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### MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

### 1 · Product and Company Identification

Product name: Paraformaldehyde

Synonyms: Triomethylene, Paraform

Recommened use and restrictions on use: For the purpose of manufacturing adhesives and resin

synthesis.

Supplier detail: GROMAX ENTERPRISES CORPORATION

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Emergency phone number: 1-800-343-3508

### 2 · Hazards Identification

Hazard classification: Flammable solids

Warning information: 1.Flammable

2.Harmful if inhaled or swallowed

3.Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin

GHS label: Flame, Health Hazard, Exclamation mark







Signal word: Warning

Hazard statement: Flammable solid, Harmful if inhaled, Harmful if swallowed, Harmful in Contact with skin, Harmful to aquatic life, May cause respiratory irritation or May cause drowsiness and dizziness

Precautionary statement: Harmful if inhaled, Harmful if swallowed

Other hazards: Not applicable

### 3 · Composition / Information on Ingredients

Substances Mixture

Mixtures:

Chemical identity	
Names of ingredient	Concentration or Concentration range(% of contents)
Paraformaldehyde(Cas No.:30525-89-4)	86-94%
H2O	6-14%

### 4 · First-Aid Measures

First-aid measures for different exposure routes: If spill: Sweep the floor, dispose all waste according



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to government regulations.

Inhalation: If feel not comfortable, remove from exposure to fresh air immediately. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen.

Skin Contact: Immediately flush skin with water or small amount of ethanol for at least 15 minutes and get medical aid immediately.

Eye Contact: Immediately flush eyes with plently of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical aid

if irritation develops or persists.

Ingestion: Induce vomit and see doctor ASAP

Most important symptoms and hazardous effects: Nothing special

Protection of First-aiders: Gloves and mask

Notes to Physician: Paraformaldehyde%

#### 5 · Fire-Fighting Measures

Extinguishing Media: Water, powder, CO2, Foam.

Fire and Explosion Hazards: CO2, CO, Formaldehyde.

Special Firefighting Procedures: Water, powder, CO2, Foam.

Special Equipment for the Protection of Firefighters: mask with fresh air supply, fire fighting clothes

#### 6 · Accidental Release Measures

Personal Precautions: Mask for nose, Glasses for eyes, Rubber gloves for hands and protective clothes for body.

Environmental Precautions: Store in proper vessel and keep the environment away from sunshine and direct heat

Methods for Cleaning Up: Sweep the floor, dispose all waste according to government regulations.

### 7 · Safe Handling and Storage Measures

Handling: Keep material away from sparks, flames, and other ignition sources.

Storage: Use big tank for big quantity storage, or proper bag for small quantity.

### 8 · Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

Control parameters: Good ventilation

**Control Parameters** 

8 hours time weighted average exposure

Short-term exposure Limits Maximum exposure limits CEILING

biological standards



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1ppm	2ppm	-	-

Personal protective equipment: Eyeglasses, gloves, helmet, mask, safety shower, eye wash fountain.

'Respiratory protection: Mask

'Hand protection: Chemical resistant gloves. (Butyl rubber, Polyvinyl alcohol)

'Eye protection: Goggles

'Skin and body protection: Wear approprite protective gloves and clothing to prevent and

minimize contact with skin.

Specific hygiene measures: Wash hand before eating and drinking.

## 9 · Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance(physical state, color, etc.): White pellet	Odor: Formaldehyde charasteristic pungent	
Odor threshold: No information available	Melting point: Melt at 120-170 ° C	
pH: 4-7 (10% solution)	Boiling point/boiling Range: No information available °C	
Flammability: Flammable solid	Flash point & method: 70 °C used: Open cup	
Decompositon temperature: No information available		
Autoignition temperature: 370 ° C	Explosion limits: No information available	
Vapor pressure: Not applicable	Vapor density: No information available	
Density: 600-800kg/m3	Solubility: (80 ° C)30gm/90ml	
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water: No information available	Evaporation rate: No information available	

## 10 Stability and Reactivity

Stability: Stable under normal conditions.

Possible Hazardous Reactions Occurring under Specific Conditions: No information available

Conditions to Avoid: Keep away from sources of ignition, heat, high temperature.

Materials to Avoid: It is explosive with potassium hydroxide, sodium hydroxide, and sodium tetrahydroaluminate since caustic alkalies deplete the inhibitor. Reacts with potassium dioxide



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2-aminophenol to form an explosive product. Reacts violently with metal halides. Forms explosive hydrogen gas with borane or lithium tetrahydroaluminate and reacts vigorously with bromine and calcium hydride+heat. Incompatible with sulfinyl choride and oxidizing materials.

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Burning may produce irritating and toxic fumes.

### 11 . Toxicological Information

Routes of exposure(inhalation, ingestion, skin and eye contact): Inhalation,ingestion,skin and eye

contact

Symptoms: No information available

Acute toxicity: Rat oral LD50(mg/kg):1468

Chronic Toxicity or delayed Toxicity: No information available

## 12 · Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity: No information available

Persistence and degradability: No information available

Bioaccumulative potential: No information available

Mobility in soil: No information available

other adverse effect: Cause eye and skin irritation, may cause central nervous system depression

### 13 · Disposal Considerations

Recommended Methods for Safe and Environmentally Preferred Disposal: dispose in a safe manner in accordance with local/national regulation

### 14 · Transport Information

UN number: 2213

UN proper shipping name: No information available

Transport hazard class: No information available

Packing group: Packing Group III

Marine pollution: No information available

Specific precautionary transport measures and conditions: Hazard labels:4.Flammable solids

### 15 · Regulatory Information

Applicable Regulations: 1.Labor regulations

2.Dangerous and harzadous chemicals warning label regulations