

# SAFETY DATA SHEET EPDM

#### SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

## 1.1. Product identifier

Product name EPDM

## 1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

## 1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

**Supplier** Adshead Ratcliffe & Co. Ltd.

Derby Road, Belper

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## 1.4. Emergency telephone number

## **SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

# 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

#### Classification (EC 1272/2008)

Physical hazards Not Classified

Health hazards Not Classified

Environmental hazards Not Classified

## 2.2. Label elements

#### 2.3. Other hazards

# SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

## 3.1. Substances

Product name EPDM

Composition comments Ethylene propylene diene monomer

#### SECTION 4: First aid measures

#### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

General information In all cases of doubt, or if symptoms persist, seek medical attention. Never give anything by

mouth to an unconscious person.

**Inhalation** Unlikely route of exposure.

**Ingestion** Unlikely, but should this occur seek medical advice.

**Skin contact** Wash skin thoroughly with soap and water.

**Eye contact** Not relevant.

## 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

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Inhalation No specific symptoms known.

Ingestion May cause discomfort if swallowed.

Skin contact No specific symptoms known.

Eye contact May cause temporary eye irritation.

#### 4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treat symptomatically. Notes for the doctor

## SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

#### 5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media Foam, carbon dioxide or dry powder. Water spray, fog or mist.

Unsuitable extinguishing

Do not use water jet as an extinguisher, as this will spread the fire.

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## 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Specific hazards Heavy, dense, black smoke is emitted upon burning.

Hazardous combustion

Oxides of carbon. Thermal decomposition or combustion may liberate carbon oxides and

other toxic gases or vapours.

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Protective actions during

No specific firefighting precautions known.

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Special protective equipment Wear self contained breathing apparatus.

for firefighters

## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

## 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

## 6.2. Environmental precautions

#### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up Place in suitable containers for recycle or disposal.

## 6.4. Reference to other sections

Reference to other sections For personal protection, see Section 8. See Section 11 for additional information on health

hazards. For waste disposal, see section 13.

# SECTION 7: Handling and storage

## 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Good personal hygiene procedures should be implemented. Usage precautions

#### 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store at moderate temperatures in dry, well ventilated area. Storage precautions

Storage class Unspecified storage.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

Specific end use(s) The identified uses for this product are detailed in Section 1.2.

# SECTION 8: Exposure Controls/personal protection

#### 8.1. Control parameters

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8.2. Exposure controls

**Eye/face protection** Not generally required.

Hand protection No specific hand protection noted.

**Respiratory protection** Not normally required.

## SECTION 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

#### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

AppearanceSolid.ColourBlack.OdourRubber.Relative density1.1 - 1.2Decomposition Temperature> 250°C

#### 9.2. Other information

## **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

#### 10.1. Reactivity

**Reactivity** There are no known reactivity hazards associated with this product.

10.2. Chemical stability

**Stability** No particular stability concerns.

# 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

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reactions

Not applicable. Not relevant.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Conditions to avoid Avoid heat, flames and other sources of ignition.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Materials to avoid Acids. Alkalis. Strong oxidising agents. Petroleum based fluids.

#### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

# SECTION 11: Toxicological information

## 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

**Inhalation** Not relevant at normal room temperatures. When heated, toxic vapours may be formed.

Eye contact Not relevant.

## SECTION 12: Ecological Information

## 12.1. Toxicity

## 12.2. Persistence and degradability

Persistence and degradability This product is not expected to be readily biodegradable.

#### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

## 12.4. Mobility in soil

## 12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

### 12.6. Other adverse effects

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### **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

## 13.1. Waste treatment methods

**General information** When handling waste, the safety precautions applying to handling of the product should be

considered.

**Disposal methods** No specific disposal method required.

## **SECTION 14: Transport information**

#### 14.1. UN number

14.2. UN proper shipping name

14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

14.4. Packing group

14.5. Environmental hazards

14.6. Special precautions for user

14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL and the IBC Code

#### SECTION 15: Regulatory information

#### 15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

**EU legislation** Regulation (EC) 1907/2006 REACH (as amended).

Regulation (EC) 1272/2008 CLP (as amended).

Guidance Workplace Exposure Limits EH40.

#### 15.2. Chemical safety assessment

## **SECTION 16: Other information**

General information This document is outside the scope of Article 31 of REACH and is therefore not compiled in

accordance with Annex II.

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