

## SAFETY DATA SHEET

# IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

Product Name LUCITE® ACRYLIC RESIN - POLY(MMA) BASED

Product Description Polymer based on Methyl methacrylate.

This data sheet covers the following grades: LUCITE® 4F, 4FD, 4FS1

CAS No. 9011-14-7

Identified use(s)

Manufacture of dental products.

Glass separation.

Uses advised against None known.

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## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Hazard classification Combustible dust

Label elements

Signal word Warning

Hazard statement(s) May form combustible dust concentrations in air.

Other hazards Low toxicity under normal conditions of handling and use.

## 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical identity of the substance Poly(Methyl methacrylate)

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## 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Description of first aid measures

Inhalation IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

Skin Contact IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water/... If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical

attention.

Eye Contact IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if

present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

Ingestion IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Obtain medical attention if ill

effects occur.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Not applicable.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

None necessary.

Revision: GHS4

## 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media Unsuitable Extinguishing Media

Special hazards arising from the substance

or mixture

Special protective equipment and precautions for fire fighters

Water spray, foam, dry powder or CO2.

Do not use water jet.

Combustible but not readily ignited. By analogy with similar materials, the product may decompose if heated to temperatures above 392°F (200°C). Combustion or thermal

decomposition will evolve toxic, irritant and flammable vapors.

A self contained breathing apparatus and suitable protective clothing should be worn in fire

conditions.

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Methods and materials for containment and

cleaning up

Caution - spillages may be slippery. Sweep up and shovel into waste drums or plastic bags. Wash the spillage area with water.

# 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

HANDLING Product as supplied: Avoid contact with eyes. Avoid prolonged skin contact. Unlikely to

represent a dust hazard under normal handling conditions.

Process Hazards The product may be suitable for a wide range of industrial applications and therefore it is

impossible to make detailed recommendations regarding all process hazards. If the product

is to be used in applications for which the hazards are not fully understood it is

recommended to consult the supplier before use.

STORAGE Acrylic polymers are supplied in either bags or bulk containers. Keep containers in a clean,

cool and dry area away from heat sources. Natural ventilation is adequate.

Storage temperature (°C): Ambient. Incompatible materials: None known.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

# Control parameters

| Substance                                | CAS No. | OSHA PEL              | ACGIH                    | ACGIH       | Company Std. | Company |
|--|---------|-----------------------|--------------------------|-------------|--------------|---------|
|  |         | TWA                   | TWA                      | STEL        | TWA          | Std.    |
|  |         |                       |                          |             |              | STEL    |
| Particulates (Total dust)                |         | 15 mg/m³              | Not                      |             |              |         |
| (Respirable dust)                        |         | 5 mg/m³               | established.             |             |              |         |
| The following values apply to substances |         |                       |                          |             |              |         |
| which may be evolved during thermal      |         |                       |                          |             |              |         |
| processing.                              |         |                       |                          |             |              |         |
| Methyl methacrylate                      | 80-62-6 | 100 ppm               | 50 ppm                   | 100 ppm     | 50 ppm       | 100 ppm |
|  |         | 410 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | (205 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ) | (410 mg/m³) |              |         |
|  |         |                       |                          | (SEN;A4)    |              |         |

Appropriate engineering controls

Do not eat, drink or smoke at the work place. Provide adequate ventilation, including appropriate local extraction, to ensure that the occupational exposure limit is not exceeded. Consideration should be given to the work procedures involved and the potential extent of exposure as they may determine whether a higher level of protection is required.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment (PPE) Eye/face protection

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Wear eye/face protection.

Safety spectacles/goggles/full face shield.

Skin protection

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Not normally required.

#### Respiratory protection



A suitable dust mask or dust respirator with filter type P may be appropriate. In the unlikely event of formation of particularly high levels of dust a self contained breathing apparatus may be appropriate.

# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Form Beads. Color. White.

Odor Typically methacrylate.

pH (Value) Not applicable. Melting Range (°C) 150 - 230 Boiling Point (°C) Not applicable. Flash Point (°C) Not available. Relative Evaporation Rate (Ether = 1) Not applicable. Flammable Limits Not applicable. Vapour pressure (Pascal) Not applicable. Not applicable. Vapor Density (Air=1) 1.18 Specific Gravity Solubility (Water) Negligible. Solubility (Other) Not available. Partition Coefficient (n-Octanol/water) Not applicable. Not available. Viscosity (mPa. s) **Explosive Properties** Not applicable.

# 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity Non-reactive material.

Chemical stability Stable under normal conditions.

Hazardous Reactions None known.
Conditions to avoid Keep away from heat.

Materials to avoid None known.

Hazardous Decomposition Product(s) Methyl methacrylate, Carbon dioxide, Carbon monoxide.

Not applicable.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute toxicity

Oxidizing Properties

Ingestion Low oral toxicity.

Inhalation Unlikely to be hazardous by inhalation.

Skin Contact Unlikely to cause skin irritation.

Contains greater than 0.1% residual (Methyl methacrylate). During normal handling this will not constitute a hazard. If the polymer matrix is destroyed e.g. when the product is dissolved in organic solvent, chemical residues will be released from the polymer matrix. Under these

conditions, they may produce an allergic reaction in persons already sensitised.

Eye Contact Dust may cause irritation.

# 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity The product is predicted to have low toxicity to aquatic organisms.

Persistence and degradability The product is non-biodegradable in soil. There is no evidence of degradation in soil and

water.

Bioaccumulative potential The product has low potential for bioaccumulation.

Mobility The product is predicted to have low mobility in soil.

Other adverse effects None known.

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

The waste is considered to be non hazardous. Clean scrap may be reprocessed. Incineration may be used to recover energy value. May be disposed of by landfill in accordance with local regulations. Certain packages are returnable. Please consult your local office for further details. Ensure that all packaging is disposed of safely.

# 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Not Classified as Dangerous for Transport.

UN No. Not applicable.
Proper Shipping Name Not applicable.
Class Not applicable.
Packing group Not applicable.
Environmental hazards Not applicable.
Special precautions for user Not applicable.
Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Not applicable.

MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

**US Federal Regulations** 

SARA 302 - Extremely Hazardous Not applicable.

Substances

SARA 313 - Toxic Chemicals None.

**US State Regulations** 

California SUBSTANCES KNOWN TO THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA TO CAUSE BIRTH DEFECTS

OR OTHER REPRODUCTIVE HARM None known.

SUBSTANCES KNOWN TO THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA TO CAUSE CANCER None

known.

Canadian Regulations

WHMIS Classification Not classified.

NFPA Rating

Health 0 Flammability 1 Reactivity 0

**NPCA-HMIS Rating** 

Health 0 Flammability 1 Reactivity 0

## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

The following sections contain revisions or

new statements:

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Inventory Status

European Union To the best of our knowledge all chemicals in this product comply with REACH regulations.

United States (TSCA)

Canada (DSL/NDSL)

Japan (ENCS)

Philippines (PICCS)

Australia (AICS)

South Korea (KECI)

China (IECSC)

Listed in TSCA

Listed in DSL

Listed in PICCS

Listed in AICS

Listed in KECI

Listed in KECI

Listed in IECSC

Compliance with other Regulatory Chemical Inventories cannot be assumed, please contact supplier for further information.

#### **LEGEND**

Note: Not all of the following are necessarily contained in this Safety Data Sheet:

LTEL: Long Term Exposure Limit STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit TWA: Time Weighted Average PEL: Permissible Exposure Levels

OSHA: Occupational Safety and Health Administration SARA: Superfund Amendments and Reauthorisation Act WHMIS: Worker Hazardous Materials Information System

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