



Material Safety Data Sheet

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Section 1 - Product and Company Identification

PRODUCT NAME & NUMBERS				HMIS CODES	
MINWAX [®] Water-Based Wood Stain				Health	1*
1801	Vermont Maple	1805	Colonial Pine	Flammability	0
1802	English Oak	1806	White Oak	Reactivity	0
1803	American Walnut	1807	Clear Tint Base		
1804	Rosewood				

MANUFACTURER'S NAME	EMERGENCY TELEPHONE NO.
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Section 2 - Composition/Information on Ingredients

% WT.	CAS No.	Ingredient Name	Vapor Pressure

No ingredients in these products are hazardous as defined by the Department of Labor except for:			
6	13463-67-7	Titanium Dioxide (1806, White Oak only)	
		ACGIH TLV 10 mg/m3 as Dust	
		OSHA PEL 10 mg/m3 Total Dust	
		OSHA PEL 5 mg/m3 Respirable Fraction	
0-1	1333-86-4	Carbon Black	
		ACGIH TLV 3.5 mg/m3	
		OSHA PEL 3.5 mg/m3	

Section 3 - Hazards Identification

ROUTES OF EXPOSURE
Exposure may be by INHALATION and/or SKIN or EYE contact, depending on conditions of use. To minimize exposure, follow recommendations for proper use, ventilation, and personal protective equipment.

EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE
Irritation of eyes, skin and upper respiratory system. In a confined area vapors in high concentration may cause headache, nausea or dizziness.

SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF OVEREXPOSURE
Redness and itching or burning sensation may indicate eye or excessive skin exposure.

MEDICAL CONDITIONS AGGRAVATED BY EXPOSURE
None generally recognized.

CANCER INFORMATION
For Complete Discussion of Toxicology Data Refer to Section 11.

Section 8 – Exposure Controls/Personal Protection (continued)**VENTILATION**

Local exhaust preferable. General exhaust acceptable if the exposure to materials in Section 2 is maintained below applicable exposure limits. Refer to OSHA Standards 1910.94, 1910.107, 1910.108.

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION

If personal exposure cannot be controlled below applicable limits by ventilation, wear a properly fitted organic vapor/particulate respirator approved by NIOSH/MSHA for protection against materials in Section 2.

When sanding or abrading the dried film, wear a dust/mist respirator approved by NIOSH/MSHA for dust which may be generated from this product, underlying paint, or the abrasive.

PROTECTIVE GLOVES

Wear gloves which are recommended by glove supplier for protection against materials in Section 2.

EYE PROTECTION

Wear safety spectacles with unperforated sideshields.

Section 9 – Physical and Chemical Properties

PRODUCT WEIGHT	8.55-8.92 lb/gal	EVAPORATION RATE	Slower than Ether
SPECIFIC GRAVITY	1.03-1.07	VAPOR DENSITY	Heavier than Air
BOILING POINT	212-369 °F	MELTING POINT	Not Available
VOLATILE VOLUME	84-86 %	SOLUBILITY IN WATER	Not Available
VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS (VOC Theoretical)			
	2.8-3.5 lb/gal	Less Federally Exempt Solvents	
	0.6-0.8 lb/gal	Emitted VOC	

Section 10 – Stability and Reactivity

STABILITY - Stable

CONDITIONS TO AVOID - None known.

INCOMPATIBILITY - None known.

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS - By fire: Carbon Dioxide, Carbon Monoxide

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION - Will not occur

Section 11 – Toxicological Information**CHRONIC HEALTH HAZARDS**

Carbon Black is classified by IARC as possibly carcinogenic to humans (group 2B) based on experimental animal data, however, there is insufficient evidence in humans for its carcinogenicity.

Rats exposed to titanium dioxide dust at 250 mg./m³ developed lung cancer, however, such exposure levels are not attainable in the workplace.

TOXICOLOGY DATA

CAS No.	Ingredient Name			
13463-67-7	Titanium Dioxide			
	LC50	RAT	4HR	Not Available
	LD50	RAT		Not Available
1333-86-4	Carbon Black			
	LC50	RAT	4HR	Not Available
	LD50	RAT		Not Available

Section 12 – Ecological Information

ECOTOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION - No data available.

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