Material Safety Data Sheet

according to 91/155/EC

Product:

Omega Thermoplastics

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Identification of substance and of manufacturer

Trade name: Omega Max, Omega Plus, Omega Plus Beige

Manufacturer: North Coast Medical, Inc.

Emergency phone number: (408) 776-5000

Composition and data on components

- Chemical characterisation : preparation of polycaprolactone.
- Hazardous contents : void.
- 3. Possible hazards void.

4. First aid measures

- After inhalation : no evidence of adverse effect from available information.
- After skin contact : no evidence of adverse effect from available information.
- After eye contact : no evidence of adverse effect from available information.
- After swallowing : if symptoms persist, consult doctor.
- Professional assistance by a doctor : not necessary unless indicated.

Fire fighting measures

- Suitable extinguishing agents : water, foam, dry powder.
- Extinguishing agents not to be used for precautionary reasons : void.
- Products that can be formed in the event of a fire : carbon dioxide (CO2), carbon monoxide (CO), nitrogen oxide (NO).
- Special protective equipment for fire fighters : use independent respiratory equipment.

6. Accidental release measures

- Person-related safety precautions : not required.
- Measures for environmental protection : no special measures required.
- Measures for cleaning : collect mechanically.

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7. Handling and storage

- Handling:
 - Precautionary measures : not required.
 - Protective measures against fire: do not use a naked flame to activate the material.
- Storage:
- Store horizontally in original packaging, away from humidity and direct exposure to sunlight at a temperature between 10°C (50°F) and 30°C (86°F).
- Maximum storage for a period of 3 years.
- Exposure controls and personal protection
- Additional designation for arrangements of storage room and handling equipment: void
- Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace : void
- Personal protective equipment : not required
- General protective and hygienic measures : void

9. Physical and chemical properties

- Appearance : flat sheet

- Colour : naturel

- Odour : odourless

- Ph: not applicable

- Changes in physical state : becomes mouldable at 55°C (131°F)

Melting point : 60°C (140°F)

- Flash point : N.A. (*)

Relative density: 1.210g/cm³ · ·
 Solubility in water: insoluble

10. Stability and reactivity

- Circumstances to be avoided that can cause a reaction with the substance : do not heat above 250°C (482°F) in order to avoid decomposition.
- Substances to be avoided in reaction with substance : not applicable
- Hazardous products of decomposition: can be formed with thermal decomposition: CO, CO2,
 NO, allylalcohol