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SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

1.1. Product identifier

Product name: DUROFAST

Cat. No. 40100044, 40100045

Container size: 1 kg; 7,5 kg

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

Application: For embedding of materialographic specimens

<u>Uses advised against:</u> No specific uses advised against are identified. (*)

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Supplier: Struers ApS

Pederstrupvej 84 DK-2750 Ballerup Tel:+45 44 600 800

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

sheet authoring:

Any questions to the contents of this safety data sheet should be sent to:

struers@struers.dk

1.4. Emergency telephone number

NHS: 111

+45 44 600 800

(Only during office hours)

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SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

CLP: Skin Irrit. 2;H315

Eye Irrit. 2;H319 Skin Sens. 1;H317

Aquatic Chronic 3;H412 (*)

2.2. Label elements

(*)



Warning

Contains: Bisphenol-A-epichlorhydrin, epoxy resin

Tetrabromophthalic anhydride

H315 Causes skin irritation.

H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.

H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

H412 Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

P280 Wear protective clothing, gloves, eye and face protection.

P302 + P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water.

P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact

lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P333 + P313 If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

P337 + P313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with

local/regional/national/international regulations.

2.3. Other hazards

Fine particles may form explosive vapour/air mixtures.

PBT/vPvB: No information available.

SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

3.2. Mixtures

The product contains: epoxy resin and fillers. (*)

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CLP:

%: CAS-No.: EC No.: REACH Reg. Chemical name: Hazard classification: Notes: No: 01-2119456619- Bisphenol-A-epichlorhydrin, 10-<25 25036-25-3 500-033-5 Skin Irrit. 2;H315 26-xxxx epoxy resin Eye Irrit. 2;H319 Skin Sens. 1;H317 Aquatic Chronic 2;H411 10-<25 632-79-1 211-185-4 01-2119486483- Tetrabromophthalic anhydride Skin Sens. 1;H317 29-xxxx

References: The full text for all hazard statements is displayed in section 16.

SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

4.1. Description of first aid measures

Inhalation: Move injured person into fresh air and keep person calm under observation. If

necessary, seek hospital and bring these instructions.

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 bring

these instructions.

Eye contact: Immediately flush with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove any

contact lenses and open eyelids widely. If irritation persists: Continue flushing

during transport to hospital. Bring along 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.

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

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

4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Medical attention/treatments: Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

5.1. Extinguishing media

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

Unsuitable extinguishing media: No specific precautions.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

<u>Specific hazards:</u> When heated and in case of fire, irritating vapours/gases may be formed.

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Protective equipment for fire-

fighters:

Selection of respiratory protection for fire fighting: follow the general fire

precautions indicated in the workplace.

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SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

For non-emergency Avoid inhalation of dust. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. For personal

personnel: protection, see section 8.

For emergency responders: No specific recommendations. For personal protection, see section 8.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Environmental Do not discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground.

precautions:

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up: Collect spillage with shovel, broom or the like. Dispose of collected dust

according to agreement with local authorities.

6.4. Reference to other sections

References: For waste disposal, see section 13.

SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

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

Avoid inhalation of dust. Good personal hygiene is necessary. Wash hands and

contaminated areas with water and soap before leaving the work site.

Technical measures: Work practice should minimise contact. Technical aids: Use disposable

equipment (rags, brushes, spatulas, putty knives, etc.), if possible.

<u>Technical precautions:</u> Local exhaust is recommended.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

<u>Technical measures for safe</u> No special precautions.

storage:

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

7.3. Specific end use(s)

Specific use(s): No information available.

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SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

8.1. Control parameters

Occupational exposure limits:

CAS-No.: **Exposure limits:** References: Chemical name: As: Type: Notes: Dusts, respirable dust 4 mg/m3 TWA EH40 TWA EH40 Dusts, total inhalable 10 mg/m3 dust

8.2. Exposure controls

Engineering measures: Provide adequate ventilation. Observe occupational exposure limits and

minimise the risk of inhalation of dust. Local exhaust is recommended.

<u>Personal protection:</u> Personal protection equipment should be chosen according to the CEN

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 particle filter, type P2.

<u>Hand protection:</u> 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.

Thickness: ≥ 0,11 mm

Breakthrough time: ≥ 8 hours (*)

Eye protection: Wear goggles/face shield.

Skin protection: No special precautions.

Environmental Exposure

Controls:

Not available.

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SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Form: Granular. Colour: Black. Odour: Odourless. Odour threshold: Not available. <u>рН:</u> Not available. > 80°C

Boiling point: Not available. Flash point: Not available. Evaporation rate: Not available. Flammability (solid, gas): Not available. **Explosive limits** Not available. Not available. Vapour pressure:

Relative density: 1,75 - 2,00 (20 °C) (*) insoluble in water Solubility: Not available.

Partition coefficient (n-

octanol/water): Auto-ignition

Vapour density:

Melting point:

Not available.

Not available.

temperature (°C):

Decomposition Not available.

temperature (°C):

Not available. Viscosity: Not available. **Explosive properties:** Not available. Oxidising properties:

9.2. Other information

Other data: Volatile Organic Compound (VOC): 0 g/l

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SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

10.1. Reactivity

Reactivity: No data available.

10.2. Chemical stability

<u>Stability:</u> Stable under normal temperature conditions.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous Reactions: No data available.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Conditions/materials to avoid: No information available.

10.5. Incompatible materials

<u>Incompatible materials:</u> No information available.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

<u>Hazardous decomposition</u> Carbon monoxide (CO). <u>products:</u> Halogenated hydrocarbons.

SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute Toxicity (Oral):

Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Could Toxicity (Dermal):

Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Could Toxicity (Inhalation):

Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Skin Corrosion/Irritation: Causes skin irritation.

Serious eye damage/irritation: Causes serious eye irritation.

Respiratory or skin

sensitisation:

May cause an allergic skin reaction.

Germ cell mutagenicity:

Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

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<u>Inhalation:</u> Dust may irritate throat and respiratory system and cause coughing.

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SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

12.1. Toxicity

Ecotoxicity: Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects. (*)

12.2. Persistence and degradability

<u>Degradability:</u> The product is not readily biodegradable.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulative potential: No data available on bioaccumulation.

12.4. Mobility in soil

Mobility: No data available.

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT/vPvB: No information available.

12.6. Other adverse effects

Other adverse effects: No information available.

SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

13.1. Waste treatment methods

<u>Waste from residues:</u> Dispose of waste and residues in accordance with local authority requirements.

Waste is classified as hazardous waste. Note that fully cured material is not

considered as hazardous waste.

EWC-code: 16 05 08

Contaminated packaging: Dispose of waste and residues in accordance with local authority requirements.

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SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

The product is not covered by international regulation on the transport of dangerous goods (IMDG, IATA, ADR/RID).

14.1. UN number

<u>UN-No:</u>

14.2. UN proper shipping name

Proper Shipping Name:

14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

<u>Class:</u> -

14.4. Packing group

<u>PG:</u> -

14.5. Environmental hazards

Marine pollutant: -

Environmentally Hazardous

substance:

14.6. Special precautions for user

Special precautions: None known.

14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL and the IBC Code

<u>Transport in bulk:</u> Not relevant.

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SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

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

Special provisions:

As a general rule, persons under 18 years of age are not allowed to work with

this product. Users must be carefully instructed in the proper work procedure, the dangerous properties of the product and the necessary safety instructions.

National regulation: Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of

18 December 2006 concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH), establishing a European Chemicals Agency, amending Directive 1999/45/EC and repealing Council Regulation (EEC) No 793/93 and Commission Regulation (EC) No 1488/94 as well as Council Directive 76/769/EEC and Commission Directives 91/155/EEC, 93/67/EEC, 93/105/EC and 2000/21/EC, with amendments.

Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 December 2008 on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures, amending and repealing Directives 67/548/EEC and 1999/45/EC, and amending Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 with amendments.

The Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations 2002 (S.I 2002 No.

2677) with amendments.

EH40/2005, Workplace exposure limits 2005, with amendments.

The Management of Health and Safety at Work Regulations 1999 (SI 1999 No.

3242), with amendments.

The List of Wastes (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2005. (SI 2005 No. 895).

15.2. Chemical Safety Assessment

CSA status: No chemical safety assessment has been carried out.

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SECTION 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: 1, 2, 3, 8, 9, 12.

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

Approved by DHI.

Allan Vorup

<u>Abbreviations and acronyms</u> PBT = Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic. <u>used in the safety data sheet:</u> vPvB = very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative.

Additional information: Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008:

Calculation method.

Wording of H-statements:

H315 Causes skin irritation.

H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.

H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

H411 Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.
H412 Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

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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