### Section 1. Chemical Product and Company Identification

**Product Name/Trade name:** Hard As Nails  
**Code:** 659  
**Version Number:** 2.0  
**Validation Date:** 10/12/2009  
**Print Date:** 10/12/2009  
**Manufacturer/Supplier:** Betco Corporation  
1001 Brown Avenue  
Toledo, Ohio 43607  
(800) 333-2156  
**TSCA:** TSCA Inventory: All components listed or are exempt from listing.  
**DSL/NSDL:** All components listed unless noted elsewhere on this MSDS  
**In Case of Emergency:** CHEMTREC (800) 424-9300

### Section 2. Composition and Information on Ingredients

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<th>% by Weight</th>
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<td>Acrylate Copolymer</td>
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| Diethylene Glycol Ethyl Ether | 111-90-0   | 1 - 5       | TWA: 25 ppm  
CEIL: 25 ppm  
ACGIH TLV (United States):  
TWA: 100 ppm  8 hour(s).  
STEL: 150 ppm 15 minute(s). | ORAL (LD50): Acute: 5540 mg/kg [Rat].  
Not available.          |
| Dipropylene Glycol Methyl Ether | 34590-94-8 | 1 - 5       | Not available.                                       | Not available.          |
| Tributoxyethyl Phosphate      | 78-51-3    | 1 - 5       | Not available.                                       | Not available.          |
| Oxidized Ethylene Copolymer   | 68441-17-8 | 1 - 2       | Not available.                                       | Not available.          |
| Ethoxylated Secondary Alcohol | TSRN       | 0.1 - 1     | Not available.                                       | Not available.          |
| Potassium Hydroxide           | 1310-58-3  | 0.1 - 1     | Not available.                                       | ORAL (LD50): Acute: 365 mg/kg [Rat]. |

### Section 3. Hazards Identification

**Potential Acute Health Effects:** Hazardous in case of eye contact (irritant), of ingestion. Slightly hazardous in case of skin contact (irritant).  
**Potential Chronic Health Effects:** Repeated skin exposure can produce local skin destruction, or dermatitis.  
**Carcinogenic Effects:** Not classified or listed by IARC, NTP, OSHA, EU and ACGIH.
Section 4. First Aid Measures

**Eye Contact** Check for and remove any contact lenses. In case of contact, immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Cold water may be used. Get medical attention.

**Skin Contact** Wash with soap and water. Cover the irritated skin with an emollient. Get medical attention if irritation develops. Cold water may be used.

**Inhalation** If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention if symptoms appear.

**Ingestion** Do NOT induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If large quantities of this material are swallowed, call a physician immediately. Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband.

Section 5. Fire Fighting Measures

**Products of Combustion** Not established

**Fire Fighting Media and Instructions** In case of fire, use water spray (fog), foam, dry chemical, or CO₂.

**Special Remarks on Fire Hazards** No additional remark.

**Special Remarks on Explosion Hazards** No additional remark.

Section 6. Accidental Release Measures

**Small Spill and Leak** Dilute with water and mop up, or absorb with an inert dry material and place in an appropriate waste disposal container.

**Large Spill and Leak** Absorb with an inert material and put the spilled material in an appropriate waste disposal. Absorb with DRY earth, sand or other non-combustible material. Do not allow any potentially contaminated water including rain water, runoff from fire fighting or spills to enter any waterway, sewer or drain.

**Personal Protection in Case of a Large Spill** Splash goggles. Full suit. Boots. Gloves. Suggested protective clothing might not be sufficient; consult a specialist BEFORE handling this product.

Section 7. Handling and Storage

**Precautions** Do not ingest. Do not breathe gas/fumes/vapor/spray. Avoid contact with eyes. Wear suitable protective clothing. If ingested, seek medical advice immediately and show the container or the label. Keep away from incompatibles such as oxidizing agents, acids, alkalies.

**Incompatibility** Reactive with oxidizing agents, acids, alkalies.

**Storage** Keep container tightly closed. Keep container in a cool, well-ventilated area.

Section 8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

**Engineering Controls** Good general ventilation should be sufficient to control airborne levels. Ventilation is normally required when handling or using this product. If user operations generate dust, fumes or mist, use ventilation to keep exposure to airborne contaminants below the exposure limit.

**Personal Protection**

- **Eyes** Safety glasses.
- **Body** Long sleeves and pants to avoid skin contact.
- **Respiratory** Wear appropriate respirator when ventilation is inadequate.
- **Hands** Nitrile gloves. Butyl gloves.

**Protective Clothing (Pictograms)**

Exposure Limits See Section 2 For Applicable Exposure Limits
### Section 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

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<td>Melting/Freezing Point</td>
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<td>Critical Temperature</td>
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**Dispersion Properties** See solubility in water, methanol, acetone.

**Solubility** Easily soluble in methanol, acetone. Partially soluble in cold water, hot water.

**The Product is:** Non-flammable.

**Auto-ignition Temperature** Not applicable.

**Flash Points** Not applicable.

**Flammable Limits** Not applicable.

**Fire Hazards in Presence of Various Substances** Not applicable.

**Explosion Hazards in Presence of Various Substances** Not available.

### Section 10. Stability and Reactivity Data

**Stability** The product is stable.

**Incompatibility with Various Substances** Reactive with oxidizing agents, acids, alkalis.

**Hazardous Decomposition Products** Not available.
### Section 11. Toxicological Information

**Routes of Entry**
- Dermal contact
- Eye contact
- Inhalation
- Ingestion

**Toxicity to Animals**
Acute oral toxicity (LD50): 5540 mg/kg [Rat]. (Diethylene Glycol Ethyl Ether).

**Acute Effects on Humans**
- **Eyes** Hazardous in case of eye contact (irritant).
- **Skin** Sensitization of the product: Not available. Slightly hazardous in case of skin contact (irritant). Skin inflammation is characterized by itching, scaling, reddening, or, occasionally, blistering.
- **Inhalation** May be irritating to respiratory system, especially at elevated temperatures.
- **Ingestion** Hazardous in case of ingestion.

**Chronic Effects on Humans**
Repeated skin exposure can produce local skin destruction, or dermatitis.

**Special Remarks on Toxicity to Animals**
No additional remark.

**Special Remarks on Chronic Effects on Humans**
No additional remark.

### Section 12. Ecological Information

**Ecotoxicity**
Not available.

**BOD5 and COD**
Not available.

**Products of Biodegradation**
These products are nitrogen oxides (NO, NO₂...).

**Toxicity of the Products of Biodegradation**
Not available.

**Special Remarks on the Products of Biodegradation**
Not available.

### Section 13. Disposal Considerations

**Waste Information**
Waste must be disposed of in accordance with federal, state and local environmental control regulations.

**Waste Stream**
Not available.

### Section 14. Transport Information

**DOT (U.S.A) (Pictograms)**

**TDG Classification**
- Not applicable.

**PIN UN, Proper Shipping Name, PG**
Not applicable.

**Maritime Transportation**
Not available.
Section 15. Other Regulatory Information and Pictograms

WHMIS (Classification)  WHMIS Class D-2: Material causing other toxic effects.

Regulatory Lists  No products were found.

Other Regulations  Not available or of its ingredients

Other Classifications

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<td>This product does not contain a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects or other reproductive harm at or above Safe Harbor Levels unless specifically noted below.</td>
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<td>Lists</td>
<td>Massachusetts RTK: Formaldehyde</td>
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<td>SARA 311/312 MSDS distribution - chemical inventory - hazard identification: Diethylene Glycol Ethyl Ether: Fire hazard</td>
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<td>DSD (EEC)</td>
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Hazardous Material Information System (U.S.A.)

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The Hazard Ranking systems presented on this MSDS provide only a quick reference for hazard information. The ENTIRE MSDS must be consulted to determine any specific hazards, First Aid measures, and PPE associated with this product.

Section 16. Other Information

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Verified by CRushton.  
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