

# SAFETY DATA SHEET



Conforms to regulation (EC) no. EU 453/2010

## SECTION 1 - IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

### 1.1 Product Identifier

Product Name: Uniscint BD

Product Number: LS-276

### 1.2 Relevant Identified Uses of the Substance/Mixture and Uses Advised Against

Investigational research by professional users

### 1.3 Details of the Supplier of the Safety Data Sheet

#### Manufacturer

National Diagnostics  
305 Patton Drive  
Atlanta, GA 30036  
(404) 699-2121  
(800) 526-3867  
info@nationaldiagnostics.com

### 1.4 Emergency Telephone Number

#### ChemTel Inc.

Contract number MIS8894340  
1-800 255-3924 (United States, Canada, Puerto Rico & US Virgin Islands)  
01-800-099-0731 (Mexico)  
400-120-0751 (China)  
000-800-100-4086 (India)  
1-300-954-583 (Australia)  
0-800-591-6042 (Brazil)  
+1-813-255-3924 (All other regions)

## SECTION 2 - HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### 2.1 Classification of the Substance or Mixture

#### Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [EU-GHS/CLP]

H302 - Acute Toxicity-Oral (Category 4)  
H312 - Acute Toxicity-Dermal (Category 4)  
H315 - Skin Corrosion/Irritation (Category 2)  
H319 - Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation (Category 2A)  
H332 - Acute Toxicity-Inhalation (Category 4)  
H412 - Chronic Hazards to the Aquatic Environment (Category 3)

### 2.2 Label Elements

#### GHS LABEL ELEMENTS AND CLASSIFICATION

##### GHS Label Elements



#### WARNING

H302 - Harmful if swallowed  
H312 - Harmful in contact with skin.  
H315 - Causes skin irritation.  
H319 - Causes serious eye irritation.  
H332 - Harmful if inhaled.  
H412 - Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.  
P301+P312 - IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician IF you feel unwell.  
P302+P352 - IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.  
P304+P341 - IF INHALED: If breathing is difficult, remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.  
P305+P351+P338 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

### 2.3 Other Hazards

None found.

## SECTION 3 - COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

### 3.2 Mixture

#### Chemical Names/Description

Aromatic hydrocarbons and surfactants with scintillation phosphors

### Component List

Component	% Comp.	CAS #	EC #	1278/2008 Classification
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Nalkylene	45 - 60	67774-74-7		N.A.
Alcohol ethoxylate phosphate ester	10 - 20	51811-79-1		H315, H319
Butoxy Ethanol	10 - 20	111-76-2	203-905-0	H302, H312, H315, H319, H332
Linear alkyl phenyl ethoxylates	10 - 20	9016-45-9	500-024-6	H315, H319, H411

## SECTION 4 - FIRST AID MEASURES

### 4.1 Description of First Aid Measures

#### Inhalation

Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Call a physician.

#### Ingestion

DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING because of danger of aspiration into the lungs. Get medical attention immediately. Adverse effects of aspiration into the lungs may be delayed up to 48 hours.

#### Skin

Immediately flush skin with plenty of soap and water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. Get medical attention. Wash clothing before reuse. Thoroughly clean shoes before reuse.

#### Eyes

Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least fifteen minutes, lifting lower and upper eyelids occasionally. Get medical attention immediately.

### 4.2 Most Important Symptoms and Effects, Both Acute and Delayed

#### Inhalation

##### Nalkylene:

Sore throat, coughing, labored breathing, sneezing and burning sensation, depending on the concentration and duration of exposure. May cause central nervous system depression or effects. Symptoms may include headache, excitation, euphoria, dizziness, incoordination, drowsiness, light-headedness, blurred vision, fatigue, tremors, convulsions, loss of consciousness, coma, respiratory arrest and death, depending on the concentration and duration of exposure.

##### Alcohol ethoxylate phosphate ester:

Discomfort in nose and throat, nasal discharge, coughing, difficulty breathing.

##### Butoxy Ethanol:

Burning in nose and throat, coughing. Headache, dizziness, drowsiness, fatigue, nausea.

##### Linear alkyl phenyl ethoxylates:

Discomfort in nose and throat, nasal discharge, coughing, difficulty breathing.

#### Ingestion

##### Nalkylene:

Salivation, pain, nausea, vomiting and diarrhea. Exposure may also cause central nervous system symptoms similar to those listed under Inhalation.

##### Alcohol ethoxylate phosphate ester:

Abdominal discomfort, nausea, and diarrhea.

##### Butoxy Ethanol:

Headache, dizziness, drowsiness, fatigue, nausea, vomiting.

##### Linear alkyl phenyl ethoxylates:

Abdominal discomfort, nausea, and diarrhea.

#### Skin

##### Nalkylene:

Drying, reddening, itching, and cracking. Repeated or prolonged contact with large amounts of this material may result in absorption through the skin to produce toxic effects.

##### Alcohol ethoxylate phosphate ester:

Local redness and swelling.

##### Butoxy Ethanol:

Redness, pain and itching.

##### Linear alkyl phenyl ethoxylates:

Local redness and swelling.

#### Eyes

##### Nalkylene:

Redness, tearing, and blurred vision.

##### Alcohol ethoxylate phosphate ester:

Excess blinking and tear production. Marked redness and swelling of the eye with injury to the cornea.

**Butoxy Ethanol:**  
Redness, tearing, and pain.

**Linear alkyl phenyl ethoxylates:**  
Excess blinking and tear production. Marked redness and swelling of the eye with injury to the cornea.

#### **4.3 Indication of Any Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment Needed**

Unknown/not applicable

### **SECTION 5 - FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

#### **5.1 Extinguishing media**

Water spray, dry chemical, alcohol-resistant foam, or carbon dioxide.

#### **5.2 Special Hazards Arising from the Substance/Mixture**

##### **Hazardous Combustion Products**

Fires involving this product may release carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, reactive hydrocarbons and irritating vapors.

##### **Hazardous Decomposition Products**

Combustion may produce toxic oxides of carbon, nitrogen, sulfur and reactive hydrocarbons.

##### **Hazardous Polymerization**

Will not occur under normal conditions of use (See Sections 10.4 & 10.5).

#### **5.3 Advice for Firefighters**

In the event of a fire, wear full protective clothing and NIOSH-approved self-contained breathing apparatus with full facepiece operated in the pressure demand or other positive pressure mode.

#### **5.4 Further Information**

No data available.

### **SECTION 6 - ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

#### **6.1 Personal Precautions**

Wear appropriate protective equipment as specified in Section 8.

#### **6.2 Environmental Precautions**

Prevent discharge into the environment. Dike spills and stop leakage where practical. Do not allow material to enter drains.

#### **6.3 Methods and Materials for Containment and Cleaning Up**

Eliminate source of ignition. Ventilate area. Cover with absorbent material (dry sand or earth) to confine spill and sweep or shovel into container. Close container tightly. Avoid breathing vapors.

#### **6.4 References to Other Sections**

For disposal information, see Section 13. For protective clothing and equipment, see Section 8.

### **SECTION 7 - HANDLING AND STORAGE**

#### **7.1 Precautions for Safe Handling**

Avoid contact and inhalation. Do not get in eyes, on skin, on clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling. Transfer methods should avoid static sparks. Use explosion proof ventilation.

#### **7.2 Conditions for Safe Storage (including any incompatibles)**

Keep in a tightly closed container, stored in a cooled, dry, ventilated area away from sources of heat or ignition. Protect from physical damage.

##### **Incompatibles**

**Nalkylene:**  
Oxidizing agents.

**Alcohol ethoxylate phosphate ester:**  
Oxidizing agents.

**Butoxy Ethanol:**  
Strong oxidizing agents. Strong bases and salts of strong bases at elevated temperatures. Aluminum surfaces.

**Linear alkyl phenyl ethoxylates:**  
Oxidizing agents.

#### **7.3 Specific End Uses**

Investigational research by professional users

### **SECTION 8 - EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PRECAUTIONS**

## 8.1 Control Parameters

### Component: Nalkylene

ACGIH Threshold Limit Value (TLV): none established  
OSHA Permissible Exposure Limit (PEL): None established

### Component: Alcohol ethoxylate phosphate ester

ACGIH Threshold Limit Value (TLV): none established  
OSHA Permissible Exposure Limit (PEL): None established

### Component: Butoxy Ethanol

ACGIH Threshold Limit Value (TLV): 25 ppm (skin)  
OSHA Permissible Exposure Limit (PEL): 25 ppm

### Component: Linear alkyl phenyl ethoxylates

ACGIH Threshold Limit Value (TLV): none established  
OSHA Permissible Exposure Limit (PEL): None established

## 8.2 Exposure Controls

### Engineering Controls

A system of local and/or general exhaust is recommended. Local exhaust ventilation is generally preferred because it can control the emissions of the contaminant at its source.

### Respiratory Protection

For conditions of use where exposure to the substance is apparent, consult an industrial hygienist. For emergencies, or instances where the exposure levels are not known, use a full-facepiece positive-pressure, air-supplied respirator.

### Eye Protection

Use chemical safety goggles and/or a full face shield where splashing is possible. Maintain eye wash fountain and quick-drench facilities in work area.

### Skin Protection

Wear protective gloves and clean body covering clothing.

## SECTION 9 - PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### 9.1 Information on Basic Physical & Chemical Properties

a. Appearance	Aromatic hydrocarbon	b. Odor	None
c. Odor Threshold	N.A.	d. pH	N.A.
e. Melting/Freezing Point (°C)	0	f. Boiling point (°C)	302-318
g. Flash Point (°C)	82	h. Evaporation Rate	Not measureable
i. Flammability	N.A.	j. Upper/Lower Flammability or Explosive Limits	N.D.
k. Vapor Pressure	< 0.1	l. Vapor Density (Air = 1)	Not determinable
m. Relative Density	0.91	n. Water Solubility	30% by weight @ 20C
o. Partition Coefficient n-octanol/water	Mixture	p. Autoignition Temperature (°C)	N.D.
q. Decomposition Temperature (°C)	N.A.	r. Viscosity	ND
s. Explosive Properties	N.A.	t. Oxidizing Properties	Not an oxidizer

## SECTION 10 - STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

### 10.1 Reactivity

Reacts with strong alkalai. May corrode metals.

### 10.2 Chemical Stability

Stable under ordinary conditions of use and storage.

### 10.3 Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

Will not occur under normal conditions of use (See Sections 10.4 & 10.5).

### 10.4 Conditions to Avoid

Heat, sources of ignition.

### 10.5 Incompatible Materials

**Nalkylene:**  
Oxidizing agents.

**Alcohol ethoxylate phosphate ester:**  
Oxidizing agents.

**Butoxy Ethanol:**

Strong oxidizing agents. Strong bases and salts of strong bases at elevated temperatures. Aluminum surfaces.

**Linear alkyl phenyl ethoxylates:**

Oxidizing agents.

**10.6 Hazardous Decomposition Products**

Combustion may produce toxic oxides of carbon, nitrogen, sulfur and reactive hydrocarbons.

**SECTION 11 - TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION****Product LD50 Values****Oral Rat LD50 (mg/kg)**

No Data

**Dermal Rabbit LD50 (mg/kg)**

No Data

**Component Cancer List Status**

	NTP Carcinogen		IARC Category
	Known	Anticipated	
Nalkylene	No	No	None
Alcohol ethoxylate phosphate ester	No	No	None
Butoxy Ethanol	No	No	None
Linear alkyl phenyl ethoxylates	No	No	None

**Potential Health Effects****Inhalation****Nalkylene**

Breathing of the mists, vapors or fumes may irritate the nose, throat and lungs.

**Alcohol ethoxylate phosphate ester**

Vapors or mist, especially as generated from heating the material or as from exposure in poorly ventilated areas or confined spaces, may be irritating and cause discomfort in nose and throat. Prolonged exposure may cause difficulty breathing.

**Butoxy Ethanol**

Vapors may cause irritation to the nose, throat, and respiratory tract and are toxic if inhaled.

**Linear alkyl phenyl ethoxylates**

Vapors or mist, especially as generated from heating the material or as from exposure in poorly ventilated areas or confined spaces, may be irritating and cause discomfort in nose and throat. Prolonged exposure may cause difficulty breathing.

**Ingestion****Nalkylene**

May cause irritation of the mouth, throat, and gastrointestinal tract. Exposure may also cause central nervous system symptoms.

**Alcohol ethoxylate phosphate ester**

May be harmful by ingestion.

**Butoxy Ethanol**

Moderately toxic if ingested.

**Linear alkyl phenyl ethoxylates**

May be harmful by ingestion.

**Skin****Nalkylene**

May cause skin irritation.

**Alcohol ethoxylate phosphate ester**

Brief contact may cause slight irritation. Prolonged contact, as with clothing wetted with material, may cause more severe irritation and discomfort.

**Butoxy Ethanol**

Product is mildly irritating to the skin and toxic if absorbed through the skin.

**Linear alkyl phenyl ethoxylates**

Brief contact may cause slight irritation. Prolonged contact, as with clothing wetted with material, may cause more severe irritation and discomfort.

**Eyes****Nalkylene**

Exposure to vapors, fumes or mists may cause irritation. Direct contact may cause irritation.

**Alcohol ethoxylate phosphate ester**

Causes irritation and possible injury to the cornea.

**Butoxy Ethanol**

Causes severe eye irritation.

**Linear alkyl phenyl ethoxylates**

Causes irritation and possible injury to the cornea.

## **Carcinogenicity**

**Nalkylene**

Not listed by NTP or IARC as a known or possible carcinogen.

**Alcohol ethoxylate phosphate ester**

Not listed by NTP or IARC as a known or possible carcinogen.

**Butoxy Ethanol**

Not listed as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP or IARC.

**Linear alkyl phenyl ethoxylates**

Not listed by NTP or IARC as a known or possible carcinogen.

## **Mutagenicity**

**Nalkylene**

No information available.

**Alcohol ethoxylate phosphate ester**

No information available.

**Butoxy Ethanol**

No information found.

**Linear alkyl phenyl ethoxylates**

No information available.

## **Reproductive Toxicity**

**Nalkylene**

No information available.

**Alcohol ethoxylate phosphate ester**

No information available.

**Butoxy Ethanol**

Inhalation exposure of pregnant rabbits caused some lethality to the dam and fetus at 200 ppm, but there were no effects at 100 ppm and below. Inhalation exposure to pregnant rats caused irritancy to the dams and related fetotoxicity at 200 and 100 ppm, but there were no effects at 50 ppm and below.

**Linear alkyl phenyl ethoxylates**

No information available.

## **Teratogenic Effects**

**Nalkylene**

No information available.

**Alcohol ethoxylate phosphate ester**

No information available.

**Butoxy Ethanol**

Has not been shown to cause birth defects.

**Linear alkyl phenyl ethoxylates**

No information available.

## **Routes of Entry**

**Nalkylene**

Ingestion, inhalation, skin contact.

**Alcohol ethoxylate phosphate ester**

Ingestion, inhalation.

**Butoxy Ethanol**

Inhalation, ingestion, skin contact.

**Linear alkyl phenyl ethoxylates**

Ingestion, inhalation.

## Target Organ Statement

### Nalkylene

No information available.

### Alcohol ethoxylate phosphate ester

No information available.

### Butoxy Ethanol

Preexisting skin, eye, and lung disorders may be aggravated by exposure.

### Linear alkyl phenyl ethoxylates

No information available.

## SECTION 12 - ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### 12.1 Toxicity

#### COMPONENT: Nalkylene

	Vertebrates	Invertebrates	Algae	Microorganisms
Aquatic Toxicity (ppm unless otherwise noted)	NOEC10 (14 days, zebrafish) >10ug/L	EC50 (daphnia)> 0.041 mg/l	EC50 (72 hrs) >100 ug/l	No data

	Birds	Arthropods	Plants	Microorganisms
Terrestrial Environment Toxicity (ppm unless otherwise noted)	No data	No data	No data	No data

#### COMPONENT: Alcohol ethoxylate phosphate ester

	Vertebrates	Invertebrates	Algae	Microorganisms
Aquatic Toxicity (ppm unless otherwise noted)	No data	No data	No data	No data

	Birds	Arthropods	Plants	Microorganisms
Terrestrial Environment Toxicity (ppm unless otherwise noted)	No data	No data	No data	No data

#### COMPONENT: Butoxy Ethanol

	Vertebrates	Invertebrates	Algae	Microorganisms
Aquatic Toxicity (ppm unless otherwise noted)	LC50 (96hr, trout) 1464mg/l	EC50 (48 hr daphnia) 1800 mg/L	EC50 (72 hr) 911mg/l	Toxicity Threshold 483mg/L

	Birds	Arthropods	Plants	Microorganisms
Terrestrial Environment Toxicity (ppm unless otherwise noted)	No data	No data	No data	No data

#### COMPONENT: Linear alkyl phenyl ethoxylates

	Vertebrates	Invertebrates	Algae	Microorganisms
Aquatic Toxicity (ppm unless otherwise noted)	No data	LC50(48hrs, daphnia) 1.821 mg/L	EC50 (48hrs) 20 mg/L	No data

	Birds	Arthropods	Plants	Microorganisms
Terrestrial Environment Toxicity (ppm unless otherwise noted)	No data	No data	No data	No data

### 12.2 Persistence and Degradability

#### Nalkylene

Readily biodegradable (>60% elimination in 28 days)

#### Alcohol ethoxylate phosphate ester

Not readily biodegradable- 13% elimination in 28 days

#### Butoxy Ethanol

Readily biodegradable (90% in 28 days)

#### Linear alkyl phenyl ethoxylates

Readily biodegradable >97% elimination in 30 days

### 12.3 Bioaccumulative Potential

#### Nalkylene

BCF 35

#### Alcohol ethoxylate phosphate ester

No data

#### Butoxy Ethanol

No data

Linear alkyl phenyl ethoxylates  
No data

## 12.4 Mobility in Soil

Nalkylene  
Log Koc 4.34

Alcohol ethoxylate phosphate ester  
Ultimate destination: water or sediment

Butoxy Ethanol  
No data

Linear alkyl phenyl ethoxylates  
No data

## 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB Assessment

Nalkylene  
Not PBT or vPvB

Alcohol ethoxylate phosphate ester  
No data

Butoxy Ethanol  
Not PBT/vPvB

Linear alkyl phenyl ethoxylates  
Substance is PBT / vPvB

## 12.6 Other Adverse Effects

Nalkylene  
None

Alcohol ethoxylate phosphate ester  
None

Butoxy Ethanol  
None

Linear alkyl phenyl ethoxylates  
None

## SECTION 13 - DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

### 13.1 Waste Treatment Methods

Offer surplus or non-recyclable product to licensed disposal company. Disposal is subject to user compliance with applicable law and product characteristics at time of disposal. Dispose of packaging as product.

## SECTION 14 - TRANSPORT INFORMATION

	ADR/RID	IATA	IMO	DOT
14.1 UN Number	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
14.2 Shipping Name	Not regulated.	Not regulated.	Not regulated.	Not regulated.
14.3 Hazard Class	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
14.4 Packing Group	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
14.5 Environmental Hazards	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
14.6 Special Precautions	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.

## SECTION 15 - REGULATORY INFORMATION

### 15.1 Safety, Health and Environmental Regulations/Legislation Specific for the Substance/Mixture

#### United States

##### TSCA Regulatory Statement

All intentional ingredients are listed on the TSCA Inventory.

##### SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

Component	Fire	Pressure	Reactivity	Acute	Chronic
Nalkylene	No	No	No	Yes	No
Alcohol ethoxylate phosphate ester	No	No	No	Yes	No
Butoxy Ethanol	Yes	No	No	Yes	No
Linear alkyl phenyl ethoxylates	No	No	No	Yes	No

#### Europe

##### EEC Regulatory

All intentional ingredients are listed on the European EINECS Inventory.



## SECTION 16 - OTHER INFORMATION

### Revisional Updates

4/26/2019 - Updated Section 1.4  
5/29/2015 - Updated Sections 2.1 and 3.2  
11/6/2013 - Released Version 1.0

### NFPA Codes

Health 1 Flammability 1 Reactivity 0

### Dangers

**Nalkylene**  
None

**Alcohol ethoxylate phosphate ester**  
H315 - Causes skin irritation.  
H319 - Causes serious eye irritation.

**Butoxy Ethanol**  
H302 - Harmful if swallowed  
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**Linear alkyl phenyl ethoxylates**  
H315 - Causes skin irritation.  
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H411 - Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

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