GE Healthcare

SAFETY DATA SHEET

Conforms to EU Directive 91/155/EEC, as amended by 2001/58/EC - Switzerland English

1. Identification of the substance/preparation and company/undertaking

Product name P81 circles, 25 mm, 100 pack

Catalogue Number 3698-325

Product type Solid

Company/undertaking identification

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2. Hazards identification

The product is not classified as dangerous according to Directive 1999/45/EC and its amendments.

Classification Not classified.

See section 11 for more detailed information on health effects and symptoms.

3. Composition/information on ingredients

Substance/preparation Substance

Within the present knowledge of the supplier, this product does not contain any hazardous ingredients in quantities requiring reporting in this section, in accordance with EU or national regulations.

4. First-aid measures

First-aid measures

Inhalation If inhaled, remove to fresh air. Get medical attention if symptoms appear.

Ingestion Do not ingest. Get medical attention if symptoms appear.

Skin contact Wash with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation develops.

Eye contact In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water. Get medical attention if irritation

occurs.

Protection of first-aidersNo action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training.

Notes to physician No specific treatment. Treat symptomatically. Contact poison treatment specialist immediately if large

quantities have been ingested or inhaled.

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5. Fire-fighting measures

Extinguishing media

Suitable Use an extinguishing agent suitable for the surrounding fire.

Not suitable None known.

Special exposure hazardsNo specific fire or explosion hazard.

Promptly isolate the scene by removing all persons from the vicinity of the incident if there is a fire. No

action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training.

Special protective equipment for

fire-fighters

Fire-fighters should wear appropriate protective equipment and self-contained breathing apparatus

(SCBA) with a full face-piece operated in positive pressure mode.

Accidental release measures

Personal precautionsUse personal protective equipment as required.

Environmental precautions No special recommendations.

Large spillPlace spilt material in an appropriate container for disposal.Small spillPlace spilt material in an appropriate container for disposal.

7. Handling and storage

Handling Put on appropriate personal protective equipment (see section 8). Eating, drinking and smoking should be

prohibited in areas where this material is handled, stored and processed. Workers should wash hands

and face before eating, drinking and smoking.

Storage No special recommendations.

Packaging materials

Recommended Use original container.

8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Exposure limit values Not available.

Exposure controls

Skin protection

Occupational exposure controls

Respiratory protection Hand protection Good general ventilation should be sufficient to control worker exposure to airborne contaminants.

A respirator is not needed under normal and intended conditions of product use.

Chemical-resistant, impervious gloves complying with an approved standard should be worn at all times

when handling chemical products if a risk assessment indicates this is necessary.

Eye protectionSafety eyewear complying with an approved standard should be used when a risk assessment indicates this is necessary to avoid exposure to liquid splashes, mists or dusts.

Personal protective equipment for the body should be selected based on the task being performed and

the risks involved and should be approved by a specialist before handling this product.

Wash hands, forearms and face thoroughly after handling chemical products, before eating, smoking and using the lavatory and at the end of the working period. Appropriate techniques should be used to remove potentially contaminated clothing. Wash contaminated clothing before reusing. Ensure that

eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.

Environmental exposure

controls

Emissions from ventilation or work process equipment should be checked to ensure they comply with the

requirements of environmental protection legislation. In some cases, fume scrubbers, filters or

engineering modifications to the process equipment will be necessary to reduce emissions to acceptable

levels

9. Physical and chemical properties

General information

Appearance

Physical state Solid.
Colour White.
Odour Odourless

Important health, safety and environmental information

Explosive propertiesNot considered to be a product presenting a risk of explosion.

Solubility Insoluble in the following materials: cold water.

Viscosity Dynamic: Not applicable.
Kinematic: Not applicable



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10. Stability and reactivity

StabilityThe product is stable.Conditions to avoidNo specific data.Materials to avoidNo specific data.

Hazardous decomposition

products

Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced.

11. Toxicological information

Potential acute health effects

InhalationNo known significant effects or critical hazards.IngestionNo known significant effects or critical hazards.Skin contactNo known significant effects or critical hazards.Eye contactNo known significant effects or critical hazards.

Acute toxicity

Conclusion/Summary Not available.

Potential chronic health effects

Chronic effectsNo known significant effects or critical hazards.CarcinogenicityNo known significant effects or critical hazards.MutagenicityNo known significant effects or critical hazards.Reproductive toxicityNo known significant effects or critical hazards.Developmental effectsNo known significant effects or critical hazards.Fertility effectsNo known significant effects or critical hazards.

Over-exposure signs/symptoms

InhalationNo specific data.IngestionNo specific data.SkinNo specific data.EyesNo specific data.

12. Ecological information

Environmental effects No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Conclusion/Summary Not available.

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Other adverse effects No known significant effects or critical hazards.

13. Disposal considerations

Methods of disposal The generation of waste should be avoided or minimised wherever possible. Empty containers or liners

may retain some product residues. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way. Dispose of surplus and non-recyclable products via a licensed waste disposal contractor. Disposal of this product, solutions and any by-products should at all times comply with the requirements of environmental protection and waste disposal legislation and any regional local authority requirements. Avoid dispersal of

spilt material and runoff and contact with soil, waterways, drains and sewers.

Hazardous waste Within the present knowledge of the supplier, this product is not regarded as hazardous waste, as defined

by EU Directive 91/689/EEC.

14. Transport information

International transport regulations

Not classified.

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15. Regulatory information

EU regulations

Classification and labeling have been determined according to EU Directives 67/548/EEC and 1999/45/EC (including amendments) and take into account the intended product use.

Risk phrases This product is not classified according to EU legislation.

Product use Industrial applications.

Europe inventory All components are listed or exempted.



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Other EU regulations

National regulations

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16. Other information



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