

**Loctite Corporation**Environmental Health & Safety Affairs  
Health & Regulatory Affairs - Europe**Super Glue**

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This safety data sheet has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of EC Directives 1999/45/EC and 2001/58/EC and provides information relating to the safe handling and use of the product.

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**1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY INFORMATION**

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<b>Product Code</b>	0158087
<b>Trade Name</b>	Super Glue
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**2. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

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**Nature** Cyanoacrylate adhesive.**Hazardous Components in Product for EC**

<b>Component Name</b>	<b>EINECS</b>	<b>CAS</b>	<b>Concentration</b>	<b>R Phrases</b>	<b>Classification</b>
Ethyl Cyanoacrylate	230-391-5	7085-85-0	75.00 - 95.00	R36/37/38	Xi

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**3. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION**

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This product is considered to be irritating to the eyes, respiratory system and skin. Bonds skin and eyes in seconds. Highly reactive to water. (See Section 4 on first aid). Cyanoacrylates give off heat on solidification. In rare cases skin contact with a large drop may generate enough heat to cause burns to the skin.

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**4. FIRST AID MEASURES**

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**First Aid - Inhalation**

Remove affected person to fresh air, and if still feeling unwell seek medical attention.

**First Aid - Skin**

Do not pull bonded skin apart. It may be gently peeled apart using a blunt object such as a spoon, preferably after soaking in warm soapy water. Cyanoacrylates give off heat on solidification. In rare cases a large drop will generate enough heat to cause a burn. Burns should be treated normally after the adhesive has been removed from the skin.

If lips are accidentally stuck together apply warm water to the lips and encourage maximum wetting and pressure from saliva inside the mouth. Peel or roll lips apart. Do not try to pull the lips apart with direct opposing action.

**First Aid - Eyes**

If the eye is bonded closed, release eyelashes with warm water by covering with wet pad. Keep eye covered until debonding is complete, usually within 1-3 days. Do not force eye open. Medical advice should be sought in case solid particles of cyanoacrylate trapped behind the eyelid cause any abrasive damage.

Cyanoacrylate will bond to eye protein and will cause periods of weeping which will help to debond the adhesive.

**First Aid - Ingestion**

Ensure that breathing passages are not obstructed. The product will polymerise immediately in the mouth making it almost impossible to swallow. Saliva will slowly separate the solidified product from the mouth (several hours).

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**5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

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Non flammable product (flash point is greater than 80°C (CC)). If product is involved in fire extinguish with dry powder, foam or carbon dioxide. Trace amounts of toxic fumes may be released on incineration and the use of breathing apparatus is recommended.

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**6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

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Ventilate area. Do not use cloths for mopping up. Polymerise with water and scrape off floor.

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**7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

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**Handling**

Ventilation (low level) is recommended when using large volumes. Use of dispensing equipment is recommended to minimise the risk of skin or eye contact.

**Storage**

For optimum shelf life store in original containers under refrigerated conditions at 2°C to 8°C. Avoid humidity.

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**8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION**

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**Occupational exposure limits****Ethyl Cyanoacrylate**

ACGIH: TLV 0ppm 8h TWA.

HSA (1999) C.O.P : OEL 2ppm (8mg/m<sup>3</sup>) 8h TWA.

HSA (1999) C.O.P : OEL 4ppm (16mg/m<sup>3</sup>) 15 min exposure limit.

Polyethylene or polypropylene gloves are recommended when using large volumes.

Do not use PVC, rubber, nylon or cotton gloves. Eye protection should be used where there is any risk of splashing.

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**9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

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<b>Physical State</b>	Liquid.
<b>Colour</b>	Clear Colourless.
<b>Odour</b>	Sharp. Characteristic.
<b>pH</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Boiling Range/Point (°C)</b>	Boils above 100.
<b>Flash Point (CC) (°C)</b>	Exceeds 80.
<b>Specific Gravity</b>	1.1 g/ccm at 20 °C.
<b>Solubility in Water (kg/m<sup>3</sup>)</b>	Immiscible. Reacts with water.
<b>Solubility in Acetone</b>	Soluble
<b>Vapour Pressure (mmHg @25°C)</b>	Less than 0.5 at 25 °C.
<b>Explosion Limits (%)</b>	Not applicable.

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**10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

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Polymerisation will occur in the presence of moisture.

Polymerisation is highly exothermic and, if not controlled, may be violent.

May polymerise if exposed to alkalis. catalysts. peroxides. free radical initiators. alcohols.

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**11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

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**Inhalation**

In dry atmosphere with < 50% humidity, vapours may irritate the eyes and respiratory system. Prolonged exposure to high concentrations of vapours may lead to chronic effects in sensitive individuals.

**Skin**

Irritating to the skin. Bonds skin in seconds. Considered to be of low toxicity: acute dermal LD50 (rabbit)>2000mg/kg. Due to polymerisation at the skin surface allergic reaction is not considered possible.

**Eyes**

This product is an irritant to the eyes. Liquid product will bond eyelids. In a dry atmosphere (RH<50%) vapours may cause irritation and lachrymatory effect.

**Ingestion**

Cyanoacrylates are considered to have relatively low toxicity. Acute oral LD50 is >5000mg/kg (rat). It is almost impossible to swallow as it rapidly polymerises in the mouth.

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**12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

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Biodegradable product of low ecotoxicity.

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**13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

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Dispose of in accordance with local and national regulations.

Polymerise by adding slowly to water (10:1). Dispose of as water insoluble non-toxic solid chemical in authorised landfill or incinerate under controlled conditions.

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**14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

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<b>UN Number</b>	None
<b>Air (IATA)</b>	Not classified.
<b>Sea (IMO)</b>	Not classified.
<b>Road (ADR)/Rail (RID)</b>	Not classified.

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**15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

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<b>Contains</b>	Cyanoacrylate. Danger. Bonds skin and eyes in seconds. Keep out of the reach of children.
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**Labelling  
Information****Irritant****R phrases**

R36/37/38 Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin.

**S phrases**

S23 Do not breathe vapour.  
S24/25 Avoid contact with skin and eyes.  
S26 In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.

**Voluntary Labelling**

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**16. OTHER INFORMATION**

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**Hazardous Components in Product for EC****Component Name**Ethyl Cyanoacrylate  
R36/37/38**R Phrases**

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