

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET  
LA 6553 CLEAR

MANUFACTURER'S NAME:  
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Wayne, N.J. 07470

INFORMATION AND EMERGENCY  
PHONE NUMBER: 973-694-0845

IN CASE OF SPILL OR LEAK INVOLVING  
THIS MATERIAL-CALL CHEMTREC 24  
HOURS A DAY AT 800-424-9300

DATE OF PREPARATION: 05-29-02

DOT NAME & NO.:

ADHESIVES, UN1133

SECTION I - PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION

PRODUCT NAME: LA 6553 CLEAR

HMIS RATINGS: H F R PP  
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SECTION II - HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS

THE FOLLOWING \* ARE REPORTABLE UNDER SARA TITLE III-SECTION 313:

TOP FIVE AND/OR

HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS:

CAS NUMBER

ACGIH  
TLV

OSHA PEL

Tetrahydrofuran 53-58%  
Acetone 16-21%  
Vinyl Acetate < 0.3%  
TSR # 1397250002-5085P

109-99-9  
67-64-1  
\* 108-05-4

200  
750  
10

200  
750  
20 ppm

\*\*Above exposure limits are for air levels only. When skin contact occurs,  
overexposure may result though air levels are less than limits listed above.

SECTION III - PHYSICAL DATA

BOILING Point: 133 Deg F.

VAPOR DENSITY: 2.00

VAPOR PRESSURE (mm Hg @ TEMP): 180.86 @ 20 deg C or 68 F

SPECIFIC GRAVITY: 0.96

WEIGHT/GAL: 7.98

APPEARANCE AND ODOR: Clear light yellow liquid. Characteristic solvent odor.

VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUND #/GAL.: 5.83

VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUND KG/LITER: 0.70

SECTION IV - FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA

FLASH POINT: < 0 Deg. F.

METHOD USED: TCC

FLAMMABLE LIMITS IN AIR % LEL 2.0

UEL 12.8

AUTO IGNITION TEMPERATURE: 610 Deg. F.

EXTINGUISH MEDIA: Co 2, foam, dry chemical

SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURE:

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NIOSH/MSHA -approved self-contained breathing apparatus should be worn. Use water spray to cool fire exposed structures and disperse vapor cloud if fire is not present.

UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD:

Vapor is heavier than air and may travel considerable distance to source of ignition and flashback.

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SECTION V - REACTIVITY DATA  
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STABILITY: Stable

INCOMPATIBILITY (MATERIALS TO AVOID);

N/A

CONDITIONS TO AVOID:

Avoid heat, open flames, sparks, hot surfaces, and oxidizing agents.

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS:

Oxides of carbon. Hydrogen chloride.

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION: Will not occur.

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SECTION VI - HEALTH HAZARD DATA  
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EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE:

ACUTE: Nausea and/or narcosis.

CHRONIC: May cause nerve damage. This product contains small amounts of vinyl acetate monomer. ACGIH evaluated vinyl acetate(1993) as an A3- Animal Carcinogen. Available evidence suggests that the agent is not likely to cause cancer in humans except under uncommon or unlikely routes of exposure. The International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) published a monograph on vinyl acetate (1995). In this monograph IARC indicates "there is inadequate evidence in humans for carcinogenicity of vinyl acetate. There is limited evidence in experimental animals for carcinogenicity of vinyl acetate." Normally, this lack of conclusive evidence would place a substance in the IARC Category 3 classification (Not classified as a human carcinogen). However, because vinyl acetate is metabolized to acetaldehyde, which has an IARC 2b (Possibly carcinogenic to humans) classification, it also has been listed under Category 2B.

TARGET ORGANS: THF-may cause liver or kidney abnormalities. Acetone, based on animal data, may cause eye or kidney damage. -

SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE:

Irritation to eyes and mucous membranes. Can also cause skin dryness. Liquid ingestion may result in vomiting. Numbness, tingling and weakness of arms and legs.

CONDITIONS PRONE TO AGGREGATION BY EXPOSURE:

Respiratory ailments.

CARCINOGENICITY No

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WARNING: This product contains a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects and/or reproductive harm.

PRIMARY ROUTE(S) OF ENTRY: Inhalation, Eyes, Skin, Ingestion.

EMERGENCY AND FIRST AID PROCEDURES:

Utilize the suggested methods below. In emergency situations notify a physician immediately.

SKIN: Wash with soap and water. Get medical attention.

EYES: Flush eyes abundently with clean water and refer to physician.

INGESTION: DO NOT induce vomiting. Refer to physician.

EXCESSIVE INHALATION: Remove patient to fresh air or give oxygen. Use CPR if patient is not breathing. Refer to physician.

SECTION VII - SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS

HANDLING & STORAGE:

Store in approved solvent storage area. Keep tightly closed. Keep away from heat open flames, sparks, hot surfaces and oxidizing agents.

OTHER PRECAUTIONS: N/A

SECTION VIII - SPILL OR LEAK PROCEDURES

FOR SPILLS OR RELEASED MATERIAL:

Absorb spill in sand, earth, vermiculite, Oil-Dri, or Sol-Speed-Dri. Shovel absorbed material into steel container and cover.

WASTE DISPOSAL METHOD:

Dispose of in accordance with federal, state, and local chemical and solvent waste disposal regulations.

SECTION IX - SAFE HANDLING AND USE INFORMATION

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION:

Use NIOSH-approved atmosphere supplying or air purifying respirator for organic vapors as required to maintain exposure levels below recommended limits.

VENTILATION: As specified.

LOCAL EXHAUST: Remove vapors during processing.

MECHANICAL EXHAUST: Explosion-proof equipment.

SPECIAL: Reduce vapor concentrations below specified limits.

PROTECTIVE GLOVES: PVA gloves

EYE PROTECTION: Safety glasses

OTHER PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT:

Protective clothing as required to prevent skin contact.

HYGIENIC PRACTICES:

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Keep area clean. Clean up spills immediately. Practice good personal hygiene.

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