Safety Data Sheet

according to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH)



Products: Module containing TX-R filter sheets

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1 Identification of the Substance/Preparation and of the Company

Identification of the substance or preparation:

FILTROX FILTRODISC[™] filter module containing minerals:

TX-R

Use of the substance / preparation:

Filtration of liquids

Company identification:

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Emergency Numbers:

+41 (0)71 272 91 11 or if no response, a local emergency number.

2 Hazards Identification

Hazards description:

No significant risk worthy of mention. Please observe the information on the safety data sheet at all times.

Critical hazard to man and environment:

Do not breathe dust.

In a dry state, mechanical influences or non-conforming use may result in emission of dust.

3 Composition/Information on Ingredients

Description of the preparation:

The various amounts of cellulose, kieselguhr, perlite, aluminium silicates and resins used to manufacture depth filter sheets all comply with regulations that apply to food production. None of the ingredients used in the above products contain any material in the sense of hazardous substance.

Hazardous ingredients:

CAS No	EC No	Chemical term	H - Statements
14464-46-1	238-455-4	Cristobalite	H373
14808-60-7	238-878-4	Quartz (SiO ₂)	H373

Full text of H - Statements: see section 16.

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4 First Aid Measures

In case of inhalation:

No special measures are necessary.

In case of skin contact:

No special measures are necessary.

In case of eye contact:

Wash with generous quantities of water. Consult physician if irritation persists.

In case of ingestion:

Rinse mouth immediately with clean water and drink generous amounts of water.

5 Fire-fighting Measures

Suitable extinguishing media:

Water, foam, CO₂

Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons:

High power water jet.

Special exposure hazards arising from the substance or preparation itself, combustion products, resulting gases:

This product does not contain dangerous substances or preparations intended to be released under normal or reasonably foreseeable conditions of use.

Special protective equipment for fire-fighters:

No special measures are necessary.

6 Accidental Release Measures

Personal precautions:

Avoid generation of dust.

Environmental precautions:

No special measures are necessary.

Methods for cleaning up:

Collect mechanically. Avoid generation of dust.

7 Handling and Storage

Handling:

Advices on safe handling:

Avoid generation of dust. Repair broken packages immediately.

Storage:

Requirements for storage rooms:

Keep in a clean, dry and odourless well ventilated place to maintain product quality.

8 Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

General information:

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Exposure limit values:

Components with occupational exposure limits rsp. biological occupational exposure limits requiring monitoring:

Countries	Quartz (mg/ m ³)	Cristobalite (mg/ m ³)
Belgium, Denmark, United States, France	0.10 (RD)	0.05 (RD)
Portugal, Italy, Sweden, Norway, Greece,		
Netzerlands	0.075 (RD)	0.075 (RD)
Germany, Switzerland, Austria	0.15 (FD)	0.15 (FD)
Finland	0.20 (FD)	0.10 (FD)
Bulgaria	0.07	0.07
CIS	1.0	1.0
Poland	0.	4 - 1
Czech, Slovakia Republics	0.	5 – 1
Ireland	0.40 (RD)	0.40 (RD)
United Kingdom	0.30 (RD)	0.30 (RD)
RD – Respirable Dust		
FD – Fine Dust		

Personal protection equipment:

Respiratory protection:

Respirators approved for protection against dust containing crystalline silica redommended.

Hand protection:

Not required.

Eye protection:

Not required.

Skin protection:

Protect skin by using barrier cream.

9 Physical and Chemical Properties

General information:

Appearance: solid Colour: with/ beige Odour: Odourless

10 Stability and Reactivity

Conditions to avoid:

Avoid generation of dust.

Materials to avoid:

None are known

Hazardous decomposition products:

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11 Toxicological Information

Acute effects:

Toxicological data is not available.

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12 Ecological Information

Persistence and biodegradation:

Method:

According to current knowledge, negative ecological effects are not expected.

13 Disposal Considerations

Appropriate disposal:

This product, as supplied in its original status may be disposed of as normal household waste according to applicable local, state and federal regulations. Used material which has become contaminated may have significantly different characteristics based on the contaminants and should be evaluated accordingly.

14 Transport Information

Not a hazardous material with respect to transportation regulations.

15 Regulatory Information

The product does not contain hazardous material in an amount that requires identification and labelling in according to EC directive.

16 Other Information

Wording of the H-Statement under paragraph 3:

H373 May cause damage to lungs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

Further information:

The above information describes exclusively the safety requirements of the product and is based on our present-day knowledge. The information is intended to give you advice about the safe handling of the product named in this safety data sheet, for storage, processing, transport and disposal. The information cannot be transferred to other products. In the case of mixing the product with other products or in the case of processing, the information on this safety data sheet is not necessarily valid for the new made-up material.