

#### MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

### **DARK BLUE UHMW #2**

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#### 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

#### POLYONE CORPORATION

33587 Walker Road, Avon Lake, OH 44012

Telephone : 1 (440) 930-1000 or 1 (866) POLYONE

Emergency telephone : CHEMTREC 1-800-424-9300 (24hrs for spill, leak, fire, exposure

number or accident).

Product name : DARK BLUE UHMW #2

Product code : CC10141385 Chemical Name : Mixture CAS-No. : Mixture

Product Use : Industrial Applications

### 2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Components	CAS-No.	Weight percent
Dioctyl sodium sulfosuccinate	577-11-7	10 - 30
Zinc stearate	557-05-1	10 - 30
Silica, amorphous, precipitated and gel	112926-00-8	30 - 60

#### 3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

This mixture has not been evaluated as a whole for health effects. Information provided on health effects of this product is based on the individual components. However, some vapors or contaminants 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. See sections 8 and 11 for special precautions.

#### POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS

Routes of Exposure: : Inhalation, Skin contact, Ingestion

Acute exposure

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

irritating.

Ingestion : May be harmful if swallowed.

Eyes : Particulates, like other inert materials can be mechanically irritating. Skin : Experience shows no unusual dermatitis hazard from routine handling.



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Chronic exposure : Refer to Section 11 for Toxicological Information.

**Medical Conditions** 

**Aggravated by Exposure:** 

: None known.

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. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

Flash point not applicable

Flammable Limits

Upper explosion limit not applicable Lower explosion limit not applicable Auto-ignition 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

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

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.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling : Take measures to prevent the build up of electrostatic charge. Heat



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only in areas with appropriate exhaust ventilation.

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. If

dusty conditions occur wear appropriate respiratory protection.

Eye/Face Protection : Safety glasses with side-shields

Hand protection : Protective gloves. Refer to equipment supplier to ensure protection.

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:
Silica, amorphous, precipitated and gel	6 mg/m3	Time Weighted Average (TWA):		OSHA Z1A
	10 mg/m3	Time Weighted Average (TWA):		MX OEL
	0.8 mg/m3	Time Weighted Average (TWA):		Z3
Zinc stearate	5 mg/m3	Recommended exposure limit (REL):	Respirable.	NIOSH
	10 mg/m3	Recommended exposure limit (REL):	Total	NIOSH
	5 mg/m3	PEL:	Respirable fraction.	OSHA Z1
15 mg/m3		PEL:	Total dust.	OSHA Z1
	5 mg/m3	Time Weighted Average (TWA):	Respirable fraction.	OSHA Z1A
	-	Time Weighted Average (TWA):	Total dust.	OSHA Z1A
	10 mg/m3	Time Weighted Average (TWA):		MX OEL
	20 mg/m3	Short Term Exposure Limit (STEL):		MX OEL
	10 mg/m3	Time Weighted Average (TWA):		ACGIH

### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Form Evapouration rate Not applicable : solid Appearance : powder, granular Specific Gravity Not applicable Colour : BLUE Bulk density Not determined Odour very faint Vapour pressure not applicable Melting point/range Not determined Vapour density not applicable Boiling Point: not applicable not applicable pН

Water solubility : insoluble

# 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability : The product is stable if stored and handled as prescribed.

Hazardous Polymerization : Will not occur.

Conditions to avoid : To avoid thermal decomposition, do not overheat. Keep away from

oxidizing agents and open flame.

Incompatible Materials : Incompatible with strong acids and oxidizing agents.

Hazardous decomposition

products

: Carbon dioxide (CO2), carbon monoxide (CO), oxides of nitrogen (NOx), 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
577-11-7	Dioctyl sodium sulfosuccinate	Irritant	Eyes, Skin.
557-05-1	Zinc stearate	Systemic effects	Eyes, Skin, Respiratory system.
112926-00-8	Silica, amorphous, precipitated and gel	Irritant	Respiratory system, Eyes.

#### LC50 / LD50

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

CAS-No.	Chemical Name	Route	Value	Species
577-11-7	Dioctyl sodium	Oral LD50	1,900 mg/kg	rat
	sulfosuccinate			
557-05-1	Zinc stearate	Oral LD50	> 10 gm/kg	rat

### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Persistence and degradability : Not readily biodegradable.

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 : 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

material has the responsibility for proper waste classification, transportation and disposal in accordance with applicable federal,

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#### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

U.S. DOT Classification : Not regulated for transportation.



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ICAO/IATA : 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

TSCA Inventory.

US. EPA CERCLA Hazardous Substances (40 CFR 302)

not applicable

California Proposition : 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 percent	
ZINC COMPOUNDS	557-05-1	10.00 - 30.00	

#### Canadian Regulations:

National Pollutant Release Inventory (NPRI)

Chemical Name	CAS-No.	Weight	NPRI ID#
		percent	
Phthalocyanine blue	147-14-8	5.00 - 10.00	
Zinc stearate	557-05-1	10.00 - 30.00	

WHMIS Classification : D2B

WHMIS Ingredient Disclosure List



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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 : Listed

Japan ENCS : Listed

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.