

## Safety data sheet

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## 1. Substance/preparation and manufacturer/supplier identification

## **Product name:**

# ULTRADUR® B 4520 BLACK 00110 POLYBUTYLENE TEREPHTHALATE

Use: Polymer

Recommended use: Polymer, for industrial processing only

## Manufacturer/supplier:

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## **Emergency information:**

Singapore Emergency Toll-Free Number:

Telephone: 1800-723-1361 International emergency number: Telephone: +49 180 2273-112

## 2. Hazard identification

Classification of the substance and mixture:

No need for classification according to GHS criteria for this product.

Label elements and precautionary statement:

The product does not require a hazard warning label in accordance with GHS criteria.

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Other hazards which do not result in classification:

No specific dangers known, if the regulations/notes for storage and handling are considered.

## 3. Composition/information on ingredients

Chemical nature

Substance nature: mixture

Preparation based on:

polybutylene terephthalate (PBT)

additives

No particular hazards known.

## 4. First-Aid Measures

General advice:

Avoid contact with the skin, eyes and clothing.

If inhaled:

If difficulties occur after dust has been inhaled, remove to fresh air and seek medical attention.

On skin contact:

Burns caused by molten material require hospital treatment.

On contact with eyes:

In case of contact with the eyes, rinse immediately for at least 15 minutes with plenty of water. If irritation develops, seek medical attention.

On ingestion:

Rinse mouth and then drink 200-300 ml of water. If difficulties occur: Seek medical attention.

Note to physician:

Symptoms: (Further) symptoms and / or effects are not known so far

Hazards: No hazard is expected under intended use and appropriate handling.

Treatment: Treat according to symptoms (decontamination, vital functions), no known specific

antidote.

## 5. Fire-Fighting Measures

Suitable extinguishing media: water spray, foam, dry powder

Unsuitable extinguishing media for safety reasons:

water jet

Specific hazards:

At temperatures of > 290 °C can be emitted: carbon monoxide, tetrahydrofuran

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Under special fire conditions traces of other toxic substances are possible. Formation of further decomposition and oxidation products depends upon the fire conditions.

Special protective equipment:

Wear a self-contained breathing apparatus.

Further information:

Dispose of fire debris and contaminated extinguishing water in accordance with official regulations.

## 6. Accidental Release Measures

#### Personal precautions:

No special precautions necessary.

#### Environmental precautions:

No special precautions necessary.

#### Methods for cleaning up or taking up:

For small amounts: Pick up with suitable appliance and dispose of.

For large amounts: Pick up with suitable appliance and dispose of.

For residues: Sweep/shovel up.

Dispose of absorbed material in accordance with regulations.

Additional information: High risk of slipping due to leakage/spillage of product.

## 7. Handling and Storage

## **Handling**

Avoid inhalation of dusts/mists/vapours. Exhaust ventilation at processing machines is required during thermal processing and/or machining.

Protection against fire and explosion:

Take precautionary measures against static discharges.

#### Storage

Segregate from foods and animal feeds.

Suitable materials for containers: Low density polyethylene (LDPE), High density polyethylene (HDPE), Aluminium, Carbon steel (Iron)

Further information on storage conditions: Keep container tightly closed and dry; store in a cool place. Avoid dust formation, product dust can form an explosive mixture with air.

Storage stability:

Protect against moisture.

## 8. Exposure controls and personal protection

Components with occupational exposure limits

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Given suitable ventilation, it can be assumed that the threshold limits will not be reached.

#### Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection:

Breathing protection if breathable aerosols/dust are formed. Wear respiratory protection if ventilation is inadequate. (Particle filter EN 143 P2 or FFP2)

Hand protection:

Use additional heat protection gloves when handling hot molten masses (EN 407), e.g. of textile or leather.

Eye protection:

Safety glasses with side-shields (frame goggles) (e.g. EN 166)

Body protection:

Body protection must be chosen depending on activity and possible exposure, e.g. apron, protecting boots, chemical-protection suit (according to EN 14605 in case of splashes or EN ISO 13982 in case of dust).

General safety and hygiene measures:

No special precautions necessary. When using, do not eat, drink or smoke. Hands and/or face should be washed before breaks and at the end of the shift. After use of gloves apply skin-cleaning agents and skin cosmetics.

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## 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Form: granules
Colour: black
Odour: odourless
Odour threshold: not applicable

pH value:

not applicable

melting range: 220 - 230 °C

(1,013 hPa)

Boiling range:

The substance / product decomposes therefore not

determined.

Sublimation point:

No applicable information available.

Flash point:

not applicable

Evaporation rate:

The product is a non-volatile solid.

Flammability (solid/gas): not self-igniting (derived from flash point)

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Lower explosion limit:

For solids not relevant for classification and labelling.

Upper explosion limit:

For solids not relevant for classification and labelling.

Ignition temperature: 350 °C (ASTM D1929)

Thermal decomposition: > 290 °C (TGA)

To avoid thermal decomposition, do

not overheat.

Self ignition: not self-igniting Test type: Spontaneous self-

ignition at room-temperature.

Self heating ability: It is not a substance capable of

spontaneous heating according to UN transport regulations class 4.2.

(VDI 2263, sheet 1, 1.4.1 (May

1990))

Explosion hazard: not explosive

Fire promoting properties: not fire-propagating

Vapour pressure:

not applicable

Density: 1.2 - 1.35 g/cm3 (EN ISO 1183-1)

(20 °C, 1,013 hPa)

Relative density:

Study does not need to be

conducted.

Bulk density: 600 - 900 kg/m3 (DIN 53466)

(20 °C, 1,013 hPa)

Relative vapour density (air):

not applicable

Solubility in water: insoluble

(20 °C, 1,013 hPa)

Partitioning coefficient n-octanol/water (log Pow):

not applicable

Viscosity, dynamic:

not applicable, the product is a solid

Viscosity, kinematic:

not applicable, the product is a solid

Particle characteristics

Particle size distribution: spheroidal -

Specific Surface Area: 0.0 m²/g (MSSA, ISO 9227)

## 10. Stability and Reactivity

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Conditions to avoid: Temperature: > 290 °C

See SDS section 7 - Handling and storage.

Thermal decomposition: > 290 °C (TGA)

To avoid thermal decomposition, do not overheat.

Substances to avoid:

No substances known that should be avoided.

Corrosion to metals: No corrosive effect on metal.

Hazardous reactions:

No hazardous reactions known. The product is chemically stable.

Possible decomposition products:

carbon monoxide, terephthalic acid, carbon dioxide, water, tetrahydrofuran Gaseous products of degradation can be given off if the product is greatly overheated.

Chemical stability:

The product is stable if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

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Reactivity:

No hazardous reactions if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

## 11. Toxicological Information

## Routes of exposure

#### Assessment of acute toxicity

Contact with molten product may cause thermal burns.

## **Symptoms**

(Further) symptoms and / or effects are not known so far

#### Irritation

Assessment of irritating effects:

Based on our experience and the information available, no adverse health effects are expected if handled as recommended with suitable precautions for designated uses.

Experimental/calculated data:

Serious eye damage/irritation:May cause mechanical irritation.

#### Respiratory/Skin sensitization

Assessment of sensitization:

Based on our experience and the information available, no adverse health effects are expected if handled as recommended with suitable precautions for designated uses.

#### Germ cell mutagenicity

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Assessment of mutagenicity:

Based on our experience and the information available, no adverse health effects are expected if handled as recommended with suitable precautions for designated uses.

## Carcinogenicity

Assessment of carcinogenicity:

Based on our experience and the information available, no adverse health effects are expected if handled as recommended with suitable precautions for designated uses.

## Reproductive toxicity

Assessment of reproduction toxicity:

Based on our experience and the information available, no adverse health effects are expected if handled as recommended with suitable precautions for designated uses.

## **Developmental toxicity**

Assessment of teratogenicity:

Based on our experience and the information available, no adverse health effects are expected if handled as recommended with suitable precautions for designated uses.

## Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)

not applicable

## Repeated dose toxicity and Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure)

Assessment of repeated dose toxicity:

Based on our experience and the information available, no adverse health effects are expected if handled as recommended with suitable precautions for designated uses.

## **Aspiration hazard**

No aspiration hazard expected.

## Other relevant toxicity information

Based on our experience and the information available, no adverse health effects are expected if handled as recommended with suitable precautions for designated uses.

## 12. Ecological Information

#### **Ecotoxicity**

Assessment of aquatic toxicity:

The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the structure of the product. There is a high probability that the product is not acutely harmful to aquatic organisms.

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## **Mobility**

Assessment transport between environmental compartments: Adsorption to solid soil phase is not expected.

## Persistence and degradability

Assessment biodegradation and elimination (H2O):

The product is virtually insoluble in water and can thus be separated from water mechanically in suitable effluent treatment plants.

Elimination information:

Poorly biodegradable.

Assessment of stability in water:

According to structural properties, hydrolysis is not expected/probable.

## **Bioaccumulation potential**

Assessment bioaccumulation potential:

Does not significantly accumulate in organisms.

Bioaccumulation potential:

The product will not be readily bioavailable due to its consistency and insolubility in water.

#### Other adverse effects

Adsorbable organically-bound halogen (AOX):

This product contains no organically-bound halogen.

#### Additional information

Other ecotoxicological advice:

The product is a polymeric compound.

## 13. Disposal Considerations

Check for possible recycling.

Incinerate in suitable incineration plant, observing local authority regulations.

Contaminated packaging:

Packs must be completely emptied.

Completely emptied packagings can be given for recycling.

## 14. Transport Information

#### **Domestic transport:**

Not classified as a dangerous good under transport regulations

UN number or ID number
UN proper shipping name:
Transport hazard class(es):
Packing group:

Not applicable
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Environmental hazards: Special precautions for

user

Not applicable None known

Sea transport

**IMDG** 

Not classified as a dangerous good under transport regulations

UN number or ID number: Not applicable Not applicable UN proper shipping name: Not applicable Transport hazard class(es): Not applicable Packing group: Environmental hazards: Not applicable Marine pollutant: no

Special precautions for

user

None known

Air transport

IATA/ICAO

Not classified as a dangerous good under transport regulations

UN number or ID number Not applicable Proper shipping name: Not applicable Transport hazard class(es): Not applicable Packing group: Not applicable Environmental hazards: Not applicable Special precautions for None known

user

Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

Maritime transport in bulk is not intended.

## 15. Regulatory Information

## **Other regulations**

## 16. Other Information

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