Stoddard solvent

Stoddard solvent is a mixture of numerous hydrocarbons derived by refining crude oil. It is widely used in many different types of sealants.

How can this chemical affect my health?

Acute (Short Term) Effects

- Irritates the Skin – Can cause irritation or serious damage to the skin.
- Toxic to Humans & Animals – Can be fatal on contact, ingestion or inhalation for humans and other mammals.

Chronic (Long Term) Effects

- Cancer – Can cause or increase the risk of cancer.
- Gene Damage – Can cause or increase the rate of mutations, which are changes in genetic material in cells.
- Other Health Effects – Can cause serious damage on contact or ingestion.
- Brain/Nervous System Harm – Can cause damage to the nervous system including the brain.