



THE INTERNATIONAL GROUP, INC.

SAFETY DATA SHEET

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

1.1. Product identifier

Trade name or designation of the mixture	4700 - 4800 Series Products (Nochek [®] , Parafflex [®] , Astorlite [®])
Registration number	-
Synonyms	See page 8
SDS number	4700 - 4800 Series (928749)_Europe_English
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1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Identified uses	Various end uses e.g. additional processing, candles, tire and rubber additives, adhesives, food contact coatings etc.
Uses advised against	None known.

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company name	The International Group Inc.
Address	50 Salome Dr. Toronto ON, M1S2A8, CA
Telephone	001-(416)-293-4151
e-mail	-
Contact person	-

1.4. Emergency telephone number	001-(416)-293-4151
	001-(800)-561-3509
CHEMTREC (North America)	001-(800)-424-9300

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 as amended

Hazard summary	Molten material will produce thermal burns.
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2.2. Label elements

Label according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 as amended

Hazard pictograms	None.
Signal word	None.
Hazard statements	The product does not meet the criteria for classification.

Precautionary statements

Prevention	Observe good industrial hygiene practices.
Response	Wash hands after handling.
Storage	Store away from incompatible materials.
Disposal	Dispose of waste and residues in accordance with local authority requirements.

Supplemental label information	None.
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2.3. Other hazards	None known.
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SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.2. Mixtures

The components are not hazardous or are below required disclosure limits.

SECTION 4: First aid measures

General information	If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible). Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.
4.1. Description of first aid measures	
Inhalation	Solid: No specific first aid measures noted. If fumes from heated product are inhaled: Move to fresh air. Call a POISON CENTRE or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.
Skin contact	Solid: No specific first aid measures noted. If burned by contact with hot material, cool molten material adhering to skin as quickly as possible with water, and see a physician for removal of adhering material and treatment of burn.
Eye contact	Solid: No specific first aid measures noted. Exposure to fumes, vapors or smoke of over heated product can result in irritation of eyes. Direct contact of molten material will cause injury and burns. When handling of molten product eye shield must be worn at all times. If a contact lens is present, DO NOT delay irrigation or attempt to remove the lens. Should an accident occur, flush eyes with generous amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. Administer prompt first aid measures. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.
Ingestion	Solid: No specific first aid measures noted. Not acutely toxic by ingestion. If material is ingested, do not induce vomiting. Contact with hot product may cause severe burns. Get medical attention immediately.
4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed	Eye and skin contact: When heated, contact with molten product can cause injury and burns.
4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed	Provide general supportive measures and treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

General fire hazards	No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted.
5.1. Extinguishing media	
Suitable extinguishing media	Water fog. Foam. Dry chemical powder. Carbon dioxide (CO ₂).
Unsuitable extinguishing media	Do not use water on molten material: Explosion hazard could result.
5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture	By heating and fire, irritating vapours/gases may be formed. During fire, gases hazardous to health may be formed.
5.3. Advice for firefighters	
Special protective equipment for firefighters	Self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.
Special fire fighting procedures	In case of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes. Cool containers exposed to heat with water spray and remove container, if no risk is involved. Do not direct water at source of leak or safety devices as icing may occur. Withdraw immediately in case of rising sound from venting safety device or any discolouration of tanks due to fire. For massive fire in cargo area, use unmanned hose holder or monitor nozzles, if possible. If not, withdraw and let fire burn out.
Specific methods	Use standard firefighting procedures and consider the hazards of other involved materials. Move containers from fire area if you can do so without risk. Cool containers exposed to flames with water until well after the fire is out. In the event of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures	
For non-emergency personnel	Keep unnecessary personnel away. Do not breathe mist or vapour. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing. Ventilate closed spaces before entering them.
For emergency responders	Wear appropriate protective equipment and clothing during clean-up.
6.2. Environmental precautions	Avoid release to the environment. Contact local authorities in case of spillage to drain/aquatic environment. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not contaminate water.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Handle as a thermoplastic. With molten spills, allow the material to solidify and cool. Keep material out of sewers and watercourses by diking or impounding. Recover and place into appropriate containers for recycling or disposal, according to prevailing local, regional and national laws.

Large Spills: Stop leak if you can do so without risk. Use water spray to reduce vapours or divert vapour cloud drift. Isolate area until gas has dispersed. Dike the spilled material, where this is possible. Use a non-combustible material like vermiculite, sand or earth to soak up the product and place into a container for later disposal. Allow material to solidify, and scrape up. Prevent product from entering drains. Following product recovery, flush area with water.

Small Spills: Where possible allow molten material to solidify naturally.

Never return spills to original containers for re-use.

For personal protection, see section 8. For waste disposal, see section 13 of the SDS.

6.4. Reference to other sections

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

When kept in molten state, inert gas blanketing may be used to avoid material degradation. As a solid, avoid contamination by keeping in closed containers. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Heat only in areas with appropriate exhaust ventilation. Do not breathe fume/mist/vapors. Avoid contact with molten material. When using, do not eat, drink or smoke. Observe good industrial hygiene practices. Do not empty into drains. Avoid release to the environment. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. The material is a solid at room temperature exhibiting elevated temperature softening characteristics. Above its softening point, the material liquefies and flows more readily as the temperature increases. The material may be used as a hot liquid for application purposes and requires caution in handling.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep away from heat, sparks and open flame. Store in a cool, dry place out of direct sunlight. Store in original tightly closed container. Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep in an area equipped with sprinklers. Store away from incompatible materials (see Section 10 of the SDS). When kept in molten state, inert gas blanketing may be used to avoid material degradation. As a solid, avoid contamination by keeping in closed containers.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

Various end uses e.g. additional processing, candles, tire and rubber additives, adhesives, food contact coatings etc.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

Occupational exposure limits

Bulgaria. OELs. Regulation No 13 on protection of workers against risks of exposure to chemical agents at work

Material	Type	Value	Form
4700 - 4800 Series products (NOCHEK®, PARAFFLEX®, ASTORLITE®) (CAS Mixture)	TWA	10 mg/m ³	Dust.

Czech Republic. OELs. Government Decree 361

Material	Type	Value	Form
4700 - 4800 Series products (NOCHEK®, PARAFFLEX®, ASTORLITE®) (CAS Mixture)	TWA	5 mg/m ³	Dust.

Latvia. OELs. Occupational exposure limit values of chemical substances in work environment

Material	Type	Value	Form
4700 - 4800 Series products (NOCHEK®, PARAFFLEX®, ASTORLITE®) (CAS Mixture)	TWA	5 mg/m ³	Dust.

Lithuania. OELs. Limit Values for Chemical Substances, General Requirements (Hygiene Norm HN 23:2007)

Material	Type	Value
4700 - 4800 Series products (NOCHEK®, PARAFFLEX®, ASTORLITE®) (CAS Mixture)	TWA	10 mg/m ³

Biological limit values	No biological exposure limits noted for the ingredient(s).
Recommended monitoring procedures	Follow standard monitoring procedures.
Derived no-effect level (DNEL)	Not available.
Predicted no effect concentrations (PNECs)	Not available.
8.2. Exposure controls	
Appropriate engineering controls	Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Eye wash facilities and emergency shower must be available when handling this product.
Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment	
General information	Personal protection equipment should be chosen according to the CEN standards and in discussion with the supplier of the personal protective equipment. The material may be utilized in molten form. Proper protective splash resistant clothing, thermal gloves, splash resistant shoes, and eye shields must be worn to prevent injury. Use molten material in well ventilated areas. When working in confined areas, use of appropriate respiratory gear is recommended.
Eye/face protection	Wear approved safety goggles. Wear a face shield when working with molten material.
Skin protection	
- Hand protection	Wear appropriate chemical resistant gloves. Suitable gloves can be recommended by the glove supplier.
- Other	Wear appropriate chemical resistant clothing to prevent any possibility of skin contact.
Respiratory protection	If engineering controls do not maintain airborne concentrations below recommended exposure limits (where applicable) or to an acceptable level (in countries where exposure limits have not been established), an approved respirator must be worn. Use a positive-pressure air-supplied respirator if there is any potential for an uncontrolled release, exposure levels are not known, or any other circumstances where air-purifying respirators may not provide adequate protection.
Thermal hazards	Wear appropriate thermal protective clothing, when necessary.
Hygiene measures	When using, do not eat, drink or smoke. Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing after handling the material and before eating, drinking, and/or smoking. Routinely wash work clothing and protective equipment to remove contaminants. Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing after handling the material and before eating, drinking, and/or smoking. Routinely wash work clothing and protective equipment to remove contaminants.
Environmental exposure controls	Contain spills and prevent releases and observe national regulations on emissions.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	
Physical state	Solid.
Form	Slabs, prills, pastilles or granules
Colour	White to dark amber.
Odour	None.
Odour threshold	No data available.
pH	Not applicable.
Melting point/freezing point	46 - 125 °C (114,8 - 257 °F)
Initial boiling point and boiling range	> 300 °C (> 572 °F)
Flash point	> 190,0 °C (> 374,0 °F) ASTM D-93
Evaporation rate	< 0,01 (Butyl acetate = 1)
Flammability (solid, gas)	Will support a flame above flash point.
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	
Flammability limit - lower (%)	No data available.
Flammability limit - upper (%)	No data available.
Explosive limit - lower (%)	0,9 % v/v
Explosive limit - upper (%)	7 % v/v
Vapour pressure	< 0,01 mm Hg (77 °F/25 °C)
Vapour density	> 5 (Air = 1)

Relative density	0,9 - 0,95 (77 °F/25 °C)
Solubility(ies)	< 0,1 % (68 °F/20 °C)
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water)	No data available.
Auto-ignition temperature	No data available.
Decomposition temperature	No data available.
Viscosity	No data available.
Explosive properties	Not explosive.
Oxidizing properties	Not oxidising.

9.2. Other information

Partition coefficient (oil/water)	< 0,01
Percent volatile	< 1 % v/v

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity	The product is stable and non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.
10.2. Chemical stability	Material is stable under normal conditions.
10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions	No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.
10.4. Conditions to avoid	Avoid heat, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. Avoid temperatures exceeding the flash point. Contact with incompatible materials.
10.5. Incompatible materials	Strong oxidising agents.
10.6. Hazardous decomposition products	Decomposition of this product can generate carbon dioxide, carbon monoxide and other products such as aldehydes and ketones depending on conditions of oxidation.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

General information	Occupational exposure to the substance or mixture may cause adverse effects.
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Information on likely routes of exposure

Inhalation	Not relevant at normal room temperatures. When heated, irritating vapours may be formed. Wax fumes have been reported to be irritating to the respiratory tract, especially to sensitized persons.
Skin contact	Health injuries are not known or expected under normal use. Molten material will produce thermal burns.
Eye contact	Health injuries are not known or expected under normal use. Molten material will produce thermal burns.
Ingestion	Health injuries are not known or expected under normal use. Contact with hot material can cause thermal burns which may result in permanent damage.

Symptoms	Eye and skin contact: Contact with molten material may cause thermal burns.
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11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity	Not expected to be acutely toxic.
Skin corrosion/irritation	Thermal burn hazard - contact with hot material may cause thermal burns.
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Not classified. Direct contact of molten product to the eyes will cause thermal burns and eye injury.
Respiratory sensitisation	Not classified.
Skin sensitisation	Due to partial or complete lack of data the classification is not possible.
Germ cell mutagenicity	Not classified.
Carcinogenicity	Not expected to cause cancer.
Reproductive toxicity	Not classified.
Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure	Not classified.
Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure	Not classified.
Aspiration hazard	Solid product: Not likely, due to the form of the product.
Mixture versus substance information	No information available.
Other information	None.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity	The product is not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does not exclude the possibility that large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging effect on the environment.
12.2. Persistence and degradability	No data is available on the degradability of this product.
12.3. Bioaccumulative potential	No data available.
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (log K_{ow})	No data available.
Bioconcentration factor (BCF)	Not available.
12.4. Mobility in soil	The product is insoluble in water.
12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment	Not a PBT or vPvB substance or mixture.
12.6. Other adverse effects	No other adverse environmental effects (e.g. ozone depletion, photochemical ozone creation potential, endocrine disruption, global warming potential) are expected from this component.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Residual waste	Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe manner (see: Disposal instructions).
Contaminated packaging	Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal. Since emptied containers may retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is emptied.
EU waste code	The Waste code should be assigned in discussion between the user, the producer and the waste disposal company. 16 03 06
Disposal methods/information	Collect and reclaim or dispose in sealed containers at licensed waste disposal site. Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.
Special precautions	Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.

SECTION 14: Transport information

ADR	Not regulated as dangerous goods.
RID	Not regulated as dangerous goods.
ADN	Not regulated as dangerous goods.
IATA	Not regulated as dangerous goods.
IMDG	Not regulated as dangerous goods.
14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code	Not applicable.
General information	This product is not regulated as dangerous goods for solid. Shipped hot molten product requires a class 9 "HOT" with statement: Elevated temperature material, liquid, N.O.S. 9, UN3257, III (Polyolefinic blend).

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

EU regulations

Regulation (EC) No. 1005/2009 on substances that deplete the ozone layer, Annex I and II, as amended

Not listed.

Regulation (EC) No. 850/2004 On persistent organic pollutants, Annex I as amended

Not listed.

Regulation (EC) No. 689/2008 concerning the export and import of dangerous chemicals, Annex I, part 1 as amended

Not listed.

Regulation (EC) No. 689/2008 concerning the export and import of dangerous chemicals, Annex I, part 2 as amended

Not listed.

Regulation (EC) No. 689/2008 concerning the export and import of dangerous chemicals, Annex I, part 3 as amended

Not listed.

Regulation (EC) No. 689/2008 concerning the export and import of dangerous chemicals, Annex V as amended

Not listed.

Regulation (EC) No. 166/2006 Annex II Pollutant Release and Transfer Registry, as amended

Not listed.

Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006, REACH Article 59(10) Candidate List as currently published by ECHA

Not listed.

Authorisations

Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006, REACH Annex XIV Substances subject to authorization, as amended

Not listed.

Restrictions on use

Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006, REACH Annex XVII Substances subject to restriction on marketing and use as amended

Not listed.

Directive 2004/37/EC: on the protection of workers from the risks related to exposure to carcinogens and mutagens at work, as amended

Not listed.

Directive 92/85/EEC: on the safety and health of pregnant workers and workers who have recently given birth or are breastfeeding, as amended

Not listed.

Other EU regulations

Directive 2012/18/EU on major accident hazards involving dangerous substances

Not listed.

Directive 94/33/EC on the protection of young people at work

Not listed.

National regulations Not available.

15.2. Chemical safety assessment Not available.

SECTION 16: Other information

List of abbreviations Not available.

References Not available.

Information on evaluation method leading to the classification of mixture Not available.

Full text of any H-statements not written out in full under Sections 2 to 15 None.

Training information Not available.

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4706B	4824A	
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4721A	4831A	
4723A	4832A	
4727A	4833A	
4729A	4834A	
4731A	4836A	
4734A	4837A	
4738A	4838A	
4738B	4839A	
4739A	4841A	
4741A	4842A	
4741S	4843A	
4744A	4844A	
4750A	4848A	
4752A	4848B	
4753A	4848C	
4754A	4848D	
4756A	4848E	
4757A	4849A	
4758A	4850A	
4760A	4850B	
4761A	4850C	
4765A	4850E	
4766A	4858A	
4766B	4862A	
4769A	4864A	
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4809A	R-6171B	
4813A	R-6171C	
4816A	R-6209A	
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4818B	R-6277A	
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