

According to Regulation (EC) 1907/2006 amended by Regulation (EU) 2020/878

POLYGLUTAMIC ACID

Product Master Reference No. 1814

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

1.1. Product Identifier

Trade name: Polyglutamic Acid

Chemical name/nature: Sodium salt of polyglutamic acid, natural origin.

CAS No.: 25513-46-6

EC No.: NA

REACH: A registration number is not available for this substance as the substance or its uses are exempted from registration, the annual tonnage does not require a registration or the registration is envisaged for a later registration deadline.

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

Raw material for cosmetic industry, cosmetic ingredient.

Unidentified or unadvised uses: none identified

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company identification: Elemental SRL, Piața Cazărmii no.15, 410188 Oradea, Romania, www.ellemental.com

Competent person responsible for the safety data sheet: e-mail adress: quality@ellemental.com

1.4 Emergency telephone number

RO: număr național pentru cazuri de urgență: (+40) 21 318 36 20 Institutul de Sănătate Publică București

International: List of anti-poison centers in Europe: <https://poisoncentres.echa.europa.eu/appointed-bodies>

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]:

This product is not classified as hazardous.

2.2. Label elements

Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

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GHS Label: None
 Signal Word: None
 Contains: None
 Hazards Statement: None
 Signal Word: None
 Precautionary Statements: None
 Supplementary Precautionary Statements: None

2.3. Other hazards

This substance/mixture does not meet the PBT and vPvB criteria of REACH regulation, annex XIII. The substance is not included in the list established in accordance with Article 59 (1) of REACH for having endocrine disrupting properties, or is not identified as having endocrine disrupting properties in accordance with the criteria set out in Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605.

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

3.1. Substances

| Name | CAS No. | EC No. | Classification | Percentage % |
|----------------------|------------|--------|-----------------------------|--------------|
| Sodium Polyglutamate | 25513-46-6 | NA | Not classified as hazardous | 100 |

3.2. Mixtures

Not applicable

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

4.1. Description of first aid measures

General advice: Do not leave affected person unattended. To prevent aspiration or inhalation of the product, keep the victim on his side with his head lower than the waist and knees half bent. Loosen all items that may cause pressure on the neck and chest such as belts, collars or ties. In case of unconsciousness, do not administer anything orally. In case of doubt or if symptoms persist, call a physician.

In case of Inhalation: Move person to fresh air and keep warm and at rest. If symptoms of irritation and/or choking appear, call a physician immediately.

In case of Skin Contact: Remove contaminated clothing. Wash the skin vigorously with plenty of water and soap. If symptoms of skin irritation appear, consult a physician.

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In case of Eye contact: Rinse immediately with plenty of water. Remove any contact lenses if it is easy to manipulate. In case of irritation or vision changes, consult an ophthalmologist.

In case of Ingestion: Do not induce vomiting nor give anything to swallow unless directed to do so by medical personnel. In the event of symptoms, obtain a medical examination.

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed
Not considered hazardous under foreseeable conditions of use.

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

5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media:

Use extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding fire. Dry powder. Foam, Carbon dioxide (CO₂).

Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons: Strong water jet.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Do not inhale explosion and combustion gases.

Burning produces heavy smoke.

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. Self-contained breathing apparatus. Complete protective clothing.

Do not allow run-off from fire fighting to enter drains or water courses. Disposal must be done according to official regulations. Move undamaged containers from immediate hazard area if it can be done safely.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

General advice: Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Keep away sources of ignition. Keep away noninvolved persons.

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For non-emergency services personnel: Use personal protective equipment as required. Avoid contact with eyes and skin. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Keep people away from the spill / leak site and upwind.

For emergency services personnel: Use personal protective clothing. In case of vapour formation use respirator

6.2. Environmental precautions

Do not allow to enter into soil/subsoil. Do not allow to enter into surface water or drains. Retain contaminated washing water and dispose it. Warn authorities if liquid enters drains or public waters, in accordance with local regulations.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up: Clean contaminated floors and objects thoroughly while observing environmental regulations. Provide adequate precautions, such as electrical grounding and bonding, or inert atmospheres. Use only non-sparking tools. Contain spillage, and then collect with non-combustible absorbent material, (e.g. sand, earth, diatomaceous earth, vermiculite) and place in container for disposal according to local / national regulations. Retain contaminated washing water and dispose it.

Other information: Disposal must be done according to official regulations.

6.4. Reference to other sections

Information for safe handling. See section 7. Concerning personal protective equipment to use, see section 8. For further information refer to section 13.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

Provide adequate precautions, such as electrical grounding and bonding, or inert atmospheres.

Handle with care avoiding contact with skin and eyes, inhalation of vapours and mists.

Wash hands after use.

Do not eat, drink or smoke in work areas.

Remove contaminated clothing and protective equipment before entering other areas.

Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

Provide suitable mechanical equipment for the safe handling of drums & heavy packages.

See section 8 for recommended fire protection measures.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store at ambient temperature 10 - 25°C. Maintain limited contact with oxygen.

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

Keep away from food and beverages.

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Protect from direct light and humidity.
Incompatible materials: No data available.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

See section 1.2. No additional information available.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

8.1. Control parameters

National occupational exposure and biological limit values: No additional information available.

Recommended monitoring procedures: No additional information available.

Air contaminants formed: No additional information available.

DNEL and PNEC: No additional information available.

8.2. Exposure controls

Exposure assessment: Exposures are dependent on the product being handled, the potential for chemical release, and any resulting airborne concentrations or dermal contact. Since product handling and release scenarios vary, and no two workplaces are exactly alike, it is recommended that the potential for exposure be assessed prior to the product's use or introduction. Exposure assessments should be performed by an occupational hygienist, industrial hygienist, or other qualified occupational or environmental health professional. An exposure assessment should be conducted to determine the efficacy of any ventilation and the need for additional PPE.

Use engineering controls to maintain airborne levels below exposure limit requirements or guidelines. If there are no applicable exposure limit requirements or guidelines, use the product only with adequate ventilation.

Personal protective equipment: Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. When using do not eat, drink or smoke. Remove and wash contaminated clothes before re-use.

Eye and face protection

Eye protection: Use safety goggles according to EN 166 or equivalent local standard. Operate according good working practices.

Skin protection

Skin and body protection: Wear suitable protective clothing. Wear working clothes covering arms and legs.

Use antistatic clothes when flammable liquids are handled. The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the hazardous substance at the specific workplace. Use apron and sleeve covers or complete chemical suit if exposure is expected.

Hand protection: Protective gloves resistant to chemicals made off nitrile, requirements can vary as a function of the use. Therefore it is necessary to adhere additionally to the recommendations given by the manufacturer of protective gloves. Gloves must be replaced after each use and whenever signs of wear or perforation appear.

Respiratory protection

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Respiratory protection: Respiratory protection should be worn when workplace exposures exceed exposure limit requirements or guidelines. If there are no applicable exposure limits or guidelines, use an approved respirator where there is a potential for adverse effects, including but not limited to respiratory irritation or odor, or where indicated by the exposure assessment. Selection of air-purifying or positive-pressure supplied-air will depend on the results of the exposure assessment which includes an evaluation of the specific operations and the potential airborne concentrations. For emergency conditions, use an approved positive-pressure self-contained breathing apparatus. In absence of engineering controls, use self-contained breathing apparatus or full face supplied air respirators. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as CEN (EU).

8.3 Environmental exposure controls

Environmental protection legislation for every country must be observed.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance: crystalline powder

Colour: off-white

Odour: faint, characteristic

Auto-ignition temperature: no data available

Bulk density: no data available

Decomposition temperature: no data available

Density at 20 °C: no data available

Evaporation rate: no data available

Explosion limit lower: no data available

Explosion limit upper: no data available

Explosive properties: not explosive

Flammability: not flammable

Flash point: no data available

Freezing point: no data available

Melting point: no data available

Oxidizing properties: no data available

Particle size: no data available

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water: no data available

pH: 5.0-7.5 (1% solution)

Relative vapour density: no data available

Solubility in other solvents: no data available

Solubility in water: soluble

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Vapour pressure: no data available
Viscosity, dynamic: no data available
Viscosity, kinematic: no data available

9.2. Other information

No additional information available.

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

10.1. Reactivity

The product is non-reactive under recommended conditions of use, storage and transport.

10.2. Chemical stability

The product is chemically stable under recommended conditions of storage, use and temperature.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No dangerous reactions known under normal conditions of use.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Keep away from heat sources, open flames and sunlight.

Materials to avoid: No information available.

10.5. Incompatible materials

No additional information available

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced. Carbon dioxide and the carbon monoxide may form when heated to decomposition.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

11.1. Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008

Acute toxicity

Acute oral toxicity: No data is available.

Acute inhalation toxicity: No data is available.

Acute dermal toxicity: No data is available.

Acute toxicity (other routes of administration): No data is available.

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Skin corrosion/irritation

Skin irritation: No data is available.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Eye irritation: No data is available.

Respiratory or skin sensitisation

Sensitisation: No data is available.

Germ cell mutagenicity: No data is available.

Carcinogenicity: No data is available.

Reproductive toxicity: No data is available.

Target Organ Systemic Toxicant - Single exposure: No data is available.

Target Organ Systemic Toxicant - Repeated exposure: No data is available.

Aspiration hazard

Aspiration toxicity: No data is available.

Phototoxicity

Phototoxicity: No data is available.

11.2. Information on other hazards

Endocrine disrupting properties: No data available.

Further information: No other relevant information available.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

12.1. Toxicity

Hazardous to the aquatic environment, short-term (acute): No data available.

Hazardous to the aquatic environment, long-term (chronic): No data available.

12.2. Persistence and degradability

No additional information available.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

No additional information available.

12.4. Mobility in soil

No additional information available.

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

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12.6. Endocrine disrupting properties

The substance/mixture does not contain components considered to have endocrine disrupting properties according to REACH Article 57(f) or Commission Delegated regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605 at levels of 0.1% or higher.

12.7. Other adverse effects

No information available.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Disposal recommendations

Dispose in accordance with local and national regulations. Product should not be allowed to enter drains, pipes, or soil.

Product/Packaging disposal recommendations

Empty containers should be taken for local recycling, recovery or waste disposal. Contaminated packaging should be emptied as far as possible and after appropriate cleansing may be taken for reuse. Packaging that cannot be cleaned should be disposed of like the product.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

14.1. UN number

Not classified as dangerous in the meaning of transport regulations.

14.2. UN proper shipping name

Not regulated

14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

Not regulated

14.4. Packing Group

Not regulated

14.5. Environmental hazards

Not regulated

14.6. Special Precautions for User

No data available

14.7. Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

Not applicable

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15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

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

REACH Regulation (EU) 2020/878 amending Regulation (EC) 1907/2006

CLP Regulation 1272/2008 and further amendments up to date

Regulation (EC) 790/2009, Regulation (EC) 648/2004, Regulation EU 2019/1021

Directive 2000/39/EC (Occupational exposure limit values)

15.2. Chemical safety assessment

No information available.

16. OTHER INFORMATION

This information is based on our current knowledge and is intended to describe the product for the purposes of health, safety and environmental requirements only. It should not therefore be construed as guaranteeing any specific property of the product.

16.1 Relevant H and EUH statements

Not applicable

16.2 Abbreviations and acronyms

ADN - European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways; ADR - Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road; AIIIC - Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals; ASTM - American Society for the Test-ing of Materials; bw - Body weight; CLP - Classification Labelling Packaging Regulation; CMR - Carcinogen, Mutagen or Reproductive Toxicant; DIN - Standard of the German Institute for Standardisation; DSL - Domestic Substances List (Canada); ECHA - European Chemicals Agency; EC-Number - European Community number; ECx - Concentration associated with x% response; ELx - Loading rate associated with x% response; EmS - Emergen-cy Schedule; ENCS - Existing and New Chemical Substances (Japan); ErCx - Concentration as-sociated with x% growth rate response; GHS - Globally Harmonized System; GLP - Good La-boratory Practice; IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer; IATA - International Air Transport Association; IBC - International Code for the Construction and Equipment of Ships car-rying Dangerous Chemicals in Bulk; IC50 - Half maximal inhibitory concentration; ICAO - Interna-tional Civil Aviation Organization; IECSC - Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China; IMDG - International Maritime Dangerous Goods; IMO - International Maritime Organization; INCI: International Nomenclature of Cosmetic Ingredients; ISO - International Organisation for Standardization; KECI - Korea 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 - Interna-tional Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships; n.o.s. - Not Otherwise Specified;

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NO(A)EC - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Concentration; NO(A)EL - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Level; NOELR - No Observable Effect Loading Rate; OECD - Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development; OPPTS - Office of Chemical Safety and Pollution Prevention; PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic sub-stance; PNEC: Predicted No Effect Concentration; REACH - Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals; RID - Regulations concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail; SADT - Self-Accelerating Decomposition Temperature; SDS - Safety Data Sheet; SVHC - Substance of Very High Concern; STE: Short-term exposure; STEL: Short Term Exposure limit; STOT: Specific Target Organ Toxicity; UN - United Nations; vPvB - Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative

This SDS cancels and replaces any preceding release. This document was prepared by a competent person who has received appropriate training. The information provided in this safety data sheet complies with our current level of knowledge as well as with national and EU regulations, at the date of its publication. The information given is designed only as a guidance for safe handling, use, processing, storage, transportation, disposal and release and is not to be considered a warranty or quality specification. The product must not be used for purposes other than those mentioned in section 1. It is always the duty of the user to take the necessary measures to comply with the requirements set by local rules and regulations. The details in this safety data sheet describe the safety requirements of our product and should not be considered warranted attributes of the product.