

INFORMATION ON

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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FM1 Breather

. PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION: Product Name: FM1 (Polyester Needlefelt for Filtration)

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION: Hazard designation: Non-hazardous according to SGS regulations

Particular dangers to

man & environment: None

3. COMPOSITION/ Chemical composition: Textile product made from polyethylene terephthalate

(polyester) fibre and/or filament

INGREDIENTS: Description: Fibrous needled felt

4. FIRST AID MEASURES: General information: No Specific risk under normal conditions of use.

After inhalation: Not applicable

After skin contact: Not normally applicable. However, the molten product may

cause burns. Wash affected area with cold water. DO NOT remove clothing or solidified polymer but seek immediate

medical attention.

After eye contact: Not applicable
After swallowing: Not applicable

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES: Suitable extinguishing agents: Use any extinguisher, water, foam, dry powder,

carbon dioxide, sand.

Specific hazards resulting from products of combustion: Toxic decomposition

products of NOx may be emitted.

Protective equipment: Wear self contained breathing apparatus.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE Person related safety precautions: No special precautions necessary.

MEASURES: Measures for environmental protection: No special precautions necessary.

Measures for cleaning/collecting: Pick up, sweep up, or vacuum clean the area.

7. HANDLING & STORAGE: Information for safe handling: Packages may be heavy. Suitable lifting equipment

should be used by suitably trained persons. No special

precautions under normal conditions of use.

Protection against fires: Store away from sources of ignition.

Requirements for storage: Store in a dry place.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS & Components with critical values which require monitoring:

PERSONAL PROTECTION: Personal protective equipment: Not normally required
Hygiene measures: Follow normal good practice

Breathing equipment: Not required under normal conditions of use.

Protection of hands: Not normally required. Wash hands before handling

food.

Eye protection: Not normally required **Body protection:** Not normally required.





PHYSICAL & CHEMICAL PROPERTIES:

General Information

Form: Solid fibrous Colour: White semi dull Smell: Negligible Melting point: 223°C **Ignition point:** N/A Flash point: N/A

Solubility: Practically insoluble in water and most organic solvents.

Soluble in hot phenols, cresols, formic acid and sulphuric acid.

Other properties: Burns only in contact with a flame.

The product does not self ignite and is self extinguishing

Poor conductor of electricity, but can build static.

10. STABILITY & REACTIVITY: Thermal decomposition: Stable under normal conditions of use.

> Hazardous products arising from decomposition: No known hazardous reactions Toxic fumes of nitrogen oxides, carbon dioxide, carbon monoxide and CNH are

produced when heated to decomposition temperature.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL Acute toxicity: Not applicable

INFORMATION: General: No toxicological effects under normal conditions of use.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION: Durability/biodegradability: Durable product with low biodegradability.

Toxicity in water: N/A

13. DISPOSAL Recommendations: Recycle or dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

CONSIDERATIONS:

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION: Transport by Land: No specific requirements.

> Transport by Air: No specific requirements.

Does not belong to dangerous goods according to transport regulations.

15. REGULATORY

INFORMATION:

Designation according to SGS guidelines: Not regulated by SGS Directives.

16. OTHER INFORMATION: Product Application: Textiles

> Relevant R Phrases: Not applicable Relevant S Phrases: Not applicable

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