.S. STATE REGULATIONS:

### Right to Know:

The specific chemical identity of a component may be withheld as a trade secret under 34 Pennsylvania Code, Chapter 317.

### Pennsylvania Right To Know:

PROPRIETARY INERT	Trade Secret
BUTYLBENZYL PHTHALATE	85-68-7

### Additional Non-Hazardous Materials

PROPRIETARY INERT	Trade Secret
WATER	7732-18-5
PROPRIETARY RESIN	Trade Secret

### California Proposition 65:

WARNING! This product contains a chemical known in the State of California to cause birth defects or other reproductive harm.

Rule 66 status of product Not photochemically reactive.

## INTERNATIONAL REGULATIONS - Chemical Inventories

### US TSCA Inventory:

All components of this product are in compliance with U.S. TSCA Chemical Substance Inventory Requirements.

### Canada Domestic Substances List:

All components of this product are listed on the Domestic Substances List.

## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

### HMIS Codes

Health:	1*
Flammability:	1
Reactivity:	1
PPE:	X - See Section 8 for Personal Protective Equipment (PPE).

### Abbreviations:

OSHA - Occupational Safety and Health Administration, IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer, NIOSH - National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health, NTP - National Toxicology Program, ACGIH - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists, SCAQMD - South Coast Air Quality Management District, TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act, IATA - International Air Transport Association, IMO - International Maritime Organization, DOT - Department of Transportation, NA - Not applicable, NOT ESTAB - Not established, N.A.V. - Not available, RQ - Reportable quantity, WT - Weight, MG/CU M - Milligrams per cubic meter, G/L - Grams per liter, MM - Millimeters, MPPCF - Millions of particles per cubic foot, PPM - parts per million, PPT - parts per thousand, TCC/PM - Tag closed cup / Pensky-Martens, PB - Lead, PEL - Permissible exposure level, TWA - Time Weighted Average, STEL - Short term exposure limit, C - Celsius, F - Fahrenheit.

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