

Safety Data Sheet

1. Product Identification		
Product Name	Flexible Polyurethane Foam (with and with	out backing film)
Chemical Family	Flexible Polyurethane	
Foam Grade	1570	
Chemical Name	Finished Goods	
Emergency Number	(02) 9832 0848	
	HMIS	NFPA
Health	0	0
Flammability	1	1
Reactivity	0	0

2. Hazardous Ingredients

The product is inert under normal conditions, however, if ignited, it will burn rapidly, consuming oxygen and producing toxic combustion by-products at high rates. It is classified as a flammable solid by 16CRF1500.44.

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3. Physical Data		
Appearance	Solid	
Colour	Will vary with the addition of pigments	
Odour	Negligible – fully reacted polymer	
	Some polyurethane foams may contain flame retardant additives which are not reacted	
Specific Gravity	Will vary with type of foam	
Bulk Density	Will vary with type of foam	
Solubility in Water	Insoluble	
% Volatile by Volume	Trace Amount	
4. Fire and Explosion Data		
Flash Point	Solid Material >93°C	
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Special Fire Fighting Procedures/Unusual Fire or Explosion Hazards	Full emergency equipment with a self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing should be worn by all fire fighters. During a fire, irritating vapours and toxic gasses will be generated; product may melt, producing flammable liquids.

5. Health Effects Data

No adverse health effects have been observed. Human experience indicates no irritation upon skin contact with polyurethane foam.

6. First Aid	
Eyes	Irrigate immediately with water for at least 5 minutes. Mechanical effects only. Seek medical attention.
Skin	No adverse effects anticipated with incidental or proper handling.
Inhalation	Remove to fresh air, seek medical attention.

7. Personal Protection

Safety glasses are recommended when cutting foam. Adequate ventilation and/or respiratory protections is recommended when cutting or shaping foam with a hot wire, or when flame laminating.

8. Reactivity Data	
Stability	Stable
Polymerization	Will not occur
Incompatibility	(Materials to avoid) – None (Conditions to avoid) – Extreme heat sources – light bulbs, sparks and open flames
Hazardous Decomposition Products	Burning polyurethane foams produce toxic decomposition products which are not significantly different from those of other nitrogen containing polymers. Such as wool, leather, nylon and ABS. The major toxicants are carbon monoxide, oxides of nitrogen, hydrogen cyanide, hydrogen halides phosphorous compounds and other irritants.

9. Spill Procedures	
Steps to be taken in case Material is spilled or released:	Collect as normal combustible waste.
Waste Disposal	Conform to local, state and federal regulations.
10. Transportation	
DOT Regulation	Not Regulated
FAA Regulation	Not Regulated

11. Special Precautions

Maintain adequate sprinkler protection where foam is stored. See your fire insurance carrier for specific recommendations. URETHANE FOAM WILL BURN. Do not expose urethane foam to open flames, burning cigarettes, space heaters, naked lights, or other sources of intense heat. If ignited, urethane foam will burn rapidly, consuming oxygen quickly and producing toxic gases.