# **Safety Data Sheet**



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## 1. IDENTIFICATION

Product Identifier

Product Name BIO COLD FLOW IMPROVER

Other means of identification

SDS # BELL-037

UN/ID No NA1993

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

**Recommended Use** Fuel additive.

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Supplier Address Bell Performance Inc

1340 Bennett Drive Longwood, FL 32750

**Emergency Telephone Number** 

Company Phone Number 407-831-5021

Emergency Telephone (24 hr) INFOTRAC 1-352-323-3500 (International)

1-800-535-5053 (North America)

## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Appearance Clear to hazy amber liquid Physical State Liquid Odor Solvent

## Classification

Acute toxicity - Inhalation (Dusts/Mists)	Category 4
Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 2
Germ cell mutagenicity	Category 1B
Carcinogenicity	Category 1B
Aspiration toxicity	Category 1
Flammable Liquids	Category 4

## **Hazards Not Otherwise Classified (HNOC)**

May be harmful in contact with skin

## Signal Word

Danger

## **Hazard Statements**

Harmful if inhaled
Causes skin irritation
May cause genetic defects
May cause cancer
May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways
Combustible liquid

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## **Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Obtain special instructions before use
Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood
Use personal protective equipment as required
Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray
Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area
Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling
Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. — No smoking

## **Precautionary Statements - Response**

If exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention

IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing

IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician

Do not induce vomiting

IN CASE OF FIRE: Use CO2, dry chemical, or foam for extinction

#### **Precautionary Statements - Storage**

Store locked up

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool

## **Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

#### **Other Hazards**

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

## 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	CAS No	Weight-%
Xylene	1330-20-7	Proprietary
Mineral Spirits	8052-41-3	Proprietary
Ethylbenzene	100-41-4	Proprietary
Naphtha (petroleum), heavy aromatic	64742-94-5	Proprietary

<sup>\*\*</sup>If Chemical Name/CAS No is "proprietary" and/or Weight-% is listed as a range, the specific chemical identity and/or percentage of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.\*\*

## 4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

#### First Aid Measures

Eye Contact Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes.

Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a

poison center or doctor/physician.

**Skin Contact** Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contaminated

clothing and shoes. Seek medical attention if irritation develops.

Inhalation Remove to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. If breathing has stopped, give

artificial respiration. Get medical attention immediately.

Ingestion Do not induce vomiting. Rinse mouth. Immediately call a poison center or doctor/physician.

#### Most important symptoms and effects

**Symptoms** Direct contact with eyes will cause irritation. Causes skin irritation. May cause respiratory

irritation. Ingestion may cause central nervous system depression. Ingestion may cause nausea, vomiting, dizziness, and headache. May cause red blood cell hemolysis and possible liver and kidney injury if sufficient quantities of concentrate are swallowed. May aggravate pre-existing skin conditions. May aggravate pre-existing liver and kidney

disorders.

## Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Notes to Physician Treat symptomatically.

# 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

## Suitable Extinguishing Media

Carbon dioxide (CO2). Dry chemical. Foam.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media Water may be ineffective, but can be used to protect firefighters and cool containers.

#### Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical

Combustible liquid and vapor. Vapors are heavier than air and may accumulate in low areas or areas inadequately ventilated. Vapors may also travel along the ground to be ignited at location distant from handling site; flashback of flame to handling site may occur. Never use welding or cutting torch on or near drum (even empty), because product (even just residue) can ignite explosively. This material may produce a floating fire hazard in extreme fire conditions.

Hazardous Combustion Products Carbon monoxide. Carbon dioxide (CO2). Smoke. Aldehydes. Reactive hydrocarbons. Organic compounds.

Sensitivity to Static Discharge Susceptible to static discharge if heated above the flash point.

#### Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

## Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

**Personal Precautions** Remove all sources of ignition. Observe all personal protection equipment

recommendations described in Sections 5 & 8.

For Emergency Responders Follow all fire fighting procedures in Section 5.

**Environmental Precautions** Prevent from entering into soil, ditches, sewers, waterways and/or groundwater. See

Section 12, Ecological Information. See Section 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS.

#### Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

**Methods for Containment** Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

**Methods for Clean-Up** Take up with sand or other non-combustible absorbent material and place into containers

for later disposal. Use clean non-sparking tools to collect absorbed material.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

## Precautions for safe handling

**Advice on Safe Handling** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid contact with

skin, eyes or clothing. Use personal protection recommended in Section 8. Obtain special instructions before use. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. — No smoking. Ground/bond container and receiving equipment. Avoid breathing vapors or mists. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. Keep cool. Do not transfer to unmarked containers. Keep containers closed when not in use. Wash face, hands, and any exposed skin

thoroughly after handling.

## Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

**Storage Conditions** Keep container tightly closed and store in a cool, dry and well-ventilated place. Store away

from ignition sources and incompatible materials. Store locked up. Protect from excessive heat. Keep out of the reach of children. Care should be taken to ensure product is not

introduced to drinking water or foodstuffs.

**Incompatible Materials** Strong oxidizing agents. Strong bases. Strong reducing agents. Do not mix with other

chemicals.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

## **Exposure Guidelines**

Chemical Name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
Xylene 1330-20-7	STEL: 150 ppm TWA: 100 ppm	TWA: 100 ppm TWA: 435 mg/m³ (vacated) TWA: 100 ppm (vacated) TWA: 435 mg/m³ (vacated) STEL: 150 ppm (vacated) STEL: 655 mg/m³	-
Mineral Spirits 8052-41-3	TWA: 100 ppm	TWA: 500 ppm TWA: 2900 mg/m³ (vacated) TWA: 100 ppm (vacated) TWA: 525 mg/m³	IDLH: 20000 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Ceiling: 1800 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15 min TWA: 350 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Ethylbenzene 100-41-4	TWA: 20 ppm	TWA: 100 ppm TWA: 435 mg/m³ (vacated) TWA: 100 ppm (vacated) TWA: 435 mg/m³ (vacated) STEL: 125 ppm (vacated) STEL: 545 mg/m³	IDLH: 800 ppm TWA: 100 ppm TWA: 435 mg/m³ STEL: 125 ppm STEL: 545 mg/m³
1,2,4 Trimethylbenzene 95-63-6	-	-	TWA: 25 ppm TWA: 125 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

#### Appropriate engineering controls

**Engineering Controls** Apply technical measures to comply with the occupational exposure limits. Eyewash

stations. Showers.

## Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

**Eye/Face Protection** Chemical safety goggles/faceshield.

**Skin and Body Protection** Suitable protective clothing. Impervious gloves such as nitrile are recommended for

operations which may result in prolonged or repeated skin contact.

**Respiratory Protection** Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. In case of inadequate ventilation

wear respiratory protection.

General Hygiene Considerations Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Take off all

contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this

product.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

## Information on basic physical and chemical properties

**Physical State** Liquid

Appearance Odor Clear to hazy amber liquid Solvent

Color Clear to amber **Odor Threshold** Not determined

Remarks • Method Property Values

Ha Not determined **Melting Point/Freezing Point** Not determined **Boiling Point/Boiling Range** > 168 °C / >335 °F Flash Point 62 °C / 144 °F

**Evaporation Rate** < 1

Flammability (Solid, Gas) Liquid-not applicable **Upper Flammability Limits** Not determined **Lower Flammability Limit** Not determined **Vapor Pressure** Not determined **Vapor Density** Not determined **Specific Gravity** 0.815 @ 75°F **Water Solubility** Partially soluble

Solubility in other solvents Not determined **Partition Coefficient** Not determined **Auto-ignition Temperature** Not determined **Decomposition Temperature** Not determined **Kinematic Viscosity** Not determined **Dynamic Viscosity** Not determined **Explosive Properties** Not determined **Oxidizing Properties** Not determined Pensky-Martens Closed Cup (PMCC)

(butyl acetate = 1)

# 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

#### Reactivity

Not reactive under normal conditions.

## **Chemical Stability**

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

## **Possibility of Hazardous Reactions**

None under normal processing.

**Hazardous Polymerization** Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

## **Conditions to Avoid**

Keep out of reach of children. Keep away from sources of ignition such as heat, sparks or open flames. See Sec. 7 Handling & Storage.

#### **Incompatible Materials**

Strong oxidizing agents. Strong bases. Strong reducing agents. Do not mix with other chemicals.

## **Hazardous Decomposition Products**

Carbon monoxide. Carbon dioxide (CO2). Smoke. Aldehydes. Hydrocarbons. Organic compounds.

# 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

## Information on likely routes of exposure

**Product Information** 

**Eye Contact** Avoid contact with eyes.

**Skin Contact** Causes skin irritation. May be harmful in contact with skin.

Inhalation Harmful if inhaled.

Ingestion Do not ingest.

## **Component Information**

Chemical Name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Xylene 1330-20-7	= 4300 mg/kg ( Rat )	> 1700 mg/kg ( Rabbit )	= 5000 ppm (Rat) 4 h = 47635 mg/L (Rat) 4 h
Ethylbenzene 100-41-4	= 3500 mg/kg ( Rat )	= 15354 mg/kg ( Rabbit )	= 17.2 mg/L (Rat) 4 h
Naphtha (petroleum), heavy aromatic 64742-94-5	> 5000 mg/kg(Rat)	> 2000 mg/kg(Rabbit)	> 590 mg/m³(Rat) 4 h
1,2,4 Trimethylbenzene 95-63-6	= 3400 mg/kg ( Rat )	> 3160 mg/kg ( Rabbit )	= 18 g/m <sup>3</sup> (Rat) 4 h

## Information on physical, chemical and toxicological effects

**Symptoms** Please see section 4 of this SDS for symptoms.

## Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Germ cell mutagenicity May cause genetic defects.

Carcinogenicity May cause cancer.

Chemical Name	ACGIH	IARC	NTP	OSHA
Xylene 1330-20-7		Group 3		
Ethylbenzene 100-41-4	A3	Group 2B		X

## Legend

ACGIH (American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists)

IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)

Group 2B - Possibly Carcinogenic to Humans

Group 3 IARC components are "not classifiable as human carcinogens"

OSHA (Occupational Safety and Health Administration of the US Department of Labor)

X - Present

**Aspiration hazard** May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.

## **Numerical measures of toxicity**

Not determined

# 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

# **Ecotoxicity**

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

## **Component Information**

Chemical Name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Toxicity to microorganisms	Crustacea
Xylene 1330-20-7		13.4: 96 h Pimephales promelas mg/L LC50 flow-through 2.661 - 4.093: 96 h Oncorhynchus mykiss mg/L LC50 static 13.5 - 17.3: 96 h Oncorhynchus mykiss mg/L LC50 13.1 - 16.5: 96 h Lepomis macrochirus mg/L LC50 flow-through 19: 96 h Lepomis macrochirus mg/L LC50 7.711 - 9.591: 96 h Lepomis macrochirus mg/L LC50 static 23.53 - 29.97: 96 h Pimephales promelas mg/L LC50 static 780: 96 h Cyprinus carpio mg/L LC50 semi-static 780: 96 h Cyprinus carpio mg/L LC50 30.26 - 40.75: 96 h Poecilia reticulata mg/L LC50 static	EC50 = 0.0084 mg/L 24 h	3.82: 48 h water flea mg/L EC50 0.6: 48 h Gammarus lacustris mg/L LC50
Ethylbenzene 100-41-4	4.6: 72 h Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata mg/L EC50 438: 96 h Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata mg/L EC50 2.6 - 11.3: 72 h Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata mg/L EC50 static 1.7 - 7.6: 96 h Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata mg/L EC50 static	11.0 - 18.0: 96 h Oncorhynchus mykiss mg/L LC50 static 4.2: 96 h Oncorhynchus mykiss mg/L LC50 semi-static 7.55 - 11: 96 h Pimephales promelas mg/L LC50 flow-through 32: 96 h Lepomis macrochirus mg/L LC50 static 9.1 - 15.6: 96 h Pimephales promelas mg/L LC50 static 9.6: 96 h Poecilia reticulata mg/L LC50 static	EC50 = 9.68 mg/L 30 min EC50 = 96 mg/L 24 h	1.8 - 2.4: 48 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50
Naphtha (petroleum), heavy aromatic 64742-94-5	2.5: 72 h Skeletonema costatum mg/L EC50	19: 96 h Pimephales promelas mg/L LC50 static 2.34: 96 h Oncorhynchus mykiss mg/L LC50 1740: 96 h Lepomis macrochirus mg/L LC50 static 45: 96 h Pimephales promelas mg/L LC50 flow-through 41: 96 h Pimephales promelas mg/L LC50		0.95: 48 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50
1,2,4 Trimethylbenzene 95-63-6		7.19 - 8.28: 96 h Pimephales promelas mg/L LC50 flow- through		6.14: 48 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50

## Persistence/Degradability

Not determined.

# Bioaccumulation Not determined.

#### Mobility

Chemical Name	Partition Coefficient
Xylene 1330-20-7	3.15
Ethylbenzene 100-41-4	3.118
Naphtha (petroleum), heavy aromatic 64742-94-5	6.1
1,2,4 Trimethylbenzene 95-63-6	3.63

## **Other Adverse Effects**

Not determined

# 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

## **Waste Treatment Methods**

Disposal of Wastes Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and

regulations.

Contaminated Packaging Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and

regulations.

## **US EPA Waste Number**

Chemical Name	RCRA	RCRA - Basis for Listing	RCRA - D Series Wastes	RCRA - U Series Wastes
Xylene		Included in waste stream:		U239
1330-20-7		F039		
Ethylbenzene		Included in waste stream:		
100-41-4		F039		

## California Hazardous Waste Status

Chemical Name	California Hazardous Waste Status
Xylene	Toxic
1330-20-7	Ignitable
Ethylbenzene	Toxic
100-41-4	Ignitable

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

**Note**Please see current shipping paper for most up to date shipping information, including

exemptions and special circumstances. Based on package size, product may be eligible for

limited quantity exception.

<u>DOT</u> In containers of 119 gallons capacity or less this product is not regulated by DOT

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**Proper Shipping Name** Combustible liquid, n.o.s. (hydrocarbon mixture)

Hazard Class Comb liq
Packing Group III

IATA Not regulated

<u>IMDG</u>

Marine Pollutant Manufacturer lists this product as "Not a marine pollutant"

# 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

## **International Inventories**

Chemical Name	TSCA	DSL	NDSL	EINECS	ELINCS	ENCS	IECSC	KECL	PICCS	AICS
Xylene	Present	Χ		Present		Present	Χ	Present	Х	Χ
Mineral Spirits	Present	Х		Present		Present	Х	Present	Х	Х
Ethylbenzene	Present	Х		Present		Present	Х	Present	Х	Х
Naphtha (petroleum), heavy aromatic	Present	Х		Present		Present	Х	Present	Х	Х

## Legend:

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances

ENCS - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances

IECSC - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

KECL - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

## US Federal Regulations

#### **CERCLA**

Chemical Name	Hazardous Substances RQs	CERCLA/SARA RQ	Reportable Quantity (RQ)
Xylene	100 lb		RQ 100 lb final RQ
1330-20-7			RQ 45.4 kg final RQ
Ethylbenzene	1000 lb		RQ 1000 lb final RQ
100-41-4			RQ 454 kg final RQ

# SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

Acute Health Hazard Yes
Chronic Health Hazard Yes
Fire Hazard Yes
Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard No
Reactive Hazard No

#### **SARA 313**

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product contains a chemical or chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372

Chemical Name	CAS No	Weight-%	SARA 313 - Threshold Values %
Xylene - 1330-20-7	1330-20-7	Proprietary	1.0
Ethylbenzene - 100-41-4	100-41-4	Proprietary	0.1
1,2,4 Trimethylbenzene - 95-63-6	95-63-6	Proprietary	1.0

# **CWA (Clean Water Act)**

Chemical Name	CWA - Reportable Quantities	CWA - Toxic Pollutants	CWA - Priority Pollutants	CWA - Hazardous Substances
Xylene	100 lb			Χ
Ethylbenzene	1000 lb	X	X	Х

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## **US State Regulations**

#### **California Proposition 65**

This product contains the following Proposition 65 chemicals.

Chemical Name	California Proposition 65	
Ethylbenzene - 100-41-4	Carcinogen	

#### U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

Chemical Name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania
Xylene 1330-20-7	X	X	X
Mineral Spirits 8052-41-3	X	X	X
Ethylbenzene 100-41-4	X	X	X
1,2,4 Trimethylbenzene 95-63-6	Х	X	X

## **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

NFPAHealth HazardsFlammabilityInstabilitySpecial Hazards220Not determinedHMISHealth HazardsFlammabilityPhysical HazardsPersonal ProtectionNot determinedNot determinedNot determinedNot determined

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