



# Material Safety Data Sheet

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## Section 1 - Product and Company Identification

### PRODUCT NAME & NUMBERS

#### PROMAR® 400 Interior Latex Flat

Black	B30B400	Antique White	B30W404
Pure White	(B30W401)	Navajo White	(B30W405)
Midtone Base	(B30W402)	Dover White	B30W406
Deeptone Base	B30W403	Extra White	B30W451

### HMIS CODES

Health	2*
Flammability	0
Reactivity	0

#### PROMAR® 400 Interior Latex Eg-Shel

Pure White	(B20W401)	Dover White	B20W406
Antique White	B20W404	Extra White	B20W451

#### PROMAR® 400 Interior Latex Semi-Gloss

Pure White	(B31W401)	Navajo White	B31W405
Midtone Base	(B31W402)	Dover White	B31W406
Deeptone Base	B31W403	Extra White	B31W451
Antique White	B31W404		

#### PROMAR® 400 Interior Latex Gloss

Extra White	B21W451
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MANUFACTURER'S NAME  
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## Section 2 - Composition/Information on Ingredients

CAS Number	Ingredient Name	CAS Number	Ingredient Name
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Listed products may contain the following ingredients based upon color.  
To obtain individual product MSDS or environmental data, call (216) 566-2902.

### Flat Colors

64742-54-7	Heavy Paraffinic Oil
14808-60-7	Quartz
14464-46-1	Cristobalite
1332-58-7	Kaolin
471-34-1	Calcium Carbonate.
13463-67-7	Titanium Dioxide
1333-86-4	Carbon Black
107-21-1	Ethylene Glycol
14807-96-6	Talc

### Semi-Gloss Colors

112-34-5	2-(2-Butoxyethoxy)-ethanol
107-21-1	Ethylene Glycol
14464-46-1	Cristobalite
471-34-1	Calcium Carbonate.
13463-67-7	Titanium Dioxide
1333-86-4	Carbon Black
1332-58-7	Kaolin
14807-96-6	Talc

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1332-58-7	Kaolin
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### Gloss Colors

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107-21-1	Ethylene Glycol
14464-46-1	Cristobalite
13463-67-7	Titanium Dioxide
1333-86-4	Carbon Black

**Section 2 – Composition/Information on Ingredients (continued)**

% WT.	CAS No.	Ingredient Name				
1 (B30W403 only)	64742-54-7	<b>Heavy Paraffinic Oil.</b>	ACGIH	TLV	5	mg/m3 as Mist
			OSHA	PEL	5	mg/m3 as Mist
max 2	112-34-5	<b>2-(2-Butoxyethoxy)-ethanol</b>	ACGIH	TLV	Not Established	0.1 mm
			OSHA	PEL	Not Established	
max 4	107-21-1	<b>Ethylene Glycol.</b>	ACGIH	TLV	50	ppm CEILING
			OSHA	PEL	50	ppm CEILING
max 17	14808-60-7	<b>Quartz</b>	ACGIH	TLV	0.05	mg/m3 as Respirable Dust
			OSHA	PEL	0.05	mg/m3 as Respirable Dust
max 3	14464-46-1	<b>Cristobalite</b>	ACGIH	TLV	0.05	mg/m3 as Respirable Dust
			OSHA	PEL	0.05	mg/m3 as Respirable Dust
max 4	1332-58-7	<b>Kaolin</b>	ACGIH	TLV	2	mg/m3 as Respirable Dust
			OSHA	PEL	10	mg/m3 Total Dust
			OSHA	PEL	5	mg/m3 Respirable Fraction
max 13	471-34-1	<b>Calcium Carbonate.</b>	ACGIH	TLV	10	mg/m3 as Dust
			OSHA	PEL	15	mg/m3 Total Dust
			OSHA	PEL	5	mg/m3 Respirable Fraction
max 17	13463-67-7	<b>Titanium Dioxide.</b>	ACGIH	TLV	10	mg/m3 as Dust
			OSHA	PEL	10	mg/m3 Total Dust
			OSHA	PEL	5	mg/m3 Respirable Fraction
max 2	1333-86-4	<b>Carbon Black.</b>	ACGIH	TLV	3.5	mg/m3
			OSHA	PEL	3.5	mg/m3
<3% due to tinting	14807-96-6	<b>Talc</b>	ACGIH	TLV	2	mg/m3 as Respirable Dust
			OSHA	PEL	2	mg/m3 as Respirable Dust

**Section 3 – Hazards Identification**

## ROUTES OF EXPOSURE

Exposure may be by INHALATION and/or SKIN or EYE contact, depending on conditions of use. To minimize exposure, follow recommendations for proper use, ventilation, and personal protective equipment.

## EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE

Irritation of eyes, skin and upper respiratory system. In a confined area vapors in high concentration may cause headache, nausea or dizziness.

## SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF OVEREXPOSURE

Redness and itching or burning sensation may indicate eye or excessive skin exposure.

## MEDICAL CONDITIONS AGGRAVATED BY EXPOSURE

None generally recognized.

## CANCER INFORMATION

FOR COMPLETE DISCUSSION OF TOXICOLOGY DATA REFER TO SECTION 11.

## Section 4 – First Aid Measures

- If INHALED: If affected, remove from exposure. Restore breathing. Keep warm and quiet.
- If on SKIN: Wash affected area thoroughly with soap and water. Remove contaminated clothing and launder before re-use.
- If in EYES: Flush eyes with large amounts of water for 15 minutes. Get medical attention.
- If SWALLOWED: Do not induce vomiting. Get medical attention immediately.

## Section 5 – Fire Fighting Measures

FLASH POINT	LEL	UEL
None	N.A.	N.A.

FLAMMABILITY CLASSIFICATION

Not Applicable

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA

Carbon Dioxide, Dry Chemical, Alcohol Foam

UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS

Closed containers may explode (due to the build-up of pressure) when exposed to extreme heat.

SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES

Full protective equipment including self-contained breathing apparatus should be used. Water spray may be ineffective. If water is used, fog nozzles are preferable. Water may be used to cool closed containers to prevent pressure build-up and possible autoignition or explosion when exposed to extreme heat.

## Section 6 – Accidental Release Measures

STEPS TO BE TAKEN IN CASE MATERIAL IS RELEASED OR SPILLED

Remove all sources of ignition. Ventilate and remove with inert absorbent.

## Section 7 – Handling and Storage

DOL STORAGE CATEGORY

Not Applicable

PRECAUTIONS TO BE TAKEN IN HANDLING AND STORAGE

Keep container closed when not in use. Transfer only to approved containers with complete and appropriate labeling. Do not take internally. Keep out of the reach of children.

## Section 8 – Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

PRECAUTIONS TO BE TAKEN IN USE

Use only with adequate ventilation. Avoid breathing vapor and spray mist. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Wash hands after using.

These coatings may contain materials classified as nuisance particulates (listed "as Dust" in Section 2) which may be present at hazardous levels only during sanding or abrading of the dried film. If no specific dusts are listed in Section 2, the applicable limits for nuisance dusts are ACGIH TLV 10 mg/m<sup>3</sup> (total dust), 3 mg/m<sup>3</sup> (respirable fraction), OSHA PEL 15 mg/m<sup>3</sup> (total dust), 5 mg/m<sup>3</sup> (respirable fraction).

Removing or disturbing old paint from interior or exterior surfaces by sanding, scraping, abrading or other means may produce dust, debris or fumes that contain lead. Exposure to lead dust, debris or fumes may cause brain damage or other adverse health effects, especially in children and pregnant women. Structures built before 1978 should be tested by a licensed inspector prior to removing or disturbing old paint. For more information, call the National Lead Information Center at 1-800-424-LEAD (in US) or contact your local health authority.

## Section 8 – Exposure Controls/Personal Protection (continued)

### VENTILATION

Local exhaust preferable. General exhaust acceptable if the exposure to materials in Section 2 is maintained below applicable exposure limits. Refer to OSHA Standards 1910.94, 1910.107, 1910.108.

### RESPIRATORY PROTECTION

If personal exposure cannot be controlled below applicable limits by ventilation, wear a properly fitted organic vapor/particulate respirator approved by NIOSH/MSHA for protection against materials in Section 2.

When sanding or abrading the dried film, wear a dust/mist respirator approved by NIOSH/MSHA for dust which may be generated from this product, underlying paint, or the abrasive.

### PROTECTIVE GLOVES & EYE PROTECTION

Wear gloves recommended by glove supplier for protection against materials in Section 2. Wear safety spectacles with unperforated sideshields.

## Section 9 – Physical and Chemical Properties

PRODUCT WEIGHT	9.6-11.4 lb/gal	EVAPORATION RATE	Slower than Ether
SPECIFIC GRAVITY	1.16-1.37	VAPOR DENSITY	Heavier than Air
BOILING POINT	212-448 °F	MELTING POINT	N.A.
VOLATILE VOLUME	61-81 %	SOLUBILITY IN WATER	N.A.
pH	9.0-9.5		
VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS (VOC Theoretical)			
0.4-1.0 lb/gal	Less Federally Exempt Solvents		
0.1-0.4 lb/gal	Emitted VOC		

## Section 10 – Stability and Reactivity

STABILITY - Stable

CONDITIONS TO AVOID - None known.

INCOMPATIBILITY - None known.

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS - By fire: Carbon Dioxide, Carbon Monoxide

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION - Will not occur

## Section 11 – Toxicological Information

### CHRONIC HEALTH HAZARDS

Crystalline Silica (Quartz, Cristobalite) is listed by IARC and NTP. Long term exposure to high levels of silica dust, which can occur only when sanding or abrading the dry film, may cause lung damage (silicosis) and possibly cancer.

Carbon Black is classified by IARC as possibly carcinogenic to humans (group 2B) based on experimental animal data, however, there is insufficient evidence in humans for its carcinogenicity.

Ethylene Glycol is considered an animal teratogen. It has been shown to cause birth defects in rats and mice at high doses when given in drinking water or by gavage. There is no evidence to indicate it causes birth defects in humans.

Prolonged overexposure to solvent ingredients in Section 2 may cause adverse effects to the liver and urinary systems.

Rats exposed to titanium dioxide dust at 250 mg./m<sup>3</sup> developed lung cancer, however, such exposure levels are not attainable in the workplace.

### TOXICOLOGY DATA

CAS No.	Ingredient Name		
64742-54-7	<b>Heavy Paraffinic Oil.</b>		
	LC50	RAT	4HR
			Not Established
	LD50	RAT	
			Not Established

## TOXICOLOGY DATA (continued)

CAS No.	Ingredient Name				
112-34-5	<b>2-(2-Butoxyethoxy)-ethanol</b>	LC50	RAT	4HR	Not Established
		LD50	RAT		5660 mg/kg
107-21-1	<b>Ethylene Glycol.</b>	LC50	RAT	4HR	Not Established
		LD50	RAT		4700 mg/kg
14808-60-7	<b>Quartz</b>	LC50	RAT	4HR	Not Established
		LD50	RAT		Not Established
14464-46-1	<b>Cristobalite</b>	LC50	RAT	4HR	Not Established
		LD50	RAT		Not Established
1332-58-7	<b>Kaolin</b>	LC50	RAT	4HR	Not Established
		LD50	RAT		Not Established
471-34-1	<b>Calcium Carbonate.</b>	LC50	RAT	4HR	Not Established
		LD50	RAT		Not Established
13463-67-7	<b>Titanium Dioxide.</b>	LC50	RAT	4HR	Not Established
		LD50	RAT		>7500 mg/kg
1333-86-4	<b>Carbon Black.</b>	LC50	RAT	4HR	Not Established
		LD50	RAT		>15400 mg/kg
14807-96-6	<b>Talc</b>	LC50	RAT	4HR	Not Established
		LD50	RAT		Not Established

**Section 12 – Ecological Information – No data available.****Section 13 – Disposal Considerations**

## WASTE DISPOSAL METHOD

Waste from these products is not hazardous as defined under the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) 40 CFR 261.

Incinerate in approved facility. Do not incinerate closed container. Dispose of in accordance with Federal, State, and Local regulations regarding pollution.

**Section 14 – Transport Information**

DOT PROPER SHIPPING DESCRIPTION: Paint and Related Materials, NOIBN

IATA/IMDG SHIPPING DESCRIPTION: Paint and Related Materials, NOIBN

**Section 15 – Regulatory Information**

## SARA 313 (40 CFR 372.65C) SUPPLIER NOTIFICATION

CAS No.	CHEMICAL/COMPOUND	% by WT	% Element
107-21-1	Ethylene Glycol.	maximum 4	
	Glycol Ethers	maximum 2	

## CALIFORNIA PROPOSITION 65

WARNING: These products contain chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer and birth defects or other reproductive harm.

## TSCA CERTIFICATION

All chemicals in these products are listed, or are exempt from listing, on the TSCA Inventory.

## Section 16 – Other Information

*CANADIAN DISTRIBUTOR: Sherwin-Williams Canada  
180 Brunel Rd.  
Mississauga, ON L4Z 1T5*

NOTE: These products have been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the CPR and the MSDS contains all of the information required by the CPR.

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