1. IDENTIFICATION

Product identifier

Product name: PRE-MOUNT
Cat. No. 40101001, 40101003, 40101005
Container size: 10 kg

Recommended use and restrictions on use

Application: For embedding of materialographic specimens

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Supplier: Struers Ltd
7275 West Credit Avenue
Ontario L5N 5M9 Mississauga
Canada
Tel: +1 (905) 8148855

Responsible for safety data sheet authoring: Responsible for safety data sheet authoring: DHI

Any questions to the contents of this safety data sheet should be sent to: struers@struers.dk

Emergency telephone number

Emergency telephone: Infotrac:
1-800-535-5053
Struers CAN:
+1 (905) 8148855
(Only during office hours)

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification of the hazardous product

WHMIS 2015: The product is not classified.

Label elements

The substance/mixture does not meet the criteria for classification and labelling.

Other hazards

Fine particles may form explosive vapor/air mixtures. Inhalation of dust may irritate the respiratory system. May irritate eyes and skin.

PBT/vPvB: Not relevant

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Mixtures

The product contains: resin.
4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

**Description of first-aid measures**

**Inhalation:** Move into fresh air and keep at rest.

**Skin contact:** Remove contaminated clothes and rinse skin thoroughly with water.

**Eye contact:** Immediately flush with plenty of water for up to 15 minutes. Remove any contact lenses and open eyelids widely. If irritation persists: Seek medical attention and bring these instructions.

**Ingestion:** Immediately rinse mouth and drink plenty of water. Keep person under observation. If person becomes uncomfortable seek hospital and bring these instructions.

**Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**

**Symptoms/effects:** See section 11 for more detailed information on health effects and symptoms.

**Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

**Medical attention/treatments:** Not known.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

**Extinguishing media**

**Extinguishing media:** Use fire-extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding materials.

**Specific hazards arising from the hazardous product**

**Specific hazards:** The product is non-combustible. If heated, toxic vapors may be formed.

**Advice for fire-fighters**

**Protective equipment for fire-fighters:** Selection of respiratory protection for fire fighting: follow the general fire precautions indicated in the workplace.
## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

**Personal precautions:** Follow precautions for safe handling described in this safety data sheet. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid inhalation of dust and vapors.

**Environmental precautions:**

Environmental precautions: Avoid discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground.

### Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

**Spill Cleanup Methods:** Collect spillage with shovel, broom or the like and reuse, if possible. Dispose of large amounts of spillage/waste according to agreement with local authorities.

**Reference to other items**

**References:** For personal protection, see section 8. For waste disposal, see section 13.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

### Precautions for safe handling

**Safe handling advice:** Avoid inhalation of dust and contact with skin and eyes. Observe good chemical hygiene practices.

**Technical measures:** Work practice should minimize contact. Use work methods which minimize dust production.

**Technical precautions:** Local exhaust is recommended.

### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

**Technical measures for safe storage:** No special precautions.

**Storage conditions:** Store in tightly closed original container. Store at room temperature.

### Specific end-use(s)

**Specific use(s):** Not relevant
8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control parameters

Other provincial OEL's may apply.

Occupational exposure limits:

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<td>100-97-0</td>
<td>Hexamethylenetetramine</td>
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<td>0.35 ppm</td>
<td>STEL</td>
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Exposure controls

Engineering measures: Provide adequate ventilation. Observe Occupational Exposure Limits and minimize the risk of inhalation. Local exhaust is recommended.

Personal protection: Personal protection equipment should be chosen according to relevant standards and in discussion with the supplier of the personal protective equipment.

Respiratory equipment: In case of inadequate ventilation and work of brief duration, use suitable respiratory equipment. Use respiratory equipment with combination filter, type A2/P2.

Hand protection: Risk of contact: Wear protective gloves. Nitrile gloves are recommended. The most suitable glove must be chosen in consultation with the gloves supplier, who can inform about the breakthrough time of the glove material.

Eye protection: Risk of contact: Wear goggles/face shield.

Skin protection: Wear apron or protective clothing in case of contact.

Hygiene measures: Wash hands after handling.

Environmental Exposure Controls: Not available.
9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

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<td>Flash point</td>
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<td>Explosion limits</td>
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<td>Solubility</td>
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Other data:

Volatile Organic Compound (VOC): < 10 g/l (calculated)

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity

Reactivity: None known.

Chemical stability

Stability: Stable under normal temperature conditions.

Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous Reactions: None known.

Conditions to avoid

Conditions/materials to avoid: Avoid contact with acids and oxidising substances. Avoid dust close to ignition sources.

Incompatible materials

Incompatible materials: None known.

Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products: By heating and fire, toxic vapors/gases may be formed.
### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Information on toxicological effects**

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<td>Acute Toxicity (Inhalation)</td>
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<td>Skin Corrosion/Irritation</td>
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<td>Serious eye damage/irritation</td>
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<td>Respiratory or skin sensitization</td>
<td>Test has determined that the product is not sensitising by skin contact.</td>
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<td>Reproductive Toxicity</td>
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<td>STOT - Single exposure</td>
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<td>Aspiration hazard</td>
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<td>Inhalation</td>
<td>Dust may irritate throat and respiratory system and cause coughing. Vapors liberated during curing of the product may in high concentrations irritate the throat and respiratory system and cause coughing.</td>
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<td>Skin contact</td>
<td>Prolonged contact may cause redness and irritation. Phenol can be absorbed through the skin and cause chronic poisoning.</td>
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<td>Eye contact</td>
<td>Dust may cause irritation.</td>
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<td>Ingestion</td>
<td>No harmful effects expected in amounts likely to be ingested by accident.</td>
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<td>Specific effects</td>
<td>Contains a small amount of a substance/group of substances with possible risks of irreversible effects.</td>
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Carcinogenicity:
- IARC Cancer Review: Group 3 for Phenol.
- NTP Not Listed.
12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity
Ecotoxicity: The environmental hazard of the product is considered to be limited.

Persistence and degradability
Degradability: There are no data on the degradability of this product.

Bioaccumulative potential
Bioaccumulative potential: No data available on bioaccumulation.

Mobility in soil
Mobility: No data available.

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment
PBT/vPvB: Not relevant

Other adverse effects
Other adverse effects: None known.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste treatment methods
Waste from residues: Dispose of waste material according to Local, State, Federal, and Provincial Environmental Regulations. Note that fully cured material is not considered as hazardous waste.

Contaminated packaging: Dispose of waste material according to Local, State, Federal, and Provincial Environmental Regulations.
14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION
The product is not covered by international regulation on the transport of dangerous goods (IMDG, IATA, TDG).

**UN number**

UN-No: -

**UN proper shipping name**

Proper Shipping Name: -

**Transport hazard class(es)**

Class: -

**Packing group**

PG: -

**Environmental hazards**

Marine pollutant: -

Environmentally Hazardous substance: -

**Special precautions for user**

Special precautions: None known.

**Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code**

Transport in bulk: Not relevant

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

**Safety, health and environmental regulations specific to the product**

**Special provisions:** DSL listed: All ingredients are listed or exempt.

**National regulation:** Hazardous Products Regulations.
Canadian Environmental Protection Act, Reporting for the Domestic Substances List (DSL), with amendments.
British Columbia: Occupational Exposure Limits for Chemical Substances, Occupational Health and Safety Regulation 296/97, with amendments.
Ontario: Control of Exposure to Biological or Chemical Agents R.R.O. 1990, Reg. 833, with amendments.
Quebec: Regulation respecting the quality of the work environment (R.R.Q. 1981, S-2.1, r.15), with amendments.
Alberta Regulation 393/88 Occupational Health and Safety Act, Chemical Hazards Regulation, with amendments.
16. OTHER INFORMATION

The user must be instructed in the proper work procedure and be familiar with the contents of these instructions.

The following sections contain revisions or new statements:

The (*) indicates the changes made with respect to the previous version.

Approved by DHI.

Additional information:
Classification according to WHMIS 2015:
On basis of test data.

Wording of R-phrases/H-statements:

H228 Flammable solid.
H301 Toxic if swallowed.
H311 Toxic in contact with skin.
H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.
H331 Toxic if inhaled.
H341 Suspected of causing genetic defects.
H373 May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

The information on this data sheet represents our current data and is reliable provided that the product is used under the prescribed conditions and in accordance with the application specified on the packaging and/or in the technical guidance literature. Any other use of the product which involves using the product in combination with any other product or any other process is the responsibility of the user.

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