



# **MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET**

### 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

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Use of Substance / Preparation:	Industrial use only. Hot-melt adhesive, paper coating and lamination, Carpet
	backing, Bitumen replacement in heavy duty paper sacks, Bitumen modification
	for road building and roofing.

### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Not classified as dangerous for supply/use. The preparation does not meet the criteria for classification in accordance with Directive 1999/45/EC and Directive 1272/2008/EC.

### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

#### 3.1 chemical composition:

Polypropylene atactic type copolymer with ethylene CAS No.: 9010-79-1; 99 % (Minimum).

HAZARDOUS INGREDIENT(S)	%W/W	CAS No.	EC No.	EC Classification
None.				

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES



4.1 Inhalation

4.2 Skin Contact

Inhalation at room temperature will not cause any health hazard as the product is in bale or lump form. Remove to fresh air and drink water to clear throat. After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of soap and water.

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	In case of burns from hot material immediately cool affected skin as long as
	possible with cold water. Obtain medical attention.
4.3 Eye Contact	Temporary irritation or redness may occur. Do not rub. If effects occur, consult a
	physician, preferably an ophthalmologist.
4.4 Ingestion	Unlikely to be hazardous if swallowed. Provided the patient is conscious, wash
	out mouth with water and give 200-300 ml (half a pint) of water to drink. Do not
	induce vomiting. If symptoms develop, obtain medical attention.
4.5 Further Medical Treatment	Unlikely to be required but if necessary treat symptomatically.
5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES	
5.1 Extinguishing Media	As appropriate for surrounding fire. Extinguish preferably with foam, carbon
	dioxide or dry chemical.
5.2 Unsuitable Extinguishing Media	Do not use water jet or waterspray.
5.3 Fire Fighting Protective Equipment	A self contained breathing apparatus and suitable protective clothing should be worn in fire conditions.
5.4 Hazardous Decomposition	Combustion or thermal decomposition will evolve toxic and irritant vapours.
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5.5 Other	Can melt and burn in a fire. Molten material tends to flow or drip and will
	propagate fire.

# 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

6.1 Personal Precautions	Ensure suitable personal protection (including respiratory protection) during removal of spillages.
6.2 Environmental Exposure Controls	Avoid release to the environment. Do not allow to enter drains, sewers or watercourses.
6.3 Methods for cleaning up	Sweep up and shovel into waste drums or plastic bags.
7. HANDLING AND STORAGE	
7.1 HANDLING	Do not eat, drink or smoke at the work place. Wash face and hands before eating, drinking or smoking. Will accumulate static charges that may cause an electric spark (ignition source). Take precautionary measures against static discharges.
7.2 STORAGE	Keep only in the original container. Keep container tightly closed. Keep in a cool, well ventilated place. Keep away from heat and direct sunlight. This product should be kept away from naked flames and other sources of ignition.
Storage Temperature:	Ambient.
Storage Life:	Stable at ambient temperature.
Specific use:	Industrial use only.

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# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Provide adequate ventilation when using the material and follow the principles of good occupational hygiene to control personal exposures.

#### OCCUPATIONAL EXPOSURE LIMITS

SUBSTANCE		CAS No.	LTEL (8 hr	LTEL (8 hr	STEL	STEL	Note:
			TWA ppm)	TWA mg/m³)	(ppm)	(mg/m³)	
Polypropyle	Polypropylene atactic copolymer with		No Occupation	onal Exposure L	imit assigi	ned.	
ethylene							
Dust.		-		10			Total Dust.
				4			Respirable Dust.
	8.1 Respirators	No special requirements. Provide adequate ventilation, including appropriate			propriate		
		local extraction if	fumes or vapo	urs are likely to	be evolve	d. Where e	engineering
		controls are not fi	itted or inadequ	ate wear suitab	le respirat	tory protec	tive
		equipment.					
	8.2 Eye Protection	Eye protection with side protection (EN 166).					
1000	8.3 Gloves Wear suitable gloves if prolonged skin contact is likely. When dealing with		ng with hot				
		material: Insulatir	ng gloves EN 4	07 (heat).			
	8.4 Other	Protective workin	g garments (e.	g. safety shoes	EN 344, lo	ong sleeve	d protective
		working garments	s). Contaminate	ed clothing shou	ld be thor	oughly cle	aned.
	8.5 Environmental	Emissions from ventilation or work process equipment should be checked to					
	precautions	ensure they comp	ply with the req	uirements of en	vironment	al protection	on
		legislation. In son	ne cases, fume	scrubbers, filte	rs or engir	neering mo	odifications
		to the process equipment will be necessary to reduce emissions to acceptable			acceptable		
		levels.					

# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Form	Solid. Bale or lump form.	
Colour	White. Off-white.	
Odour	Odourless.	
pH (Value)	Not applicable.	
Decomposition Temperature (°C)	> 300 (572°F)	
Boiling Point (°C)	Not applicable.	
Softening Point (°C)	100 - 120 (212 – 248°F) by ball and ring method.	
Flash Point (°C) [Closed cup]	> 300 (> 572°F)	
Auto Ignition Temperature (°C)	> 410 (>770°F)	
Explosive Properties	Not explosive. Unlikely to represent a dust hazard under normal handling	
	conditions. Minimum explosive limit: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (typically).	
Minimum Ignition Energy (mJ)	25 (typically)	

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# 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

10.1 Chemical Stability	Stable under normal conditions. Decomposes at temperatures above 300°C.
10.2 Conditions to avoid	Heat and direct sunlight.
10.3 Materials to avoid	Direct contact with open flames, self igniting and explosive materials.
10.4 Hazardous Decomposition	Carbon monoxide, Carbon dioxide, Hydrocarbons and Acrid smoke.
Product(s)	

# 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### Low toxicity under normal conditions of handling and use.

11.1 Ingestion	Low oral toxicity. Polypropylene Copolymer: LD50 (rat) : >5000 mg/kg
11.2 Inhalation	Low acute toxicity. Vapours or fumes evolved during thermal processing may
	cause irritation to the respiratory system.
11.3 Skin Contact	No evidence of irritant effects from normal handling and use.
11.4 Eye Contact	Permanent damage is unlikely.
11.5 Long Term Exposure	Chronic effects are unlikely.

### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

12.1 Environmental Fate and Distribution	Solid insoluble in water. Floats on water. The product has low mobility in soil.
12.2 Persistence and Degradation	The product is non-biodegradable.
12.3 Toxicity	Low toxicity to aquatic organisms.
12.4 Effect on Effluent Treatment	Unlikely to affect biological treatment processes.

### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

13.1 Regulatory information	Do not allow to enter drains, sewers or watercourses. Disposal should be in
	accordance with local, state or national legislation.
13.2 Recommended:	Normal disposal is via incineration operated by an accredited disposal contractor.
	Refer to manufacturer/supplier for information on recovery/recycling.

# 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

UN No.:	Not applicable.
Road/Rail (ADR/RID):	Not applicable.
Class/Packing Group:	Not applicable.
IMDG Class	Not applicable.

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ICAO/IATA Class

Not applicable.

#### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

EC Classification Hazard Symbol Risk Phrases Safety Phrases Not classified as dangerous for supply/use. Not applicable. Not applicable. Not applicable.

#### INTERNATIONAL INVENTORIES

EINECS (Europe)

EINECS: Polymer. Monomers included.

#### 16. OTHER INFORMATION

This Material Safety Data Sheet was prepared in accordance with Directive 2001/58/EC and EC Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006.

Repol meets the requirements stipulated in IS 10910 on, 'Specification for Polypropylene and its copolymers for safe use in contact with foodstuff, pharmaceuticals and drinking water'. Additives incorporated in Repol grades conform to the positive list of constituents as prescribed in IS 10909. The product and the additives incorporated in it also comply with the FDA: CFR Title 21,177.1520 Olefin polymer.

The following sections contain revisions or new statements: 1 - 16

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