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### MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET AVOCADO GREEN

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#### 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

#### POLYONE CORPORATION 33587 Walker Road, Avon Lake, OH 44012

Telephone:Emergency telephone:		Product Stewardship (770) 271-5902 CHEMTREC 1-800-424-9300 (24hrs for spill, leak, fire, exposure or accident).
Product name :	:	AVOCADO GREEN
Product code :	:	CC10100982
Chemical Name :	:	Mixture
CAS-No.	:	Mixture
Product Use :	:	Industrial Applications

### 2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON REGULATED INGREDIENTS

Components	CAS-No.	Weight %
Calcium carbonate	1317-65-3	1 - 5
Titanium dioxide	13463-67-7	1 - 5
Rutile, antimony chromium buff	68186-90-3	5 - 10
Chromium (III) oxide	1308-38-9	10 - 30

#### 3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### **EMERGENCY OVERVIEW**

This mixture has not been evaluated as a whole. Information provided on the health effects of this product is based on individual components. All ingredients are bound and potential for hazardous exposure as shipped is minimal. However, some vapors 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.

#### POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS

<b>Routes of Exposure:</b>	: Inhalation, Ingestion, Skin contact
Acute exposure	
Inhalation Ingestion Eyes	<ul> <li>Resin particles, like other inert materials, can be mechanically irritating.</li> <li>May be harmful if swallowed.</li> <li>Resin particles, like other inert materials, are mechanically irritating to eyes.</li> </ul>
Skin	: Experience shows no unusual dermatitis hazard from routine handling.
Chronic exposure	: Refer to Section 11 for Toxicological Information.

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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 seel medical attention.
		5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES
Flash point	:	Not applicable
Flammable Limits Upper explosion limit Lower explosion limit Autoignition temperature Suitable extinguishing media Special Fire Fighting Procedures Unusual Fire/Explosion Hazards	::	Not applicable Not applicable Not applicable Carbon dioxide blanket, Water spray, Dry powder, Foam. Fullface self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) used in positive pressure mode should be worn to prevent inhalation of airborne contaminants. Carbon dioxide (CO2), carbon monoxide (CO), oxides of nitrogen (NOx), other hazardous materials, and smoke are all possible.
	6 4	CCIDENTAL 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 12 of this MSDS for proper disposal methods.
		7. HANDLING AND STORAGE
Handling		Take measures to prevent the build up of electrostatic charge. Heat



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Storage :	only in areas with appropriate exhaust ventilation. Keep containers dry and tightly closed to avoid moisture absorption and contamination. Keep in a dry, cool place.
8. EXPOSU	RE 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 (TWA):		MX OEL
	20 mg/m3	Short Term Exposure Limit (STEL):		MX OEL
Chromium (III) oxide	0.5 mg/m3	Time Weighted Average (TWA):	as Cr	ACGIH
	0.5 mg/m3	PEL:	as Cr	OSHA Z1
Rutile, antimony chromium buff	0.5 mg/m3	Time Weighted Average (TWA):	as Cr	ACGIH
	0.5 mg/m3	PEL:	as Cr	OSHA Z1
	0.5 mg/m3	Time Weighted Average (TWA):		MX OEL
	0.5 mg/m3	Time Weighted Average (TWA):	as Sb	ACGIH
	0.5 mg/m3	PEL:	as Sb	OSHA Z1
	0.5 mg/m3	Time Weighted Average (TWA):	as Sb	MX OEL
Titanium dioxide	10 mg/m3	Time Weighted Average (TWA):		ACGIH
	15 mg/m3	PEL:	Total dust.	OSHA Z1
	10 mg/m3	Time Weighted Average (TWA):	as Ti	MX OEL
	20 mg/m3	Short Term Exposure Limit (STEL):	as Ti	MX OEL

### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Form Appearance Color Odour Melting point/range Boiling Point: Water solubility

: pellets
: GREEN
: Very faint
: Not determined
: Not applicable
: Insoluble

: Solid

#### Evaporation rate Specific Gravity Bulk density Vapour pressure Vapour density pH

Not applicable
Not determined
Not established
Not applicable
Not applicable
Not applicable
Not applicable

### **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.

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Hazardous decomposition products

: Carbon dioxide (CO2), carbon monoxide (CO), oxides of nitrogen (NOx), other hazardous materials, and smoke are all possible.

### 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
1317-65-3	Calcium carbonate	Irritant	Eyes, Skin.
		Systemic effects	Eyes, Skin, Respiratory system.
13463-67-7	Titanium dioxide	Systemic effects	Respiratory system.
68186-90-3	Rutile, antimony chromium buff	Irritant	Eyes, Skin, Respiratory system.
1308-38-9	Chromium (III) oxide	Irritant	Eyes, Skin.
		sensitizer	Skin.

Carcinogenicity

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

CAS-No.	Chemical Name	OSHA	IARC	NTP
13463-67-7	Titanium dioxide	no	2B	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:

Rutile, antimony chromium buff 68186-90-3 Can cause eye irritation. Can cause skin irritation. Symptoms may include redness and burning of skin, and other skin damage. Additional symptoms of skin contact may include: antimony measles (a red, pimply rash).

#### Additional Health Hazard Information:

Chromium (III) oxide 1308-38-9 The bi- and trivalent forms of chrome have a low order of acute toxicity, but may cause skin sensitization and irritation to the eyes. No effects have been reported for chromium (III) oxide. Chromium (III) compounds are not considered carcinogenic in animals or humans.

#### **12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Persistence and degradability

: Not readily biodegradable.

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Environmental Toxicity	: Chemicals are not readily available as they are bound within the polymer matrix.
Bioaccumulation Potential	: Chemicals are not readily available as they are bound within the polymer matrix.
Additional advice	: No data available
	13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS
Product	: Like most thermoplastic plastics 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 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 materia 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	: Not regulated for transportation.
ICAO/IATA (air)	: 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 TSC. Inventory.
US. EPA CERCLA Hazardou	s Substances (40 CFR 302)
Not applicable	
California Proposition 65	: Not applicable

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SARA Title III Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substance

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

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 %
CHROMIUM III COMPOUNDS	1308-38-9	10.00 - 30.00
CHROMIUM III COMPOUNDSANTIMONY	68186-90-3	5.00 - 10.00
COMPOUNDS		

Canadian Regulations:

National Pollutant Release Inventory (NPRI)

Chemical Name	CAS-No.	Weight %	NPRI ID#
Chromium (III) oxide	1308-38-9	10.00 - 30.00	69
Rutile, antimony chromium buff	68186-90-3	5.00 - 10.00	69
		5.00 - 10.00	17

WHMIS Classification : D2A

WHMIS Ingredient Disclosure List

CAS-No.	
1308-38-9	
68186-90-3	

DSL

All components of this product are on the Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL) or are exempt.

National Inventories:

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

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#### **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

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