

#### MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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#### 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

#### POLYONE CORPORATION

8155 Cobb Center Drive, Kennesaw, GA 30152

Telephone : 1 (440) 930-1000 or 1 (866) POLYONE

Emergency telephone : CHEMTREC 1-800-424-9300 (24hrs for spill, leak, fire, exposure

or accident).

Product name : Geon<sup>TM</sup> MM526A HOT MELT PLASTISOL

Product code : FO20030037 Chemical Name : Mixture CAS-No. : Mixture

Product Use : Industrial Applications

#### 2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON REGULATED INGREDIENTS

Components	CAS-No.	Weight percent
Miscellaneous Zinc Compounds	0-05-5	1 - 5
Quartz	14808-60-7	0.1 - 1
Miscellaneous Barium Compounds	0-08-8	1 - 5
Calcium carbonate	1317-65-3	30 - 60

## 3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### **EMERGENCY OVERVIEW**

This mixture has not been evaluated as a whole for health effects. Information provided on health effects of this product is based on the individual components. However, some vapors or contaminants may be released upon heating and the end-user (fabricator) must take the necessary precautions (mechanical ventilation, respiratory protection, etc.) to protect employees from exposure. See sections 8 and 11 for special precautions.

# POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS

**Routes of Exposure:** : Inhalation, Skin contact, Ingestion

Acute exposure

Inhalation : Inhalation of airborne droplets may cause irritation of the respiratory

tract.

Ingestion : May be harmful if swallowed. Eyes : May cause eye and skin irritation.

Skin : Experience shows no unusual dermatitis hazard from routine handling.



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Chronic exposure : Refer to Section 11 for Toxicological Information.

**Medical Conditions** Aggravated by Exposure: : None known.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Inhalation Move to fresh air in case of accidental inhalation of fumes from

overheating or combustion. When symptoms persist or in all cases of

doubt seek medical advice.

Ingestion Do not induce vomiting without medical advice. When symptoms

persist or in all cases of doubt seek medical advice.

Eyes Rinse immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. If eye

irritation persists, seek medical attention.

Skin Wash off with soap and plenty of water. If skin irritation persists

seek medical attention.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Flash point no data available

Flammable Limits

Upper explosion limit : no data available no data available Lower explosion limit Autoignition temperature Not applicable

Suitable extinguishing media Carbon dioxide blanket, Water spray, Dry powder, Foam.

Special Fire Fighting

Procedures

Fullface self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) used in positive

contaminants.

Unusual Fire/Explosion

Hazards

pressure mode should be worn to prevent inhalation of airborne

May emit Hydrogen Chloride (HCl) or Carbon Monoxide (CO) under fire conditions. Carbon dioxide (CO2), carbon monoxide (CO),

oxides of nitrogen (NOx), other hazardous materials, and smoke are

all possible.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions : Wear appropriate personal protection during cleanup, such as

impervious gloves, boots and coveralls.

Environmental precautions The product should not be allowed to enter drains, water courses or

the soil. Should not be released into the environment.

Soak up with inert absorbent material (e.g. sand, silica gel, acid Methods for cleaning up

binder, universal binder, sawdust). Package all material in

appropriate container for disposal. Refer to Section 13 of this MSDS



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for proper disposal methods.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling : Heat only in areas with appropriate exhaust ventilation. Processing

fume condensates may contain combustible or toxic residue. Periodically clean hoods, ducts, and other surfaces to minimize

accumulation of these materials.

Storage : Keep containers dry and tightly closed to avoid moisture absorption

and contamination. Store in a cool dry place.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Respiratory protection : No personal respiratory protective equipment normally required.

Eye/Face Protection : Safety glasses with side-shields

Hand protection : Protective gloves

Skin and body protection : Long sleeved clothing

Additional Protective

Measures

: Safety shoes

General Hygiene Considerations : Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

Engineering measures : Heat only in areas with appropriate exhaust ventilation. Provide

appropriate exhaust ventilation at machinery.

Exposure limit(s)



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Components	Value	Exposure time	Exposure type	List:
Calcium carbonate	5 mg/m3	PEL:	Respirable fraction.	OSHA Z1
	15 mg/m3	PEL:	Total dust.	OSHA Z1
	10 mg/m3	Time Weighted Average		MX OEL
		(TWA):		
	20 mg/m3	Short Term Exposure Limit		MX OEL
		(STEL):		
Quartz	0.025	Time Weighted Average	Respirable fraction.	ACGIH
	mg/m3	(TWA):		
	0.05	Recommended exposure	Respirable dust.	NIOSH
	mg/m3	limit (REL):		
	0.1 mg/m3	Time Weighted Average	Respirable dust.	OSHA Z1A
		(TWA):		
	0.1 mg/m3	Time Weighted Average	Respirable.	Z3
		(TWA):		
	0.3 mg/m3	Time Weighted Average	Total dust.	Z3
		(TWA):		
	0.1 mg/m3	Time Weighted Average		MX OEL
		(TWA):		
Miscellaneous Barium	0.5 mg/m3	Time Weighted Average	as Ba	ACGIH
Compounds		(TWA):		
	0.5 mg/m3	PEL:	as Ba	OSHA Z1

#### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Form : liquid Evaporation rate : Not established Appearance : viscous, liquid Specific Gravity Not determined Colour : NO PIGMENT Bulk density Not applicable Vapour pressure : Not determined Odour : very faint Melting point/range not applicable Vapour density Not determined Boiling Point: not applicable Not applicable pН

Water solubility : immiscible

#### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability : Stable

Hazardous Polymerization : Will not occur.

Conditions to avoid : Keep away from oxidizing agents and open flame. To avoid thermal

decomposition, do not overheat.

Incompatible Materials : Incompatible with strong acids and oxidizing agents., Avoid contact

with acetal homopolymers and acetal copolymers during processing.

Hazardous decomposition

products

: Carbon dioxide (CO2), carbon monoxide (CO), oxides of nitrogen (NOx), hydrogen chloride (HCl), other hazardous materials, and

smoke are all possible. Prolonged heating may result in product degradation. As a general rule of thumb, degradation begins to occur



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after one hour at 177 °C (350 °F), after 10 minutes at 204 °C (400 °F), and within 5 minutes at 232 °C (450 °F).

#### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

This mixture has not been evaluated as a whole for health effects. Exposure effects listed are based on existing health data for the individual components which comprise the mixture.

#### **Toxicity Overview**

This product contains the following components which in their pure form have the following characteristics:

CAS-No.	Chemical Name	Effect	Target Organ
0-05-5	Miscellaneous Zinc	Systemic effects	Eyes, Skin, Respiratory
	Compounds		system.
14808-60-7	Quartz	Systemic effects	Eyes, Respiratory system.
0-08-8	Miscellaneous Barium	Irritant	Respiratory system, Eyes.
	Compounds		
		Systemic effects	Respiratory system.
1317-65-3	Calcium carbonate	Irritant	Eyes, Skin.
		Systemic effects	Eyes, Skin, Respiratory
			system.

#### Carcinogenicity

This product contains the following components which, in their pure form, have the following carcinogenicity data:

CAS-No.	Chemical Name	OSHA	IARC	NTP
14808-60-7	Quartz	no	1	no

#### IARC Carcinogen Classifications:

- 1 The component is carcinogenic to humans.
- 2A The component is probably carcinogenic to humans.
- 2B The component is possibly carcinogenic to humans.

## NTP Carcinogen Classifications:

- 1 The component is known to be a human carcinogen.
- 2 The component is reasonably anticipated to be a human carcinogen.

### **Additional Health Hazard Information:**

Quartz 14808-60-7 This material in its free releasable form may cause respiratory tract irritation. Long-term exposure may cause coughing, chest pain, diminished chest expansion and possibly silicosis, which is a scarring of the lungs.

### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Persistence and degradability : Not readily biodegradable.

Environmental Toxicity : Environmental toxicity has not been established for this mixture as a

whole.



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Bioaccumulation Potential : no data available

Additional advice : no data available

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Product : Where possible recycling is preferred to disposal or incineration. The

generator of waste material has the responsibility for proper waste classification, transportation and disposal in accordance with applicable federal, state/provincial and local regulations.

Contaminated packaging : Recycling is preferred when possible. The generator of waste

material has the responsibility for proper waste classification, transportation and disposal in accordance with applicable federal,

state/provincial and local regulations.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

U.S. DOT Classification : Refer to specific regulation.

ICAO/IATA : Refer to specific regulation.

IMO/IMDG (maritime) : Refer to specific regulation.

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

US Regulations:

OSHA Status : Classified as hazardous based on components.

TSCA Status : All components of this product are listed on or exempt from the

TSCA Inventory.

US. EPA CERCLA Hazardous Substances (40 CFR 302)

not applicable

California Proposition : WARNING! This product contains a chemical known to the State of

65 California to cause cancer.

SARA Title III Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substance

Unless specific chemicals are identified under this section, this product is Not Applicable under this regulation



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#### SARA Title III Section 313 Toxic Chemicals:

Unless specific chemicals are identified under this section, this product is Not Applicable under this regulation

Chemical Name	CAS-No.	Weight percent
ZINC COMPOUNDS	0-05-5	1.00 - 5.00
BARIUM COMPOUNDS	0-08-8	1.00 - 5.00

#### Canadian Regulations:

National Pollutant Release Inventory (NPRI)

Chemical Name	CAS-No.	Weight	NPRI ID#
		percent	
Miscellaneous Zinc Compounds	0-05-5	1.00 - 5.00	241

WHMIS Classification : D2A

WHMIS Ingredient Disclosure List

CAS-No.	
0-08-8	

DSL : DSL status has not been determined. Quantity use in Canada may be

restricted by regulations.

National Inventories:

Australia AICS : Not determined

China IECS : Not determined

Europe EINECS : Not determined

Japan ENCS : Not determined

Korea KECI : Not determined

Philippines PICCS : Not determined

#### 16. OTHER INFORMATION

The information provided in this Safety Data Sheet is correct to the best of our knowledge, information and belief at the date of its publication. The information given is designed only as a guidance for safe handling, use, processing, storage, transportation, disposal and release and is not to be considered a warranty or quality specification. The information relates only to the specific material designated and may not be valid for such material used in combination with any other materials or in any process, unless specified in the text.