

Polycarbonate Rod Extruded

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Safety Sheet



1.	Substance/preparation	Polycarbonate (PC)
2.	Composition / Indications to components	Chemical characterization : Polycarbonate (PC) Hazardous substances: Product contains no hazardous ingredients liable to be disclosed.
3.	Possible dangers	Classification: Not classified Physical/ chemical hazards: Flammable Health risks: Dust can cause mechanical irritation. Hazards for the environment: Based on our information, there is no danger to the environment. The product is according to Directive 1999/45/EC and its annexes are not classified as dangerous.
4.	First-aid measures	General information: The product is being classified as non-toxic. In case of inhalation: In case the plastic burns and combustion gases are inhaled, remove the affected person/s to fresh air and keep warm and get medical help if necessary. In case of skin contact: Burns caused by molten material on skin need to be rapidly cooled down with water; do not attempt removal of plastic without medical assistance. If irritation develops, seek medical attention. In case of eye contact: Flush eyes well with copious quantities of water. Seek medical attention, if irritation persists. In case of ingestion: The product is non-toxic; no first aid procedures are required. If irritation develops, seek medical attention.
5.	Fire-fighting measures	Suitable extinguishing media: Water, foam, gaseous and dry extinguishing media Particular endangerments by: Hazardous combustion products may emerge, apart from harmless Fire fighting and hazardous combustion products: Water (H ₂ O); carbon dioxide (CO ₂), carbon monoxide (CO) and oxygen. Formation of further decomposition and oxidation products depends upon the fire conditions. Under special fire conditions traces of other toxic substances are possible. Fire fighting: Approved pressure demand breathing apparatus and protective clothing should be used for all fires. Additional Information: Residues after the fire, after appropriate rules dispose.
6.	Measures in case of unintended release	Personal precautions: N/A Environmental precaution: N/A Methods for cleaning up: Mechanical removal

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7. Handling and storage	Advice on safe handling: During machining of the stock shapes, evacuate swarf to prevent slipping or tripping. Storage: Store inert product dry and cool. Keep storage and working areas sufficiently ventilated. Keep away from source of flame, heat and ignition. Due to the risk of collapsing, do not stack more than 2 pallets on top of each other. Pallets should not stack on top of each other along aisles.
8. Limitation of exposition	Ingredients with occupational exposure limits to be monitored: none Personal (body) protection General protective and Hygiene measures: Keep the workplace sufficiently ventilated; thereby smoking; eating and drinking are not allowed. Continuous supply of fresh air to the workplace together with removal of processing fumes through exhaust systems is recommended. Avoid breathing in gaseous degradation products and dust that may result by material overheating. Hand protection: Safety gloves in case of contact with warm material Eye protection: Safety goggles or shield during machining Body protection: Working clothes Respiratory protection: Adequate ventilation at workplace is required
9. Physical and chemical characteristics	Physical state Aggregate: solid Colour: product-specific Odour: slight, product specific Safety related facts Boiling point: N/A Melting point: 150 – 160 °C (DIN/EN/ISO 3146) Corrosion temperature: N/A Flash point: N/A Self ignition temperature: 560 °C (ASTM D1929) Explosion hazard or limit: non explosive Oxidizing characteristics: None Density (20 °C): 1.20 g/cm ³ (ISO 1183) Solubility (in Water 20 °C): insoluble Viscosity: N/A Additional Information: None
10. Stability and reactivity	Conditions to avoid: Temperatures above melting point Material to avoid: Strong oxidant Hazardous decomposition products: Carbon monoxide (CO) CAS-Nr. 630-08-0
11. Toxic information	Toxicology: Based on our experience and information available, no adverse health effects are expected if handled as recommended with suitable precautions for designated uses. Primary Irritation on skin : N/A Primary Irritation on eyes : N/A Sensitization : not known Practical Tests : N/A Additional information : N/A

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12.	Ecological information	The material does not harm the environment but is not biologically degradable.
13.	Waste-disposal information	The product must be disposed in accordance with the local authorities.
14.	Transport information	Not classified as hazardous under transport regulations.
15.	Regulation	European regulations (Identification) The product does not require a hazard warning label in accordance with EC directives.
16.	Further information	The information is based on our current knowledge. They are meant to describe our products in respect to safety requirements. They do not represent any guarantee of the described product in the sense of the legal guarantee regulations.