

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

POLYONE CORPORATION
33587 Walker Road, Avon Lake, OH 44012

NON-EMERGENCY TELEPHONE : Product Stewardship (770) 271-5902

Emergency telephone number : **CHEMTREC 1-800-424-9300 (24hrs for spill, leak, fire, exposure or accident).**

Product name : BEIGE

Product code : CC10015416

Chemical Name : Mixture

CAS-No. : Mixture

Product Use : Industrial Applications

2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS

Components	CAS-No.	Weight %
Nickel titanium tungsten oxide (NiTi20W2O47)	69011-05-8	0.1 - 1
Mica	12001-26-2	10 - 30
Titanium dioxide	13463-67-7	10 - 30

3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

This mixture has not been evaluated as a whole. All ingredients are bound and potential for hazardous exposure as shipped is minimal. However, some vapors may be released upon heating or crosslinking and the end-user (fabricator) must take the necessary precautions (mechanical ventilation, respiratory protection, etc.) to protect employees from exposure.

POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS

Routes of Exposure: : Inhalation, Ingestion, Skin contact

Acute exposure

Inhalation : Resin particles, like other inert materials, can be mechanically irritating.

Ingestion : May be harmful if swallowed.

Eyes : Resin particles, like other inert materials, are mechanically irritating to eyes.

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

Chronic exposure : Refer to Section 11 for Toxicological Information.

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Medical Conditions : None known.
Aggravated by Exposure:

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, also under the eyelids, 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 : Not applicable

Flammable Limits

- Upper explosion limit : Not applicable
- Lower explosion limit : Not applicable

Autoignition temperature : Not relevant

Suitable extinguishing media : Carbon dioxide blanket, Water spray, dry powder, foam.

Special Fire Fighting Procedures : Fullface self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) used in positive pressure mode should be worn to prevent inhalation of airborne contaminants.

Unusual Fire/Explosion Hazards : None

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions : Wear appropriate personal protection during cleanup, such as impervious gloves, boots and coveralls.

Environmental precautions : Should not be released into the environment. The product should not be allowed to enter drains, water courses or the soil.

Methods for cleaning up : Clean up promptly by sweeping or vacuum. Package all material in plastic, cardboard or metal containers for disposal. Refer to Section 13 of this MSDS for proper disposal methods.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling : Take measures to prevent the build up of electrostatic charge. Heat only in areas with appropriate exhaust ventilation.

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Storage : Keep containers dry and tightly closed to avoid moisture absorption and contamination. Keep in a dry, cool 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:
Mica	3 mg/m ³	Time Weighted Average (TWA):	Total dust.	ACGIH
Mica	20 mppcf	PEL:	Total dust.	OSHA
Nickel titanium tungsten oxide (NiTi ₂₀ W ₂ O ₄₇)	0.2 mg/m ³	Time Weighted Average (TWA):	as Ni	ACGIH
Nickel titanium tungsten oxide (NiTi ₂₀ W ₂ O ₄₇)	1 mg/m ³	PEL:	as Ni	OSHA Z1
Nickel titanium tungsten oxide (NiTi ₂₀ W ₂ O ₄₇)	1 mg/m ³	Time Weighted Average (TWA):	Respirable dust and/or fume as V ₂ O ₅	ACGIH
	3 mg/m ³	Short Term Exposure Limit (STEL):	Respirable dust and/or fume as V ₂ O ₅	ACGIH
Nickel titanium tungsten oxide (NiTi ₂₀ W ₂ O ₄₇)	5 mg/m ³	Time Weighted Average (TWA):	as U	ACGIH
	10 mg/m ³	Short Term Exposure Limit (STEL):	as U	ACGIH
Titanium dioxide	10 mg/m ³	Time Weighted Average (TWA):	Total dust.	ACGIH
Titanium dioxide	15 mg/m ³	PEL:	Total dust.	OSHA Z1

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Form	: Solid	Evaporation rate	: Not applicable.
Appearance	: Pellets	Specific Gravity	: Not determined
Color	: TAN	Bulk density	: Not established
Odor	: Very faint	Vapor pressure	: Not applicable
Melting point/range	: Not determined	Vapor density	: Not applicable
Boiling Point:	: Not applicable	pH	: Not applicable
Water solubility	: Insoluble		

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.
Hazardous decomposition products	: Carbon dioxide (CO ₂), carbon monoxide (CO), oxides of nitrogen (NO _x), other hazardous materials, and smoke are all possible.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

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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
69011-05-8	Nickel titanium tungsten oxide (NiTi20W2O47)	sensitizer	Skin.
12001-26-2	Mica	Systemic effects	Respiratory system.
13463-67-7	Titanium dioxide	Systemic effects	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
69011-05-8	Nickel titanium tungsten oxide (NiTi20W2O47)	no	1	2

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:

Nickel titanium tungsten oxide (NiTi20W2O47) 69011-05-8 Skin sensitizer "nickel itch", with pulmonary, brain, liver, kidney and muscle effects.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Persistence and degradability	: Not readily biodegradable.
Environmental Toxicity	: Chemicals are not readily available as they are bound within the matrix of the polymer.
Bioaccumulation Potential	: Chemicals are not readily available as they are bound within the matrix of the polymer.
Additional advice	: No data available.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Product	: Like most thermoplastics the product can be recycled. Where possible, recycling is preferred to disposal or incineration. The generator of waste material has the responsibility for proper waste
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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. D.O.T. / CA T.D.G. Classification (Non-bulk ground) : Not regulated for transportation.

ICAO/IATA : Not regulated for transportation.

IMO / IMDG : Not regulated for transportation.

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

US Regulations:

OSHA Status : Classified as hazardous based on components.

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

California Proposition 65 : WARNING! This product contains a chemical known in the State of California to cause cancer.

SARA Title III Section 313 Toxic Chemicals:

Chemical Name	CAS-No.	Weight %
NICKEL COMPOUNDS	69011-05-8	0.33

Canadian Regulations:

WHMIS Classification : D2B

WHMIS Ingredient Disclosure List

CAS-No.
12001-26-2
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7631-86-9

DSL : Listed.

National Inventories:

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Australia AICS	:	Not determined.
China IECS	:	Not determined.
Europe EINECS	:	Not determined.
Japan ENCS	:	Not determined.
Korea KECI	:	Listed.
Philippines PICCS	:	Listed.

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.