The Valspar Corporation
Material Safety Data Sheet

1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Material Identification

Product ID: SG108
Product Name: SO-BLUE
Product Use: Paint product.
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Company Identification
The Valspar Corporation
210 CROSBY
PICAYUNE, MS 39466
Manufacturer’s Phone: 1-601-798-4731

24-Hour Medical Emergency Phone: 1-888-345-5732

2. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS

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<tr>
<th>Common Name</th>
<th>Approx. Weight %</th>
<th>Chemical name</th>
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<tr>
<td>BUTYL ACETATE 123-86-4</td>
<td>25 - 30</td>
<td>ACETIC ACID, BUTYL ESTER</td>
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<tr>
<td>XYLENE 1330-20-7</td>
<td>20 - 25</td>
<td>Xylenes (o-, m-, p- isomers)</td>
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<tr>
<td>COBALT BLUE PIGMENT 1345-16-0</td>
<td>15 - 20</td>
<td>C.I. Pigment Blue 28</td>
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<tr>
<td>METHYL ISOBUTYL KETONE 108-10-1</td>
<td>5 - 10</td>
<td>Methylisobutyl ketone</td>
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<tr>
<td>ETHYLBENZENE 100-41-4</td>
<td>1 - 5</td>
<td>Ethyl benzene</td>
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<tr>
<td>PROPRIETARY PIGMENT</td>
<td>1 - 5</td>
<td>PROPRIETARY PIGMENT</td>
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<tr>
<td>BUTYLBENZYL PHTHALATE 85-68-7</td>
<td>1 - 5</td>
<td>Butyl benzyl phthalate</td>
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</table>

If this section is blank there are no hazardous components per OSHA guidelines.

3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Primary Routes of Exposure:
Inhalation
Ingestion
Skin absorption

Emergency Overview:
This section not in use.

This product contains ingredients that may contribute to the following potential acute health effects:
**Inhalation Effects:**
Harmful if inhaled. May affect the brain, nervous system, or respiratory system, causing dizziness, headache, nausea or respiratory irritation.

**Eye Contact:**
May cause moderate eye irritation.

**Skin Contact:**
Contains a component which is a known or suspected skin sensitizer.

**Acute Ingestion:**
May be harmful if swallowed.

**Other Effects:**
May cause liver damage. May cause kidney damage.

This product contains ingredients that may contribute to the following potential chronic health effects:

Notice: Reports have associated repeated and prolonged occupational overexposure to solvents with permanent brain and nervous system damage. Intentional misuse by deliberately concentrating and inhaling the contents may be harmful or fatal. Contains a component which is a known or suspected skin sensitizer. Suspect cancer hazard. Contains ingredients which may cause cancer. Risk of cancer depends upon the duration and level of exposure. Possible sensitization.

See Section 11 for toxicological information about Mutagens, Teratogens and Carcinogens.

If this section is blank, no information is available.

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

**Inhalation:**
If affected by inhalation, move victim to fresh air. If symptoms persist, seek medical attention. If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth. If breathing is difficult give oxygen. Get medical attention.

**Eye Contact:**
In case of contact, or suspected contact, immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and get medical attention immediately after flushing.

**Skin Contact:**
In case of contact, immediately flush skin with plenty of soap and water for at least 15 minutes. If irritation persists get medical attention. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Wash clothing before reuse. Thoroughly clean contaminated shoes.

**Ingestion:**
If swallowed, do not induce vomiting. Give large quantities of water. If available, give several glasses of milk. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical attention immediately. If swallowed, get medical attention immediately.

**Medical conditions aggravated by exposure:** Any respiratory or skin condition.

### 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

<table>
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<th>Property</th>
<th>Value</th>
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<tr>
<td>Flash point (Fahrenheit)</td>
<td>45°F ( 7º C) TCC/PM</td>
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<tr>
<td>Lower explosive limit:</td>
<td>1 %</td>
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<tr>
<td>Upper explosive limit:</td>
<td>8 %</td>
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<tr>
<td>Autoignition temperature:</td>
<td>Not available. 9°F ( 5º C)</td>
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<tr>
<td>Sensitivity to impact:</td>
<td>No</td>
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**Product ID:** SG108
Sensitivity to static discharge: Subject to static discharge hazards. Please see bonding and grounding information in Section 7. See Section 10.

Hazardous combustion products:

Unusual fire and explosion hazards:
None known.

Extinguishing media:
Carbon dioxide, dry chemical, foam and/or water fog.

Fire fighting procedures:
Use water spray to cool nearby containers and structures exposed to fire.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Action to be taken if material is released or spilled:
Ventilate area. Avoid breathing of vapors. Use self-containing breathing apparatus or airmask for large spills in a confined area. Wipe, scrape or soak up in an inert material and put in a container for disposal. See section 5, “Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards”, for proper container and storage procedures. Remove sources of ignition. Remove with inert absorbent and non sparking tools. Avoid all personal contact.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions to be taken in handling and storage:
Keep away from heat, sparks, and flames. Keep container closed when not in use. Do not store above 120 degrees F. (49 degrees C). Based on flash point and vapor pressure, suitable storage should be provided in accordance with OSHA regulation 1910.106. Ontario OH&S regulation 851 section 22. Empty containers may contain product residue, including flammable or explosive vapors. Do not cut, puncture or weld on or near container. All label warnings must be observed until the container has been commercially cleaned or reconditioned. If the product is used near or above the flashpoint, an ignition hazard may be present. Activities, uses, or operations which liberate vapor (such as mixing or free fall of liquids) may also present an ignition hazard. Please ensure containers and other interconnected equipment are properly bonded and grounded at all times.

8. PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT AND EXPOSURE CONTROLS

Personal Protective Equipment

Eye and face protection:
Avoid contact with eyes. Wear chemical goggles if there is the possibility of contact or splashing in the eye.

Skin protection:
Gloves: Neoprene or other nonporous. Neoprene or plastic apron and protective clothing covering exposed skin areas.

Respiratory protection:
If exposure cannot be controlled below applicable limits, use the appropriate NIOSH approved respirator such as an air purifying respirator with organic vapor cartridge and dust/mist filter. Consult the respirator manufacturer’s literature to ensure that the respirator will provide adequate protection. Read and follow all respirator manufacturer’s instructions.

Ventilation
Required when spraying or applying in confined area. Ventilation equipment should be explosion proof. Eliminate ignition sources.

Exposure Guidelines

OSHA Permissible Exposure Limits (PEL’s)
<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Common Name</th>
<th>CAS-No.</th>
<th>Approx. Weight %</th>
<th>TWA (final)</th>
<th>Ceilings limits (final)</th>
<th>Skin designations</th>
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<tr>
<td>BUTYL ACETATE</td>
<td>123-86-4</td>
<td>25 - 30</td>
<td>710 mg/m³</td>
<td>150 ppm</td>
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<tr>
<td>XYLENE</td>
<td>1330-20-7</td>
<td>20 - 25</td>
<td>435 mg/m³</td>
<td>100 ppm</td>
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<tr>
<td>METHYL ISOBUTYL KETONE</td>
<td>108-10-1</td>
<td>5 - 10</td>
<td>410 mg/m³</td>
<td>100 ppm</td>
<td></td>
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<tr>
<td>ETHYLBENZENE</td>
<td>100-41-4</td>
<td>1 - 5</td>
<td>435 mg/m³</td>
<td>100 ppm</td>
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<tr>
<td>PROPRIETARY PIGMENT</td>
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<td>1 - 5</td>
<td>5 mg/m³</td>
<td>15 mg/m³</td>
<td>Respirable fraction.</td>
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<td>Total dust. Listed.</td>
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ACGIH Threshold Limit Value (TLV's)

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<th>Common Name</th>
<th>CAS-No.</th>
<th>Approx. Weight %</th>
<th>TWA</th>
<th>STEL</th>
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<td>25 - 30</td>
<td>150 ppm</td>
<td>200 ppm</td>
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<td>XYLENE</td>
<td>1330-20-7</td>
<td>20 - 25</td>
<td>100 ppm</td>
<td>150 ppm</td>
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<tr>
<td>COBALT BLUE PIGMENT</td>
<td>1345-16-0</td>
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<td>0.02 mg/m³</td>
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<tr>
<td>METHYL ISOBUTYL KETONE</td>
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<td>50 ppm</td>
<td>75 ppm</td>
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<tr>
<td>ETHYLBENZENE</td>
<td>100-41-4</td>
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<td>100 ppm</td>
<td>125 ppm</td>
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<td>PROPRIETARY PIGMENT</td>
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<td>1 - 5</td>
<td>10 mg/m³</td>
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<td>Inhalable particles.</td>
<td>3 mg/m³</td>
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9. PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

Odor: Normal for this product type.
Physical State: Liquid
pH: Not determined.
Vapor pressure: 15 mmHG @ 68º F ( 20º C)
Vapor density (air = 1.0): 4
Boiling point: 237º F ( 114º C)
Solubility in water: Insoluble.
Coefficient of water/oil distribution: Not determined.
Density (lbs per US gallon): 9.12
Specific Gravity 1.09
Evaporation rate (butyl acetate = 1.0): 1.6
10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability

Conditions to Avoid:

Incompatibility:

Hazardous Polymerization:

Hazardous Decomposition Products:

Stable

None known.

Strong oxidizers.

None anticipated.

Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide.

Sensitivity to static discharge:

Subject to static discharge hazards. Please see bonding and grounding information in Section 7.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Mutagens:

Teratogens:

Carcinogens:
Contains ethylbenzene, which has been determined by NTP to be an animal carcinogen with no known relevance to humans. IARC has classified ethylbenzene as possibly carcinogenic to humans (2b) on the basis of sufficient evidence of carcinogenicity in laboratory animals but inadequate evidence of cancer in humans.

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<tr>
<th>Common Name</th>
<th>CAS-No.</th>
<th>Approx. Weight %</th>
<th>IARC Group 1 - Human Evidence</th>
<th>IARC Group 2A - limited human data</th>
<th>IARC Group 2b - sufficient animal data</th>
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<td>1 - 5</td>
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<th>Approx. Weight %</th>
<th>NTP Known carcinogens</th>
<th>NTP Suspect carcinogens</th>
<th>NTP Evidence of carcinogenicity</th>
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<tr>
<td>ETHYLBENZENE</td>
<td>100-41-4</td>
<td>1 - 5</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>male rat-clear evidence; female rat-positive; male mice-negative; female mice-negative; (PB98-131089: male rat-some evidence; female rat-equivocal evidence)</td>
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<tr>
<td>BUTYLBENZYL PHTHALATE</td>
<td>85-68-7</td>
<td>1 - 5</td>
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<tr>
<td>Common Name</td>
<td>CAS-No.</td>
<td>Approx. Weight %</td>
<td>OSHA Select carcinogens</td>
<td>OSHA Possible select carcinogens</td>
<td>ACGIH Carcinogens</td>
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12. ECOLOGICAL DATA

Not available at this time.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal should be made in accordance with federal, state and local regulations.

14. TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

**U.S. Department of Transportation**
- Proper Shipping Name: PAINT
- Hazard Class: 3
- UN ID Number: UN1263
- Packing Group: II

**49 CFR Hazardous Material Regulations Parts 100-180**
The supplier will apply the combustible liquid exception in 49 CFR 173.150(f), limited quantity or "does not sustain combustion" exceptions and consumer commodity rules, when authorized. Please check 49 CFR Parts 100-180 to determine if the use of these exceptions applies to your shipments when re-shipping our products.

**International Air Transport Association:**
- Proper Shipping Name: PAINT
- Hazard Class: 3
- UN ID Number: UN1263
- Packing Group: II

**International Maritime Organization:**
- Proper Shipping Name: PAINT
- Hazard Class: 3
- UN ID Number: UN1263
- Packing Group: II

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

**U.S. FEDERAL REGULATIONS:**
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<th>Common Name</th>
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<th>Approx. Weight %</th>
<th>SARA 302</th>
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<th>CERCLA RQ IN LBS.</th>
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<td>XYLENE</td>
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<td>20 - 25</td>
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<td>form R reporting required for 1.0% de minimis concentration</td>
<td>100</td>
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<td>15 - 20</td>
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<td>YES</td>
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<td>METHYL ISOBUTYL KETONE</td>
<td>108-10-1</td>
<td>5 - 10</td>
<td></td>
<td>form R reporting required for 1.0% de minimis concentration</td>
<td>5000</td>
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<td>100-41-4</td>
<td>1 - 5</td>
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<td>form R reporting required for 1.0% de minimis concentration</td>
<td>1000</td>
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<td>1 - 5</td>
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**SARA 311/312 Hazard Class:**
- Acute: Yes
- Chronic: Yes
- Flammability: Yes
- Reactivity: No
- Sudden Pressure: No

**U.S. STATE REGULATIONS:**

**Pennsylvania Right To Know:**
- BUTYLBENZYL PHTHALATE 85-68-7
- ETHYLBENZENE 100-41-4
- METHYL ISOBUTYL KETONE 108-10-1
- BUTYL ACETATE 123-86-4
- XYLENE 1330-20-7
- COBALT BLUE PIGMENT 1345-16-0
- PROPRIETARY PIGMENT Trade Secret

**Additional Non-Hazardous Materials**
- PROPRIETARY RESIN Trade Secret
- PROPRIETARY RESIN Trade Secret

**California Proposition 65:**
WARNING: This product contains a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer.

**Rule 66 status of product**
Photochemically reactive.

**INTERNATIONAL REGULATIONS - Chemical Inventories**

**TSCA Inventory:**
All components of this product are in compliance with U.S. TSCA Chemical Substance Inventory Requirements.

**Canada Domestic Substances List:**
All components of this product are listed on the Domestic Substances List.

**16. OTHER INFORMATION**

**HMIS Codes**
- Health: 3
- Flammability: 3
- Reactivity: 1

**Product ID:** SG108
Abbreviations:
OSHA - Occupational Safety and Health Administration, IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer, NIOSH - National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health, NTP - National Toxicology Program, ACGIH - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists, SCAQMD - South Coast Air Quality Management District, TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act, IATA - International Air Transport Association, IMO - International Maritime Organization, DOT - Department of Transportation, NA - Not applicable, NOT ESTAB - Not established, N.A.V. - Not available, RQ - Reportable quantity, WT - Weight, MG/CU M - Milligrams per cubic meter, G/L - Grams per liter, MM - Millimeters, MPPCF - Millions of particles per cubic foot, PPM - parts per million, PPT - parts per thousand, TCC/PM - Tag closed cup / Pensky-Martens, PB - Lead, PEL - Permissible exposure level, TWA - Time Weighted Average, STEL - Short term exposure limit, C - Celsius, F - Fahrenheit.

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