

SAFETY DATA SHEET

according to Regulation (EC) No. 453/2010

XC POLYMER

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1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

Product Identifier

Product Name XC POLYMER

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

Recommended Use Viscosifier

Uses Advised Against No information available

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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Netherlands	National Poisons Information Center (NL): +31 30 274 88 88 (NB: this service is only available to health professionals)
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Poland	Poison Control and Information Centre, Warsaw (PL): +48 22 619 66 54; +48 22 619 08 97
Spain	Poison Information Service (ES): +34 91 562 04 20
United Kingdom	NHS Direct (UK): +44 0845 46 47

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification of the substance or mixture

REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008

Not classified

Classification according to EU Directives 67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC

For the full text of the R-phrases mentioned in this Section, see Section 16

Classification Not Classified

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Risk Phrases None

Label Elements

Not classified

Hazard Pictograms

Signal Word None

Contains

Substances

Xanthan gum

CAS Number

11138-66-2

Other Hazards

None known

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Substances	EINECS	CAS Number	PERCENT	EEC Classification	EU - CLP Substance Classification	REACH No.
Xanthan gum	234-394-2	11138-66-2	60 - 100%	Not applicable	Not applicable	No data available

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4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Description of first aid measures

Inhalation

If inhaled, remove from area to fresh air. Get medical attention if respiratory irritation develops or if breathing becomes difficult.

Eyes

In case of contact, immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and get medical attention if irritation persists.

Skin

Wash with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation persists.

Ingestion

Under normal conditions, first aid procedures are not required.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

No significant hazards expected.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Notes to Physician

Treat symptomatically

5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

Extinguishing media

Suitable Extinguishing Media

Water fog, carbon dioxide, foam, dry chemical.

Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons

None known.

Special hazards arising from the substance of mixture

Special Exposure Hazards

Decomposition in fire may produce toxic gases. Organic dust in the presence of an ignition source can be explosive in high concentrations. Good housekeeping practices are required to minimize this potential.

Advice for firefighters**Special Protective Equipment for Fire-Fighters**

Full protective clothing and approved self-contained breathing apparatus required for fire fighting personnel.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Use appropriate protective equipment. Avoid creating and breathing dust.

See Section 12 for additional information

Environmental precautions

None known.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Scoop up and remove.

Reference to other sections

See Section 12 for additional information.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for Safe Handling

Avoid creating or inhaling dust.

Hygiene Measures

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store away from oxidizers. Store in a cool, dry location.

Specific End Use(s)

Exposure Scenario No information available

Other Guidelines No information available

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control parameters

Substances	EU	UK OEL	Netherlands	France OEL	Germany MAK/TRK
Xanthan gum	Not applicable	10 mg/m ³	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable

Substances	Italy	Poland	Hungary	Czech Republic	Denmark
Xanthan gum	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable

Derived No Effect Level (DNEL) No information available.

Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC) No information available.

Exposure controls**Engineering Controls**

Use in a well ventilated area.

Personal protective equipment**Respiratory Protection**

Not normally needed. But if significant exposures are possible then the following respirator is recommended:

Dust/mist respirator. (N95, P2/P3)

Hand Protection

Normal work gloves.

Skin Protection

Normal work coveralls.

Eye Protection

Wear safety glasses or goggles to protect against exposure.

Other Precautions

None known.

Environmental Exposure Controls No information available

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Toxicity**Ecotoxicity Effects**

Substances	Toxicity to Algae	Toxicity to Fish	Toxicity to Microorganisms	Daphnia Magna (Water Flea)
Xanthan gum	No information available	TLM96: 320-560 ppm (Oncorhynchus mykiss)	No information available	TLM96: > 75000 ppm (Mysidopsis bahia)

Persistence and degradability

Readily biodegradable

Bioaccumulative potential

No information available

Mobility in soil

No information available

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

No information available.

Other adverse effects**Endocrine Disruptor Information**

This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste treatment methods**Disposal Method**

Bury in a licensed landfill according to federal, state, and local regulations.

Contaminated Packaging

Follow all applicable national or local regulations.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

IMDG/IMO

UN Number: Not restricted.
 UN Proper Shipping Name: Not restricted
 Transport Hazard Class(es): Not applicable

RID

UN Number: Not restricted.
 UN Proper Shipping Name: Not restricted
 Transport Hazard Class(es): Not applicable

ADR

UN Number: Not restricted.
 UN Proper Shipping Name: Not restricted
 Transport Hazard Class(es): Not applicable

IATA/ICAO

UN Number: Not restricted.
 UN Proper Shipping Name: Not restricted
 Transport Hazard Class(es): Not applicable

Special Precautions for User

None

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

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

International Inventories

EINECS Inventory	This product, and all its components, complies with EINECS
US TSCA Inventory	All components listed on inventory or are exempt.
Canadian DSL Inventory	All components listed on inventory or are exempt.

Legend

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances/EU List of Notified Chemical Substances

DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

Germany, Water Endangering Classes (WGK)	Not determined.
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Chemical Safety Assessment

No information available

16. OTHER INFORMATION

Full text of R-phrases referred to under Sections 2 and 3

None

Key literature references and sources for data

www.ChemADVISOR.com/

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