

Safety Data Sheet

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1 Identification

- **Product identifier**

- **Trade name:** Jamson Xylene

- **Article number:** 0050JLM

- **CAS Number:** 1330-20-7

- **Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**

- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**

Jamson Laboratories, Inc.

101 South Bayview Blvd.

Oldsmar, FL 34677

USA

- **Information department:** Product Safety Department

- **Emergency telephone number:** ChemTel Inc. (800) 255-3924 Intl. +01 (813) 248-0585



Jamson Labs

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2 Hazard(s) identification

- **Classification of the substance or mixture**



GHS02 Flame

Flam. Liq. 3 H226 Flammable liquid and vapour.



GHS08 Health hazard

Repr. 2 H361 Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child.

Asp. Tox. 1 H304 May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.



GHS07

Acute Tox. 4 H332 Harmful if inhaled.

Skin Irrit. 2 H315 Causes skin irritation.

- **Label elements**

- **GHS label elements** The product is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).

- **Hazard pictograms**



GHS02



GHS07



GHS08

- **Signal word** Danger

- **Hazard-determining components of labeling:**

xylene (mix)

ethylbenzene

- **Hazard statements**

Flammable liquid and vapour.

Harmful if inhaled.

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Causes skin irritation.

Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child.

May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.

· **Precautionary statements**

If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.

Keep out of reach of children.

Read label before use.

Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. No smoking.

Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting/equipment.

IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.

Store locked up.

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

· **Classification system:**

· **NFPA ratings (scale 0 - 4)**



Health = 2

Fire = 3

Reactivity = 0

· **HMIS-ratings (scale 0 - 4)**



Health = 2

Fire = 3

Reactivity = 0

· **Other hazards**

· **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

· **PBT:** Not applicable.

· **vPvB:** Not applicable.

3 Composition/information on ingredients

· **Chemical characterization: Mixtures**

· **Description:** Mixture of the substances listed below with nonhazardous additions.

· **Dangerous components:**

1330-20-7	xylene (mix)	50-100%
100-41-4	ethylbenzene	2.5-10%

4 First-aid measures

· **Description of first aid measures**

· **General information:**

Medical supervision for at least 48 hours.

Symptoms of poisoning may even occur after several hours; therefore medical observation for at least 48 hours after the accident.

· **After inhalation:**

Supply fresh air. If required, provide artificial respiration. Keep patient warm. Consult doctor if symptoms persist.

In case of unconsciousness place patient stably in side position for transportation.

· **After skin contact:** Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.

· **After eye contact:** Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water.

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- **After swallowing:**
Do not induce vomiting; immediately call for medical help.
Administer medicinal carbon
A person vomiting while lying on their back should be turned onto their side.
- **Information for doctor:**
- **Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**
Unconsciousness
Disorientation
Coughing
Nausea
Dizziness
Headache
Breathing difficulty
- **Danger**
Condition may deteriorate with alcohol consumption.
Danger of convulsion.
Danger of disturbed cardiac rhythm.
- **Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**
If swallowed, gastric irrigation with added, activated carbon.
If swallowed or in case of vomiting, danger of entering the lungs.
Medical supervision for at least 48 hours.
Monitor circulation.

5 Fire-fighting measures

- **Extinguishing media**
- **Suitable extinguishing agents:** CO₂, sand, extinguishing powder. Do not use water.
- **For safety reasons unsuitable extinguishing agents:** Water with full jet
- **Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**
Formation of toxic gases is possible during heating or in case of fire.
- **Advice for firefighters**
- **Protective equipment:**
Wear fully protective suit.
Mouth respiratory protective device.
- **Additional information** Cool endangered receptacles with water spray.

6 Accidental release measures

- **Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**
Ensure adequate ventilation
Keep away from ignition sources
Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.
- **Environmental precautions:**
Do not allow to penetrate the ground/soil.
Prevent from spreading (e.g. by damming-in or oil barriers).
Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.
- **Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**
Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).
Dispose contaminated material as waste according to item 13.
Ensure adequate ventilation.
Do not flush with water or aqueous cleansing agents

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- **Reference to other sections**
See Section 7 for information on safe handling.
See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.
See Section 13 for disposal information.

7 Handling and storage

- **Handling:**
- **Precautions for safe handling**
Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.
Prevent formation of aerosols.
- **Information about protection against explosions and fires:**
Keep ignition sources away - Do not smoke.
Protect from heat.
Protect against electrostatic charges.
- **Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **Storage:**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:**
Prevent any seepage into the ground.
Provide solvent resistant, sealed floor.
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:**
Store away from foodstuffs.
Store away from oxidizing agents.
- **Further information about storage conditions:**
Keep receptacle tightly sealed.
Protect from heat and direct sunlight.
- **Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

8 Exposure controls/personal protection

- **Additional information about design of technical systems:** No further data; see item 7.
- **Control parameters**

- **Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**

1330-20-7 xylene (mix)

PEL	Long-term value: 435 mg/m ³ , 100 ppm
REL	Short-term value: 655 mg/m ³ , 150 ppm Long-term value: 435 mg/m ³ , 100 ppm
TLV	Short-term value: 651 mg/m ³ , 150 ppm Long-term value: 434 mg/m ³ , 100 ppm BEI

100-41-4 ethylbenzene

PEL	Long-term value: 435 mg/m ³ , 100 ppm
REL	Short-term value: 545 mg/m ³ , 125 ppm Long-term value: 435 mg/m ³ , 100 ppm
TLV	Short-term value: 543 mg/m ³ , 125 ppm Long-term value: 87 mg/m ³ , 20 ppm BEI

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· Ingredients with biological limit values:

1330-20-7 xylene (mix)

BEI 1.5 g/g creatinine
 Medium: urine
 Time: end of shift
 Parameter: Methylhippuric acids

100-41-4 ethylbenzene

BEI 0.7 g/g creatinine
 Medium: urine
 Time: end of shift at end of workweek
 Parameter: Sum of mandelic acid and phenylglyoxylic acid (nonspecific, semi-quantitative)

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 Medium: end-exhaled air
 Time: not critical
 Parameter: Ethyl benzene (semi-quantitative)

· Additional information: The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.

· Exposure controls

· Personal protective equipment:

· General protective and hygienic measures:

Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.
 Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing.
 Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.
 Avoid contact with the skin.
 Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

· Breathing equipment:

In case of brief exposure or low pollution use respiratory filter device. In case of intensive or longer exposure use respiratory protective device that is independent of circulating air.

· Protection of hands:



Protective gloves

The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.
 Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation

· Material of gloves

Neoprene gloves
 Fluorocarbon rubber (Viton)
 Nitrile rubber, NBR

The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer. As the product is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material can not be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application.

· Penetration time of glove material

The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.

· Not suitable are gloves made of the following materials:

Natural rubber, NR
 Strong gloves
 Leather gloves

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· **Eye protection:**

Tightly sealed goggles

· **Body protection:** Solvent resistant protective clothing

9 Physical and chemical properties

· **Information on basic physical and chemical properties**· **General Information**· **Appearance:**

· Form:	Liquid
· Color:	Colorless
· Odor:	Like aromatic solvents
· Odour threshold:	Not determined.

· **pH-value:** Not determined.· **Change in condition**

· Melting point/Melting range:	Undetermined.
· Boiling point/Boiling range:	138 °C (280 °F)

· **Flash point:** 27 °C (81 °F)· **Flammability (solid, gaseous):** Not applicable.· **Ignition temperature:** 430 °C (806 °F)· **Decomposition temperature:** Not determined.· **Auto igniting:** Product is not selfigniting.· **Danger of explosion:** Product is not explosive. However, formation of explosive air/vapor mixtures are possible.· **Explosion limits:**

· Lower:	1.1 Vol %
· Upper:	7.0 Vol %

· **Vapor pressure at 20 °C (68 °F):** 6.7 hPa (5 mm Hg)· **Density at 20 °C (68 °F):** 0.87 g/cm³ (7.26 lbs/gal)· **Relative density** Not determined.· **Vapour density** Not determined.· **Evaporation rate** Not determined.· **Solubility in / Miscibility with**· **Water:** Not miscible or difficult to mix.· **Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):** Not determined.· **Viscosity:**

· Dynamic:	Not determined.
· Kinematic:	Not determined.

· **Solvent content:**· **Organic solvents:** 100.0 %

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VOC content: 100.0 % (ASTM D-2369)

870.0 g/l / 7.26 lb/gl

· **Other information** No further relevant information available.

10 Stability and reactivity

- **Reactivity**
- **Chemical stability**
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **Possibility of hazardous reactions**
 - Reacts with oxygen.
 - Reacts with strong oxidizing agents.
 - Reacts with strong acids.
- **Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.
- **Incompatible materials:** No further relevant information available.
- **Hazardous decomposition products:** Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide
- **Additional information:**
 - As long as the prescribed application concentrations are maintained there is no danger that stable emulsions will form.

11 Toxicological information

- **Information on toxicological effects**
 - Xylene, all isomers:
 - Effects from Acute Exposure:
 - ORAL (LD50), Acute: 4,300 mg/kg (Rat).
 - INHALATION (LC50), Acute: 4,550 ppm for four hours (Rat).
 - DERMAL (LD50), Acute: 14,100 uL/kg (Rabbit).
 - Overexposure to xylene may cause upper respiratory tract irritation, headache, cyanosis, blood serum changes, CNS damage and narcosis. Effects may be increased by the use of alcoholic beverages. Evidence of liver and kidney impairment were reported in workers recovering from a gross over-exposure.
- **Acute toxicity:**

- **LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification:**

1330-20-7 xylene (mix)

Oral	LD50	4300 mg/kg (rat)
Dermal	LD50	2000 mg/kg (rabbit)

- **Primary irritant effect:**
 - **on the skin:** Irritant to skin and mucous membranes.
 - **on the eye:** No irritating effect.
- **Sensitization:** No sensitizing effects known.
- **Additional toxicological information:**
 - The product shows the following dangers according to internally approved calculation methods for preparations:
 - Harmful
 - Irritant

- **Carcinogenic categories**

- **IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)**

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100-41-4	ethylbenzene	2B
108-88-3	toluene	3

· **NTP (National Toxicology Program)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

12 Ecological information

- **Toxicity**
- **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.
- **Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.
- **Behavior in environmental systems:**
- **Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.
- **Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.
- **Additional ecological information:**
- **General notes:**
Water hazard class 2 (Self-assessment): hazardous for water
Do not allow product to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.
Danger to drinking water if even small quantities leak into the ground.
- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.
- **Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.

13 Disposal considerations

- **Waste treatment methods**
- **Recommendation:**
Can be burned with household garbage after consulting with the waste disposal facility operator and the pertinent authorities and adhering to the necessary technical regulations.
Can be reused after reprocessing.
Must not be disposed of together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.
- **Uncleaned packagings:**
- **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

14 Transport information

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| · UN-Number | |
| · DOT, IMDG, IATA | UN1307 |
| · UN proper shipping name | |
| · DOT | Xylenes |
| · IMDG, IATA | XYLENES |

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· **Transport hazard class(es)**· **DOT**

· **Class** 3 Flammable liquids.
 · **Label** 3

· **IMDG, IATA**

· **Class** 3 Flammable liquids.
 · **Label** 3

· **Packing group**· **DOT, IMDG, IATA** III· **Environmental hazards:**· **Marine pollutant:** No· **Special precautions for user**· **Danger code (Kemler):** 30· **EMS Number:** F-E, S-E

· **Transport in bulk according to Annex II of
 MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code** Not applicable.

· **UN "Model Regulation":** UN1307, Xylenes, 3, III

15 Regulatory information

· **Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**· **Sara**· **Section 355 (extremely hazardous substances):**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings):**

All ingredients are listed.

· **TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act):**

All ingredients are listed.

· **Proposition 65**· **Chemicals known to cause cancer:**

100-41-4 ethylbenzene

· **Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for females:**

108-88-3 toluene

· **Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for males.**

None of the ingredients is listed.

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· **Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity:**

108-88-3	toluene
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· **Carcinogenic categories**

· **EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)**

1330-20-7	xylene (mix)	I
100-41-4	ethylbenzene	D
108-88-3	toluene	II

· **TLV (Threshold Limit Value established by ACGIH)**

1330-20-7	xylene (mix)	A4
100-41-4	ethylbenzene	A3
108-88-3	toluene	A4

· **NIOSH-Ca (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety & Health Administration)**

Substance is listed as a suspected carcinogen.

· **GHS label elements** The product is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).

· **Hazard pictograms**



GHS02 GHS07 GHS08

· **Signal word** Danger

· **Hazard-determining components of labeling:**

xylene (mix)

ethylbenzene

· **Hazard statements**

Flammable liquid and vapour.

Harmful if inhaled.

Causes skin irritation.

Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child.

May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.

· **Precautionary statements**

If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.

Keep out of reach of children.

Read label before use.

Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. No smoking.

Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting/equipment.

IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.

Store locked up.

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

· **Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

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16 Other information

This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

· **Department issuing MSDS:** Environment protection department.

· **Contact:** Product Safety Department

· **Abbreviations and acronyms:**

ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

DOT: US Department of Transportation

IATA: International Air Transport Association

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

NFPA: National Fire Protection Association (USA)

HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)

VOC: Volatile Organic Compounds (USA, EU)

LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent

LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent

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