

# Safety Data Sheet

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## 1 Identification

### Product identifier

Trade name: ***Kovara® AB 300***

SDS ID Number: 2930

### Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture, and uses advised against:

Specialty construction product. Not intended for other uses.  
Moisture Barrier

### Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

#### Manufacturer/Supplier:

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**Transport Emergency:** Chemtrec +1-800-424-9300 (24 hours)

## 2 Hazard(s) identification

### Classification of the substance or mixture

Harmful if inhaled.  
Causes skin irritation.  
Causes serious eye irritation.  
May cause cancer.  
Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child.  
May cause respiratory irritation.  
May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

### Label elements:

#### Hazard pictograms



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Danger

### Hazard statements

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Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child.  
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**Precautionary statements**

Avoid breathing gas.  
 Avoid release to the environment.  
 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.  
 If on skin: Wash with plenty of water.  
 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.  
 If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.  
 IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.  
 Call a poison center/doctor if you feel unwell.  
 Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.  
 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

**NFPA ratings (scale 0 - 4)**

Health = 1  
 Fire = 1  
 Reactivity = 0

**HMIS-ratings (scale 0 - 4)**

Health = \*1  
 Flammability = 1  
 Reactivity = 0

**Other hazards****Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

**PBT:** Not applicable.  
**vPvB:** Not applicable.

**3 Composition/information on ingredients****Chemical characterization: Mixture****Hazardous components:**

50-00-0	Formaldehyde	<0.1%
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**Additional information:**

This material is capable of releasing formaldehyde into the air at concentrations reaching or exceeding 0.1 ppm.  
 Non-hazardous ingredients may be listed in Section 15; Right-To-Know disclosure.

**4 First-aid measures****Description of first aid measures**

**General information:** Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.

**After inhalation:** If experiencing respiratory symptoms: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor.

**After skin contact:** Clean and wash with water and soap. In case of skin irritation see the doctor.

**After eye contact:**

Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes.  
 If symptoms persist, consult a physician.

**After swallowing:** Due to physical nature of this product, ingestion is not likely.

**Information for doctor:**

**Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed** No further relevant information available.

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Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed No further relevant information available.

**5 Fire-fighting measures****Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture** No further relevant information available.**Advice for firefighters****Protective equipment:** Wear personal protective equipment.**Additional information** Collect contaminated fire fighting water separately. It must not enter the sewage system.**6 Accidental release measures****Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.

**Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:** Pick up mechanically.**Reference to other sections**

See Section 7 for information on safe handling.

See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.

See Section 13 for disposal information.

**7 Handling and storage****Handling:****Precautions for safe handling**

Wash thoroughly after handling.

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

Wash skin after handling.

For professional use only. Keep out of children's reach.

**Information about protection against explosions and fires:** No special measures required.**Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities****Storage:****Information about storage in one common storage facility:** No special measures required.**Further information about storage conditions:** Keep receptacle tightly sealed.**Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.**8 Exposure controls/personal protection****Additional information about design of technical systems:** No further data; see item 7.**Control parameters****Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:****50-00-0 Formaldehyde**

PEL (USA)	Short-term value: 2 ppm Long-term value: 0.75 ppm see 29 CFR 1910.1048(c)
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REL (USA)	Long-term value: 0.016 ppm Ceiling limit value: 0.1* ppm *15-min; See Pocket Guide App. A
TLV (USA)	Short-term value: 0.37 mg/m <sup>3</sup> , 0.3 ppm Long-term value: 0.12 mg/m <sup>3</sup> , 0.1 ppm DSEN; RSEN

**Additional information:** The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.

### Exposure controls

#### Personal protective equipment:

#### General protective and hygienic measures:

Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

The usual precautionary measures for handling chemicals should be followed.

#### Breathing equipment:

Atmospheric levels should be maintained below the exposure guideline.

A NIOSH approved respirator for Formaldehyde vapor is required whenever exposures exceed regulatory limits. For additional information, refer to US OSHA regulations 29 CFR 1910.§134

**Protection of hands:** Gloves should be worn to prevent skin contact and should be impermeable and resistant to the product.

**Material of gloves** Rubber or other impervious gloves should be worn to prevent skin contact.

#### Eye protection:



Safety glasses with side shield protection.

#### Body protection:

Use personal protective equipment as required.

Take off contaminated clothing.

## 9 Physical and chemical properties

### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

#### General Information

##### Appearance:

Form:	Solid
Color:	According to product specification
Odor:	Slightly sweet
Odor threshold:	Not determined.

pH-value (~): Not applicable.

#### Change in condition

Melting point/Melting range:	Not applicable.
Boiling point/Boiling range:	Not applicable.
Flash point:	Not applicable.

Flammability (solid, gaseous): Not determined.

Ignition temperature: Undetermined.

Decomposition temperature: Not determined.

Auto igniting: Not determined.

Danger of explosion: Product does not present an explosion hazard.

#### Explosion limits:

Lower:	Not determined.
Upper:	Not determined.

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<b>VOC Content (max):</b>	Not determined.
<b>Vapor pressure:</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Density: (~)</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Relative density</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Vapor density</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Solubility in / Miscibility with Water:</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Viscosity:</b>	
<b>Dynamic:</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Kinematic:</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Molecular weight</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Other information</b>	No further relevant information available.

\* **10 Stability and reactivity**

**Reactivity** Stable under normal conditions.

**Chemical stability**

**Thermal decomposition:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.

**Possibility of hazardous reactions** No dangerous reactions known.

**Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.

**Incompatible materials:** No further relevant information available.

**Hazardous decomposition products:** Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide

\* **11 Toxicological information**

**Delayed and immediate effects and chronic effects from short or long term exposure**

May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

**Information on toxicological effects**

**Acute toxicity:**

**LD/LC50 values relevant for classification:**

**50-00-0 Formaldehyde**

Dermal	LD50	270 mg/kg (rabbit)
Inhalation	LC50, 4h	>200 mg/l (rat)

**Primary irritant effect:**

**on the skin:** Causes skin irritation.

**on the eye:** Causes serious eye irritation.

**inhalation:**

Harmful if inhaled.

May cause respiratory irritation.

**Ingestion:** May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

**Additional toxicological information:**

Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child.

May cause cancer.

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**Carcinogenic categories****IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer) Human Carcinogenicity:**  
**Group 1- Positive, Group 2A- Probable, Group 2B- Possible, Group 3- Not Classifiable**

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**NTP (National Toxicology Program)****K–Known to be carcinogenic, R–May reasonably be anticipated to be carcinogenic**

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**OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety & Health Administration)**

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**12 Ecological information****Toxicity****Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.**Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.**Behavior in environmental systems:****Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.**Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.**Results of PBT and vPvB assessment****PBT:** Not applicable.**vPvB:** Not applicable.**Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.**13 Disposal considerations****Disposal methods:**

Consult all regulations (federal, state, provincial, local) or a qualified waste disposal firm when characterizing product for disposal. Dispose of waste in accordance with all applicable regulations.

**Recommendation:**

Must not be disposed of together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.

**Uncleaned packagings:****Recommendation:** Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.**14 Transport information****UN-Number**

DOT, IMDG, IATA

Not applicable.

**UN proper shipping name**

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**Transport hazard class(es)**

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Class Not applicable.

**Packing group**

DOT, IMDG, IATA

Not applicable.

**Environmental hazards:**

Marine pollutant:

No

**Special precautions for user**

Not applicable.

**Transport/Additional information:** Not classified as a dangerous good for transport by road, rail or air.

DOT

Remarks:

Not Regulated.

**UN "Model Regulation":**

Not applicable.

**15 Regulatory information****SARA (Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act)****Section 302/304 (extremely hazardous substances):**

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**Section 313 Reportable Ingredients (Chemicals present below reporting threshold are exempt):**

None of the ingredients is listed.

**SARA Section 312/Tier I & II Hazard Categories:**

Health Hazard - Carcinogenicity

Health Hazard - Acute toxicity (any route of exposure)

Health Hazard - Reproductive toxicity

Health Hazard - Skin Corrosion or Irritation

Health Hazard - Serious eye damage or eye irritation

Health Hazard - Specific target organ toxicity (single or repeated exposure)

**North America Chemical Inventory Status****TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act - United States):**

All ingredients are listed or exempt from listing unless otherwise noted below.

**CEPA (Canadian DSL):**

All ingredients are listed or exempt from listing unless otherwise noted below.

**California Proposition 65: (Substances <0.1% unless noted in Section 3)****Chemicals known to cause cancer:**

Formaldehyde

**Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for females:**

None of the ingredients is listed.

**Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for males:**

None of the ingredients is listed.

**Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity:**

None of the ingredients is listed.

**Carcinogenicity Categories**

TLV-ACGIH (THE American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists)

Human Carcinogen - A1 Confirmed, A2 Suspected, A3 Unknown Relevance, A4 Not Classifiable

None of the ingredients is listed.

**NIOSH-Cancer (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)**

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**Volatile Organic Compounds (VOC) reported per the Emission Standards.**

If no g/L value is provided this product is not subject to above standard.

**16 Other information**

The data included herein are presented in accordance with various environment, health and safety regulations. It is the responsibility of a recipient of the data to remain currently informed on chemical hazard information, to design and update its own program and to comply with all national, federal, state and local laws and regulations applicable to safety, occupational health, right-to-know and environmental protection.

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