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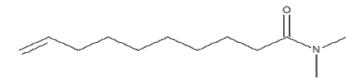
### **Product Bulletin**

**Patent Pending** 

Product Name

Chemical Structure STEPOSOL® MET-10U

Surfactant Solution to Solvent Replacement™



Chemical Description

N,N-dimethyl 9-decenamide

CAS Registry No.

1356964-77-6

Features

STEPOSOL MET-10U is a unique unsaturated di-substituted amide derived from renewable sourcing from a biobased feedstock manufactured using Nobel Prize-winning metathesis technology. Among other properties, STEPOSOL MET-10U exhibits rapid, soil-penetrating kinetics, excellent solvency, heat and hydrolytic stability, and a low VOC content.

Applications

STEPOSOL MET-10U is effective in cleaning and removing soils in a variety of formulations. Example applications include:

- All-Purpose Cleaner

Adhesive Remover

- Oven Cleaner
- Heavy Duty DegreaserGrill Cleaner
- Rig Wash

Metal Cleaner

- Paper Chemicals
- Coating RemoverPaint Stripper

- Graffiti Remover
- Permanent Ink Remover

Typical Properties

Appearance at 25°C	Clear liquid
Molecular Weight (g/mol)	197
Amide, %	
Moisture, %	<0.5
Viscosity at 25°C, cps	4
pH, 5% in 1:1 IPA/H <sub>2</sub> O	8.0
Density at 25°C, g/ml (lbs/U.S. gal)	0.892 (7.4)
Color, Gardner	1 max
Color, APHA	20
Cloud Point, °C (°F)	13 (8.6)
Pour Point, °C (°F)	14.0 (6.8)
Freeze Point, °C (°F)	16.0 (3.2)
Melting Point, °C (°F)	9.5 (12.5)
Boiling Point, °C (°F)	297 (566)
Flash Point, PMCC °C (°F)	134 (273)
Autoignition Temperature, °C (°F)	
Vapor Pressure at 20°C, mm Hg	0.0025
Relative Evaporation Rate (ASTM 3539; Butyl Acetate = 1)	<0.01
Dielectric Constant at 25°C	16.09
Refractive Index at 20°C	1.46
Surface Tension (as is), dynes/cm	31.5
Critical Micelle Concentration, %	0.05
Draves Wetting Time, 0.1% in DI Water, seconds	4
Kauri-Butanol Value	>1000
RVOC, U.S. EPA, %	0

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Typical Properties 

 Solubility
 STEPOSOL MET-10U in Water (25°C,% wt)
 0.2

 Water in STEPOSOL MET-10U (25°C,% wt)
 19

 Methanol
 Soluble

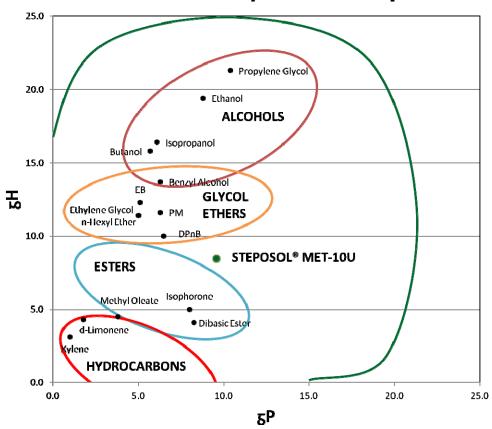
 Kerosene
 Soluble

 Xylene
 Soluble

 Hansen Solubility Parameters
 D: 16.58, P: 9.58, H: 8.45

The Hansen solubility parameters are a key characteristic of solvency power used to predict if one material will dissolve another one to form a solution. As shown in the graph below, STEPOSOL MET-10U has a large Hansen space, overlapping the four solvent groups. This means that STEPOSOL MET-10U will dissolve a wide range of soils.

## **Hansen Solubility Solvents Map**



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Other data

Environmental Effects

This product is readily biodegradable.

Health **Effects** 

STEPOSOL MET-10U was found to be slightly toxic orally ( $LD_{50} = 550 \text{ mg/kg}$ ). Undiluted product may cause severe eye and skin irritation.

Storage & Handling

Bulk Storage Information: 316 and 304 stainless steel tanks are recommended. Temperatures up to 54°C (130°F) can be maintained for long periods of time without degradation of the product.

Normal safety precautions (i.e. gloves and safety goggles) should be employed when handling STEPOSOL MET-10U. Contact with eyes and prolonged contact with skin should be avoided. Wash thoroughly after handling material. Consult the MSDS for additional information on properties and handling.

Standard Packaging: Available in drums (390 lb, 177 kg) or bulk.

Clearances

All components of STEPOSOL MET-10U are listed in the following countries; the registration number for the active ingredient is included in parentheses: United States (1356964-77-6). It is the responsibility of the end user to review the chemical control regulations for each country.

Per the California Air Resources Board's (CARB) Consumer Product Rule, OTC Model Rule and Federal VOC Standards, STEPOSOL MET-10U is exempt from VOC limit requirements because it is a LVP-VOC (low vapor pressure VOC). All regulations define an LVP-VOC as a compound or mixture which meets one of the following criteria: 1) The compound has a vapor pressure of less than 0.1 mm Hg at 20°C; 2) the compound has more than 12 carbon atoms, or a mixture compromised solely of compounds with more than 12 carbon atoms, and the vapor pressure is unknown or 3) the compound has a boiling point greater than 216°C.

Additional Safety Information A Material Safety Data Sheet is available upon request.

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