

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

## 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

<b>COMMON NAME:</b>	PVC Pipe and Fittings	
<b>CHEMICAL NAME:</b>	Not Applicable. Formulation, see section 3.	
<b>FORMULA:</b>	Mixture	
<b>PRODUCT CAS NO.:</b>	Mixture, see Section 3.	
<b>Recommended Use:</b>	Drain Waste Vent and Pressure Pipe and Fittings	
<b>SUPPLIER:</b>	Charlotte Pipe and Foundry Company (Plastics Division)	
<b>ADDRESS:</b>	4210 Old Charlotte Highway	
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## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION



GHS Status	This material is hazardous in accordance with the hazard communication standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200
Classification of the substance or mixture	Skin irritation – Category 2 Eye irritation – Category 2A Carcinogenicity – Category 2B Specific target organ toxicity – single exposure – Category 3
GHS label pictogram	Warning
Signal word	Warning

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Hazard statements	Causes serious eye irritation. Causes skin irritation. May cause respiratory irritation. Suspected of causing cancer. Route of exposure: inhalation of airborne unbound particles of respirable size.
Precautionary statements Prevention	Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist. Obtain special instructions before use. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Wear protective respiratory protection.
Response	If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.
Storage	Keep away from intense heat, flames. Store locked up.
Disposal	Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.
Hazards not otherwise classified	None known.
Relevant routes of exposure Inhalation	Skin, eyes, inhalation.  Melted product is flammable and produces intense heat and dense smoke during burning. Irritating gases and fumes may be given off during burning or thermal decomposition. Inhalation of airborne unbound particles of respirable size may cause cancer.
Skin contact	Gases and fumes evolved during thermal processing or decomposition can cause skin irritation.
Eye contact	Dust can cause eye irritation. Gases and fumes evolved during thermal processing or decomposition can cause eye irritation.
Ingestion	No data available.

### 3. HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION

INGREDIENT	CAS NUMBER	% WEIGHT
Polyvinyl chloride	9002-86-2	> 80%
Titanium dioxide	13463-67-7	0-5%

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

**EYE CONTACT:** Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water occasionally lifting the upper and lower eyelids. Check for and remove any contact lenses. Continue to rinse for at least 15 minutes. Consult a physician.

**SKIN CONTACT:** Rinse with water. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. In the event of any complaints or symptoms,

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avoid further exposure. Wash clothing before reuse. Clean shoes before reuse.

**INHALATION:** If vapors from excessive heating, burning or decomposition products are inhaled: remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. If not breathing, if breathing is irregular, or if respiratory arrest occurs, provide artificial respiration or oxygen by trained personnel. It may be dangerous to the person providing aid to give mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. Get medical attention. If unconscious, place in recovery position and get medical attention immediately. Maintain an open airway. Loosen tight clothing, such as collar, tie, belt, or waistband. In case of inhalation of decomposition products in a fire, symptoms may be delayed. The exposed person may need to be kept under medical surveillance.

**INGESTION:** Wash out mouth with water. Remove dentures, if any. Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. If material has been swallowed and the exposed person is conscious, give small quantities of water to drink. Stop if the exposed person feels sick as vomiting may be dangerous. Do not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. If vomiting occurs, the head should be kept low so that vomit does not enter the lungs. Get medical attention. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If unconscious, place in recovery position and get medical attention immediately. Loosen tight clothing, such as collar, tie, belt, or waistband. Consult a physician.

Notes to physician: In case of inhalation of decomposition products in a fire, symptoms may be delayed. The exposed person may need to be kept under surveillance for 48 hours.

Specific treatments: None known.

### 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

#### FLAMMABLE PROPERTIES

FLASH POINT: No data.

Decomposition products may be combustible.

#### FLAMMABLE LIMITS:

LEL: No data

UEL: No data

**EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:** Water, foam, dry chemical. Do not use CO<sub>2</sub> on Class A fires, as a lack of cooling capacity may result in re-ignition.

**FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS:** Solid does not readily release flammable vapors. Thermoplastic polymers can burn. Smoke, Carbon Monoxide, Carbon Dioxide, Aldehydes, Hydrogen Chloride, Tin. Irritating and/or toxic substances will be emitted during burning, combustion, or decomposition. Run-off water from firefighting may have corrosive effects.

**PROTECTIVE MEASURES FOR FIRE FIGHTERS:** Firefighters must wear a NIOSH-approved, full-facepiece self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) operated in positive pressure mode and full turnout or bunker gear with additional chemical protective clothing as necessary to protect against thermal decomposition products.

**SPECIAL PROTECTIVE ACTIONS FOR FIRE FIGHTERS:** If there is a fire, promptly isolate the scene by removing all persons from the vicinity of the incident. No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training.

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### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

#### EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

Toxic and irritating gases and fumes may be given off during burning or thermal decomposition. Avoid generating dust. Fine dust dispersed in air in sufficient concentrations, and in the presence of an ignition source is a potential dust explosion hazard.

#### Personal precautions, protective equipment, and emergency measures

For non-emergency personnel No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training. Evacuate surrounding areas. Keep unnecessary and unprotected personnel from entering. Do not touch or walk through spilled material. Provide adequate ventilation. Wear appropriate respirator when ventilation is inadequate. Put on appropriate personal protective equipment.

For emergency responders If specialized clothing is required to deal with decomposition products or fumes from burning or excessive heating, take note of information in Section 8 on suitable and unsuitable materials. See also information in "for non-emergency personnel."

Environmental precautions Avoid dispersal of spilled material and runoff and contact with soil, waterways, drains, and sewers. Inform the relevant authorities if the product has caused environmental pollution (sewers, waterways, soil, or air).

#### Methods and materials for containment and cleanup

Small spill Avoid dust generation. Vacuum dust with equipment fitted with a HEPA filter and place in a closed, labeled waste container. See Section 1 for emergency contact information.

Large spill Move containers from spill area. Approach release from upwind. Prevent entry into sewers, waterways, basements, and confined areas. Avoid dust generation. Vacuum dust with equipment fitted with a HEPA filter and place in a closed, labeled waste container. See Section 1 for emergency contact information.

### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities Store in a dry place away from direct sunlight, heat, and incompatible materials. Avoid intense heat and flames.

#### Precautions for safe handling

Protective measures Put on appropriate personal protective equipment (see Section 8). Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Do not get particles, vapors or fumes in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Do not ingest. If during normal use, the material presents a respiratory hazard, use only with adequate ventilation or wear appropriate respirator.

Advice on general occupational hygiene Employees must wash hands and face before eating, drinking, or smoking. Remove contaminated clothing and protective equipment before entering eating areas. See also Section 8 for additional information on hygiene measures.

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**8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

INGREDIENT	CAS NUMBER	% WEIGHT	PEL-OSHA	TLV-ACGIH	NIOSH REL
Polyvinyl chloride	9002-86-2	> 80%	None established Particulates not otherwise classified: 15 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (respirable fraction) Particulates not otherwise classified: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (inhalable fraction)	None established
Titanium dioxide	13463-67-7	0-5%	15 mg/m <sup>3</sup> , total dust	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA	None established

**ENGINEERING CONTROLS:** If user operations generate dust, fumes, gas, vapor or mist, use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to keep worker exposure to airborne contaminants below recommended and statutory limits.

**RESPIRATORY PROTECTION:** Cutting or sanding this product can generate dust. Used a properly fitted particulate filter respirator complying with an approved standard if a risk assessment indicates this is necessary. Respirator selection must be based on known or anticipated exposure levels, the hazards of the product, and the safe working limits of the respirator. A NIOSH-approved N95 single use or P95 multiple use respirator will protect the employee from at least 95% of airborne particles. Follow the respirator manufacturer's instructions for proper use. If adhesives or other substances are used with this product, refer to the product manufacturer's safety data sheet for applicable respiratory protective measures.

**SKIN PROTECTION:** Chemical-resistant, impervious gloves complying with an approved standard should be worn when handling this or any chemical product, if a risk assessment indicates this is necessary. Considering the parameters specified by the glove manufacturer, check during use that the gloves are still retaining their protective properties. It should be noted that the time to breakthrough for any glove material may be different for different glove manufacturers. In the case of mixtures containing several substances, the protection time of the gloves cannot be accurately estimated. If adhesives or other substances are used with this product, refer to the product manufacturer's safety data sheet for applicable skin protective measures.

**BODY PROTECTION:** Personal protective equipment for the body should be selected on the task being performed and the risks involved, and should be approved by a specialist before handling this product. If adhesives or other substances are used with this product, refer to the product manufacturer's safety data sheet for applicable skin protective measures.

**EYE/FACE PROTECTION:** Safety eyewear complying with an approved standard must be used when a risk assessment indicates this is necessary to avoid exposure to dust. Particulates and dust can be formed when cutting, grinding or sanding this product. If contact with dust or particulates is possible, the following should be worn unless the assessment indicates a higher degree of protection: safety glasses with side shields. If adhesives or other substances are used with this product refer to the product manufacturer's safety data sheet for applicable eye and face protective measures.

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### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

<b>APPEARANCE:</b>	Solid. White/grey.
<b>ODOR:</b>	Not applicable
<b>ODOR THRESHOLD:</b>	Not available
<b>BOILING POINT:</b>	Not available
<b>FLASH POINT:</b>	Not applicable
<b>FLAMMABILITY:</b>	Melted product is flammable.
<b>AUTOIGNITION TEMPERATURE:</b>	Not applicable
<b>DECOMPOSITION TEMPERATURE:</b>	Not available
<b>LOWER/UPPER EXPLOSION LIMITS:</b>	Not available
<b>VAPOR PRESSURE:</b>	Not available
<b>LIQUID DENSITY:</b>	Not available
<b>SPECIFIC GRAVITY:</b>	Approximately 1.4
<b>MELTING POINT:</b>	Not available
<b>pH:</b>	Not available
<b>SOLUBILITY:</b>	Insoluble
<b>% VOLATILE:</b>	Not available
<b>VISCOSITY:</b>	Not available

### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

<b>Stability:</b>	Stable at normal temperatures and pressures.
<b>Reactivity:</b>	Stable at normal temperatures and pressures.
<b>Conditions to avoid:</b>	Heat, flames, sparks and other sources of ignition.
<b>Incompatible materials/conditions:</b>	Consult the Charlotte Pipe and Foundry chemical resistance guide.
<b>Hazardous decomposition products:</b>	Hydrogen chloride, carbon oxides, small amounts of benzene and aromatic and aliphatic hydrocarbons, phosgene.
<b>Hazardous polymerization:</b>	Not available.

### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**ACUTE TOXICITY:** No toxicological data is available for the finished product.

**SENSITIZATION:** No data available.

**MUTAGENICITY:** No data available.

**DEVELOPMENTAL:** No data available.



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**FERTILITY:** No data available.

**CARCINOGENICITY:** Airborne unbound titanium dioxide particles of respirable size are classified by the International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) as 2B, possibly carcinogenic to humans. This product does not contain ingredients classified by the National Toxicology Program Report or OSHA at 29 CFR 1910, Subpart Z, as a carcinogen.

**REPRODUCTIVE TOXICITY:** Not available

**TERATOGENICITY:** Not available

**SPECIFIC TARGET ORGANS – SINGLE EXPOSURE:** Not available

**SPECIFIC TARGET ORGANS – REPEATED EXPOSURE:** Not available

**ASPIRATION HAZARD:** Not available

**INFORMATION ON THE LIKELY ROUTES OF EXPOSURE:**

**Potential acute health effects**

- Eye contact No known significant effects or critical hazards. Dust can cause eye irritation.
- Inhalation Exposure to decomposition products may cause a health hazard. Serious effects may be delayed following exposure.
- Skin contact Skin irritant.
- Ingestion No known significant effects or critical hazards.

**Symptoms related to the physical, chemical, and toxicological characteristics**

- Eye contact No data available.
- Inhalation No data available.
- Skin contact Adverse symptoms may include irritation.
- Ingestion No data available.

**Immediate, delayed and chronic effects from short term exposure**

Short term exposure

- Potential immediate effects No data available.
- Potential delayed effects No data available.

Long term exposure

- Potential immediate effects No data available.
- Potential delayed effects No data available.

Potential chronic effects

- General No data available.
- Carcinogenicity Airborne unbound titanium dioxide particles of respirable size are classified as IARC 2B, possibly carcinogenic to humans. On the date of preparation of this SDS, this product did not contain ingredients listed by OSHA or NTP. See Section 11.

**12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Numerical measures of toxicity No data available

Persistence and degradability  
Does not biodegrade over time.

Bioaccumulative potential  
No data available

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Mobility in soil  
No data available.

Other adverse effects: No known significant or critical hazards.

### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

The generation of waste should be avoided or minimized wherever possible. Disposal of this product, and by-products should at all times comply with the requirements of environmental protection and waste disposal legislation and any regional local authority requirements. Waste should not be disposed of to the sewer unless fully compliant with the requirements of all authorities with jurisdiction. Waste and packaging should be recycled when possible. Incineration or landfill should only be considered when recycling is not feasible. This material must be disposed of in a safe way.

### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

<b>PROPER SHIPPING NAME:</b>	Not Regulated
<b>HAZARD CLASS:</b>	Not Regulated
<b>IDENTIFICATION NUMBER:</b>	Not Regulated
<b>SHIPPING LABEL:</b>	Not Regulated
<b>PACKING GROUP:</b>	Not Regulated

### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

United States

TSCA 8(b):  
All ingredients are listed on the U.S. Toxic Substances Control Act inventory.

This product can expose you to chemicals including titanium dioxide, which is known to the State of California to cause cancer. For more information, go to [www.P65Warnings.ca.gov](http://www.P65Warnings.ca.gov).

### 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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Key to Acronyms:

CAS:	Chemical Abstracts Service
CFR:	Code of Federal Regulations
HEPA	High-Efficiency Particulate Air (filter)
IARC:	International Agency for Research on Cancer
LD <sub>50</sub> :	Lethal dose to 50% of exposed laboratory animals
LC <sub>50</sub> :	Lethal concentration to 50% of exposed laboratory animals
LEL:	Lower Explosive Limit
mg/l:	Milligrams per liter
NIOSH:	National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (US)
NTP:	National Toxicology Program
OSHA:	Occupational Safety and Health Administration (US)
PEL:	Permissible Exposure Limit
TSCA:	Toxic Substances Control Act
TLV:	Threshold Limit Value – American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists (ACGIH)
TWA:	Time Weighted Average
UEL:	Upper Explosive Limit

ug/m<sup>3</sup>:

Micrograms per cubic meter

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