# **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

# 1. Identification

Product identifier PLEXUS® MA550 Adhesive

Other means of identification

**SKU#** 0927

**Recommended use**Not available. **Recommended restrictions**None known.

Manufacturer/Importer/Supplier/Distributor information

Manufacturer

Company name ITW Performance Polymers

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Danvers, MA 01923

United States

**Telephone** Customer Service 978-777-1100

Website www.itwperformancepolymers.com

E-mail Not available.

Contact person EHS Department

Emergency phone number Chemtrec 800-424-9300

International 703-527-3887

# 2. Hazard(s) identification

Physical hazardsFlammable liquidsCategory 2Health hazardsSkin corrosion/irritationCategory 2Serious eye damage/eye irritationCategory 2ASensitization, skinCategory 1

Specific target organ toxicity, single exposure Category 3 respiratory tract irritation

Environmental hazards Not classified.

OSHA defined hazards Not classified.

Label elements



Signal word Danger

**Hazard statement** Highly flammable liquid and vapor. Causes skin irritation. May cause an allergic skin reaction.

Causes serious eye irritation. May cause respiratory irritation.

Precautionary statement

Prevention Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking. Keep container tightly

closed. Ground/bond container and receiving equipment. Use explosion-proof

electrical/ventilating/lighting equipment. Use only non-sparking tools. Take precautionary

measures against static discharge. Avoid breathing mist/vapors. Wash thoroughly after handling. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. Contaminated work clothing must not be allowed out of the workplace. Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

**Response** If on skin (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.

If inhaled: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Call a poison center/doctor if you feel unwell. If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get

medical advice/attention. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse. In case of fire: Use appropriate media to

extinguish.

**Storage** Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. Store in a well-ventilated place.

Keep cool. Store locked up.

#### **Disposal**

Hazard(s) not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Supplemental information

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

Static accumulating flammable liquid can become electrostatically charged even in bonded and grounded equipment. Sparks may ignite liquid and vapor. May cause flash fire or explosion.

None.

# 3. Composition/information on ingredients

#### **Mixtures**

Chemical name	Common name and synonyms	CAS number	%
Methyl Methacrylate		80-62-6	60 - 80
Styrene/butadiene Copolymer		9003-55-8	10 - 20
METHACRYLIC ACID		79-41-4	1 - 10
Paraffin Wax		8002-74-2	1 - 2.5
Other components below reportable	e levels		10 - 20

#### 4. First-aid measures

Inhalation

Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Call a poison center or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

Skin contact

Remove contaminated clothing immediately and wash skin with soap and water. In case of eczema or other skin disorders: Seek medical attention and take along these instructions. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

Eye contact

Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

Rinse mouth. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

Ingestion Most important

symptoms/effects, acute and delaved

Indication of immediate medical attention and special

treatment needed

Severe eye irritation. Symptoms may include stinging, tearing, redness, swelling, and blurred vision. May cause respiratory irritation. Skin irritation. May cause redness and pain. May cause an allergic skin reaction. Dermatitis. Rash.

Provide general supportive measures and treat symptomatically. Thermal burns: Flush with water immediately. While flushing, remove clothes which do not adhere to affected area. Call an ambulance. Continue flushing during transport to hospital. Keep victim under observation. Symptoms may be delayed.

**General information** 

Take off all contaminated clothing immediately. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible). Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to protect themselves. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

# 5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable extinguishing media

Water fog. Foam. Carbon dioxide (CO2). Dry chemical powder, carbon dioxide, sand or earth may be used for small fires only.

Unsuitable extinguishing media

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Do not use water jet as an extinguisher, as this will spread the fire.

Vapors may form explosive mixtures with air. Vapors may travel considerable distance to a source of ignition and flash back. This product is a poor conductor of electricity and can become electrostatically charged. If sufficient charge is accumulated, ignition of flammable mixtures can occur. To reduce potential for static discharge, use proper bonding and grounding procedures. This liquid may accumulate static electricity when filling properly grounded containers. Static electricity accumulation may be significantly increased by the presence of small quantities of water or other contaminants. Material will float and may ignite on surface of water. During fire, gases hazardous to health may be formed.

Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters Self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.

Fire fighting equipment/instructions

Specific methods

General fire hazards

In case of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes. Move containers from fire area if you can do so without risk.

Use standard firefighting procedures and consider the hazards of other involved materials.

Highly flammable liquid and vapor.

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#### 6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures Keep unnecessary personnel away. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Eliminate all ignition sources (no smoking, flares, sparks, or flames in immediate area). Wear appropriate protective equipment and clothing during clean-up. Avoid breathing mist/vapors. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing. Ventilate closed spaces before entering them. Use appropriate containment to avoid environmental contamination. Transfer by mechanical means such as vacuum truck to a salvage tank or other suitable container for recovery or safe disposal. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained. For personal protection, see section 8 of the SDS.

# Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Eliminate all ignition sources (no smoking, flares, sparks, or flames in immediate area). Keep combustibles (wood, paper, oil, etc.) away from spilled material. Take precautionary measures against static discharge. Use only non-sparking tools.

Large Spills: Stop the flow of material, if this is without risk. Dike the spilled material, where this is possible. Use a non-combustible material like vermiculite, sand or earth to soak up the product and place into a container for later disposal. Following product recovery, flush area with water.

Small Spills: Absorb with earth, sand or other non-combustible material and transfer to containers for later disposal. Wipe up with absorbent material (e.g. cloth, fleece). Clean surface thoroughly to remove residual contamination.

**Environmental precautions** 

Never return spills to original containers for re-use. For waste disposal, see section 13 of the SDS. Avoid discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground. Use appropriate containment to avoid environmental contamination.

# 7. Handling and storage

#### Precautions for safe handling

Do not handle, store or open near an open flame, sources of heat or sources of ignition. Protect material from direct sunlight. When using do not smoke. Explosion-proof general and local exhaust ventilation. Minimize fire risks from flammable and combustible materials (including combustible dust and static accumulating liquids) or dangerous reactions with incompatible materials. Handling operations that can promote accumulation of static charges include but are not limited to: mixing, filtering, pumping at high flow rates, splash filling, creating mists or sprays, tank and container filling, tank cleaning, sampling, gauging, switch loading, vacuum truck operations. Take precautionary measures against static discharges. All equipment used when handling the product must be grounded. Use non-sparking tools and explosion-proof equipment. Avoid breathing mist/vapors. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment. Observe good industrial hygiene practices.

For additional information on equipment bonding and grounding, refer to the Canadian Electrical Code in Canada, (CSA C22.1), or the American Petroleum Institute (API) Recommended Practice 2003, "Protection Against Ignitions Arising out of Static, Lightning, and Stray Currents" or National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) 77, "Recommended Practice on Static Electricity" or National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) 70, "National Electrical Code".

# Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store locked up. Keep away from heat, sparks and open flame. Prevent electrostatic charge build-up by using common bonding and grounding techniques. Eliminate sources of ignition. Avoid spark promoters. Ground/bond container and equipment. These alone may be insufficient to remove static electricity. Store in a cool, dry place out of direct sunlight. Store in tightly closed container. Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep in an area equipped with sprinklers. Store away from incompatible materials (see Section 10 of the SDS).

## 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

#### Occupational exposure limits

The following constituents are the only constituents of the product which have a PEL, TLV or other recommended exposure limit. At this time, the other constituents have no known exposure limits.

US. OSHA Table Z-1 Permissible Exposure Limits (PEL) for Air Contaminants (29 CFR 1910.1000)						
Components	Туре	Value				
Methyl Methacrylate (CAS 80-62-6)	PEL	410 mg/m3				
		100 ppm				
US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV	<b>'</b> )					
Components	Туре	Value	Form			
METHACRYLIC ACID (CAS 79-41-4)	TWA	20 ppm				

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US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Value	s (TLV)			
Components	Туре	Value	Form	
Methyl Methacrylate (CAS 80-62-6)	STEL	100 ppm		
	TWA	50 ppm		
Paraffin Wax (CAS 8002-74-2)	TWA	2 mg/m3	Fume.	
NIOSH. Immediately Dangerous to	Life or Health (IDLH) Values	, as amended		
Components	Type	Value		
Methyl Methacrylate (CAS 80-62-6)	IDLH	1.7 %		

1000 ppm

US. NIOSH: Pocket Guide to Chemical Hazards Recommended Exposure Limits (REL) **Form** Components Type METHACRYLIC ACID (CAS **TWA** 70 mg/m3 79-41-4) 20 ppm Methyl Methacrylate (CAS **TWA** 410 mg/m3 80-62-6) 100 ppm TWA Paraffin Wax (CAS 2 mg/m3 Fume. 8002-74-2)

Biological limit values No biological exposure limits noted for the ingredient(s).

**Exposure guidelines**Occupational Exposure Limits are not relevant to the current physical form of the product.

US - California OELs: Skin designation

METHACRYLIC ACID (CAS 79-41-4)

Can be absorbed through the skin.

US - Tennessee OELs: Skin designation

METHACRYLIC ACID (CAS 79-41-4) Can be absorbed through the skin.

US NIOSH Pocket Guide to Chemical Hazards: Skin designation

METHACRYLIC ACID (CAS 79-41-4)

Can be absorbed through the skin.

Appropriate engineering controls

Explosion-proof general and local exhaust ventilation. Good general ventilation should be used. Ventilation rates should be matched to conditions. If applicable, use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to maintain airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If exposure limits have not been established, maintain airborne levels to an acceptable level. Provide eyewash station and safety shower.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

**Eye/face protection** Chemical respirator with organic vapor cartridge and full facepiece.

Skin protection

Hand protection Wear appropriate chemical resistant gloves.Other Wear appropriate chemical resistant clothing.

**Respiratory protection** Chemical respirator with organic vapor cartridge and full facepiece.

**Thermal hazards** Wear appropriate thermal protective clothing, when necessary.

General hygiene considerations

When using do not smoke. Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing after handling the material and before eating, drinking, and/or smoking. Routinely wash work clothing and protective equipment to remove contaminants. Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.

be allowed out of the workplace.

# 9. Physical and chemical properties

Appearance Paste.
Physical state Liquid.
Form Paste.
Color Off-white.

Odor Fragrant
Odor threshold Not available.

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Not available. pН

-54.4 °F (-48 °C) estimated Melting point/freezing point Initial boiling point and boiling 212.9 °F (100.5 °C) estimated

range

Flash point 50.0 °F (10.0 °C) estimated

**Evaporation rate** Not available. Flammability (solid, gas) Not applicable. Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits

Explosive limit - lower (%) 1.7 % Explosive limit - upper (%) 12.5 %

Vapor pressure 2.8 mm Hg @ 68 F Not available. Vapor density Not available. Relative density

Solubility(ies)

Solubility (water) Not available. Not available. **Partition coefficient** 

(n-octanol/water)

815 °F (435 °C) estimated **Auto-ignition temperature** 

**Decomposition temperature** Not available. Not available. Viscosity

Other information

0.94 g/cm3 estimated Density

**Explosive properties** Not explosive.

Flammability class Flammable IB estimated

Oxidizing properties Not oxidizing. Specific gravity 0.94 estimated VOC 66.62 % estimated

# 10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity The product is stable and non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.

**Chemical stability** Material is stable under normal conditions. Possibility of hazardous Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

reactions

Conditions to avoid

Avoid heat, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. Avoid temperatures exceeding the

flash point. Contact with incompatible materials.

Incompatible materials Strong oxidizing agents. Nitrates. Peroxides.

Hazardous decomposition

products

No hazardous decomposition products are known.

# 11. Toxicological information

#### Information on likely routes of exposure

Inhalation May cause irritation to the respiratory system.

Skin contact Causes skin irritation. May cause an allergic skin reaction.

Eye contact Causes serious eye irritation.

Ingestion Expected to be a low ingestion hazard.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics Severe eye irritation. Symptoms may include stinging, tearing, redness, swelling, and blurred vision. May cause respiratory irritation. Skin irritation. May cause redness and pain. May cause an

allergic skin reaction. Dermatitis. Rash.

Information on toxicological effects

Not known. **Acute toxicity** 

**Test Results** Components **Species** 

METHACRYLIC ACID (CAS 79-41-4)

Acute Dermal

LD50 Rabbit 500 mg/kg

Inhalation

LC50 Rat 7.1000000000000005 mg/l, 4 Hours

Oral

LD50 Rat 1060 mg/kg

Methyl Methacrylate (CAS 80-62-6)

Acute Oral

Rat LD50 7800 mg/kg

Skin corrosion/irritation Causes skin irritation. Serious eye damage/eye

irritation

Causes serious eye irritation.

Respiratory or skin sensitization

**ACGIH** sensitization

Methyl methacrylate (CAS 80-62-6) Dermal sensitization

Respiratory sensitization Not a respiratory sensitizer.

Skin sensitization May cause an allergic skin reaction.

Germ cell mutagenicity No data available to indicate product or any components present at greater than 0.1% are

mutagenic or genotoxic.

Carcinogenicity Not classifiable as to carcinogenicity to humans.

IARC Monographs. Overall Evaluation of Carcinogenicity

Methyl Methacrylate (CAS 80-62-6) 3 Not classifiable as to carcinogenicity to humans. Styrene/butadiene Copolymer (CAS 9003-55-8) 3 Not classifiable as to carcinogenicity to humans.

OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1053)

Not listed.

US. National Toxicology Program (NTP) Report on Carcinogens

Not listed.

Reproductive toxicity This product is not expected to cause reproductive or developmental effects.

Specific target organ toxicity -

single exposure

May cause respiratory irritation.

Specific target organ toxicity -

repeated exposure

Not classified.

Not an aspiration hazard. **Aspiration hazard** 

12. Ecological information

**Ecotoxicity** The product is not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does not exclude the

possibility that large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging effect on the environment.

Persistence and degradability No data is available on the degradability of any ingredients in the mixture.

Bioaccumulative potential

Partition coefficient n-octanol / water (log Kow)

METHACRYLIC ACID 0.93 1.38 Methyl Methacrylate

Mobility in soil No data available.

Other adverse effects The product contains volatile organic compounds which have a photochemical ozone creation

potential.

13. Disposal considerations

**Disposal instructions** Dispose of this material and its container to hazardous or special waste collection point. Incinerate

the material under controlled conditions in an approved incinerator. Do not incinerate sealed containers. If discarded, this product is considered a RCRA ignitable waste, D001. Dispose of

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

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Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations. Local disposal regulations

D001: Waste Flammable material with a flash point <140 F Hazardous waste code

The waste code should be assigned in discussion between the user, the producer and the waste

disposal company.

Waste from residues / unused

products

Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe manner (see:

Disposal instructions).

Contaminated packaging Since emptied containers may retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is

emptied. Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or

disposal.

# 14. Transport information

#### DOT

UN1133 **UN** number

**UN** proper shipping name Transport hazard class(es) Adhesives, containing a flammable liquid, Limited Quantity

Class 3 Subsidiary risk 3 Label(s) Ш Packing group

**Environmental hazards** 

Marine pollutant No.

Special precautions for user Read safety instructions, SDS and emergency procedures before handling.

Special provisions 149, B52, IB2, T4, TP1, TP8

Packaging exceptions 150 Packaging non bulk 173 Packaging bulk 242

**IATA** 

**UN number UN1133** 

UN proper shipping name Adhesives containing flammable liquid, Limited Quantity Transport hazard class(es)

3 Class Subsidiary risk П Packing group **Environmental hazards** No. 31 **ERG Code** 

Other information

Special precautions for user Read safety instructions, SDS and emergency procedures before handling.

Passenger and cargo

aircraft

Allowed with restrictions.

Cargo aircraft only

Allowed with restrictions.

**IMDG** 

**UN** number UN1133

**UN proper shipping name** Transport hazard class(es) ADHESIVES containing flammable liquid, Limited Quantity

**Class** 3 Subsidiary risk Ш Packing group **Environmental hazards** 

Marine pollutant No. **EmS** F-E, S-D

Special precautions for user Read safety instructions, SDS and emergency procedures before handling.

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and

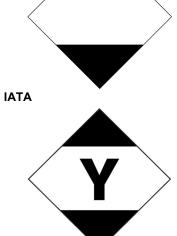
the IBC Code

Not established.

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# DOT; IMDG



# 15. Regulatory information

**US federal regulations** 

This product is a "Hazardous Chemical" as defined by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200.

US EPCRA (SARA Title III) Section 313 - Toxic Chemical: De minimis concentration

Methyl Methacrylate (CAS 80-62-6)

US EPCRA (SARA Title III) Section 313 - Toxic Chemical: Listed substance

Methyl Methacrylate (CAS 80-62-6)

Listed.

**Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA)** 

TSCA Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpt. D)

Not regulated.

**CERCLA Hazardous Substance List (40 CFR 302.4)** 

Methyl Methacrylate (CAS 80-62-6)

Listed.

SARA 304 Emergency release notification

Not regulated.

OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1053)

Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)

SARA 302 Extremely hazardous substance

Not listed.

SARA 311/312 Hazardous

**Classified hazard** 

Yes

chemical

Flammable (gases, aerosols, liquids, or solids)

Skin corrosion or irritation categories

Serious eye damage or eye irritation Respiratory or skin sensitization

Specific target organ toxicity (single or repeated exposure)

Hazard not otherwise classified (HNOC)

SARA 313 (TRI reporting)

Chemical name **CAS** number % by wt. Methyl Methacrylate 80-62-6 60 - 80

#### Other federal regulations

Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) List

Methyl Methacrylate (CAS 80-62-6)

Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112(r) Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130)

Not regulated.

Material name: PLEXUS® MA550 Adhesive SDS US Safe Drinking Water Act

Contains component(s) regulated under the Safe Drinking Water Act.

(SDWA)

#### FEMA Priority Substances Respiratory Health and Safety in the Flavor Manufacturing Workplace

Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals (AICIS)

Methyl Methacrylate (CAS 80-62-6) Low priority

#### US state regulations

US. California. Candidate Chemicals List. Safer Consumer Products Regulations (Cal. Code Regs, tit. 22, 69502.3, subd.

Methyl Methacrylate (CAS 80-62-6)

#### **California Proposition 65**



Australia

Canada

WARNING: This product can expose you to Ethylene Glycol, which is known to the State of California to cause birth defects or other reproductive harm. For more information go to www.P65Warnings.ca.gov.

#### California Proposition 65 - CRT: Listed date/Developmental toxin

Inventory name

Ethylene Glycol (CAS 107-21-1) Listed: June 19, 2015

Domestic Substances List (DSL)

#### **International Inventories**

Country(s) or region

Canada	Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)	No
China	Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China (IECSC)	Yes
Europe	European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS)	No
Europe	European List of Notified Chemical Substances (ELINCS)	No
Japan	Inventory of Existing and New Chemical Substances (ENCS)	No
Korea	Existing Chemicals List (ECL)	No
New Zealand	New Zealand Inventory	Yes
Philippines	Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances	No

(PICCS)

Taiwan Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory (TCSI) Yes United States & Puerto Rico Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory Yes

# 16. Other information, including date of preparation or last revision

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**HMIS®** ratings Health: 2 Flammability: 3

Physical hazard: 0

Health: 2 NFPA ratings

Flammability: 3 Instability: 0

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On inventory (yes/no)\*

Yes

No

<sup>\*</sup>A "Yes" indicates that all components of this product comply with the inventory requirements administered by the governing country(s) A "No" indicates that one or more components of the product are not listed or exempt from listing on the inventory administered by the governing country(s).