



Safety Data Sheet

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SECTION 1: Identification

1.1. Product identifier

3M™ VFlex™ 1804 / 1804s Health Care Particulate Respirator and Surgical Mask

Product Identification Numbers

70-0716-7695-4 70-0716-7696-2

1.2. Recommended use and restrictions on use

Recommended use

Respiratory Protection

1.3. Supplier's details

Address: 3M Australia - Building A, 1 Rivett Road, North Ryde NSW 2113
Telephone: 136 136
E Mail: productinfo.au@mmm.com
Website: www.3m.com.au

1.4. Emergency telephone number

EMERGENCY: 1800 097 146 (Australia only)

SECTION 2: Hazard identification

This product is NOT classified as a hazardous chemical according to the Model Work Health and Safety Regulations, 2011, in accordance with applicable State and Territory legislation.

This product is an article and is not regulated by the Model Work Health and Safety Regulations (2011) because, it is not classified as hazardous. When used as recommended or under ordinary conditions, it should not present a health and safety hazard. However, use or processing of the product not in accordance with the product's recommendations or not under ordinary conditions may affect the performance of the product and may present potential health and safety hazards.

Refer to Section 14 of this Safety Data Sheets for product Dangerous Goods Classification.

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Not applicable.

2.2. Label elements

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Signal word

Not applicable.

Symbols

Not applicable.

Pictograms

Not applicable.

2.3. Other assigned/identified product hazards

None known.

2.4. Other hazards which do not result in classification

None known.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

This material is a mixture.

Ingredient	CAS Nbr	% by Weight
Polypropylene	9003-07-0	50 - 85
Polyisoprene	None	15 - 25
Aluminium.	None	5 - 15
CADMIUM-FREE STEEL	None	4 - 10
ADHESIVE	None	0.1 - 1
BLACK INK	None	0 - 0.1

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

Inhalation

No need for first aid is anticipated.

Skin contact

Wash with soap and water. If signs/symptoms develop, get medical attention.

Eye contact

Flush with large amounts of water. Remove contact lenses if easy to do. Continue rinsing. If signs/symptoms persist, get medical attention.

If swallowed

No need for first aid is anticipated.

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

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

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In case of fire: Use a fire fighting agent suitable for ordinary combustible material such as water or foam to extinguish.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

None inherent in this product.

Hazardous Decomposition or By-Products

<u>Substance</u>	<u>Condition</u>
Carbon monoxide.	During combustion.
Carbon dioxide.	During combustion.

5.3. Special protective actions for fire-fighters

No special protective actions for fire-fighters are anticipated.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Not applicable. Ventilate the area with fresh air.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Not applicable. Avoid release to the environment.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Not applicable. Sweep up. Vacuum or sweep up. Warning: A motor could be an ignition source and cause flammable gases or vapours or dust in the spill area to burn or explode. Seal the container.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

This product is considered to be an article which does not release or otherwise result in exposure to a hazardous chemical under normal use conditions.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage including any incompatibilities

Not applicable.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1 Control parameters

Occupational exposure limits

No occupational exposure limit values exist for any of the components listed in Section 3 of this Safety Data Sheet.

8.2. Exposure controls

8.2.1. Engineering controls

No engineering controls required.

8.2.2. Personal protective equipment (PPE)

Eye/face protection

Eye protection not required.

Skin/hand protection

No chemical protective gloves are required.

Respiratory protection

Respiratory protection is not required.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	Solid.
Appearance/Odour	Flat fold respirator with white coverweb
Odour threshold	<i>Not applicable.</i>
pH	<i>Not applicable.</i>
Melting point/Freezing point	<i>No data available.</i>
Boiling point/Initial boiling point/Boiling range	<i>Not applicable.</i>
Flash point	<i>Not applicable.</i>
Evaporation rate	<i>Not applicable.</i>
Flammability (solid, gas)	Not classified
Flammable Limits(LEL)	<i>Not applicable.</i>
Flammable Limits(UEL)	<i>Not applicable.</i>
Vapour pressure	<i>Not applicable.</i>
Vapour density	<i>Not applicable.</i>
Relative density	<i>No data available.</i>
Water solubility	<i>Not applicable.</i>
Solubility- non-water	<i>Not applicable.</i>
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	<i>No data available.</i>
Autoignition temperature	<i>Not applicable.</i>
Decomposition temperature	<i>Not applicable.</i>
Viscosity	<i>Not applicable.</i>
Volatile organic compounds (VOC)	<i>Not applicable.</i>
Percent volatile	<i>Not applicable.</i>
VOC less H2O & exempt solvents	<i>Not applicable.</i>

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. Conditions to avoid

None known.

10.4. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous polymerisation will not occur.

10.5 Incompatible materials

None known.

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

<u>Substance</u>	<u>Condition</u>
None known.	

Under recommended usage conditions, hazardous decomposition products are not expected. Hazardous decomposition products may occur as a result of oxidation, heating, or reaction with another material.

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. No known health effects.

Skin contact

No health effects are expected. Contact with the skin during product use is not expected to result in significant irritation.

Eye contact

No health effects are expected. Contact with the eyes during product use is not expected to result in significant irritation.

Ingestion

No health effects are expected. No known health effects.

Additional information:

This product, when used under reasonable conditions and in accordance with the directions for use, should not present a health hazard. However, use or processing of the product in a manner not in accordance with the product's directions for use may affect the performance of the product and may present potential health and safety hazards.

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
Polypropylene	Dermal		LD50 estimated to be > 5,000 mg/kg
Polypropylene	Ingestion	Mouse	LD50 > 8,000 mg/kg

ATE = acute toxicity estimate

Skin Corrosion/Irritation

Name	Species	Value
Polypropylene	Human and animal	No significant irritation

Serious Eye Damage/Irritation

Name	Species	Value
Polypropylene	Professional judgement	No significant irritation

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Skin Sensitisation

Name	Species	Value
Polypropylene	Human and animal	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

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

Carcinogenicity

Name	Route	Species	Value
Polypropylene	Not specified.	Rat	Some positive data exist, but the data are not sufficient for classification

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.

Specific Target Organ Toxicity - repeated exposure

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

Aspiration Hazard

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

Exposure Levels

Refer Section 8.1 Control Parameters of this Safety Data Sheet.

Interactive Effects

Not determined.

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.

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Material	CAS Number	Organism	Type	Exposure	Test endpoint	Test result
Polypropylene	9003-07-0		Data not available or insufficient for classification			

12.2. Persistence and degradability

Material	CAS Number	Test type	Duration	Study Type	Test result	Protocol
Polypropylene	9003-07-0	Data not available or insufficient for classification	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

12.3 : Bioaccumulative potential

Material	CAS Number	Test type	Duration	Study Type	Test result	Protocol
Polypropylene	9003-07-0	Data not available or insufficient for classification	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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.

SECTION 14: Transport Information**Australian Dangerous Goods Code (ADG) - Road/Rail Transport**

UN No.: Not applicable.

Proper shipping name: Not applicable.

Class/Division: Not applicable.

Sub Risk: Not applicable.

Packing Group: Not applicable.

Hazchem Code: Not applicable

IERG: Not applicable.

International Air Transport Association (IATA) - Air Transport

UN No.: Not applicable.

Proper shipping name: Not applicable.

Class/Division: Not applicable.

Sub Risk: Not applicable.

Packing Group: Not applicable.

International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code (IMDG)- Marine Transport

UN No.: Not applicable.

Proper shipping name: Not applicable.

Class/Division: Not applicable.

Sub Risk: Not applicable.

Packing Group: Not applicable.

Marine Pollutant: Not applicable.

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

Australian Inventory Status:

This product is defined as an article under the Industrial Chemicals (Notification and Assessment) Act 1989, as amended, and is exempt from inventory requirements under the Industrial Chemicals (Notification and Assessment) Act 1989 as amended.

Poison Schedule: This product is an article therefore the Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons Schedule is not applicable.

SECTION 16: Other information

Revision information:

Initial issue.

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