



Office Products Group

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

MSDS # 3000

Section One: Identification

Newell Rubbermaid, Inc. (Sanford L.P.)
2707 Butterfield Road
Oak Brook, IL 60523 USA
800-323-0749 or 630-481-2000

EMERGENCY MEDICAL NUMBER:

888-786-0972

Product Name: Sharpie Fine Point Marker, Sharpie Ultra Fine Point Marker, Sharpie Extra Fine Marker, Sharpie Chisel Tip Marker, Sharpie Twin Tip Marker, Super Sharpie Marker, Super Sharpie Twin Tip Marker, Sharpie Mini Fine Point Marker, Sharpie Micro Marker, Sharpie Grip Marker, Sharpie Retractable Fine Point Marker, Sharpie Magnum Marker, Sharpie King Size Marker, Sharpie Liquid Tip Marker.

Colors: All Colors

NewellRubbermaid, Inc (Sanford L.P.) is a member of The Art and Creative Materials Institute, Inc. This product is certified by the Institute to be labeled in accordance with the voluntary chronic hazard labeling standard ASTM D-4236 and is labeled with the AP Non Toxic Seal. Products bearing the AP Approved Product Seal of The Art and Creative Materials Institute, Inc. are certified in a program of toxicological evaluation by a medical expert, subject to review by the Institute Toxicology Advisory Board, to contain no materials in sufficient quantities to be toxic or injurious to humans, or to cause acute toxicity or chronic health problems.

Section Two: Hazard Identification

Not Hazardous under normal use conditions. Not for use on skin. Do not ingest. Contact with eyes may cause irritation.

Section Three: Composition

Dyes

Pigments

Solvent Mixture: Butanol (71-36-3), Propanol (71-23-8), Diacetone Alcohol (123-42-2), Ethanol (64-17-5)

Section Four: First Aid Measures

Inhalation: Remove source of irritation. If symptoms persist seek medical attention

Skin Contact: Wash with soap and water. If irritation persists seek medical attention.

Eye Contact: Rinse eyes with water, if irritation persists seek medical attention.

Ingestion: If symptoms occur seek medical attention.

Section Five: Fire Fighting Measures

Flash Point: N/A

Extinguishing Media: As appropriate for surrounding area.

Special Fire Fighting Measures: N/A

Hazardous combustion products: N/A

Section Six: Accidental Release Measures

In Case of Spill or Accidental Release: Wipe up with absorbent material.

Section Seven: Handling and Storage

Handling: Do not shake marker.

Storage: Keep cap on marker when not in use.

Section Eight: Exposure Controls and Personal Protection

Eye Protection: None under normal use conditions.

Clothing: None under normal use conditions.

Respirator: None under normal use conditions.



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Section Nine: Physical and Chemical Properties

Bolling Point: N/A
 Specific Gravity: N/A
 Vapor Pressure: N/A
 Solubility in Water: N/A
 Evaporation Rate: N/A
 Appearance/Odor: Marker/Alcohol (ink)

Section Ten: Stability and Reactivity

Stability: N/A
 Conditions to Avoid: Avoid exposure to heat, flame or other sources of ignition.
 Chemical Incompatibility: N/A
 Hazardous Polymerization: N/A.

Section Eleven: Toxicological Information

See Section Two: Hazard Identification for any hazards

Section Twelve: Ecological Information

Not available

Section Thirteen: Disposal Considerations

Dispose of in accordance with all Federal, State, and Local Regulations.

Section Fourteen: Transport Information

DOT: Not available
 IATA: Not available
 IMO: Not available

Section Fifteen: Regulatory Information

United States: All components in this product are listed on or exempt from reporting under the Federal Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA).

Section Sixteen: Other Information

HMIS Code	
Health	N/A
Flammability	N/A
Reactivity	N/A
Personal Protection	N/A

0=Minimal / 4 = Severe

NewellRubbermaid, Inc has been advised by Counsel that the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard and the Health Canada Workplace Hazardous Materials Information Standard do not apply to the Sanford Product described in this Material Safety Data Sheet. The reasons for the exemptions are contained in 29 CFR 1910.1200(b)(6)(ix) as amended Sept 14, 2009 per the Code of Federal Regulations and also Canadian Hazardous Products Act part 12 section (f) as amended June 1, 2009. The information contained in this MSDS is forwarded to you for your information, but is not meant to imply that the product is covered by nor is this MSDS meant to comply with all requirements of the hazard communication standards.

Hazard Communication Compliance Declaration

Newell-Rubbermaid (NWL) writing instruments comply with U.S. OSHA GHS Hazard Communication Standard of 29 CFR section 1910.1200 (OSHA HazCom 2012) by virtue of exemption as 'articles' and as 'consumer products' per 29 CFR section 1910.1200(b)(6)(v) and (ix). Therefore, GHS Safety Data Sheets are not required for our writing instruments.

An 'article' is defined in Section 1910.1200(c) "as a manufactured item other than a fluid or particle:

- Which is formed to a specific shape or design during manufacture;
- Which has end use function(s) dependent in whole or in part on its shape or design during end use; and
- Which, under normal conditions of use, does not release other than very small (minute or trace) amounts of a hazardous chemical and does not pose a physical hazard or health risk to employees."

The 'consumer product' exemption in 29 C.F.R. section 1910.1200(b)(6)(ix) states that:

- Any consumer product or hazardous substance, as those terms are defined in the Consumer Product Safety Act (15 U.S.C. 2051 et seq.) and Federal Hazardous Substances Act (15 U.S.C. 1261 et seq.) respectively, where the employer can show that it is used in the workplace for the purpose intended by the chemical manufacturer or importer of the product, and the use results in a duration and frequency of exposure which is not greater than the range of exposures that could reasonably be experienced by consumers when used for the purpose intended.

OSHA has consistently taken the position, in various rulemaking documents and interpretation letters, "most office products (such as pens, pencils, adhesive tape) to be exempt under the provisions of the rule, either as articles or as consumer products." Markers also fall into these exempted categories. This position is cited currently on [OSHA's website](#) in a letter from OSHA Assistant Secretary John A. Pendergrass to U.S. Congressman Jim Bunning. These examples are cited again in OSHA's FAQs on the [Hazard Communication Standard](#) which further reinforces that Newell-Rubbermaid writing products are exempt from Hazard Communication requirements, specifically GHS Safety Data Sheet documentation.

A non-exhaustive list is provided below of Newell-Rubbermaid writing instruments that qualify as 'articles' and 'consumer products' that are exempt from GHS Safety Data Sheet requirements:

- Prismacolor Premier Colored Pencils and Sharpeners
- Prismacolor Nupastels and Art Stix and Erasers
- Sharpie Permanent Markers
- Sharpie Pens
- Sharpie Highlighters (Clearview, Accent, etc)
- Paper Mate Pens (InkJoy, FlexGrip, Replay, etc)
- Paper Mate Mechanical Pencils
- Paper Mate Flair Pens
- Paper Mate Pearl Erasers
- Paper Mate Replay Premium Erasable Pens
- Expo Dry Erase Markers
- Expo Whiteboard Cleaner Wipes
- Expo Learning Boards
- Liquid Paper Correction Pens
- Liquid Paper Dryline Correction Tape
- Parker Fountain Pens
- Waterman Fountain Pens
- Rotring Tikky Ballpoint Pens
- Woodcase Pencils (Mongol, Mirado, etc)
- uni-ball pens

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