Section 1: Identification

PRODUCT AND COMPANY INFORMATION

Product Name: Poly(2-acrylamido-2-methylpropanesulfonic acid), sodium salt
Catalog Number(s): 956
Molecular Formula: (C\(_7\)H\(_{13}\)NO\(_4\)S Na\(_x\))
Company: Scientific Polymer Products, Inc.
6265 Dean Parkway
Ontario, NY 14519
Telephone: 585/265-0413
Fax: 585/265-1390
Website: www.scipoly.com
Emergency Phone Number: 800-255-3924 (CHEM TEL)

Section 2: Hazards Identification

Classification of the substance or mixture

GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)
Aspiration hazard, Category 2, H305
Eye irritation, Category 2A, H319

GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram

Signal word Danger

Hazard statement(s)
H305 May be harmful if swallowed and enters airways.
H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

Precautionary statement(s)
P264 Wash skin thoroughly after handling.
P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
P301+P310 IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.
P331 Do NOT induce vomiting.
P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P337+P313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
P405 Store locked up.
P501 Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant.

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

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Section 4: First Aid Measures

Description of first aid measures

General advice
Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Move out of dangerous area.

If inhaled
If breathed in, move to fresh air environment. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.

In case of skin contact
Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists. Wash skin thoroughly with soap and plenty of water.

In case of eye contact
Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists. Promptly wash eyes with plenty of water while lifting the eye lids.

If swallowed
Call a physician or poison control center immediately. If swallowed, rinse mouth with water—never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Do not induce vomiting. If vomiting occurs, the head should be kept low so the stomach vomit doesn’t enter the lungs.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed
Aspiration may cause pulmonary edema and pneumonitis. Severe eye irritation. Symptoms may include stinging, tearing, redness, swelling and blurred vision. Dusts may irritate the respiratory tract, skin and eyes.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed
No data available

Section 5: Fire-Fighting Measures

Suitable extinguishing media
Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide. Do not use a solid water stream as it may scatter and spread fire.

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture
Explosion hazard: Avoid generating dust; fine dust dispersed in air in sufficient concentrations, and in the presence of an ignition source is a potential dust explosion hazard. Fire may produce irritating, corrosive and/or toxic gases.

Advice for firefighters
Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

Further information
Static charges generated by emptying package in or near flammable vapor may cause flash fire.

Section 6: Accidental Release Measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures
Use personal protective equipment. Avoid breathing vapors, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Keep unprotected persons away. For personal protection see section 8.

Environmental precautions
Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

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Section 7: Handling and Storage

Precautions for safe handling
Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid inhalation of vapor or mist. Ensure proper ventilation. Use explosion proof equipment. Keep away from sources of ignition-No smoking. Take measure to prevent the buildup of electrostatic charge. For precautions see section 2.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities
Keep container tightly closed in a cool, dry and well ventilated place. Containers which are opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Open slowly in order to control possible pressure release.

Specific end use(s)
Laboratory chemicals, Synthesis of substances

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
Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid inhalation of vapor or mist. Ensure proper ventilation. Use explosion proof equipment. Keep away from sources of ignition-No smoking. Take measure to prevent the buildup of electrostatic charge. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

Personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection
Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles). Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

Skin protection
Handle with chemical resistant 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
Wear appropriate thermal protective clothing, when necessary. The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

Respiratory protection
Dust mask. Where risk assessment shows air purifying respirators are appropriate use full face respirator with multi-purpose combination (US) or type ABEK (EN 14387) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. If the respirator is the sole means of protection, use a full face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

Control of environmental exposure
Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains

Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

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Section 10: Stability and Reactivity

Reactivity
The product is stable and non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.

Chemical stability
Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Possibility of hazardous reactions
No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use

Conditions to avoid
Keep away from heat, sparks and open flames. Avoid temperatures exceeding the flash point. Contact with incompatible materials. Minimize dust generation and accumulation.

Incompatible materials
Strong oxidizing agents

Hazardous decomposition products
Hazardous decomposition products – No data available
In the event of fire: see section 5

Section 11: Toxicological Information

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity
May be harmful if swallowed and enters airways

Skin corrosion/irritation
Prolonged skin contact may cause temporary irritation.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation
Causes serious eye irritation

Respiratory or skin sensitization
Not a respiratory sensitizer. Not expected to cause skin sensitization.

Germ cell mutagenicity
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 (GHS)
Not classified

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure (GHS)
Not classified

Aspiration hazard
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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
The product is not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does not exclude the possibility that large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging effect on the environment.

Section 13: Disposal Considerations

Waste treatment methods

Product
Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company. Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material.

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
Acute Health Hazard

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

Pennsylvania Right To Know Components
Poly(2-acrylamido-2-methylpropanesulfonic acid), sodium salt  CAS-No. 35641-59-9

New Jersey Right To Know Components
Poly(2-acrylamido-2-methylpropanesulfonic acid), sodium salt  CAS-No. 35641-59-9

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

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