# **MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET**

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## SECTION 1 — PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

## PRODUCT NUMBER W54V704 PRODUCT NAME BEST LOOK™ Oil Based Spar Varnish, Clear Gloss MANUFACTURER'S NAME Mfg for: Do it Best Corp. (formerly HWI) By: THE SHERWIN-WILLIAMS CO. Cleveland, OH 44115

#### Telephone Numbers and Websites

Regulatory Information	(216) 566-2902		
www.paintdocs.com			
Medical Emergency	(216) 566-2917		
Transportation Emergency*	(800) 424-9300		
*for Chemical Emergency ONLY (spill, leak, fire, exposure, or accident)			

## SECTION 2 — COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

% by Weight	CAS Number	Ingredient	Units	Vapor Pressure
48	64742-88-7	Mineral Spirits		
		ACGIH TLV	100 PPM	2 mm
		OSHA PEL	100 PPM	
0.2	136-52-7	Cobalt 2-Ethylhexanoate		
		ACGIH TLV	Not Available	
		OSHA PEL	Not Available	

# SECTION 3 — HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### **ROUTES OF EXPOSURE**

INHALATION of vapor or spray mist.

EYE or SKIN contact with the product, vapor or spray mist.

- EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE
  - EYES: Irritation.

SKIN: Prolonged or repeated exposure may cause irritation.

**INHALATION:** Irritation of the upper respiratory system.

May cause nervous system depression. Extreme overexposure may result in unconsciousness and possibly death. Prolonged overexposure to solven ingredients in Section 2 may cause adverse effects to the liver and urinary systems.

## SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF OVEREXPOSURE

Headache, dizziness, nausea, and loss of coordination are indications of excessive exposure to vapors or spray mists. 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 4 — FIRST AID MEASURES

- **EYES:** Flush eyes with large amounts of water for 15 minutes. Get medical attention.
- SKIN: Wash affected area thoroughly with soap and water.
  - Remove contaminated clothing and launder before re-use.
- **INHALATION:** If affected, remove from exposure. Restore breathing. Keep warm and quiet.
- **INGESTION:** Do not induce vomiting. Get medical attention immediately.

# SECTION 5 — FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

HMISC	odes
Health	2*
Flammability	2
Reactivity	0

FLASH POINT	LEL	UEL
102° F PMCC	1.0	6.0

FLAMMABILITY CLASSIFICATION

Combustible, Flash above 99 and below 200° F

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA

Carbon Dioxide, Dry Chemical, Foam

UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS

Closed containers may explode when exposed to extreme heat.

Application to hot surfaces requires special precautions.

During emergency conditions overexposure to decomposition products may cause a health hazard. Symptoms may not be immediately

#### apparent. Obtain medical attention. SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES

Full protective equipment including self-contained breathing apparatus should be used.

Water spray may be ineffective. If water is used, fog nozzles are preferable. Water may be used to cool closed containers to prevent pressure build-up and possible autoignition or explosion when exposed to extreme heat.

# SECTION 6 — ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

### STEPS TO BE TAKEN IN CASE MATERIAL IS RELEASED OR SPILLED

• Remove all sources of ignition. Ventilate the area.

• Remove with inert absorbent.

## SECTION 7 — HANDLING AND STORAGE

### STORAGE CATEGORY

DOL Storage Class II

#### PRECAUTIONS TO BE TAKEN IN HANDLING AND STORAGE

Contents are COMBUSTIBLE. Keep away from heat and open flame.

Consult NFPA Code. Use approved Bonding and Grounding procedures.

Keep container closed when not in use. Transfer only to approved containers with complete and appropriate labeling. Do not take internally. Keep out of the reach of children.

## SECTION 8 — EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### PRECAUTIONS TO BE TAKEN IN USE

Use only with adequate ventilation.

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid breathing vapor and spray mist.

Wash hands after using.

This coating may contain materials classified as nuisance particulates (listed "as Dust" in Section 2) which may be present at hazardous levels only during sanding or abrading of the dried film. If no specific dusts are listed in Section 2, the applicable limits for nuisance dusts are ACGIH TLV 10 mg/m3 (total dust), 3 mg/m3 (respirable fraction), OSHA PEL 15 mg/m3 (total dust), 5 mg/m3 (respirable fraction).

Removal of old paint by sanding, scraping or other means may generate dust or fumes that contain lead. Exposure to lead dust or fumes may cause brain damage or other adverse health effects, especially in children or pregnant women. Controlling exposure to lead or other hazardous substances requires the use of proper protective equipment, such as a properly fitted respirator (NIOSH approved) and proper containment and cleanup. For more information, call the National Lead Information Center at 1-800-424-LEAD (in US) or contact your local health authority.

## 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.

## **OTHER PRECAUTIONS**

Intentional misuse by deliberately concentrating and inhaling the contents can be harmful or fatal.

## SECTION 9 — PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

PRODUCT WEIGHT7.28 lb/gal872 g/lSPECIFIC GRAVITY0.88148 - 201° CBOILING POINT300 - 395° F148 - 201° CMELTING POINTNot AvailableVOLATILE VOLUME55%EVAPORATION RATESlower than etherVAPOR DENSITYHeavier than airSOLUBILITY IN WATERN.A.

#### **VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS (VOC Theoretical - As Packaged)**

3.54lb/gal 424g/l Less Water and Federally Exempt Solvents Emitted VOC 3.54lb/gal 424g/l

# 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**

Reports have associated repeated and prolonged overexposure to solvents with permanent brain and nervous system damage. Cobalt and cobalt compounds are classified by IARC as possibly carcinogenic to humans (group 2B) based on experimental animal data, however, there is inadequate evidence in humans for its carcinogenicity.

#### **TOXICOLOGY DATA**

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	LD50 RAT		Not Available	
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	LD50 RAT		Not Available	

## **SECTION 12 — ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### ECOTOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

No data available.

## SECTION 13 — DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

### WASTE DISPOSAL METHOD

Waste from this product may be hazardous as defined under the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) 40 CFR 261. Waste must be tested for ignitability to determine the applicable EPA hazardous waste numbers. Incinerate in approved facility. Do not incinerate closed container. Dispose of in accordance with Federal, State/Provincial, and Local

regulations regarding pollution.

# SECTION 14 — TRANSPORT INFORMATION

### US Ground (DOT)

May be Classed as a Combustible Liquid for U.S. Ground. UN1263, PAINT, 3, PG III, (ERG#128)

Bulk Containers may be Shipped as:

UN1263, PAINT, COMBUSTIBLE LIQUID, PG III, (ERG#128) Canada (TDG)

May be Classed as a Combustible Liquid for Canadian Ground. UN1263, PAINT, CLASS 3, PG III, (ERG#128)

#### IMO

UN1263, PAINT, CLASS 3, PG III, (39 C c.c.), EmS F-E, S-E

## SECTION 15 — REGULATORY INFORMATION

#### SARA 313 (40 CFR 372.65C) SUPPLIER NOTIFICATION

CAS No.	CHEMICAL/COMPOUND	% by WT	% Element
	Cobalt Compound	0.1	0.03

## **CALIFORNIA PROPOSITION 65**

WARNING: This product contains chemicals known to the State of California to cause birth defects or other reproductive harm. **TSCA CERTIFICATION** 

All chemicals in this product are listed, or are exempt from listing, on the TSCA Inventory.

# **SECTION 16 — OTHER INFORMATION**

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Canadian Controlled Products Regulations (CPR) and the MSDS contains all of the information required by the CPR.

The above information pertains to this product as currently formulated, and is based on the information available at this time. Addition of reducers or other additives to this product may substantially alter the composition and hazards of the product. Since conditions of use are outside our control, we make no warranties, express or implied, and assume no liability in connection with any use of this information.