SAFETY DATA SHEET
GRIPTOP LD HARDENER

SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1. Product identifier

Product name GRIPTOP LD HARDENER

Internal identification GRIPTOPLDH/10

1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Identified uses Component of polyurethane floor coating system

Uses advised against No specific uses advised against are identified.

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Supplier

Don Construction Products Ltd.,
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Helions Bumpstead Road
Haverhill
Suffolk
CB9 7AA
Tel: 01538 361799 Mon-Fri 08:30 - 17:00 (excl bank holidays)
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E-Mail: info.uk@dcp-int.com

1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency telephone 01538 361799 Mon-Fri 8.30am - 5.00pm (excluding Bank Holidays)

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification (EC 1272/2008)

Physical hazards Not Classified

Health hazards Acute Tox. 4 - H332 Skin Irrit. 2 - H315 Eye Irrit. 2 - H319 Resp. Sens. 1 - H334 Skin Sens. 1 - H317 Carc. 2 - H351 STOT SE 3 - H335 STOT RE 2 - H373

Environmental hazards Not Classified

Classification (67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC) Xn; R20, R48/20/21/22. Xi; R36/37/38. Carc. Cat. 3 R40. R42/43

Human health See Section 11 for additional information on health hazards. May cause sensitisation by inhalation.

Environmental The product will harden into a solid mass in contact with water and moisture. The resultant material is not biodegradable.

2.2. Label elements

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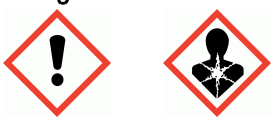
Pictogram



Signal word	Danger
Hazard statements	H315 Causes skin irritation. H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction. H319 Causes serious eye irritation. H332 Harmful if inhaled. H334 May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled. H335 May cause respiratory irritation. H351 Suspected of causing cancer. H373 May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.
Precautionary statements	P260 Do not breathe vapour/ spray. P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection. P284 [In case of inadequate ventilation] wear respiratory protection. P303+P361+P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower. P304+P340 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep 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. P313 Get medical advice/ attention.
Contains	METHYLENEDIPHENYL DIISOCYANATE, DIPHENYLMETHANEDIISOCYANATE - ISOMERS & HOMOLOGUES
Supplementary precautionary statements	P264 Wash contaminated skin thoroughly after handling. P270 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. P271 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. P403+P233 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. P501 Dispose of contents/ container in accordance with local regulations.

2.3. Other hazards

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.2. Mixtures

METHYLENEDIPHENYL DIISOCYANATE **60-100%**

CAS number: 26447-40-5 EC number: 247-714-0

Classification

Acute Tox. 4 - H332
Skin Irrit. 2 - H315
Eye Irrit. 2 - H319
Resp. Sens. 1 - H334
Skin Sens. 1 - H317
Carc. 2 - H351
STOT SE 3 - H335
STOT RE 2 - H373

Classification (67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC)

Carc. Cat. 3;R40 Xn;R20,R48/20 Xi;R36/37/38 R42/43

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DIPHENYLMETHANEDIISOCYANATE - ISOMERS & HOMOLOGUES	10-30%
CAS number: 9016-87-9	

Classification	Classification (67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC)
Acute Tox. 2 - H330 Skin Irrit. 2 - H315 Eye Irrit. 2 - H319 Resp. Sens. 1 - H334 Skin Sens. 1 - H317 Carc. 2 - H351 STOT SE 3 - H335 STOT RE 2 - H373	Xn;R20,R48/20. Carc. Cat. 3;R40. Xi;R36/37/38. R42/43.

The Full Text for all R-Phrases and Hazard Statements are Displayed in Section 16.

Composition comments Polyisocyanate pre-polymer

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

General information Remove affected person from source of contamination.

Inhalation Move affected person to fresh air at once. Get medical attention.

Ingestion Rinse mouth thoroughly with water. Give plenty of water to drink. Do not induce vomiting. Get medical attention.

Skin contact Remove contaminated clothing immediately and wash skin with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation persists after washing.

Eye contact Rinse immediately with plenty of water. Continue to rinse for at least 15 minutes and get medical attention.

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

General information The severity of the symptoms described will vary dependent on the concentration and the length of exposure.

Inhalation Harmful if inhaled. May cause respiratory irritation. May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.

Ingestion May cause discomfort if swallowed.

Skin contact Skin irritation. May cause an allergic skin reaction.

Eye contact Irritation of eyes and mucous membranes.

4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Notes for the doctor Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media Extinguish with foam, carbon dioxide or dry powder.

Unsuitable extinguishing media Do not use water, if avoidable.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

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Specific hazards Oxides of carbon. Oxides of nitrogen. Hydrogen cyanide (HCN).

Hazardous combustion products Oxides of carbon. Oxides of nitrogen. When heated, vapours/gases hazardous to health may be formed.

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Protective actions during firefighting No specific firefighting precautions known.

Special protective equipment for firefighters Wear positive-pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) and appropriate protective clothing.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions Wear suitable protective equipment, including gloves, goggles/face shield, respirator, boots, clothing or apron, as appropriate. Use suitable respiratory protection if ventilation is inadequate. Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions Avoid discharge into drains or watercourses or onto the ground.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up Contain spillage with sand, earth or other suitable non-combustible material. Containers with collected spillage must be properly labelled with correct contents and hazard symbol. Do not close container tightly. Risk of excess pressure build-up.

6.4. Reference to other sections

Reference to other sections For personal protection, see Section 8. See Section 11 for additional information on health hazards. For waste disposal, see section 13.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Usage precautions Avoid inhalation of vapours. Provide adequate ventilation.

Advice on general occupational hygiene Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Good personal hygiene procedures should be implemented.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage precautions Keep separate from food, feedstuffs, fertilisers and other sensitive material. Store in tightly-closed, original container in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

Specific end use(s) The identified uses for this product are detailed in Section 1.2.

SECTION 8: Exposure Controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

Occupational exposure limits

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Long-term exposure limit (8-hour TWA): WEL 0.02 mg/m3(Sen)
Short-term exposure limit (15-minute): WEL 0.07 mg/m3(Sen)

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Long-term exposure limit (8-hour TWA): WEL 0.02 mg/m3(Sen)
Short-term exposure limit (15-minute): WEL 0.07 mg/m3(Sen)

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WEL = Workplace Exposure Limit

8.2. Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls	Provide adequate general and local exhaust ventilation. Avoid inhalation of vapours. Observe any occupational exposure limits for the product or ingredients.
Personal protection	Always check applicability with your supplier of protective equipment.
Eye/face protection	If there is a risk of splashing, wear chemical resistant goggles or visor approved to BS EN166.
Hand protection	Chemical-resistant, impervious gloves complying with an approved standard should be worn if a risk assessment indicates skin contact is possible. Nitrile gloves to BSEN374 are recommended. Break through times can vary depending on thickness, use and source. Change gloves regularly.
Other skin and body protection	Wear suitable protective clothing as protection against splashing or contamination. Wear apron or protective clothing in case of contact.
Hygiene measures	Use engineering controls to reduce air contamination to permissible exposure level. Provide eyewash station. Remove contaminated clothing and wash the skin thoroughly with soap and water after work. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
Respiratory protection	In the case of hypersensitivity of the respiratory tract (eg asthmatics and those who suffer from chronic bronchitis) it is inadviseable to work with this product. In case of inadequate ventilation use a respirator suitable for organic vapours. Consult respirator manufacturer for specific advice.
Environmental exposure controls	Residues and empty containers should be taken care of as hazardous waste according to local and national provisions.

SECTION 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	Viscous liquid.
Colour	Dark. Brown.
Odour	Mild.
Odour threshold	Not determined.
pH	Not applicable.
Melting point	Not applicable.
Initial boiling point and range	200°C @
Flash point	>200°C CC (Closed cup).
Evaporation rate	Not applicable.
Evaporation factor	Not applicable.
Flammability (solid, gas)	Not applicable.
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	Not applicable.
Other flammability	Not applicable.
Vapour pressure	<0.01 Pa @ °C
Vapour density	Not determined.
Relative density	1.2 approx @ 20°C

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Bulk density	Not determined.
Solubility(ies)	Reacts with water.
Partition coefficient	Not applicable.
Auto-ignition temperature	Not applicable.
Decomposition Temperature	Not applicable.
Explosive properties	Not applicable.
Explosive under the influence of a flame	Not considered to be explosive.
Oxidising properties	Not known.
Comments	Information given is applicable to the product as supplied.

9.2. Other information

Other information	None.
Refractive index	Not determined.
Particle size	Not applicable.
Molecular weight	Not determined.
Volatility	Not determined.
Saturation concentration	Not determined.
Critical temperature	Not determined.
Volatile organic compound	Not determined.

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

Reactivity	The product will harden into a solid mass in contact with water and moisture. Reactions with the following materials may generate heat: Acids. Alcohols, glycols. Amines.

10.2. Chemical stability

Stability	Stable under the prescribed storage conditions.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Possibility of hazardous reactions	Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous reactions will not occur. No potentially hazardous reactions known.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Conditions to avoid	Water, moisture.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Materials to avoid	Amines. Alcohols, glycols. Reacts with water forming carbon dioxide. Risk of bursting owing to increased pressure in closed containers.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products	Oxides of carbon. Oxides of nitrogen.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

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11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Toxicological effects No information available.

Acute toxicity - oral

Notes (oral LD_{50}) No specific test data are available.

Acute toxicity - dermal

Notes (dermal LD_{50}) No specific test data are available.

Acute toxicity - inhalation

Notes (inhalation LC_{50}) No specific test data are available.

ATE inhalation (vapours mg/l) 12.22

Skin corrosion/irritation

Skin corrosion/irritation Irritating to skin.

Animal data No specific test data are available.

Human skin model test No specific test data are available.

Extreme pH No specific test data are available.

Serious eye damage/irritation

Serious eye damage/irritation Irritation of eyes is assumed.

Respiratory sensitisation

Respiratory sensitisation Sensitising.

Skin sensitisation

Skin sensitisation Sensitising.

Germ cell mutagenicity

Genotoxicity - in vitro No specific test data are available.

Genotoxicity - in vivo No specific test data are available.

Carcinogenicity

Carcinogenicity Suspected of causing cancer.

Target organ for carcinogenicity No specific target organs known.

IARC carcinogenicity Not listed.

Reproductive toxicity

Reproductive toxicity - fertility No specific test data are available.

Reproductive toxicity - development Not considered to be toxic to the reproductive system.

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

STOT - single exposure No specific test data are available.

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

STOT - repeated exposure May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

General information The product contains small quantities of isocyanate. May cause respiratory allergy. May cause respiratory system irritation.

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Inhalation	Harmful by inhalation. Vapours irritate the respiratory system. May cause coughing and difficulties in breathing. May cause sensitisation by inhalation.
Ingestion	May cause discomfort if swallowed.
Skin contact	Prolonged or repeated contact may lead to skin sensitisation
Eye contact	Irritation of eyes and mucous membranes.
Acute and chronic health hazards	Prolonged exposure to the preparation may cause serious health effects. Frequent inhalation of vapours may cause respiratory allergy. Suspected of causing cancer. May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure. May cause allergic contact eczema.
Route of entry	Inhalation Skin and/or eye contact
Target organs	Eyes Respiratory system, lungs Skin
Medical symptoms	Skin irritation. Irritation of eyes and mucous membranes. Gas or vapour in high concentrations may irritate the respiratory system. Symptoms following overexposure may include the following: Headache. Fatigue. Nausea, vomiting. Prolonged or repeated exposure may cause the following adverse effects: Allergic rash. General respiratory distress, unproductive cough. Difficulty in breathing.
Medical considerations	Skin disorders and allergies. Pre-existing eye problems. Chronic respiratory and obstructive airway diseases.

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Acute toxicity - inhalation

ATE inhalation (vapours mg/l)	11.0

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Acute toxicity - oral

Acute toxicity oral (LD_{50} mg/kg)	10,000.0
Species	Rat
ATE oral (mg/kg)	10,000.0

Acute toxicity - dermal

Acute toxicity dermal (LD_{50} mg/kg)	9,400.0
Species	Rabbit
ATE dermal (mg/kg)	9,400.0

Acute toxicity - inhalation

Acute toxicity inhalation (LC_{50} vapours mg/l)	0.31
Species	Rat
Acute toxicity inhalation (LC_{50} dust/mist mg/l)	0.31
Species	Rat

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ATE inhalation (dusts/mists mg/l)	0.31
Skin corrosion/irritation	
Skin corrosion/irritation	Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.
Animal data	Slightly irritating.
Germ cell mutagenicity	
Genotoxicity - in vitro	Ames test: Negative.
Carcinogenicity	
Carcinogenicity	Dose level: 0-0.2, 1-6 mg/m³, Inhalation, Rat
Target organ for carcinogenicity	Respiratory system, lungs
Reproductive toxicity	
Reproductive toxicity - fertility	No specific test data are available.
Reproductive toxicity - development	Teratogenicity: - NOAEL: 12 mg/m³, Inhalation, Rat Maternal toxicity: - NOAEL: 4 mg/m³, Inhalation, Rat Developmental toxicity: - NOAEL: 4 mg/m³, Inhalation, Rat
Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure	
STOT - single exposure	, Inhalation, A single exposure may cause the following adverse effects: Asthma, pulmonary sensitisation.
Target organs	Respiratory tract
Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure	
STOT - repeated exposure	, Inhalation, High concentrations may cause severe lung damage.
Target organs	Respiratory tract
Aspiration hazard	
Aspiration hazard	Not relevant.

SECTION 12: Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity The product should not be allowed to enter drains, sewers or watercourses.

12.1. Toxicity

Toxicity	Not measured. Do not allow to enter waterways or drains
Acute toxicity - fish	Not determined
Acute toxicity - aquatic invertebrates	Not determined.
Acute toxicity - aquatic plants	Not determined.
Acute toxicity - microorganisms	Not determined.
Acute toxicity - terrestrial	Not determined.
Chronic toxicity - fish early life stage	Not determined.

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Short term toxicity - embryo and sac fry stages	Not determined.
Chronic toxicity - aquatic invertebrates	Not determined.

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Acute toxicity - fish	LC_{50}, 96 hours: >1000 mg/l, Brachydanio rerio (Zebra Fish)
Acute toxicity - aquatic invertebrates	EC_{50}, 24 hours: >1000 mg/l, Daphnia magna
Acute toxicity - aquatic plants	, 72 hours: >1640 mg/l, Scenedesmus subspicatus
Acute toxicity - microorganisms	EC_{50}, 3 hours: >100 mg/l, Activated sludge
Acute toxicity - terrestrial	NOEC, 14 days: >1000 mg/kg, Eisenia Fetida (Earthworm)
Chronic toxicity - aquatic invertebrates	NOEC, 21 days: >10 mg/l, Daphnia magna

12.2. Persistence and degradability

Persistence and degradability	The product reacts with water to form a solid, insoluble reaction product which is not biodegradable.
Phototransformation	Not determined.
Stability (hydrolysis)	Not determined.
Biodegradation	Not readily biodegradable.
Biological oxygen demand	Not determined.
Chemical oxygen demand	Not determined.

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Persistence and degradability	Not readily biodegradable.
Stability (hydrolysis)	Reacts with water.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulative potential	No data available on bioaccumulation.
Partition coefficient	Not applicable.

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Bioaccumulative potential	BCF: < 14, Cyprinus carpio (Common carp)

12.4. Mobility in soil

Mobility	The product is non-volatile.
Adsorption/desorption coefficient	Not determined.

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Henry's law constant Not determined.

Surface tension Not determined.

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment This substance is not classified as PBT or vPvB according to current EU criteria.

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Results of PBT and vPvB assessment This substance is not classified as PBT or vPvB according to current EU criteria.

12.6. Other adverse effects

Other adverse effects None known.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

General information Residues and empty containers should be taken care of as hazardous waste according to local and national provisions.

Disposal methods Should be disposed of as hazardous waste via a licensed waste operator.

SECTION 14: Transport information

General The product is not covered by international regulations on the transport of dangerous goods (IMDG, IATA, ADR/RID).

14.1. UN number

14.2. UN proper shipping name

14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

Transport labels
No transport warning sign required.

14.4. Packing group

14.5. Environmental hazards

Environmentally hazardous substance/marine pollutant
No.

14.6. Special precautions for user

14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL and the IBC Code

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

National regulations Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations 2002 (as amended).

Guidance Workplace Exposure Limits EH40.
Safety Data Sheets for Substances and Preparations.

Authorisations (Title VII Regulation 1907/2006) No specific authorisations are known for this product.

Restrictions (Title VIII Regulation 1907/2006) No specific restrictions on use are known for this product.

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15.2. Chemical safety assessment

No chemical safety assessment has been carried out.

SECTION 16: Other information

General information	Don Construction Products Ltd. Technical Datasheet.
Key literature references and sources for data	Health and Safety Executive Guidance Note EH40 (amended annually). Workplace Exposure Limits.
Revision comments	Section 1 update
Revision date	01/03/2017
Revision	10
Supersedes date	31/05/2016
SDS status	Approved.
Risk phrases in full	R20 Harmful by inhalation. R36/37/38 Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin. R40 Limited evidence of a carcinogenic effect. R42/43 May cause sensitisation by inhalation and skin contact. R48/20 Harmful: danger of serious damage to health by prolonged exposure through inhalation.
Hazard statements in full	H315 Causes skin irritation. H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction. H319 Causes serious eye irritation. H332 Harmful if inhaled. H334 May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled. H335 May cause respiratory irritation. H351 Suspected of causing cancer. H373 May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.