



**Section 1: Identification**

**PRODUCT AND COMPANY INFORMATION**

**Product Name:** Polyacetal **Molecular Formula:** (CH<sub>2</sub>O)<sub>x</sub>  
**Catalog Number(s):** 009  
**Company:** Scientific Polymer Products, Inc.  
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**Section 2: Hazards Identification**

**Classification of the substance or mixture**  
Not a hazardous substance or mixture.

**GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements**  
Not a hazardous substance or mixture.

**Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS – none**

To the best of our knowledge, the toxicological properties of this chemical have not been thoroughly investigated. Use appropriate procedures and precautions to prevent or minimize exposure.

**Section 3: Composition/Information on Ingredients**

Ingredient	CAS Number	Concentration (%)
Polyacetal	9002-81-7	100

**Section 4: First Aid Measures**

**Description of first aid measures**

**If inhaled**

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician

**In case of skin contact**

Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

**In case of eye contact**

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician if effects occur.

**If swallowed**

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Do not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Consult a physician.

**Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2) and/or in section 11

**Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

No data available

**Section 5: Fire-Fighting Measures****Suitable extinguishing media**

Water spray and foam, Water is the best extinguishing medium. Carbon dioxide and dry chemical are not generally recommended because their lack of cooling capacity may permit re-ignition.

**Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**

Hazardous combustion products may include intense heat, dense black smoke, carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, oxides of phosphorus, hydrogen cyanide, hydrocarbon fragments, hydrogen fluoride, carbonyl fluoride and fluorocarbon fragments.

**Advice for firefighters**

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary. Approved pressure demand breathing apparatus and protective clothing should be used for all fires. Water spray is the preferred extinguishing medium. This product will melt but will not be carried on the surface for water.

**Further information**

No data available

**Section 6: Accidental Release Measures****Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Spilled material may cause a slipping hazard. Use appropriate safety equipment. For additional information, refer to Section 8, Exposure Controls and Personal Protection.

**Environmental precautions**

Prevent from entering into soil, ditches, sewers, waterways and/or groundwater. See Section 12, Ecological Information.

**Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up**

Contain spilled material if possible. Sweep up. Collect in suitable and properly labeled containers.

**Reference to other sections**

For disposal see section 13.

**Section 7: Handling and Storage****Precautions for safe handling**

Follow recommendations on label and in processing guide. Prevent contact with skin and eyes. Use good industrial hygiene practices. Provide adequate ventilation. Secondary operations such as grinding, sanding or sawing may produce a dust explosion hazard. Use aggressive housekeeping activities to prevent dust accumulation; employ bonding, grounding, venting and explosion relief provisions in accordance with accepted engineering practices.

**Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well ventilated place. Keep in a dry place.

**Specific end use(s)**

Laboratory chemicals, Manufacture of substances

**Restrictions on Use**

Not for drug or household use

## Section 8: Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

### Control parameters

#### Components with workplace control parameters

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

### Exposure controls

#### Appropriate engineering controls

General industrial hygiene practice.

A continuous supply of fresh air to the workplace together with removal of processing fumes through exhaust systems is recommended. Processing fume condensate may be a fire hazard and toxic; remove periodically from exhaust hoods, duct work and other surfaces using appropriate personal protection. For powders and residual dusts refer to Section 7.

### Personal protective equipment

#### Eye/face protection

Safety glasses with side shields. Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

#### Skin protection

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

#### Body Protection

Impervious clothing. The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

#### Respiratory protection

For nuisance exposures use type P95 (US) or type P1 (EN 143) particle respirator. For higher level protection use typeOV/AG/P99 (US) or type ABEK-P2 (EN 143) respirator cartridges. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

#### Control of environmental exposure

Do not let product enter drains.

## Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

a)	Appearance	Form: Pellets
b)	Odor	Slightly formaldehyde
c)	Odor Threshold	No data available
d)	pH	No data available
e)	Melting point/freezing point	No data available
f)	Initial boiling point and boiling range	No data available
g)	Flash point	No data available
h)	Evaporation rate	No data available
i)	Flammability (solid, gas)	No data available
j)	Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	No data available
k)	Vapor pressure	No data available
l)	Vapor density	No data available
m)	Relative density	No data available
n)	Water solubility	Insoluble
o)	Partition coefficient: n- octanol/water	No data available
p)	Auto-ignition temperature	No data available
q)	Decomposition temperature	No data available
r)	Viscosity	No data available

- s) Explosive properties No data available  
t) Oxidizing properties No data available

**Other safety information**

No data available

## Section 10: Stability and Reactivity

**Reactivity**

Not reactive under recommended conditions of handling, storage, processing and use.

**Chemical stability**

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

**Possibility of hazardous reactions**

No data available

**Conditions to avoid**

Avoid temperatures above 425 °C. Exposure to elevated temperatures can cause product to decompose.

**Incompatible materials**

None known.

**Hazardous decomposition products**

Major decomposition gases are oxidized hydrocarbons (probably carbon monoxide) and steam. Minor components in decomposition gas may be aldehyde, phenolic compounds, etc.

In the event of fire: see section 5

## Section 11: Toxicological Information

**Information on toxicological effects**

**Acute toxicity**

No data available

Inhalation: No data available

Dermal: No data available

Ingestion: No data available

**Skin corrosion/irritation**

No data available

**Serious eye damage/eye irritation**

No data available

**Respiratory or skin sensitization**

No data available

**Germ cell mutagenicity**

No data available

**Carcinogenicity**

IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

ACGIH: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH.

NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

**Reproductive toxicity**

No data available

**Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure**

No data available

**Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure**

No data available

**Aspiration hazard**

No data available

**Additional Information**

RTECS: Not available

**Section 12: Ecological Information**

**Toxicity**

No data available

**Persistence and degradability**

No data available

**Bioaccumulative potential**

No data available

**Mobility in soil**

No data available

**Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted

**Other adverse effects**

No data available

**Section 13: Disposal Considerations**

**Waste treatment methods**

**Product**

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company.

**Contaminated packaging**

Dispose of as unused product.

**Section 14: Transport Information**

**DOT (US)**

Not dangerous goods

**IMDG**

Not dangerous goods

**IATA**

Not dangerous goods

## Section 15: Regulatory Information

### SARA 302 Components

No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

### SARA 313 Components

This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

### SARA 311/312 Hazards

No SARA Hazards

### Massachusetts Right to Know Components

No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

### Pennsylvania Right to Know Components

No components are subject to the Pennsylvania Right to Know Act.

### New Jersey Right to Know Components

No components are subject to the New Jersey Right to Know Act.

### California Prop. 65 Components

This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.

## Section 16: Other Information

### HMIS Rating

Health: 0  
Flammability: 0  
Reactivity: 0

### NFPA Rating

Health: 0  
Flammability: 0  
Reactivity: 0

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