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

1.1. Product identifier

Product Code(s) BC516, BC818, BF0323HC, BF0323-12HC, BF2021, EB853, EB853SPH, EB853-72, EF2126S3, EF2222, F2022/0, IP2418, LD3000TP, LD3002A, LD4000A, LD4003, LD5000A, LD5010FC, LD7000A, LD7001A, PB208, PB608, PB681, PB681-59, S0330, S0430, S0729, S1025, S1522, TN7006, TS7003, TS7006, TS9022, TX7001, TX7003, TXN8079, TX8079

Product Name Low Density Polyethylene

Synonyms LDPE

Pure substance/mixture Mixture

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

Recommended use Polymer preparations and compounds

Uses advised against No information available

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Importer

Only Representative:
ITS Testing Services (UK) Ltd
Caleb House, 734 London
Road, West Thurrock, Grays
Essex RM20 3NL, United
Kingdom

Supplier

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For further information, please contact

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1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency telephone CHEMTREC UK +44 20 3807 3798
CHEMTREC International: +1 703-741-5970

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

GB CLP (SI 2020/1567 as amended)

Not classified

2.2. Label elements

Hazard statements

Not classified.

2.3. Other hazards**Other hazards**

Special danger of slipping by leaking/spilling product. Electrostatic charges may be generated during handling. Even with proper grounding and bonding, this material can still accumulate an electrostatic charge. If sufficient charge is allowed to accumulate, electrostatic discharge and ignition of flammable air-vapor mixtures may occur.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**3.1 Substances**

Not applicable

3.2 Mixtures

The product contains no substances which at their given concentration, are considered to be hazardous to health

Chemical name	Weight-%	EC No (EU Index No)	UK REACH registration number	Classification according to GB CLP (SI 2020/1567 as amended)	Specific concentration limit (SCL)	M-Factor	M-Factor (long-term)	Notes
Polyethylene homopolymer 9002-88-4	< 100	618-339-3	-	[F]	-	-	-	-

Classification according to GB CLP (SI 2020/1567 as amended)

[F] - Although non-hazardous, the manufacturer chooses to disclose the composition

Full text of H- and EUH-phrases: see section 16**Acute Toxicity Estimate**

In the absence of LD50/LC50 data, the conversion value (converted acute toxicity point estimate) may be indicated here; please note that these values do not represent test results

Chemical name	Oral LD50 mg/kg	Dermal LD50 mg/kg	Inhalation LC50 - 4 hour - dust/mist - mg/L	Inhalation LC50 - 4 hour - vapour - mg/L	Inhalation LC50 - 4 hour - gas - ppm
Polyethylene homopolymer 9002-88-4	> 4000 mg/kg	No data available	No data available	No data available	No data available

This product does not contain candidate substances of very high concern at a concentration $\geq 0.1\%$ (UK REACH Article 59)

SECTION 4: First aid measures**4.1. Description of first aid measures****Inhalation**

Remove to fresh air. Medical aid is necessary if symptoms appear to be an obvious consequence of inhalation.

Eye contact

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water, also under the eyelids. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

Skin contact	After contact with product or dust: Wash skin with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists. After contact with molten product, cool skin area rapidly with cold water. Removal of solidified molten material from skin requires medical assistance.
Ingestion	Clean mouth with water and afterwards drink plenty of water. Do NOT induce vomiting. Rinse mouth. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

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

Symptoms	Product dust may be irritating to eyes, skin and respiratory system.
Effects of Exposure	None known.

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

Note to doctors	Treat symptomatically.
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SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable Extinguishing Media	CO2, dry chemical, dry sand, alcohol-resistant foam. Water spray or fog.
Unsuitable extinguishing media	Do not use a solid water stream as it may scatter and spread fire.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Specific hazards arising from the chemical	Avoid generation of dust. Fine dust dispersed in air may ignite. Powders, dusts, shavings, borings, turnings or cuttings may explode or burn with explosive violence.
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5.3. Advice for firefighters

Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters	Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full firefighting turnout gear. Use personal protection equipment.
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SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions	Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid generation of dust. Do not breathe dust. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Use personal protective equipment as required. ELIMINATE all ignition sources (no smoking, flares, sparks or flames in immediate area). Take precautionary measures against static discharges.
For emergency responders	Use personal protection recommended in Section 8.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions	See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information.
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6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for containment	Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Prevent dust cloud.
Methods for cleaning up	Take up with inert, damp, non-combustible material using clean non-sparking tools and place into loosely covered plastic containers for later disposal. Pick up and transfer to

properly labelled containers.

Prevention of secondary hazards Clean contaminated objects and areas thoroughly observing environmental regulations.

6.4. Reference to other sections

Reference to other sections See section 8 for more information. See section 13 for more information.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid generation of dust. Do not breathe dust. Avoid contact with eyes. This product is a poor conductor of electricity and can become electrostatically charged. If sufficient charge is accumulated, ignition of flammable mixtures can occur. To reduce potential for static discharge, use proper bonding and grounding procedures. Airborne dusts are potentially explosive. Avoid significant deposits of material, especially on horizontal surfaces, which may become airborne and form combustible dust clouds and may contribute to secondary explosions. Handling and processing operations should be conducted in accordance with 'best practices' (e.g. NFPA-654).

General hygiene considerations Do not breathe dust. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse. Regular cleaning of equipment, work area and clothing is recommended.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions Store in a cool, dry area away from potential sources of heat, open flames, sunlight or other chemicals.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

Specific use(s) Polymer preparations and compounds. Industrial. Professional use.

Risk Management Methods (RMM) The information required is contained in this Safety Data Sheet.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

Exposure Limits This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

Biological occupational exposure limits This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with biological limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

Derived No Effect Level (DNEL) - Workers No information available

Derived No Effect Level (DNEL) - General Public No information available.

Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC) No information available.

8.2. Exposure controls

Engineering controls	Showers Eyewash stations Ventilation systems.
<u>Personal protective equipment</u>	
Eye/face protection	Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles). During hot processing: Tight sealing safety goggles. If there is a risk of contact: Face protection shield. Eye protection must conform to standard EN 166.
Hand protection	Wear suitable gloves. Heat resistant gloves are recommended when handling molten materials. Gloves must conform to standard EN 374.
Skin and body protection	Wear suitable protective clothing. During hot processing: Long sleeved clothing. Protective shoes or boots.
Respiratory protection	In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment. A respiratory protection program compliant with all applicable regulations must be followed whenever workplace conditions require the use of a respirator.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	Translucent. Granules.
Physical state	Solid
Colour	White
Odour	Not applicable
Odour threshold	Not applicable

<u>Property</u>	<u>Values</u>	<u>Remarks • Method</u>
pH		Not applicable
pH (as aqueous solution)		No data available
Melting point / freezing point	105 – 120°C	No data available
Initial boiling point and boiling range		Not applicable
Flash point		No data available
Evaporation rate		No data available
Flammability		No data available
Flammability Limit in Air		
Upper flammability or explosive limits		No data available
Lower flammability or explosive limits		No data available
Vapour pressure		Not applicable
Relative vapour density		Not applicable
Relative density		No data available
Bulk density	0,918 – 0.935 g/cm3	
Liquid Density		No data available
Solubility(ies)	Xylene	
Water solubility	Insoluble	
Partition coefficient		No data available
Autoignition temperature	350 °C	
Decomposition temperature		No data available
SADT (°C)		No data available
Kinematic viscosity		No data available
Dynamic viscosity		No data available

Particle characteristics
Particle Size
Particle Size Distribution

Not applicable
No data available
No data available

9.2. Other information

Molecular weight No information available
VOC content No information available
Softening point No information available

Information with regards to physical hazard classes

Explosives

Explosive properties No information available.
Not flammable

Oxidising properties No information available.

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

Reactivity No information available.

10.2. Chemical stability

Stability Stable under normal conditions.

Explosion data

Sensitivity to mechanical impact None.

Sensitivity to static discharge Yes.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Possibility of hazardous reactions Reacts violently with fluorine.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Conditions to avoid Excessive heat. Heating in air. Dust formation.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Incompatible materials Fluorine, Strong acids, Strong oxidising agents, Chlorinated solvents, Aromatic compounds.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products Decomposition products depend on temperature, exposure to air, and the presence of other substances, Processing may release irritating fumes, olefinic and paraffinic compounds, carbon monoxide, and carbon dioxide, Potential thermal decomposition products include trace aldehydes (including formaldehyde), alcohols, organic acids, and hydrocarbons.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Information on likely routes of exposure

Product Information

Inhalation

Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Inhalation of dust in high

concentration may cause irritation of respiratory system.

Eye contact

Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Dust contact with the eyes can lead to mechanical irritation.

Skin contact

Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Contact with dust can cause mechanical irritation or drying of the skin.

Ingestion

Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. May cause irritation of the mouth, throat and stomach.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics**Symptoms**

Product dust may be irritating to eyes, skin and respiratory system.

Acute toxicity Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Numerical measures of toxicity**Component Information**

Chemical name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Polyethylene homopolymer	> 4000 mg/kg (Rat)	-	-

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure**Skin corrosion/irritation**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Respiratory or skin sensitisation

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Germ cell mutagenicity

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Carcinogenicity

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Reproductive toxicity

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

STOT - single exposure

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

STOT - repeated exposure

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Aspiration hazard

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Other adverse effects

No information available.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

Ecotoxicity The environmental impact of this product has not been fully investigated.

12.2. Persistence and degradability

Persistence and degradability No information available.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulation There is no data for this product.

12.4. Mobility in soil

Mobility in soil No information available.

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT and vPvB assessment The product does not contain any substance(s) classified as PBT or vPvB.

12.6. Other adverse effects

No information available.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Waste from residues/unused products Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Dispose of waste in accordance with environmental legislation.

Contaminated packaging Do not reuse empty containers.

SECTION 14: Transport information

IATA	Not regulated
14.1 UN number or ID number	Not regulated
14.2 UN proper shipping name	Not regulated
14.3 Transport hazard class(es)	Not regulated
14.4 Packing group	Not applicable
14.5 Environmental hazards	Not applicable
14.6 Special precautions for user	
Special Provisions	None
Note:	None

IMDG	Not regulated
14.1 UN number or ID number	Not regulated
14.2 UN proper shipping name	Not regulated
14.3 Transport hazard class(es)	Not regulated
14.4 Packing group	Not applicable
14.5 Environmental hazards	Not applicable
14.6 Special precautions for user	
Special Provisions	None

14.7 Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments No information available

<u>RID</u>	Not regulated
14.1 UN number or ID number	Not regulated
14.2 UN proper shipping name	Not regulated
14.3 Transport hazard class(es)	Not regulated
14.4 Packing group	Not applicable
14.5 Environmental hazards	Not applicable
14.6 Special precautions for user	
Special Provisions	None

<u>ADR</u>	Not regulated
14.1 UN number or ID number	Not regulated
14.2 UN proper shipping name	Not regulated
14.3 Transport hazard class(es)	Not regulated
14.4 Packing group	Not applicable
14.5 Environmental hazards	Not applicable
14.6 Special precautions for user	
Special Provisions	None

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

National regulations

Authorisations and/or restrictions on use:

This product does not contain substances subject to authorisation (UK REACH - Annex XIV). This product does not contain substances subject to restriction (UK REACH - Annex XVII).

Persistent Organic Pollutants

Not applicable

Export Notification requirements

Not applicable

Named dangerous substances per COMAH (SI 2015/483 as amended)

Not applicable

The Ozone-Depleting Substances Regulations 2015

Not applicable

The Biocidal Products Regulations 2001 (as amended)

Not applicable

The Water Environment (Water Framework Directive) (England and Wales) Regulations 2017 (as amended)

Not applicable

Poisons and Explosive Precursors

Not applicable

International Inventories

Contact supplier for inventory compliance status

15.2. Chemical safety assessment

Chemical Safety Report

No information available

SECTION 16: Other information**Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet****Legend**

ACGIH	American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists
ADN	Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways (Europe)
ADR	Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road (Europe)
AIIC	Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals
ATE	Acute Toxicity Estimate
ASTM	American Society for the Testing of Materials
bar	Biological Reference Values for Chemical Compounds in the Work Area
BAT	Biological tolerance values for occupational exposure
BEL	Biological exposure limits
bw	Body weight
Ceiling	Maximum limit value
CLP	Classification, Labelling and Packaging Regulation; Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008
CMR	Carcinogen, Mutagen or Reproductive Toxicant
DOT	Department of Transportation (United States)
DSL	Domestic Substances List (Canada)
EC Number	European Community number
EmS	Emergency Schedule
ENCS	Existing and New Chemical Substances (Japan)
EPA	Environmental Protection Agency
GHS	Globally Harmonized System
IARC	International Agency for Research on Cancer
IATA	International Air Transport Association
IBC	International Code for the Construction and Equipment of Ships carrying Dangerous Chemicals in Bulk
ICAO	International Civil Aviation Organisation
IECSC	Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China
IMDG	International Maritime Dangerous Goods
IMO	International Maritime Organization
ISO	International Organisation for Standardisation
KECI	Korean Existing Chemicals Inventory
LC50	Lethal Concentration to 50% of a test population
LD50	Lethal Dose to 50% of a test population (Median Lethal Dose)
MARPOL	International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships
n.o.s.	Not Otherwise Specified
NOAEC	No Observed Adverse Effect Concentration
NOAEL	No Observed Adverse Effect Level
NOELR	No Observable Effect Loading Rate
NZIoC	New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals
OECD	Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development
OEL	Occupational exposure limits
PBT	Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic substance
PICCS	Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances
PMT	Persistent, Mobile and Toxic
PPE	Personal protective equipment
QSAR	Quantitative Structure Activity Relationship
REACH	Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation, and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH) Regulation (EC 1907/2006)
RID	Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail (Europe)

SADT	Self-Accelerating Decomposition Temperature
SAR	Structure-activity relationship
SDS	Safety Data Sheet
SL	Surface Limit
STEL	Short Term Exposure Limit
STOT RE	Specific target organ toxicity - Repeated exposure
STOT SE	Specific target organ toxicity - Single exposure
SVHC	Substance of very high concern
TCSI	Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory
TDG	Transport of Dangerous Goods (Canada)
TSCA	Toxic Substances Control Act (United States)
TWA	Time-Weighted Average
UN	United Nations
VOC	Volatile organic compounds
vPvB	Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative
vPvM	Very Persistent and Very Mobile
Sen+	Sensitiser
Sk*	Skin designation
**	Hazard Designation

Classification procedure	
Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]	Method Used
Acute oral toxicity	Calculation method
Acute dermal toxicity	Calculation method
Acute inhalation toxicity - gas	Calculation method
Acute inhalation toxicity - vapour	Calculation method
Acute inhalation toxicity - dust/mist	Calculation method
Skin corrosion/irritation	Calculation method
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Calculation method
Respiratory sensitisation	Calculation method
Skin sensitisation	Calculation method
Mutagenicity	Calculation method
Carcinogenicity	Calculation method
Reproductive toxicity	Calculation method
STOT - single exposure	Calculation method
STOT - repeated exposure	Calculation method
Chronic aquatic toxicity	Calculation method
Acute aquatic toxicity	Calculation method
Aspiration hazard	Calculation method
Ozone	Calculation method

Key literature references and sources for data used to compile the SDS

Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (ATSDR)
 U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ChemView Database
 European Food Safety Authority (EFSA)
 European Chemicals Agency (ECHA) Committee for Risk Assessment (ECHA_RAC)
 European Chemicals Agency (ECHA) (ECHA_API)
 Environmental Protection Agency
 Acute Exposure Guideline Level(s) (AEGL(s))
 U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act
 U.S. Environmental Protection Agency High Production Volume Chemicals
 Food Research Journal
 Hazardous Substance Database
 International Uniform Chemical Information Database (IUCLID)
 National Institute of Technology and Evaluation (NITE)
 Australian National Industrial Chemicals Notification and Assessment Scheme (NICNAS)
 NIOSH (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)
 National Library of Medicine's ChemID Plus (NLM CIP)

National Library of Medicine's PubMed database (NLM PUBMED)

U.S. National Toxicology Program (NTP)

New Zealand's Chemical Classification and Information Database (CCID)

Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development Environment, Health, and Safety Publications

Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development High Production Volume Chemicals Programme

Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development Screening Information Data Set

World Health Organization

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Take note of Directive 98/24/EC on the protection of the health and safety of workers from the risks related to chemical agents at work

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