

**POLYONE CORPORATION****MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET****18903 ASA ALMOND**Version Number 1.0  
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Print Date 10/28/2013**1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION****POLYONE CORPORATION**  
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Product name : 18903 ASA ALMOND  
Product code : EM00040115  
Chemical Name : Mixture  
CAS-No. : Mixture  
Product Use : Industrial Applications

**2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Components	CAS-No.	Weight percent
Decanedioic acid, bis(2,2,6,6-tetramethyl-4-piperidinyl) ester	52829-07-9	1 - 5
Styrene	100-42-5	0.1 - 1
Acrylonitrile	107-13-1	0.1 - 1
Titanium dioxide	13463-67-7	1 - 5

**3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION****EMERGENCY OVERVIEW**

This mixture has not been evaluated as a whole. Information provided on the health effects of this product is based on individual components. All ingredients are bound and potential for hazardous exposure as shipped is minimal. However, some vapors may be released upon heating and the end-user (fabricator) must take the necessary precautions (mechanical ventilation, respiratory protection, etc.) to protect employees from exposure.

**POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS****Routes of Exposure:** : Inhalation, Ingestion, Skin contact**Acute exposure**

Inhalation : Particulates, like other inert materials can be mechanically irritating.  
Ingestion : May be harmful if swallowed.  
Eyes : Particulates, like other inert materials can be mechanically irritating.  
Skin : Experience shows no unusual dermatitis hazard from routine handling.



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**Chronic exposure** : Refer to Section 11 for Toxicological Information.

**Medical Conditions  
Aggravated by Exposure:** : None known.

**4. FIRST AID MEASURES**

- Inhalation** : Move to fresh air in case of accidental inhalation of fumes from overheating or combustion. When symptoms persist or in all cases of doubt seek medical advice.
- Ingestion** : Do not induce vomiting without medical advice. When symptoms persist or in all cases of doubt seek medical advice.
- Eyes** : Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. If eye irritation persists, seek medical attention.
- Skin** : Wash off with soap and plenty of water. If skin irritation persists seek medical attention.

**5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

- Flash point** : not applicable
- Flammable Limits**
- Upper explosion limit : not applicable
  - Lower explosion limit : not applicable
- Auto-ignition temperature** : not applicable
- Suitable extinguishing media** : Carbon dioxide blanket, Water spray, Dry powder, Foam.
- Special Fire Fighting Procedures** : Fullface self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) used in positive pressure mode should be worn to prevent inhalation of airborne contaminants.
- Unusual Fire/Explosion Hazards** : Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), carbon monoxide (CO), oxides of nitrogen (NO<sub>x</sub>), other hazardous materials, and smoke are all possible.

**6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

- Personal precautions** : Wear appropriate personal protection during cleanup, such as impervious gloves, boots and coveralls.
- Environmental precautions** : Should not be released into the environment. The product should not be allowed to enter drains, water courses or the soil.
- Methods for cleaning up** : Clean up promptly by sweeping or vacuum. Package all material in plastic, cardboard or metal containers for disposal.

**7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

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- Handling : Take measures to prevent the build up of electrostatic charge. Heat only in areas with appropriate exhaust ventilation.
- Storage : Keep containers dry and tightly closed to avoid moisture absorption and contamination. Keep in a dry, cool place.

**8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

- Respiratory protection : No personal respiratory protective equipment normally required.
- Eye/Face Protection : Safety glasses with side-shields
- Hand protection : Protective gloves
- Skin and body protection : Long sleeved clothing
- Additional Protective Measures : Safety shoes
- General Hygiene Considerations : Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.
- Engineering measures : Heat only in areas with appropriate exhaust ventilation. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at machinery.

Exposure limit(s)

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Components	Value	Exposure time	Exposure type	List:
Styrene	20 ppm	Time Weighted Average (TWA):		ACGIH
	40 ppm	Short Term Exposure Limit (STEL):		ACGIH
	50 ppm 215 mg/m3	Recommended exposure limit (REL):		NIOSH
	100 ppm 425 mg/m3	Short Term Exposure Limit (STEL):		NIOSH
	100 ppm	Time Weighted Average (TWA):		OSHA Z2
	200 ppm	Ceiling Limit Value:		OSHA Z2
	600 ppm	Maximum concentration:		OSHA Z2
	50 ppm 215 mg/m3	Time Weighted Average (TWA):		OSHA Z1A
	100 ppm 425 mg/m3	Short Term Exposure Limit (STEL):		OSHA Z1A
	50 ppm 215 mg/m3	Time Weighted Average (TWA):		MX OEL
	100 ppm 425 mg/m3	Short Term Exposure Limit (STEL):		MX OEL
	Titanium dioxide	10 mg/m3	Time Weighted Average (TWA):	
15 mg/m3		PEL:	Total dust.	OSHA Z1
10 mg/m3		Time Weighted Average (TWA):	Total dust.	OSHA Z1A
10 mg/m3		Time Weighted Average (TWA):	as Ti	MX OEL
20 mg/m3		Short Term Exposure Limit (STEL):	as Ti	MX OEL
Acrylonitrile	2 ppm	Time Weighted Average (TWA):		ACGIH
	1 ppm	Recommended exposure limit (REL):		NIOSH
	10 ppm	Ceiling Limit Value and Time Period (if specified):		NIOSH
	2 ppm	Time Weighted Average (TWA):		OSHA
	10 ppm	Short Term Exposure Limit (STEL):		OSHA
	1 ppm	OSHA Action level:		OSHA
	2 ppm	Time Weighted Average (TWA):		OSHA Z1A
	10 ppm	Ceiling Limit Value:		OSHA Z1A
	2 ppm 4.5 mg/m3	Time Weighted Average (TWA):		MX OEL

**9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

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Form	: solid	Evaporation rate	: Not applicable
Appearance	: pellets, Slabs	Specific Gravity	: Not determined
Colour	: TAN	Bulk density	: Not established
Odour	: very faint	Vapour pressure	: not applicable
Melting point/range	: Not determined	Vapour density	: not applicable
Boiling Point:	: not applicable	pH	: not applicable
Water solubility	: insoluble		

**10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Stability	: The product is stable if stored and handled as prescribed.
Hazardous Polymerization	: Will not occur.
Conditions to avoid	: To avoid thermal decomposition, do not overheat.
Incompatible Materials	: Strong acids, oxidizing and reducing agents
Hazardous decomposition products	: Carbon dioxide (CO <sub>2</sub> ), carbon monoxide (CO), oxides of nitrogen (NO <sub>x</sub> ), other hazardous materials, and smoke are all possible.

**11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

This mixture has not been evaluated as a whole for health effects. Exposure effects listed are based on existing health data for the individual components which comprise the mixture.

Toxicity Overview

This product contains the following components which in their pure form have the following characteristics:

CAS-No.	Chemical Name	Effect	Target Organ
52829-07-9	Decanedioic acid, bis(2,2,6,6-tetramethyl-4-piperidiny) ester	Irritant	Eyes.
100-42-5	Styrene	Irritant	Eyes, Respiratory system.
		Systemic effects	Eyes, Skin, Respiratory system, Liver, central nervous system (CNS).
107-13-1	Acrylonitrile	Systemic effects	Liver, Kidney, central nervous system (CNS), heart or circulatory system.
		Highly Toxic	Refer to LC50 / LD50 Data on MSDS..
		Irritant	Eyes, Respiratory system.
13463-67-7	Titanium dioxide	Systemic effects	Respiratory system.

LC50 / LD50

This product contains the following components which, in their pure form, have the following toxicity data:

CAS-No.	Chemical Name	Route	Value	Species
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52829-07-9	Decanedioic acid, bis(2,2,6,6-tetramethyl-4-piperidinyl) ester	Oral LD50 Dermal LD50	3,700 mg/kg > 3,100 mg/kg	rat rabbit
100-42-5	Styrene	LC50 Oral LD50	12 gm/m3 2,650 mg/kg	rat rat
107-13-1	Acrylonitrile	LC50 Oral LD50 Dermal LD50	333 ppm 27 mg/kg 63 mg/kg	rat mouse rabbit

**Carcinogenicity**

This product contains the following components which, in their pure form, have the following carcinogenicity data:

CAS-No.	Chemical Name	OSHA	IARC	NTP
100-42-5	Styrene	no	2B	no
107-13-1	Acrylonitrile	yes	2B	no
13463-67-7	Titanium dioxide	no	2B	no

**IARC Carcinogen Classifications:**

- 1 - The component is carcinogenic to humans.
- 2A - The component is probably carcinogenic to humans.
- 2B - The component is possibly carcinogenic to humans.

**NTP Carcinogen Classifications:**

- 1 - The component is known to be a human carcinogen.
- 2 - The component is reasonably anticipated to be a human carcinogen.

**Additional Health Hazard Information:**

**Styrene 100-42-5 Irritating to eyes, skin, and respiratory tract with many CNS effects such as narcosis, cramps and respiratory tract paralysis.**

**12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

- Persistence and degradability : Not readily biodegradable.
- Environmental Toxicity : Chemicals are not readily available as they are bound within the polymer matrix.
- Bioaccumulation Potential : Chemicals are not readily available as they are bound within the polymer matrix.
- Additional advice : not applicable

**13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

- Product : Like most thermoplastic plastics the product can be recycled. Where possible recycling is preferred to disposal or incineration. The generator of waste material has the responsibility for proper waste classification, transportation and disposal in accordance with applicable federal, state/provincial and local regulations.

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Contaminated packaging : Recycling is preferred when possible. The generator of waste material has the responsibility for proper waste classification, transportation and disposal in accordance with applicable federal, state/provincial and local regulations.

**14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

U.S. DOT Classification : Not regulated for transportation.  
ICAO/IATA : Refer to specific regulation.  
IMO/IMDG (maritime) : Refer to specific regulation.

**15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

US Regulations:

OSHA Status : Classified as hazardous based on components.  
TSCA Status : All components of this product are listed on or exempt from the TSCA Inventory.

US. EPA CERCLA Hazardous Substances (40 CFR 302)  
not applicable

California Proposition 65 : Not applicable

SARA Title III Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substance

Unless specific chemicals are identified under this section, this product is Not Applicable under this regulation

SARA Title III Section 313 Toxic Chemicals:

Unless specific chemicals are identified under this section, this product is Not Applicable under this regulation

Canadian Regulations:

National Pollutant Release Inventory (NPRI)

Chemical Name	CAS-No.	Weight percent	NPRI ID#
Rutile, antimony chromium buff	68186-90-3	0.10 - 1.00	

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WHMIS Classification : D1A, F

WHMIS Ingredient Disclosure List

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100-42-5
107-13-1

DSL : All components of this product are on the Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL) or are exempt.

National Inventories:

Australia AICS : Listed  
China IECS : Listed  
Europe EINECS : Listed  
Japan ENCS : Not determined  
Korea KECI : Listed  
Philippines PICCS : Listed

**16. OTHER INFORMATION**

The information provided in this Safety Data Sheet is correct to the best of our knowledge, information and belief at the date of its publication. The information given is designed only as a guidance for safe handling, use, processing, storage, transportation, disposal and release and is not to be considered a warranty or quality specification. The information relates only to the specific material designated and may not be valid for such material used in combination with any other materials or in any process, unless specified in the text.