

**SAFETY DATA SHEET****SECTION 1 : IDENTIFICATION**Product identifier used on the label:

Product Name: **AO420/ MA920 ACTIVATOR**  
Stock No.: IT103

Other means of identification:Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use:Chemical manufacturer address and telephone number:

Manufacturer Name: ITW Performance Polymers  
Address: 30 Endicott Street  
Danvers, MA 01923  
General Phone Number: (978) 777-1100

Emergency phone number:

Emergency Phone Number: (800) 424-9300  
CHEMTREC: For emergencies in the US, call CHEMTREC: 800-424-9300

**SECTION 2 : HAZARD(S) IDENTIFICATION**Classification of the chemical in accordance with CFR 1910.1200(d)(f):

## GHS Pictograms:



## Signal Word:

WARNING.

## GHS Class:

Organic peroxides. Type F.  
Reproductive toxicity. Category 1B.  
Eye Irritation. Category 2.  
Skin Irritation. Category 2.  
Skin Sensitization. category 1.  
Specific Target Organ Toxicity - STOT, Single Exposure SE. Category 3.

## Hazard Statements:

H242 - Heating may cause a fire.  
H360 - May damage fertility or the unborn child.  
H319 - Causes serious eye irritation.  
H315 - Causes skin irritation.  
H317 - May cause an allergic skin reaction.  
H335 - May cause respiratory irritation.

## Precautionary Statements:

P201 - Obtain special instructions before use.  
P202 - Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.  
P210 - Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. — No smoking.  
P234 - Keep only in original container.  
P235 - Keep cool.  
P240 - Ground/Bond container and receiving equipment.  
P261 - Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.  
P264 - Wash hands thoroughly after handling.  
P271 - Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.  
P272 - Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.  
P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.  
P302+P352 - IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water.  
P304+P340 - IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.  
P305+P351+P338 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.  
P308+P313 - IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.  
P312 - Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.  
P321 - P332+P313 - If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.  
P333+P313 - If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.  
P337+P313 - If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.  
P362+P364 - Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.  
P370+P378 - In case of fire: Use dry chemical, carbon dioxide to extinguish small fires. Use water for large fires.  
P403 - Store in a well-ventilated place.  
P403+P233 - Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.  
P405 - Store locked up.  
P410 - Protect from sunlight.  
P411 - Store at temperatures not exceeding ...°C/...°F.  
P420 - Store separately.  
P501 - Dispose of contents/container in accordance with Local, State, Federal and Provincial regulations.

Hazards not otherwise classified that have been identified during the classification process:

Route of Exposure: Eyes. Skin. Inhalation. Ingestion.

**Potential Health Effects:**

<b>Eye:</b>	Can cause moderate irritation, burning sensation, tearing, redness, and swelling. Overexposure may cause lacrimation, conjunctivitis, corneal damage and permanent injury.
<b>Skin:</b>	Can cause skin irritation; itching, redness, rashes, hives, burning, and swelling. Allergic reactions are possible. May cause skin sensitization, an allergic reaction, which becomes evident on reexposure to this material.
<b>Inhalation:</b>	Respiratory tract irritant. High concentration may cause dizziness, headache, and anesthetic effects.
<b>Ingestion:</b>	Causes irritation, a burning sensation of the mouth, throat and gastrointestinal tract and abdominal pain.
<b>Chronic Health Effects:</b>	Prolonged skin contact may lead to burning associated with severe reddening, swelling, and possible tissue destruction.
<b>Signs/Symptoms:</b>	Overexposure can cause headaches, dizziness, nausea, and vomiting.
<b>Target Organs:</b>	Eyes. Skin. Respiratory system. Digestive system.
<b>Aggravation of Pre-Existing Conditions:</b>	Individuals with pre-existing skin disorders, asthma, allergies or known sensitization may be more susceptible to the effects of this product.

**SECTION 3 : COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**Mixtures:

<b>Chemical Name</b>	<b>CAS#</b>	<b>Ingredient Percent</b>	<b>EC Num.</b>
Benzoyl peroxide	94-36-0	20 - 30 by weight	
Bisphenol A diglycidyl ether resin	25068-38-6	20 - 30 by weight	
Diisodecyl adipate	27178-16-1	10 - 20 by weight	
Butyl benzyl phthalate	85-68-7	10 - 20 by weight	
Styrene-ethylene/butylene-styrene block copolymer	66070-58-4	1 - 10 by weight	
Proprietary ingredient(s)	Trade Secret	20 - 30 by weight	

**SECTION 4 : FIRST AID MEASURES**Description of necessary measures:

<b>Eye Contact:</b>	Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 to 20 minutes. Ensure adequate flushing of the eyes by separating the eyelids with fingers. Get immediate medical attention.
<b>Skin Contact:</b>	Immediately wash skin with plenty of soap and water for 15 to 20 minutes, while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. Get medical attention if irritation develops or persists.
<b>Inhalation:</b>	If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration or give oxygen by trained personnel. Seek immediate medical attention.
<b>Ingestion:</b>	If swallowed, do NOT induce vomiting. Call a physician or poison control center immediately. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

**SECTION 5 : FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**Suitable and unsuitable extinguishing media:

<b>Suitable Extinguishing Media:</b>	Use carbon dioxide (CO2) or dry chemical when fighting fires involving this material.
<b>Unsuitable extinguishing media:</b>	Water or foam may cause frothing.
<b>Unusual Fire Hazards:</b>	Organic peroxides can decompose violently if heated strongly while confined. Sudden reaction and fire may result if product is mixed with an oxidizing agent.

Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters:

<b>Protective Equipment:</b>	As in any fire, wear Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA), MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.
<b>Fire Fighting Instructions:</b>	Evacuate area of unprotected personnel. Use cold water spray to cool fire exposed containers to minimize risk of rupture. Do not enter confined fire space without full protective gear. If possible, contain fire run-off water.

**SECTION 6 : ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures:

**Personal Precautions:** Evacuate area and keep unnecessary and unprotected personnel from entering the spill area.

Environmental precautions:

**Environmental Precautions:** Avoid runoff into storm sewers, ditches, and waterways.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up:

**Spill Cleanup Measures:** Absorb spill with inert material (e.g., dry sand or earth), then place in a chemical waste container. Provide ventilation. Clean up spills immediately observing precautions in the protective equipment section. After removal, flush spill area with soap and water to remove trace residue. Avoid personal contact and breathing vapors or mists. Ventilate area. Use proper personal protective equipment as listed in Section 8.

Reference to other sections:

**Other Precautions:** Pump or shovel to storage/salvage vessels.

## SECTION 7 : HANDLING and STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling:

**Handling:** Use with adequate ventilation. Avoid breathing vapor, aerosol or mist.

**Hygiene Practices:** Wash thoroughly after handling.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities:

**Storage:** Store in a cool, dry, well ventilated area away from sources of heat and incompatible materials. Keep container tightly closed when not in use. Do not store in temperatures above 100 °F.

## SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS, PERSONAL PROTECTION

EXPOSURE GUIDELINES:

**Benzoyl peroxide :**

**Guideline ACGIH:** TLV-TWA: 5 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

**Guideline OSHA:** PEL-TWA: 5 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

Appropriate engineering controls:

**Engineering Controls:** Use appropriate engineering control such as process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to control airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. Good general ventilation should be sufficient to control airborne levels. Where such systems are not effective wear suitable personal protective equipment, which performs satisfactorily and meets OSHA or other recognized standards. Consult with local procedures for selection, training, inspection and maintenance of the personal protective equipment.

Individual protection measures:

**Eye/Face Protection:** Wear appropriate protective glasses or splash goggles as described by 29 CFR 1910.133, OSHA eye and face protection regulation, or the European standard EN 166.

**Skin Protection Description:** Wear appropriate protective gloves and other protective apparel to prevent skin contact. Consult manufacturer's data for permeability data.

**Respiratory Protection:** A NIOSH approved air-purifying respirator with an organic vapor cartridge or canister may be permissible under certain circumstances where airborne concentrations are expected to exceed exposure limits. Protection provided by air purifying respirators is limited. Use a positive pressure air supplied respirator if there is any potential for an uncontrolled release, exposure levels are not known, or any other circumstances where air purifying respirators may not provide adequate protection.

**Other Protective:** Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash and a deluge shower safety station.

**Notes :** Only established PEL and TLV values for the ingredients are listed.

## SECTION 9 : PHYSICAL and CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES:

**Physical State Appearance:** Viscous. Liquid.

**Odor:** Slight. odor.

**Boiling Point:** Not determined.

**Melting Point:** Not determined.

**Specific Gravity:** 1.0-1.25

**Solubility:** slightly soluble.

**Vapor Density:** Not determined.

**Vapor Pressure:** Not determined.

**Percent Volatile:** <8

**Evaporation Rate:** <<1 (butyl acetate = 1)

**pH:** Neutral.

Molecular Formula:	Mixture
Molecular Weight:	Mixture
Flash Point:	Not determined.
Lower Flammable/Explosive Limit:	Not determined.
Upper Flammable/Explosive Limit:	Not determined.
Auto Ignition Temperature:	Not determined.
VOC Content:	<50 g/L mixed.
<b>9.2. Other information:</b>	
Percent Solids by Weight	>92

## SECTION 10 : STABILITY and REACTIVITY

### Chemical Stability:

Chemical Stability: Unstable.

### Possibility of hazardous reactions:

Hazardous Polymerization: Not reported.

### Conditions To Avoid:

Conditions to Avoid: Extreme heat, sparks, and open flame. Incompatible materials, oxidizers and oxidizing conditions. Contamination, direct sunlight, friction and prolonged storage above 100°F (38°C).

### Incompatible Materials:

Incompatible Materials: Oxidizing agents. Strong acids and alkalis.

## SECTION 11 : TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

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#### Benzoyl peroxide :

Eye: Administration into the eye - Rabbit Standard Draize test: 500 mg/24H [Mild] (RTECS)

Ingestion: Oral - Rat LD50 - Lethal dose, 50 percent kill: 7710 mg/kg [Lungs, Thorax, or Respiration - Cyanosis Liver - Other changes Kidney/Ureter/Bladder - Other changes in urine composition]  
Oral - Rat LD50 - Lethal dose, 50 percent kill: 6400 mg/kg [Details of toxic effects not reported other than lethal dose value] (RTECS)

#### Bisphenol A diglycidyl ether resin :

Eye: Administration into the eye - Rabbit Standard Draize test: 100 mg [Mild]  
Administration into the eye - Rabbit Standard Draize test: 20 mg/24H [Moderate]  
Administration into the eye - Rabbit Standard Draize test: 5 mg/24H [Severe] (RTECS)

Skin: Administration onto the skin - Rabbit LD50 - Lethal dose, 50 percent kill: >20 mL/kg [Details of toxic effects not reported other than lethal dose value]  
Administration onto the skin - Rat LD50 - Lethal dose, 50 percent kill: >1200 mg/kg [Details of toxic effects not reported other than lethal dose value] (RTECS)

Ingestion: Oral - Rat LD50 - Lethal dose, 50 percent kill: 10700 uL/kg [Details of toxic effects not reported other than lethal dose value]  
Oral - Rat LD50 - Lethal dose, 50 percent kill: 13600 mg/kg [Behavioral - Somnolence (general depressed activity) Lungs, Thorax, or Respiration - Dyspnea Nutritional and Gross Metabolic - Weight loss or decreased weight gain]  
Oral - Rat LD50 - Lethal dose, 50 percent kill: 13.6 gm/kg [Details of toxic effects not reported other than lethal dose value]  
Oral - Rat LD50 - Lethal dose, 50 percent kill: 11.4 gm/kg [Details of toxic effects not reported other than lethal dose value]  
Oral - Rat LD50 - Lethal dose, 50 percent kill: 30 gm/kg [Behavioral - Somnolence (general depressed activity) Lungs, Thorax, or Respiration - Dyspnea Nutritional and Gross Metabolic - Weight loss or decreased weight gain]  
Oral - Rat LD50 - Lethal dose, 50 percent kill: 30 gm/kg [Details of toxic effects not reported other than lethal dose value]  
Oral - Rat LD50 - Lethal dose, 50 percent kill: >1 gm/kg [Details of toxic effects not reported other than lethal dose value]  
Oral - Rat LD50 - Lethal dose, 50 percent kill: 11400 mg/kg [Behavioral - Somnolence (general depressed activity) Lungs, Thorax, or Respiration - Dyspnea Nutritional and Gross Metabolic (RTECS)

#### Diisodecyl adipate :

Ingestion: Oral - Rat LD50 - Lethal dose, 50 percent kill: 20.5 gm/kg [Details of toxic effects not reported other than lethal dose value] (RTECS)

#### Butyl benzyl phthalate :

Skin: Administration onto the skin - Rat LD50 - Lethal dose, 50 percent kill: 6700 mg/kg [Details of toxic effects not reported other than lethal dose value]  
Administration onto the skin - Rabbit LD50 - Lethal dose, 50 percent kill: >10000 mg/kg [Details of toxic effects not reported other than lethal dose value] (RTECS)

Inhalation: Inhalation - Rat LC50 - Lethal concentration, 50 percent kill: >6700 mg/m<sup>3</sup>/4H [Details of toxic effects not reported other than lethal dose value] (RTECS)

Ingestion: Oral - Rat LD50 - Lethal dose, 50 percent kill: 2330 mg/kg [Details of toxic effects not reported other than lethal dose value] (RTECS)

## SECTION 12 : ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Ecotoxicity:

**Ecotoxicity:** No ecotoxicity data was found for the product.

**Environmental Fate:** No environmental information found for this product.

## SECTION 13 : DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

### Description of waste:

**Waste Disposal:** Consult with the US EPA Guidelines listed in 40 CFR Part 261.3 for the classifications of hazardous waste prior to disposal. Furthermore, consult with your state and local waste requirements or guidelines, if applicable, to ensure compliance. Arrange disposal in accordance to the EPA and/or state and local guidelines.

## SECTION 14 : TRANSPORT INFORMATION

**DOT Shipping Name:** Refer to Bill of Lading

**DOT UN Number:** Refer to Bill of Lading

**IATA Shipping Name:** Refer to Bill of Lading

## SECTION 15 : REGULATORY INFORMATION

### Safety, health and environmental regulations specific for the product:

#### **Benzoyl peroxide :**

**TSCA Inventory Status:** Listed

**Section 313:** EPCRA - 40 CFR Part 372 - (SARA Title III) Section 313 Listed Chemical.

**Canada DSL:** Listed

#### **Bisphenol A diglycidyl ether resin :**

**TSCA Inventory Status:** Listed

**Canada DSL:** Listed

#### **Diisodecyl adipate :**

**TSCA Inventory Status:** Listed

**Canada DSL:** Listed

#### **Butyl benzyl phthalate :**

**TSCA Inventory Status:** Listed

**California PROP 65:** Listed: developmental.

**Canada DSL:** Listed

#### **Styrene-ethylene/butylene-styrene block copolymer :**

**TSCA Inventory Status:** Listed

**Canada DSL:** Listed

**Canadian Regulations:** WHMIS Hazard Class(es): D2B  
All components of this product are on the Canadian Domestic Substances List.

**WHMIS Pictograms:**



## SECTION 16 : ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

### HMIS Ratings:

**HMIS Health Hazard:** 2\*

**HMIS Fire Hazard:** 2

**HMIS Reactivity:** 2

**HMIS Personal Protection:** X

<b>Health Hazard</b>	<b>2*</b>
<b>Fire Hazard</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>Reactivity</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>Personal Protection</b>	<b>X</b>

\* Chronic Health Effects

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