



SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE AND COMPANY

Trademark:	LEXAN™ Sheet
Product Code:	9034 - 112
Product Description:	Poly (bisphenol-A-carbonate) [CASRN 111211-39-3 or 103598-77-2] Sheet
Product Type:	Commercial Product
Recommended use:	May be used as received, processed or thermoformed to produce other articles, or as a component of other industrial products.
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2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

This product consists primarily of high molecular weight polymers which are not expected to be hazardous.

3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

EMERGENCY OVERVIEW:

- Plastic film or sheet
- Can burn in a fire creating dense, toxic smoke
- Molten plastic can cause severe thermal burns
- Fumes produced during melt processing may cause eye, skin, and respiratory tract irritation. Severe over-exposure may result in nausea, headache, chills, and fever. See below for additional effects.
- Secondary operations, such as grinding, sanding, or sawing can produce dust which may present an explosion or respiratory hazard.

HMIS Rating

Health: 0

Flammability: 1

Reactivity: 0

Skin Contact:

Eye Contact:

Inhalation:

Ingestion:

Chronic/Carcinogenic Information

Processing Issues:

Aggravated Medical Conditions:

Not likely to cause irritation.

Resin particles, like other inert materials, are mechanically irritating to eyes.

Inhalation unlikely due to physical form.

Ingestion unlikely due to physical form.

Processing vapors may cause irritation to the eyes, skin, and respiratory tract. In cases of severe exposure, nausea and headache can also occur. Grease-like processing vapor condensates on ventilation ductwork, molds, and other surfaces can cause irritation and injury to skin.

MEDICAL RESTRICTIONS: There are no known health effects aggravated by exposure to this product. However, certain sensitive individuals and individuals with respiratory impairments may be affected by exposure to components in the processing vapors.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

If Inhalation:

No specific treatment is necessary since this material is not likely to be hazardous by inhalation. If exposed to excessive levels of dusts or fumes, remove to fresh air and get medical attention if cough or other symptoms develop.

On skin contact:

Wash with water and soap as a precaution. Get medical attention if irritation develops or persists. For hot product, immediately immerse in or flush affected area with large amounts of cold water to dissipate heat. Cover with clean cotton sheeting or gauze and get prompt medical attention.

On contact with eyes:

Immediately flush with plenty of water. After initial flushing, remove any contact lenses and continue flushing for at least 15 minutes. If eye irritation persists, consult a specialist.

On ingestion:

No hazards which require special first aid measures.

Precautions:

Processing vapors inhalation may be irritating to the respiratory tract. If symptoms are experienced remove victim from the source of contamination or move victim to fresh air and obtain medical advice.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Explosive Limits

upper: Not applicable
lower: Not applicable

Suitable Extinguishing Media: Water spray mist or foam.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media for Safety Reasons: Carbon dioxide and dry chemical are not recommended because their lack of cooling capacity may permit re-ignition.

Hazards from Combustion Products: Fire will produce dense black smoke containing hazardous combustion products, carbon oxides, hydrocarbon fragments.

Special Protective Equipment for Firefighters: Do not enter fire area without proper protection including self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective equipment. Fight fire from a safe distance and a protected location due to the potential of hazardous vapors and decomposition products.

Specific Hazards: Take precautionary measures against static discharges. Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors. Dust formed by operations such as cutting or grinding may form an explosive mixture in air.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Clean up: Gather and store in a closed container pending a recyclability or waste disposal evaluation.

Personal Precautions: See section 8.

Environmental Precautions: Material should not be released into the environment. Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling: Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practices. Provide for appropriate exhaust ventilation and dust collection at machinery. Avoid dust formation. Accumulation of waste films, sheets and/or masking may create a slipping hazard.

Storage: Keep away from heat sources and sources of ignition.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Engineering Measures to Exposure:

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Processing fume condensate may be a fire hazard and toxic; remove periodically from exhaust hoods, ductwork, and other surfaces using appropriate personal protection.

Hand Protection:

Protective gloves should be worn

Eye Protection:

Safety glasses

Respiratory Protection:

When using this product at elevated temperatures, implement engineering systems, administrative controls or a respiratory protection program (including a respirator approved for protection from organic vapors, acid, gases, and particulate matter) if processing vapors are not adequately controlled or operators experience symptoms of overexposure. If dust or powder are produced from secondary operations such as sawing or grinding, use a respirator approved for protection from dust.

Body Protection:

Long sleeved clothing

Hygiene Measures:

When using, do not eat, drink or smoke.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical State:

Solid

Appearance:

Sheet or film

Color:

Varies

Odor:

None or slight

Melting point/range:

This product does not exhibit a sharp melting point but softens gradually over a wide range of temperatures.

Explosive Limits

upper:

Not applicable

lower:

Not applicable

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability:

Stable under ambient conditions. Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

Conditions to Avoid:

Do not exceed maximum temperatures recommended in the product literature.

Hazardous Decomposition Products:

Process vapors under recommended processing conditions may include trace levels of hydrocarbons, phenols, alkylphenols, diarylcarbonates.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute Toxicity

LD50/oral/rat:	>5000 mg/kg, (estimated)
LD50/dermal/rabbit:	>2000 mg/kg, estimated
Inhalation:	Inhalation unlikely due to physical form.
Eye Contact:	Resin particles, like other inert materials, are mechanically irritating to eyes.
Skin Contact:	Not likely to cause irritation.
Ingestion:	Ingestion unlikely due to physical form.
Chronic Toxicity:	No information available.
IARC:	Not listed
OSHA:	Not regulated
NTP:	Not tested
Remarks:	The toxicological data has been taken from products of similar composition
Special Studies:	Processing fumes from similar products are not considered toxic. In acute inhalation tests, laboratory rats were exposed to processing fumes at concentrations exaggerating those that would likely occur in workplace situations. No deaths or signs of toxicity, except transient irritancy in some cases, were noted during the 6 hour fume exposure tests. There were no distinct or consistent treatment related tissue or organ changes noted in gross necropsies.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Other information:	Not expected to end up in the environment under conditions of intended use and appropriate disposal.
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13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Disposal:	Recycling is encouraged. Landfill or incinerate in accordance with federal, state and local requirements. Collected processing fume condensates and incinerator ash should be tested to determine waste classification.
US EPA Waste number:	None

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Transport Classification:

Not regulated as hazardous for shipment, unless noted below, under current transportation guidelines.

DOT

ADR/RID/ADN

IMDG

ICAO

IATA-DGR

MEXICO

CANADA/TDG

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

International Inventories:

Film and sheet products are articles, exempt from registration or notification in those countries that have national chemical inventories.

CERCLA/SARA 311/312/313:

This product is a non-hazardous article and therefore not subject to the requirements of Title III of SARA (Emergency Planning and Community Right-To-Know Act).

Canada:

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations (CPR) and the SDS contains all the information required by the CPR.

WHMIS hazard class:

Non-controlled, article

California Proposition 65:

This product does not contain components known to the State of California to cause cancer and/or reproductive effects.

RoHS EU Directive 2011/65/EU:

This product complies with RoHS - it does not intentionally contain banned chemicals.

16. OTHER INFORMATION

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