



Safety Data Sheet

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This Safety Data Sheet has been prepared in accordance with the REACH Regulation (EC) 1907/2006 and its modifications.

SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1. Product identifier

3M™ Dyneon™ PTFE Compound TFM 4215

Product Identification Numbers

95-0000-1630-3

7000006260

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

Identified uses

Custom Compound

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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1.4. Emergency telephone number

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SECTION 2: Hazard identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

CLP REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008

CLASSIFICATION:

This material is not classified as hazardous according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008, as amended, on classification, labelling, and packaging of substances and mixtures.

2.2. Label elements

CLP REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008

Not applicable

2.3. Other hazards

May cause thermal burns.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**3.1. Substances**

Not applicable

3.2. Mixtures

Ingredient	Identifier(s)	%	Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]
Ethene, 1,1,2,2-tetrafluoro-, homopolymer	(CAS-No.) 9002-84-0	60 - 100	Substance not classified as hazardous
Graphite	(CAS-No.) 7782-42-5 (EC-No.) 231-955-3	0 - 40	Substance with a national occupational exposure limit

Please see section 16 for the full text of any H statements referred to in this section

For information on ingredient occupational exposure limits or PBT or vPvB status, see sections 8 and 12 of this SDS

SECTION 4: First aid measures**4.1. Description of first aid measures****Inhalation**

Remove person to fresh air. If you feel unwell, 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

No need for first aid is anticipated.

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. Extinguishing media**

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

Exposure to extreme heat can give rise to thermal decomposition.

5.3. Advice for fire-fighters

When fire fighting conditions are severe and total thermal decomposition of the product is possible, wear full protective clothing, including helmet, self-contained, positive pressure or pressure demand breathing apparatus, tunic and trousers (leggings), 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. Use wet sweeping compound or water to avoid dusting. Sweep up. 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.

6.4. Reference to other sections

Refer to Section 8 and Section 13 for more information

SECTION 7: Handling and storage**7.1. Precautions for safe handling**

Avoid breathing of vapours created during the cure cycle. Avoid inhalation of thermal decomposition products. Avoid skin contact with hot material. For industrial/occupational use only. Not for consumer sale or use. Store work clothes separately from other clothing, food and tobacco products. Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash thoroughly after handling. No smoking: Smoking while using this product can result in contamination of the tobacco and/or smoke and lead to the formation of hazardous decomposition products.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage including any incompatibilities

Store away from heat.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

See information in Section 7.1 and 7.2 for handling and storage recommendations. See Section 8 for exposure controls and personal protection recommendations.

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
Carbon	7782-42-5	UK HSC	TWA(as respirable dust):4 mg/m ³ ;TWA(as inhalable dust):10 mg/m ³	

UK HSC : UK Health and Safety Commission
TWA: Time-Weighted-Average
STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit

CEIL: Ceiling

Biological limit values

No biological limit values exist for any of the components listed in Section 3 of this safety data sheet.

Recommended monitoring procedures: Information on recommended monitoring procedures can be obtained from UK HSC

8.2. Exposure controls

8.2.1. Engineering controls

Provide ventilated enclosure for heat curing. Curing enclosures must be exhausted to outdoors or to a suitable emission control device. For those situations where the material might be exposed to extreme overheating due to misuse or equipment failure, use with appropriate local exhaust ventilation sufficient to maintain levels of thermal decomposition products below their exposure guidelines. Use general dilution ventilation and/or local exhaust ventilation to control airborne exposures to below relevant Exposure Limits and/or control dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray. If ventilation is not adequate, use respiratory protection equipment.

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.

Applicable Norms/Standards

Use eye/face protection conforming to EN 166

Skin/hand protection

Select and use gloves and/or protective clothing approved to relevant local standards to prevent skin contact based on the results of an exposure assessment. Selection should be based on use factors such as exposure levels, concentration of the substance or mixture, frequency and duration, physical challenges such as temperature extremes, and other use conditions. Consult with your glove and/or protective clothing manufacturer for selection of appropriate compatible gloves/protective clothing.

Gloves made from the following material(s) are recommended:

Material	Thickness (mm)	Breakthrough Time
Nitrile rubber.	No data available	No data available

Applicable Norms/Standards

Use gloves tested to EN 374

If this product is used in a manner that presents a higher potential for exposure (eg. spraying, high splash potential etc.), then use of protective coveralls may be necessary. Select and use body protection to prevent contact based on the results of an exposure assessment. The following protective clothing material(s) are recommended: Apron – Nitrile

Respiratory protection

An exposure assessment may be needed to decide if a respirator is required. If a respirator is needed, use respirators as part of a full respiratory protection program. Based on the results of the exposure assessment, select from the following respirator type(s) to reduce inhalation exposure:

During heating:

Use a positive pressure supplied-air respirator if there is a potential for over exposure from an uncontrolled release, exposure levels are not known, or under any other circumstances where air-purifying respirators may not provide

adequate protection.

Half facepiece or full facepiece air-purifying respirator suitable for particulates

For questions about suitability for a specific application, consult with your respirator manufacturer.

Applicable Norms/Standards

Use a respirator conforming to EN 140 or EN 136: filter type P

Thermal hazards

Wear heat insulating gloves when handling hot material to prevent thermal burns.

Applicable Norms/Standards

Use gloves tested to EN 407

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	Solid.
Specific Physical Form:	Powder
Colour	Black, Grey
Odor	Odourless
Odour threshold	<i>No data available.</i>
Melting point/freezing point	<i>Not applicable.</i>
Boiling point/boiling range	<i>Not applicable.</i>
Flammability (solid, gas)	Not classified
Flammable Limits(LEL)	<i>Not applicable.</i>
Flammable Limits(UEL)	<i>Not applicable.</i>
Flash point	No flash point
Autoignition temperature	<i>Not applicable.</i>
Decomposition temperature	<i>No data available.</i>
pH	<i>substance/mixture is non-soluble (in water)</i>
Kinematic Viscosity	<i>Not applicable.</i>
Water solubility	Negligible
Solubility- non-water	<i>No data available.</i>
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	<i>No data available.</i>
Vapour pressure	<i>Not applicable.</i>
Density	1.8 - 2.2 g/cm ³
Relative density	1.8 - 2.2 [Ref Std: WATER=1]
Relative Vapor Density	<i>Not applicable.</i>

9.2. Other information

9.2.2 Other safety characteristics

EU Volatile Organic Compounds	<i>No data available.</i>
Evaporation rate	<i>Not applicable.</i>
Molecular weight	<i>No data available.</i>
Percent volatile	<i>Not applicable.</i>

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1 Reactivity

This material may be reactive with certain agents under certain conditions - see the remaining headings in this section

10.2 Chemical stability

Stable.

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous polymerisation will not occur.

10.4 Conditions to avoid

Not determined

10.5 Incompatible materials

Alkali and alkaline earth metals.

Reactions with metals in powder form occur from 370 °C onwards.

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

<u>Substance</u>	<u>Condition</u>
Carbonyl fluoride.	At elevated temperatures. - above 380°C
Carbon monoxide	At elevated temperatures. - above 380°C
Carbon dioxide.	At elevated temperatures. - above 380°C
Hydrogen Chloride	At elevated temperatures. - above 380°C
Hydrogen Fluoride	At elevated temperatures. - above 380°C
Perfluoroisobutylene (PFIB).	At elevated temperatures. - above 380°C
Toxic vapour, gas, particulate.	At elevated temperatures. - above 380°C

If the product is exposed to extreme conditions of heat from misuse or equipment failure, toxic decomposition products that include hydrogen fluoride and perfluoroisobutylene can occur.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

The information below may not agree with the EU material classification in Section 2 and/or the ingredient classifications in Section 3 if specific ingredient classifications are mandated by a competent authority. In addition, statements and data presented in Section 11 are based on UN GHS calculation rules and classifications derived from internal hazard assessments.

11.1. Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**Signs and Symptoms of Exposure**

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

Inhalation

Respiratory tract irritation: Signs/symptoms may include cough, sneezing, nasal discharge, headache, hoarseness, and nose and throat pain.

During heating:

Polymer fume fever: Sign/symptoms may include chest pain or tightness, shortness of breath, cough, malaise, muscle aches, increased heart rate, fever, chills, sweats, nausea and headache.

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.

Mechanical eye irritation: Signs/symptoms may include pain, redness, tearing and corneal abrasion. Vapours from heated material may cause eye irritation: Signs/symptoms may include redness, swelling, pain, tearing, and blurred or hazy vision.

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	Ingestion		No data available; calculated ATE >5,000 mg/kg
Ethene, 1,1,2,2-tetrafluoro-, homopolymer	Dermal		LD50 estimated to be > 5,000 mg/kg
Ethene, 1,1,2,2-tetrafluoro-, homopolymer	Ingestion		LD50 estimated to be > 5,000 mg/kg
Graphite	Dermal		LD50 estimated to be > 5,000 mg/kg
Graphite	Ingestion	Rat	LD50 > 2,000 mg/kg

ATE = acute toxicity estimate

Skin Corrosion/Irritation

Name	Species	Value
Ethene, 1,1,2,2-tetrafluoro-, homopolymer	Human and animal	No significant irritation
Graphite	Rabbit	No significant irritation

Serious Eye Damage/Irritation

Name	Species	Value
Ethene, 1,1,2,2-tetrafluoro-, homopolymer	Professional judgement	No significant irritation
Graphite	Rabbit	No significant irritation

Skin Sensitisation

Name	Species	Value
Ethene, 1,1,2,2-tetrafluoro-, homopolymer	Human	Not classified

Respiratory Sensitisation

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

Germ Cell Mutagenicity

Name	Route	Value
Graphite	In Vitro	Some positive data exist, but the data are not sufficient for classification

Carcinogenicity

Name	Route	Species	Value
Ethene, 1,1,2,2-tetrafluoro-, homopolymer	Not specified.	Multiple animal species	Some positive data exist, but the data are not sufficient for classification

Reproductive Toxicity**Reproductive and/or Developmental Effects**

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

Target Organ(s)**Specific Target Organ Toxicity - single exposure**

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

Specific Target Organ Toxicity - repeated exposure

Name	Route	Target Organ(s)	Value	Species	Test result	Exposure Duration
Ethene, 1,1,2,2-tetrafluoro-, homopolymer	Ingestion	hematopoietic system	Not classified	Rat	NOAEL Not available	90 days
Graphite	Inhalation	pneumoconiosis	Not classified	Human	NOAEL Not available	occupational exposure

Aspiration Hazard

For the component/components, either no data is currently available or the data is 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.

11.2. Information on other hazards

This material does not contain any substances that are assessed to be an endocrine disruptor for human health.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

The information below may not agree with the EU material classification in Section 2 and/or the ingredient classifications in Section 3 if specific ingredient classifications are mandated by a competent authority. In addition, statements and data presented in Section 12 are based on UN GHS calculation rules and classifications derived from 3M assessments.

12.1. Toxicity

No product test data available.

Material	CAS #	Organism	Type	Exposure	Test endpoint	Test result
Ethene, 1,1,2,2-tetrafluoro-, homopolymer	9002-84-0		Data not available or insufficient for classification			N/A
Graphite	7782-42-5	Activated sludge	Experimental	3 hours	NOEC	1,012.5 mg/l
Graphite	7782-42-5	Green Algae	Experimental	72 hours	EC50	>100 mg/l
Graphite	7782-42-5	Water flea	Experimental	48 hours	EC50	>100 mg/l
Graphite	7782-42-5	Zebra Fish	Experimental	96 hours	LC50	>100 mg/l
Graphite	7782-42-5	Green Algae	Experimental	72 hours	NOEC	100 mg/l

12.2. Persistence and degradability

Material	CAS Nbr	Test type	Duration	Study Type	Test result	Protocol
Ethene, 1,1,2,2-tetrafluoro-, homopolymer	9002-84-0	Data not availbl-insufficient			N/A	
Graphite	7782-42-5	Data not availbl-insufficient			N/A	

12.3 : Bioaccumulative potential

Material	Cas No.	Test type	Duration	Study Type	Test result	Protocol
Ethene, 1,1,2,2-tetrafluoro-, homopolymer	9002-84-0	Data not available or insufficient for classification	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Graphite	7782-42-5	Data not available or insufficient for classification	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

12.4. Mobility in soil

No test data available.

12.5. Results of the PBT and vPvB assessment

This material does not contain any substances that are assessed to be a PBT or vPvB

12.6. Endocrine disrupting properties

This material does not contain any substances that are assessed to be an endocrine disruptor for environmental effects

12.7. Other adverse effects

No information available.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1 Waste treatment methods

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

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. Combustion products will include halogen acid (HCl/HF/HBr). Facility must be capable of handling halogenated materials. Empty drums/barrels/containers used for transporting and handling hazardous chemicals (chemical substances/mixtures/preparations classified as Hazardous as per applicable regulations) shall be considered, stored, treated & disposed of as hazardous wastes unless otherwise defined by applicable waste regulations. Consult with the respective regulating authorities to determine the available treatment and disposal facilities.

The coding of a waste stream is based on the application of the product by the consumer. Since this is out of the control of 3M, no waste code(s) for products after use will be provided. Please refer to the European Waste Code (EWC - 2000/532/EC and amendments) to assign the correct waste code to your waste stream. Ensure national and/or regional regulations are complied with and always use a licensed waste contractor.

EU waste code (product as sold)

070215 Wastes from additives other than those mentioned in 07 02 14

SECTION 14: Transportation information

Not hazardous for transportation.

	Ground Transport (ADR)	Air Transport (IATA)	Marine Transport (IMDG)
14.1 UN number	No data available.	No Data Available	No Data Available

14.2 UN proper shipping name	No data available.	No Data Available	No Data Available
14.3 Transport hazard class(es)	No data available.	No Data Available	No Data Available
14.4 Packing group	No data available.	No Data Available	No Data Available
14.5 Environmental hazards	No data available.	No Data Available	No Data Available
14.6 Special precautions for user	Please refer to the other sections of the SDS for further information.	Please refer to the other sections of the SDS for further information.	Please refer to the other sections of the SDS for further information.
14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol 73/78 and IBC Code	No data available.	No Data Available	No Data Available
Control Temperature	No data available.	No Data Available	No Data Available
Emergency Temperature	No data available.	No Data Available	No Data Available
ADR Tunnel Code	No data available.	Not Applicable	No Data Available
ADR Classification Code	No data available.	No Data Available	No Data Available
ADR Transport Category	No data available.	No Data Available	No Data Available
ADR Multiplier	No data available.	No Data Available	No Data Available
IMDG Segregation Code	No data available.	No Data Available	No Data Available
Transport not Permitted	No data available.	No Data Available	No Data Available

Please contact the address or phone number listed on the first page of the SDS for additional information on the transport/shipment of the material by rail (RID) or inland waterways (ADN).

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

Carcinogenicity

Ingredient

Ethene, 1,1,2,2-tetrafluoro-, homopolymer

CAS Nbr

9002-84-0

Classification

Gr. 3: Not classifiable

Regulation

International Agency

15.2. Chemical Safety Assessment

A chemical safety assessment has not been carried out for this substance/mixture in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006, as amended.

SECTION 16: Other information

Revision information:

No revision information

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