



Section 1: Identification

PRODUCT AND COMPANY INFORMATION

Product Name: Polyacetal **Molecular Formula:** $-(CH_2O)_x$
Catalog Number(s): 009
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Section 2: Hazards Identification

Classification of the substance or mixture

Not a hazardous substance or mixture.

GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Not a hazardous substance or mixture.

Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS – none

To the best of our knowledge, the toxicological properties of this chemical have not been thoroughly investigated. Use appropriate procedures and precautions to prevent or minimize exposure.

Section 3: Composition/Information on Ingredients

Ingredient	CAS Number	Concentration (%)
Polyacetal	9002-81-7	100

Section 4: First Aid Measures

Description of first aid measures

If inhaled

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician

In case of skin contact

Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

In case of eye contact

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician if effects occur.

If swallowed

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Do not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Consult a physician.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2) and/or in section 11

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No data available

Section 5: Fire-Fighting Measures**Suitable extinguishing media**

Water spray and foam, Water is the best extinguishing medium. Carbon dioxide and dry chemical are not generally recommended because their lack of cooling capacity may permit re-ignition.

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Hazardous combustion products may include intense heat, dense black smoke, carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, oxides of phosphorus, hydrogen cyanide, hydrocarbon fragments, hydrogen fluoride, carbonyl fluoride and fluorocarbon fragments.

Advice for firefighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary. Approved pressure demand breathing apparatus and protective clothing should be used for all fires. Water spray is the preferred extinguishing medium. This product will melt but will not be carried on the surface for water.

Further information

No data available

Section 6: Accidental Release Measures**Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Spilled material may cause a slipping hazard. Use appropriate safety equipment. For additional information, refer to Section 8, Exposure Controls and Personal Protection.

Environmental precautions

Prevent from entering into soil, ditches, sewers, waterways and/or groundwater. See Section 12, Ecological Information.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Contain spilled material if possible. Sweep up. Collect in suitable and properly labeled containers.

Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

Section 7: Handling and Storage**Precautions for safe handling**

Follow recommendations on label and in processing guide. Prevent contact with skin and eyes. Use good industrial hygiene practices. Provide adequate ventilation. Secondary operations such as grinding, sanding or sawing may produce a dust explosion hazard. Use aggressive housekeeping activities to prevent dust accumulation; employ bonding, grounding, venting and explosion relief provisions in accordance with accepted engineering practices.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well ventilated place. Keep in a dry place.

Specific end use(s)

Laboratory chemicals, Manufacture of substances

Restrictions on Use

Not for drug or household use

Section 8: Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Control parameters

Components with workplace control parameters

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls

General industrial hygiene practice.

A continuous supply of fresh air to the workplace together with removal of processing fumes through exhaust systems is recommended. Processing fume condensate may be a fire hazard and toxic; remove periodically from exhaust hoods, duct work and other surfaces using appropriate personal protection. For powders and residual dusts refer to Section 7.

Personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection

Safety glasses with side shields. Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

Skin protection

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

Body Protection

Impervious clothing. The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

Respiratory protection

For nuisance exposures use type P95 (US) or type P1 (EN 143) particle respirator. For higher level protection use typeOV/AG/P99 (US) or type ABEK-P2 (EN 143) respirator cartridges. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

Control of environmental exposure

Do not let product enter drains.

Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

a)	Appearance	Form: Pellets
b)	Odor	Slightly formaldehyde
c)	Odor Threshold	No data available
d)	pH	No data available
e)	Melting point/freezing point	No data available
f)	Initial boiling point and boiling range	No data available
g)	Flash point	No data available
h)	Evaporation rate	No data available
i)	Flammability (solid, gas)	No data available
j)	Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	No data available
k)	Vapor pressure	No data available
l)	Vapor density	No data available
m)	Relative density	No data available
n)	Water solubility	Insoluble
o)	Partition coefficient: n- octanol/water	No data available
p)	Auto-ignition temperature	No data available
q)	Decomposition temperature	No data available

r)	Viscosity	No data available
s)	Explosive properties	No data available
t)	Oxidizing properties	No data available

Other safety information

No data available

Section 10: Stability and Reactivity

Reactivity

Not reactive under recommended conditions of handling, storage, processing and use.

Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Possibility of hazardous reactions

No data available

Conditions to avoid

Avoid temperatures above 425 °C. Exposure to elevated temperatures can cause product to decompose.

Incompatible materials

None known.

Hazardous decomposition products

Major decomposition gases are oxidized hydrocarbons (probably carbon monoxide) and steam. Minor components in decomposition gas may be aldehyde, phenolic compounds, etc.
In the event of fire: see section 5

Section 11: Toxicological Information

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity

No data available

Inhalation: No data available

Dermal: No data available

Ingestion: No data available

Skin corrosion/irritation

No data available

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

No data available

Respiratory or skin sensitization

No data available

Germ cell mutagenicity

No data available

Carcinogenicity

IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

ACGIH: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH.

NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

Reproductive toxicity

No data available

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

No data available

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

No data available

Aspiration hazard

No data available

Additional Information

RTECS: Not available

Section 12: Ecological Information

Toxicity

No data available

Persistence and degradability

No data available

Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

Mobility in soil

No data available

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted

Other adverse effects

No data available

Section 13: Disposal Considerations

Waste treatment methods

Product

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company.

Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

Section 14: Transport Information

DOT (US)

Not dangerous goods

IMDG

Not dangerous goods

IATA

Not dangerous goods

Section 15: Regulatory Information

SARA 302 Components

No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

SARA 313 Components

This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

SARA 311/312 Hazards

No SARA Hazards

Massachusetts Right To Know Components

No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

Pennsylvania Right To Know Components

No components are subject to the Pennsylvania Right to Know Act.

New Jersey Right To Know Components

No components are subject to the New Jersey Right to Know Act.

California Prop. 65 Components

This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.

Section 16: Other Information

HMIS Rating

Health: 0
Flammability: 0
Reactivity: 0

NFPA Rating

Health: 0
Flammability: 0
Reactivity: 0

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