

# **NIBCO® PEX - Crosslinked Polyethylene (PEX)** (ALL GRADES)

## Safety Data Sheet

according to the Hazard Communication Standard (CFR29 1910.1200) HazCom 2012 Date of issue: 06/01/2015 Revision date: 06/01/2015 Version: 1.0

## SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

**Product identifier** 

Product form : Article

: NIBCO® PEX - Crosslinked Polyethylene (PEX) (ALL GRADES) Product name

Product code : Not available

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

Use of the substance/mixture : Tubing, Fittings and Other Various uses

#### Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet 1.3.

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## **SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

#### Classification of the substance or mixture

#### **GHS-US classification**

This product is classified as an "article" under the OSHA HAZCOM 2012. Subpart Z - Toxic & Hazardous Substances, and as such is exempt from the requirement for classification. If this product is cut or processed in any way, hazards may apply. This SDS is not applicable to the product during processing.

#### Label elements

## **GHS-US** labelling

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#### Other hazards

No additional information available.

#### 2.4. **Unknown acute toxicity (GHS US)**

Not applicable.

## **SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

#### 3.1. **Substance**

Not applicable.

#### 3.2. **Mixture**

Name	Product identifier	%	GHS-US classification
None required.			

## **SECTION 4: First aid measures**

#### **Description of first aid measures** 4.1.

First-aid measures after inhalation : Not applicable for product in finished form.

First-aid measures after skin contact : Not applicable for product in finished form. If irritation occurs, flush skin with plenty of water.

Get medical attention if irritation persists.

Not applicable for product in finished form. If irritation occurs, immediately flush eyes with First-aid measures after eye contact

plenty of water. Remove contact lenses, if worn. If irritation persists, get medical attention.

: Not applicable for product in finished form. First-aid measures after ingestion

## Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms/injuries after inhalation : Not a normal route of exposure.

Symptoms/injuries after skin contact : Not normally a hazard. Small particles released on cutting may cause mechanical irritation. Symptoms/injuries after eye contact : Not normally a hazard. Small particles released on cutting may cause mechanical irritation.

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Symptoms/injuries after ingestion : Not a normal route of exposure.

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

Not applicable.

## **SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

## 5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media : Carbon dioxide, dry chemical, foam.

Unsuitable extinguishing media : None known.

## 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Fire hazard : Products of combustion may include, and are not limited to: oxides of carbon.

#### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

Protection during firefighting : Keep upwind of fire. Wear full fire fighting turn-out gear (full Bunker gear) and respiratory

protection (SCBA).

## **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

## 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

General measures : Not applicable.

#### 6.2. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

For containment : Not applicable for product in finished form.

Methods for cleaning up : Pick up large pieces, then place in a suitable container.

## 6.3. Reference to other sections

See section 8 for further information on protective clothing and equipment and section 13 for advice on waste disposal.

## **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

## 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling : No special precautions required. Do not cut the tubing with a saw.

Hygiene measures : Wash hands before eating, drinking, or smoking.

## 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage conditions : Keep away from heat, open flame and sources of ignition.

## 7.3. Specific end use(s)

Not available.

## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

## 8.1. Control parameters

No additional information available.

## 8.2. Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls : Ventilation is not normally required.

Hand protection : None necessary under normal conditions of use.

Eye protection : None necessary under normal conditions of use.

Skin and body protection : None necessary under normal conditions of use.

Respiratory protection : Not normally needed.

Environmental exposure controls : Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

Other information : Do not eat, smoke or drink where material is handled, processed or stored. Wash hands carefully before eating or smoking. Handle according to established industrial hygiene and safety practices.

## **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

## 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state : Solid

Appearance : Plastic articles
Colour : Various
Odour
Odour threshold : No data available
pH : No data available
Melting point : No data available

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Freezing point : No data available : No data available Boiling point No data available Flash point Relative evaporation rate (butylacetate=1) : No data available Flammability (solid, gas) : No data available **Explosive limits** No data available : No data available Explosive properties Oxidising properties No data available Vapour pressure No data available No data available Relative density No data available Relative vapour density at 20 ℃ Solubility : Insoluble

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water : No data available
Log Kow : No data available
Auto-ignition temperature : No data available
Decomposition temperature : No data available
Viscosity : No data available
Viscosity, kinematic : No data available
Viscosity, dynamic : No data available

## 9.2. Other information

No additional information available.

## **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

#### 10.1. Reactivity

No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.

## 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal storage conditions.

## 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.

## 10.4. Conditions to avoid

Heat.

## 10.5. Incompatible materials

None known.

## 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

May include, and are not limited to: oxides of carbon.

## **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

## 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity : Not applicable. Skin corrosion/irritation : Not applicable. Serious eye damage/irritation Not applicable. Respiratory or skin sensitisation Not applicable. Germ cell mutagenicity Not applicable. Carcinogenicity Not applicable. Reproductive toxicity : Not applicable. Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) : Not applicable. Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure) Not applicable. Aspiration hazard : Not applicable.

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## **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

#### 12.1. Toxicity

Ecology - general : May cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

## 12.2. Persistence and degradability

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Persistence and degradability Not established.

#### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

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Bioaccumulative potential Not established.

#### 12.4. Mobility in soil

No additional information available.

#### 12.5. Other adverse effects

No additional information available.

## **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

## 13.1. Waste treatment methods

Waste disposal recommendations

: This material must be disposed of in accordance with all local, state, provincial, and federal regulations.

## **SECTION 14: Transport information**

#### **Department of Transportation (DOT)**

In accordance with DOT

Not regulated for transport

## **Additional information**

Other information : No supplementary information available.

Special transport precautions : Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.

## **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

## 15.1. US Federal regulations

All components of this product are listed, or exempt from listing, on the United States Environmental Protection Agency Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) inventory.

## 15.2. US State regulations

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State or local regulations

This product does not contain a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects or other reproductive harm.

## **SECTION 16: Other information**

Date of issue : 06/01/2015
Other information : None.

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