

## **Safety Data Sheet**

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This Safety Data Sheet has been prepared in accordance with the SS586 Specification for Hazard Communication for Hazardous Chemicals and Dangerous Goods.

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## **SECTION 1: Identification**

#### 1.1. Product identifier

3M<sup>™</sup> Hot Melt Adhesive 3748PG, 3748TC, 3748Q, 3748B Off-White

#### **Product Identification Numbers**

| 62-3748-7230-7 | 62-3748-7231-5 | 62-3748-7232-3 | 62-3748-9132-3 | 62-3748-9330-3 |
|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| 62-3748-9334-5 | 62-3748-9335-2 | 62-3748-9337-8 | 62-3748-9339-4 | 62-3748-9830-2 |
| 62-3748-9836-9 |                |                |                |                |

#### 1.2. Recommended use and restrictions on use

#### Recommended use

Adhesive, Hot-melt adhesive

#### 1.3. Supplier's details

| Address:   | 3M Technologies (S) Pte Ltd, 10 Ang Mo Kio Street 65, Singapore 569059 |
|------------|--|
| Telephone: | +65 6450 8888  |
| Website:   | www.3m.com.sg  |

#### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

+65 6591 6601 (8.15am - 5.00pm, Monday - Friday)

## **SECTION 2: Hazard identification**

#### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

This product is not classified as hazardous per GHS criteria as implemented by Singapore Standard SS586.

**2.2. Label elements SIGNAL WORD** Not applicable.

**Symbols** Not applicable.

**Pictograms** Not applicable.

#### 2.3. Other hazards

May cause thermal burns. 3M Avoid contact with hot extruded material or applicator tip. Avoid direct eye exposure to vapours. 3M In case of skin contact with molten material, immediately flush with cold water and cover with a clean dressing. Do not attempt to remove adhesive. Have burn treated by a medical doctor.

## **SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

This material is a mixture.

| Ingredient                 | CAS Nbr      | % by Wt |  |
|----------------------------|--------------|---------|--|
| Polypropylene              | 9003-07-0    | 15 - 40 |  |
| Hydrocarbon resin          | Trade Secret | 10 - 30 |  |
| Styrene-Butadiene Polymer  | Trade Secret | 10 - 30 |  |
| Ethylene-Propylene Polymer | 9010-79-1    | 1 - 25  |  |
| Polyethylene               | 9002-88-4    | 1 - 25  |  |
| Polyolefin Wax             | 8002-74-2    | 5 - 10  |  |

## **SECTION 4: First aid measures**

#### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

#### Inhalation

No need for first aid is anticipated. If symptoms develop, remove the affected person to fresh air. Get medical attention.

#### Skin contact

Immediately flush skin with large amounts of cold water for at least 15 minutes. DO NOT ATTEMPT TO REMOVE MOLTEN MATERIAL. Cover affected area with a clean dressing. Get immediate medical attention.

#### Eye contact

Immediately flush eyes with large amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. DO NOT ATTEMPT TO REMOVE MOLTEN MATERIAL. Get immediate medical attention.

#### If swallowed

Do not induce vomiting. Rinse mouth. If you feel unwell, get medical attention.

#### 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

No critical symptoms or effects. See Section 11.1, information on toxicological effects.

#### 4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment required

Not applicable

## **SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures**

#### 5.1. Suitable extinguishing media

Material will not burn. In case of fire: Use a fire fighting agent suitable for ordinary combustible material such as water or foam to extinguish. Use a fire fighting agent suitable for the surrounding fire.

#### 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

None inherent in this product.

#### **Hazardous Decomposition or By-Products**

Substance Carbon monoxide. Carbon dioxide. Oxides of nitrogen. <u>Condition</u>

During combustion. During combustion. During combustion.

## 5.3. Special protective actions for fire-fighters

Wear full protective clothing, including helmet, self-contained, positive pressure or pressure demand breathing apparatus, bunker coat and pants, bands around arms, waist and legs, face mask, and protective covering for exposed areas of the head.

## **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

## 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Ventilate the area with fresh air. Observe precautions from other sections.

## 6.2. Environmental precautions

Avoid release to the environment.

## 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Collect as much of the spilled material as possible. Place in a closed container approved for transportation by appropriate authorities. Clean up residue. Seal the container. Dispose of collected material as soon as possible in accordance with applicable local/regional/national/international regulations.

## **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

## 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Avoid skin contact with hot material. For industrial/occupational use only. Not for consumer sale or use.

## 7.2. Conditions for safe storage including any incompatibilities

No special storage requirements.

## **SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

## 8.1 Control parameters

## **Occupational exposure limits**

If a component is disclosed in section 3 but does not appear in the table below, an occupational exposure limit is not available for the component.

| Ingredient     | CAS Nbr   | Agency         | Limit type              | Additional comments |
|----------------|-----------|----------------|-------------------------|---------------------|
| Polyolefin Wax | 8002-74-2 | ACGIH          | TWA(as fume):2 mg/m3    |                     |
| Polyolefin Wax | 8002-74-2 | Singapore PELs | TWA(as fume)(8 hours):2 |                     |
|                |           |                | mg/m3                   |                     |

ACGIH : American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

AIHA : American Industrial Hygiene Association

CMRG : Chemical Manufacturer's Recommended Guidelines

Singapore PELs : Singapore. Workplace Safety and Health (Permissible Exposure Levels of Toxic Substances) Order

TWA: Time-Weighted-Average

STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit

CEIL: Ceiling

## 8.2. Exposure controls

## 8.2.1. Engineering controls

No engineering controls required.

## 8.2.2. Personal protective equipment (PPE)

## Eye/face protection

Select and use eye/face protection to prevent contact based on the results of an exposure assessment. The following eye/face protection(s) are recommended: Full face shield.

Indirect vented goggles.

#### **Skin/hand protection**

No chemical protective gloves are required.

#### **Respiratory protection**

None required.

#### Thermal hazards

Wear heat insulating gloves, indirect vented goggles, and a full face shield when handling hot material to prevent thermal burns.

## **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

#### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

| Thior mation on basic physical and chemical properties |   |  |  |  |
|--|---|--|--|--|
| Physical state   | Solid.  |  |  |  |
| Specific Physical Form:                                | Waxy Solid  |  |  |  |
|  |   |  |  |  |
| Color  | Off-White   |  |  |  |
| Odor   | Mild Resinous   |  |  |  |
| Odour threshold  | No data available.  |  |  |  |
| рН   | Not applicable.   |  |  |  |
| Melting point/Freezing point                           | No data available.  |  |  |  |
| Boiling point/Initial boiling point/Boiling range      | Not applicable.   |  |  |  |
| Flash point  | 280 °C [Test Method:Cleveland Open Cup]                   |  |  |  |
| Evaporation rate                                       | Not applicable.   |  |  |  |
| Flammability (solid, gas)                              | Not classified  |  |  |  |
| Flammable Limits(LEL)                                  | Not applicable.   |  |  |  |
| Flammable Limits(UEL)                                  | Not applicable.   |  |  |  |
| Vapor Density and/or Relative Vapor Density            | Nil   |  |  |  |
| Density  | 0.92 - 0.94 g/cm3   |  |  |  |
| Relative density                                       | 0.92 - 0.94 [ <i>Ref Std</i> :WATER=1]                    |  |  |  |
| Water solubility                                       | Nil   |  |  |  |
| Solubility- non-water                                  | No data available.  |  |  |  |
| Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water                 | No data available.  |  |  |  |
| Autoignition temperature                               | 330 °C  |  |  |  |
| Decomposition temperature                              | No data available.  |  |  |  |
| Viscosity/Kinematic Viscosity                          | 4,000 - 6,000 mPa-s [@ 190 °C ]                           |  |  |  |
| Volatile organic compounds (VOC)                       | 0 g/l [Test Method:calculated SCAQMD rule 443.1]          |  |  |  |
| Percent volatile                                       | 0 % weight  |  |  |  |
| VOC less H2O & exempt solvents                         | 0 g/l [ <i>Test Method</i> :calculated SCAQMD rule 443.1] |  |  |  |
| Molecular weight                                       | No data available.  |  |  |  |
| Solids content   | 100 %   |  |  |  |

## **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

#### 10.1 Reactivity

This material is considered to be non reactive under normal use conditions

#### 10.2 Chemical stability

Stable.

### **10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions**

Hazardous polymerisation will not occur.

## **10.4 Conditions to avoid**

None known.

#### **10.5 Incompatible materials** None known.

## 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Substance None known. **Condition** 

Refer to section 5.2 for hazardous decomposition products during combustion.

## **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

The information below may not be consistent with the material classification in Section 2 if specific ingredient classifications are mandated by a competent authority. In addition, toxicological data on ingredients may not be reflected in the material classification and/or the signs and symptoms of exposure, because an ingredient may be present below the threshold for labelling, an ingredient may not be available for exposure, or the data may not be relevant to the material as a whole.

**11.1 Information on Toxicological effects** 

Signs and Symptoms of Exposure

Based on test data and/or information on the components, this material may produce the following health effects:

#### Inhalation

No health effects are expected.

#### Skin contact

During heating: Thermal Burns: Signs/symptoms may include intense pain, redness and swelling, and tissue destruction.

#### Eye contact

During heating: Thermal Burns: Signs/symptoms may include severe pain, redness and swelling, and tissue destruction.

#### Ingestion

No known health effects.

#### **Toxicological Data**

If a component is disclosed in section 3 but does not appear in a table below, either no data are available for that endpoint or the data are not sufficient for classification.

#### Acute Toxicity

| Name              | Route     | Species                           | Value  |
|-------------------|-----------|-----------------------------------|--|
| Overall product   | Dermal    |                                   | No data available; calculated ATE >5,000 mg/kg |
| Overall product   | Ingestion |                                   | No data available; calculated ATE >5,000 mg/kg |
| Polypropylene     | Dermal    |                                   | LD50 estimated to be > 5,000 mg/kg             |
| Polypropylene     | Ingestion | Mouse                             | LD50 > 8,000 mg/kg                             |
| Hydrocarbon resin | Dermal    | Professio<br>nal<br>judgeme<br>nt | LD50 estimated to be > 5,000 mg/kg             |
| Hydrocarbon resin | Ingestion | Professio<br>nal                  | LD50 7,000 mg/kg                               |

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|                            |           | judgeme<br>nt |                                    |
|----------------------------|-----------|---------------|------------------------------------|
| Ethylene-Propylene Polymer | Dermal    | Rabbit        | LD50 > 2,000 mg/kg                 |
| Ethylene-Propylene Polymer | Ingestion | Rat           | LD50 > 5,000 mg/kg                 |
| Styrene-Butadiene Polymer  | Dermal    |               | LD50 estimated to be > 5,000 mg/kg |
| Styrene-Butadiene Polymer  | Ingestion |               | LD50 estimated to be > 5,000 mg/kg |
| Polyethylene               | Dermal    |               | LD50 estimated to be > 5,000 mg/kg |
| Polyethylene               | Ingestion | Rat           | LD50 > 2,000 mg/kg                 |
| Polyolefin Wax             | Dermal    | Rat           | LD50 > 5,000 mg/kg                 |
| Polyolefin Wax             | Ingestion | Rat           | LD50 > 5,000 mg/kg                 |

ATE = acute toxicity estimate

#### Skin Corrosion/Irritation

| Name                       | Species   | Value                     |
|----------------------------|-----------|---------------------------|
|                            |           |                           |
| Polypropylene              | Human     | No significant irritation |
|                            | and       |                           |
|                            | animal    |                           |
| Hydrocarbon resin          | Professio | No significant irritation |
|                            | nal       |                           |
|                            | judgemen  |                           |
|                            | t         |                           |
| Ethylene-Propylene Polymer | Rabbit    | No significant irritation |
| Polyethylene               | Professio | No significant irritation |
|                            | nal       |                           |
|                            | judgemen  |                           |
|                            | t         |                           |
| Polyolefin Wax             | Rabbit    | No significant irritation |

### Serious Eye Damage/Irritation

| Name                       | Species                           | Value                     |
|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------|
| Polypropylene              | Professio<br>nal<br>judgemen<br>t | No significant irritation |
| Ethylene-Propylene Polymer | Rabbit                            | No significant irritation |
| Polyolefin Wax             | Rabbit                            | No significant irritation |

#### Sensitization:

#### **Skin Sensitisation**

| Name           | Species                | Value          |
|----------------|------------------------|----------------|
| Polypropylene  | Human<br>and<br>animal | Not classified |
| Polyolefin Wax | Guinea<br>pig          | Not classified |

#### **Respiratory Sensitisation**

For the component/components, either no data are currently available or the data are not sufficient for classification.

#### Germ Cell Mutagenicity

| Name              | Route    | Value         |
|-------------------|----------|---------------|
|                   |          |               |
| Polypropylene     | In Vitro | Not mutagenic |
| Hydrocarbon resin | In Vitro | Not mutagenic |
| Polyolefin Wax    | In Vitro | Not mutagenic |

### Carcinogenicity

| Name           | Route             | Species                       | Value  |
|----------------|-------------------|-------------------------------|--|
| Polypropylene  | Not               | Rat                           | Some positive data exist, but the data are not                               |
|                | specified.        |                               | sufficient for classification  |
| Polyethylene   | Not<br>specified. | Multiple<br>animal<br>species | Some positive data exist, but the data are not sufficient for classification |
| Polyolefin Wax | Ingestion         | Rat                           | Not carcinogenic   |

#### **Reproductive Toxicity**

#### **Reproductive and/or Developmental Effects**

For the component/components, either no data are currently available or the data are not sufficient for classification.

#### Target Organ(s)

#### **Specific Target Organ Toxicity - single exposure**

For the component/components, either no data are currently available or the data are not sufficient for classification.

| Name           | Route     | Target Organ(s)  | Value  | Species | Test result                 | Exposure<br>Duration |
|----------------|-----------|--|--|---------|-----------------------------|----------------------|
| Polyolefin Wax | Ingestion | heart  | Some positive data exist, but the data are not sufficient for classification | Rat     | NOAEL 15<br>mg/kg/day       | 90 days              |
| Polyolefin Wax | Ingestion | hematopoietic<br>system   liver  <br>immune system  <br>skin   endocrine<br>system   bone, teeth,<br>nails, and/or hair  <br>muscles   nervous<br>system   eyes  <br>kidney and/or<br>bladder   respiratory<br>system   vascular<br>system | Not classified   | Rat     | NOAEL<br>1,500<br>mg/kg/day | 90 days              |

#### Specific Target Organ Toxicity - repeated exposure

#### **Aspiration Hazard**

For the component/components, either no data are currently available or the data are not sufficient for classification.

# Please contact the address or phone number listed on the first page of the SDS for additional toxicological information on this material and/or its components.

## **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

The information below may not be consistent with the material classification in Section 2 if specific ingredient classifications are mandated by a competent authority. Additional information leading to material classification in Section 2 is available upon request. In addition, environmental fate and effects data on ingredients may not be reflected in this section because an ingredient is present below the threshold for labelling, an ingredient is not expected to be available for exposure, or the data is considered not relevant to the material as a whole.

#### 12.1. Toxicity

#### Acute aquatic hazard:

Not acutely toxic to aquatic life by GHS criteria.

#### **Chronic aquatic hazard:**

Not chronically toxic to aquatic life by GHS criteria.

No product test data available.

| Material                      | CAS Nbr      | Organism      | Туре  | Exposure | Test endpoint | Test result  |
|-------------------------------|--------------|---------------|---|----------|---------------|--------------|
| Polypropylene                 | 9003-07-0    | N/A           | Data not available<br>or insufficient for<br>classification | N/A      | N/A           | N/A          |
| Hydrocarbon resin             | Trade Secret | N/A           | Data not available<br>or insufficient for<br>classification | N/A      | N/A           | N/A          |
| Styrene-Butadiene<br>Polymer  | Trade Secret | N/A           | Data not available<br>or insufficient for<br>classification | N/A      | N/A           | N/A          |
| Ethylene-Propylene<br>Polymer | 9010-79-1    | N/A           | Data not available<br>or insufficient for<br>classification | N/A      | N/A           | N/A          |
| Polyethylene                  | 9002-88-4    | N/A           | Data not available<br>or insufficient for<br>classification | N/A      | N/A           | N/A          |
| Polyolefin Wax                | 8002-74-2    | Green algae   | Analogous<br>Compound                                       | 96 hours | EC50          | >1,000 mg/l  |
| Polyolefin Wax                | 8002-74-2    | Rainbow trout | Analogous<br>Compound                                       | 96 hours | LC50          | >1,000 mg/l  |
| Polyolefin Wax                | 8002-74-2    | Water flea    | Analogous<br>Compound                                       | 48 hours | EC50          | >10,000 mg/l |

## 12.2. Persistence and degradability

| Material                      | CAS Nbr      | Test type                               | Duration | Study Type | Test result  | Protocol                               |
|-------------------------------|--------------|---|----------|------------|--------------|--|
|                               |              |   |          |            |              |  |
| Polypropylene                 | 9003-07-0    | Data not<br>available-<br>insufficient  | N/A      | N/A        | N/A          | N/A                                    |
| Hydrocarbon resin             | Trade Secret | Data not<br>available-<br>insufficient  | N/A      | N/A        | N/A          | N/A                                    |
| Styrene-Butadiene<br>Polymer  | Trade Secret | Data not<br>available-<br>insufficient  | N/A      | N/A        | N/A          | N/A                                    |
| Ethylene-Propylene<br>Polymer | 9010-79-1    | Data not<br>available-<br>insufficient  | N/A      | N/A        | N/A          | N/A                                    |
| Polyethylene                  | 9002-88-4    | Data not<br>available-<br>insufficient  | N/A      | N/A        | N/A          | N/A                                    |
| Polyolefin Wax                | 8002-74-2    | Analogous<br>Compound<br>Biodegradation | 28 days  | BOD        | 40 %BOD/ThOD | OECD 301F - Manometric<br>respirometry |

## 12.3 : Bioaccumulative potential

| Material                      | CAS Nbr      | Test type   | Duration | Study Type | Test result | Protocol |
|-------------------------------|--------------|---|----------|------------|-------------|----------|
| Polypropylene                 | 9003-07-0    | Data not available<br>or insufficient for<br>classification | N/A      | N/A        | N/A         | N/A      |
| Hydrocarbon resin             | Trade Secret | Data not available<br>or insufficient for<br>classification | N/A      | N/A        | N/A         | N/A      |
| Styrene-Butadiene<br>Polymer  | Trade Secret | Data not available<br>or insufficient for<br>classification | N/A      | N/A        | N/A         | N/A      |
| Ethylene-Propylene<br>Polymer | 9010-79-1    | Data not available<br>or insufficient for                   | N/A      | N/A        | N/A         | N/A      |

|                |           | classification      |     |         |      |                       |
|----------------|-----------|---------------------|-----|---------|------|-----------------------|
| Polyethylene   | 9002-88-4 | Data not available  | N/A | N/A     | N/A  | N/A                   |
|                |           | or insufficient for |     |         |      |                       |
|                |           | classification      |     |         |      |                       |
| Polyolefin Wax | 8002-74-2 | Modeled             |     | Log Kow | 10.2 | Episuite <sup>™</sup> |
|                |           | Bioconcentration    |     |         |      |                       |

#### 12.4. Mobility in soil

Please contact manufacturer for more details

#### 12.5 Other adverse effects

No information available.

## **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

#### 13.1. Disposal methods

Dispose of contents/ container in accordance with the local/regional/national/international regulations.

Prior to disposal, consult all applicable authorities and regulations to insure proper classification. Dispose of waste product in a permitted industrial waste facility. As a disposal alternative, incinerate in a permitted waste incineration facility. Proper destruction may require the use of additional fuel during incineration processes. If no other disposal options are available, waste product may be placed in a landfill properly designed for industrial waste.

## **SECTION 14: Transport Information**

#### **International Regulations**

UN No.: Not restricted for transport. UN Proper shipping name: Not restricted for transport.

Transportation Class (IMO): None assignedTransportation Class (IATA): None assignedOther Dangerous Goods Descriptions (IMO): None assignedOther Dangerous Goods Descriptions (IATA): None assignedPacking Group: None assignedMarine pollutant: None assigned

## **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

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

#### **Global inventory status**

Contact 3M for more information. The components of this material are in compliance with the provisions of the Korea Chemical Control Act. Certain restrictions may apply. Contact the selling division for additional information. The components of this material are in compliance with the provisions of Australia National Industrial Chemical Notification and Assessment Scheme (NICNAS). Certain restrictions may apply. Contact the selling division for additional information. The components of this material are in compliance with the provisions of Japan Chemical Substance Control Law. Certain restrictions may apply. Contact the selling division for additional information. The components of this material are in compliance with the provisions of Japan Chemical Substance Control Law. Certain restrictions may apply. Contact the selling division for additional information. The components of this material are in compliance with the provisions of Philippines RA 6969 requirements. Certain restrictions may apply. Contact the selling division for additional information. The components of CEPA. This product complies with Measures on Environmental Management of New Chemical Substances. All ingredients are listed on or exempt from on China IECSC inventory. The components of this product are in compliance with the chemical notification requirements of TSCA. All required components of this product are listed on the active portion of the TSCA Inventory.

#### This product may contain component(s) that are regulated by the following:

Workplace Safety and Health Act & Workplace Safety and Health (General Provisions) Regulations: this product is subject to SDS, labelling, PEL and other requirements in the Act/Regulations.

Fire Safety (Petroleum and Flammable Materials) Regulations: This product is subject to the requirements in the Regulations Environmental Public Health Act and Environmental Public Health (General Waste Collection) Regulations: This product is subject to the requirements in the act/regulation.

## **SECTION 16: Other information**

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