GE Healthcare

Material Safety Data Sheet

United States English

Section 1. Chemical product and company identification

Product name Protran BA 85, 25 mm, 100 pack

Catalogue Number 10402506

Material uses Industrial applications: Analytical chemistry. Research.

Solid. Product type Validation date 29 July 2009 05 August 2009 Print date GE Healthcare UK Ltd Supplier Amersham Place

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US ChemTrec (US) 1-800-424-9300 In case of emergency

Canada ChemTrec (US) 1-703-527-3887

Hazards identification 2.

Physical state Odor

This material is considered hazardous by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200). OSHA/HCS status

Emergency overview

FLAMMABLE SOLID.

Flammable solid. Keep away from heat, sparks and flame. Avoid contact with skin and clothing. Use only

with adequate ventilation. Keep container tightly closed and sealed until ready for use.

Potential acute health effects

No known significant effects or critical hazards. Eyes No known significant effects or critical hazards. Skin Inhalation No known significant effects or critical hazards. No known significant effects or critical hazards. Ingestion

Potential chronic health effects

No known significant effects or critical hazards. Chronic effects No known significant effects or critical hazards. Carcinogenicity No known significant effects or critical hazards. Mutagenicity No known significant effects or critical hazards. **Teratogenicity** No known significant effects or critical hazards. **Developmental effects** No known significant effects or critical hazards. Fertility effects

Over-exposure signs/symptoms

No specific data. Inhalation Ingestion No specific data. Skin No specific data. No specific data. None known. Medical conditions aggravated by

over-exposure

See toxicological information (section 11)



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3. Composition/information on ingredients

Name CAS number % by weight

Nitrocellulose; with <12.6% N

Section 4. First aid measures

Eye contact In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water. Get medical attention if irritation

occurs.

Skin contactWash with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation develops.InhalationIf inhaled, remove to fresh air. Get medical attention if symptoms appear.

Ingestion Do not ingest. Get medical attention if symptoms appear.

Protection of first-aidersNo action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training. It may be dangerous to

the person providing aid to give mouth-to-mouth resuscitation.

Notes to physician No specific treatment. Treat symptomatically. Contact poison treatment specialist immediately if large

quantities have been ingested or inhaled.

Section 5. Fire fighting measures

Flammability of the product Flammable solid. Runoff to sewer may create fire or explosion hazard.

Extinguishing media

Suitable Use dry chemical, CO₂, water spray (fog) or foam.

Not suitable Do not use water jet.

Special exposure hazards Promptly isolate the scene by removing all persons from the vicinity of the incident if there is a fire. No

action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training. Move containers from fire area

if this can be done without risk. Use water spray to keep fire-exposed containers cool.

Hazardous combustion products

S No specific data

Special protective equipment for

fire-fighters

Fire-fighters should wear appropriate protective equipment and self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA)

with a full face-piece operated in positive pressure mode.

Section 6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions Eliminate all ignition sources. Use personal protective equipment as required.

Environmental precautions No special recommendations.

Methods for cleaning up Pick up solids and put in an appropriate sealable container for later disposal.

Small spill Pick up solids and put in an appropriate sealable container for later disposal.

Section 7. Handling and storage

Handling Keep away from sources of ignition.

Storage Avoid all possible sources of ignition (spark or flame).

Section 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Consult local authorities for acceptable exposure limits.

Recommended monitoring

procedures

Product does not contain relevant quantities of materials with exposure values that have to be monitored.

Engineering measures No special ventilation requirements.

Hygiene measures Wash hands, forearms and face thorou

Wash hands, forearms and face thoroughly after handling chemical products, before eating, smoking and using the lavatory and at the end of the working period. Appropriate techniques should be used to remove potentially contaminated clothing. Wash contaminated clothing before reusing. Ensure that eyewash

stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.

Personal protection

Respiratory A respirator is not needed under normal and intended conditions of product use.

Hands Chemical-resistant, impervious gloves complying with an approved standard should be worn at all times

when handling chemical products if a risk assessment indicates this is necessary.

Eyes Safety eyewear complying with an approved standard should be used when a risk assessment indicates

this is necessary to avoid exposure to liquid splashes, mists or dusts.

Skin Personal protective equipment for the body should be selected based on the task being performed and the

risks involved and should be approved by a specialist before handling this product.

Environmental exposure

controls

Emissions from ventilation or work process equipment should be checked to ensure they comply with the requirements of environmental protection legislation. In some cases, fume scrubbers, filters or engineering modifications to the process equipment will be necessary to reduce emissions to acceptable levels.



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Section 9. Physical and chemical properties

Physical state Solid.

Auto-ignition temperature>160°C (>320°F)ColorWhite.OdorOdorless.Vapor pressure0 kPa (0 mm Hg)Volatility0% (w/w)

 VOC
 0 (g/l).

 Solubility
 Not available.

Section 10. Stability and reactivity

Stability The product is stable.

Conditions to avoid Avoid all possible sources of ignition (spark or flame).

Materials to avoid Reactive or incompatible with the following materials:

oxidizing materials

Hazardous decomposition

products
Hazardous polymerization

Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced.

Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous polymerization will not occur.

Not considered to be a product presenting a risk of explosion.

Section 11. Toxicological information

Section 12. Ecological information

Environmental effects No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Aquatic ecotoxicity

Conclusion/Summary No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Biodegradability

Conclusion/Summary Not available.

Other adverse effects No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Section 13. Disposal considerations

Waste disposal The generation of waste should be avoided or minimized wherever possible. Empty containers or liners

may retain some product residues. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way. Dispose of surplus and non-recyclable products via a licensed waste disposal contractor. Disposal of this product, solutions and any by-products should at all times comply with the requirements of environmental protection and waste disposal legislation and any regional local authority requirements. Avoid dispersal of

spilled material and runoff and contact with soil, waterways, drains and sewers.

Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.

Refer to Section 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE and Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION for additional handling information and protection of employees.

Section 14. Transport information

International transport regulations

Regulatory information	n UN number	Proper shipping name	Class	Packing group Label	Additional information
DOT Classification	UN3270	MEMBRANE FILTER OF NITROCELLULOSE	4.1		-
TDG Classification	UN3270	MEMBRANE FILTER OF NITROCELLULOSE	4.1		-
Mexico Classification	UN3270	MEMBRANE FILTER OF NITROCELLULOSE	4.1		-



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ADR/RID Class	UN3270	MEMBRANE FILTER OF NITROCELLULOSE	4.1	II	
IMDG Class	UN3270	MEMBRANE FILTER OF NITROCELLULOSE	4.1	II	
IATA Class	UN3270	Nitrocellulose membrane filters	4.1	II	

Section 15. Regulatory information

HCS Classification Flammable solid

U.S. Federal regulations United States inventory (TSCA 8b): Not determined.

SARA 302/304/311/312 extremely hazardous substances: No products were found. SARA 302/304 emergency planning and notification: No products were found. SARA 302/304/311/312 hazardous chemicals: No products were found.

SARA 311/312 MSDS distribution - chemical inventory - hazard identification: No products were found.

Clean Water Act (CWA) 307: No products were found.
Clean Water Act (CWA) 311: No products were found.

Clean Air Act (CAA) 112 accidental release prevention: No products were found.

Clean Air Act (CAA) 112 regulated flammable substances: No products were found.

Clean Air Act (CAA) 112 regulated toxic substances: No products were found.

State regulations

Connecticut Carcinogen Reporting: None of the components are listed.
Connecticut Hazardous Material Survey: None of the components are listed.

Florida substances: None of the components are listed.
Illinois Chemical Safety Act: None of the components are listed.

Illinois Toxic Substances Disclosure to Employee Act: None of the components are listed.

Louisiana Reporting: None of the components are listed.
Louisiana Spill: None of the components are listed.
Massachusetts Spill: None of the components are listed.
Massachusetts Substances: None of the components are listed.
Michigan Critical Material: None of the components are listed.
Minnesota Hazardous Substances: None of the components are listed.
New Jersey Hazardous Substances: None of the components are listed.

New Jersey Spill: None of the components are listed.

New Jersey Toxic Catastrophe Prevention Act: None of the components are listed. New York Acutely Hazardous Substances: None of the components are listed. New York Toxic Chemical Release Reporting: None of the components are listed. Pennsylvania RTK Hazardous Substances: None of the components are listed. Rhode Island Hazardous Substances: None of the components are listed.

United States inventory (TSCA 8b)

EU regulations

Hazard symbol or symbols

Not determined.



Risk phrases R11- Highly flammable.

Safety phrases S16- Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking.
S33- Take precautionary measures against static discharges.

S37/39- Wear suitable gloves and eye/face protection.

International regulations



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International lists

Australia inventory (AICS): Not determined. China inventory (IECSC): Not determined. Japan inventory (ENCS): Not determined. Japan inventory (ISHL): Not determined. Korea inventory (KECI): Not determined.

New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals (NZIoC): Not determined.

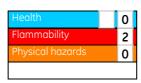
Philippines inventory (PICCS): Not determined.

Section 16. Other information

Label requirements

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Hazardous Material Information System (U.S.A.)



Caution: HMIS® ratings are based on a 0-4 rating scale, with 0 representing minimal hazards or risks, and 4 representing significant hazards or risks Although HMIS® ratings are not required on MSDSs under 29 CFR 1910.1200, the preparer may choose to provide them. HMIS® ratings are to be used with a fully implemented HMIS® program. HMIS® is a registered mark of the National Paint & Coatings Association (NPCA). HMIS® materials may be purchased exclusively from J. J. Keller (800) 327-6868.

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