



Material Safety Data Sheet DIFLEX II

Section 1: Product and Company Identification

PRODUCT NAME: DIFLEX II
CHEMICAL FAMILY: Thermoplastic Elastomer (TPE)

Section 2: Composition/Ingredients

MATERIAL	CAS No.	% wt.	TLV, ACGIH	*PEL, OSHA
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No hazardous ingredients

This material does not contain brominated flame-retardants and is not classified as hazardous under Federal OSHA regulations.

Section 3: Hazard Identification

EMERGENCY OVERVIEW: DIFLEX II roofing membrane as sold in solid form is generally not considered hazardous. However, if the process involves elevating the temperature above 284F (140C), hazardous levels of airborne gasses could be generated.

PRIMARY ROUTES OF ENTRY:

Inhalation: At processing temperatures above 284F (140C), fumes irritating to the eyes, nose and throat may be produced. This exposure may cause irritation to eyes, respiratory system, and skin. If exposed to fumes from overheating or combustion, move to fresh air. Consult a physician.

Skin Contact: No data available. However, based on experience, no unusual dermatitis hazard is expected with routine handling. Molten material contacting the skin will cause thermal burn.

Eye Contact: Mechanical irritation only.

Ingestion: Not a probable route of exposure.

MEDICAL CONDITIONS AGGRAVATED BY EXPOSURE: Persons with asthma may experience respiratory irritation upon exposure to fumes.

CARCINOGENIC REFERENCES: None.



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Section 4: First Aid Measures

FIRST AID FOR EYES: Flush for at least 15 minutes. If irritation persists or develops, consult a physician.

FIRST AID FOR SKIN: The membrane is not likely to be hazardous by skin contact but cleansing the skin after use is advisable. If molten material gets on skin, cool rapidly with cold water. Do not attempt to remove material from skin. Obtain medical treatment for thermal burn.

FIRST AID FOR INGESTION: No specific intervention is indicated as compound is not likely to be hazardous by ingestion. Consult a physician if necessary.

FIRST AID FOR INHALATION: If exposed to fumes from overheating or combustion, move to fresh air. Consult a physician if necessary.

Section 5: Fire Fighting Measures

FLASH POINT: Not available.

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA: Foam, carbon dioxide or water spray.

SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES: Wear full protective clothing and MSHA/NIOSH approved self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA).

UNUSUAL FIRE & EXPLOSION HAZARDS: This product is nonflammable and nonexplosive under normal conditions of use. At high temperatures this product can decompose to give off carbon dioxide, carbon monoxide, ketones, aldehydes, and unidentified organic compounds.

Section 6: Accidental Release Measures

SPILL OR LEAK PROCEDURES: Not applicable.

WASTE DISPOSAL METHOD: Dispose in accordance with local, state and federal landfill regulations.

Section 7: Storage and Handling

SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS: None.

OTHER PRECAUTIONS: None.



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Section 8: Exposure Control/Personal Protection

EYE PROTECTION REQUIREMENTS: Eye protection for general handling not normally required.

SKIN PROTECTION REQUIREMENTS: Protective gloves are recommended, to prevent mechanical irritation. If there is potential contact with hot/molten material, wear heat resistant clothing and footwear.

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION: Not normally required.

EXPOSURE LIMITS: Not established for product as whole. Refer to Section 2.

VENTILATION REQUIREMENTS: Recommend local exhaust when welding or processes involves elevating the temperature above 644F (340C); and/or when general ventilation is not adequate.

Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

PHYSICAL FORM:	Solid sheet	COLOR:	Dove
ODOR:	Faint odor	MELT POINT:	N/A
SOLUBILITY IN WATER:	Insoluble	SPECIFIC GRAVITY:	< 1
VOLATILE BY WEIGHT:	N/A	VAPOR PRESSURE:	N/A
pH:	N/A	VAPOR DENSITY:	N/A
FLASH POINT:	N/A	EVAPORATION RATE:	N/A

Section 10: Reactivity

STABILITY: Stable

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION: Will not occur.

INCOMPATIBILITIES with OTHER MATERIALS: Non-reactive

DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS: Carbon dioxide, carbon monoxide, ketones, aldehydes, and unidentified organic compounds.

CONDITIONS TO AVOID: Temperatures above 284F (140C),

Section 11: Toxicological Information

There is no information on the toxicity of this product as a whole. Under normal use of the solid form of this material there are no health hazards. Welding or any process at high temperatures may cause hazardous levels of certain elements, as addressed in previous sections.

Section 12: Ecological Information

No information is available. Ecological toxicity is expected to be low based on insolubility in water.



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Section 13: Disposal Considerations

Recycle or dispose of in accordance with local, state, and federal regulations.

Section 14: Transportation Information

D.O.T. SHIPPING NAME:	Not regulated	TECHNICAL SHIPPING NAME:	N/A
D.O.T. HAZARD CLASS:	N/A	UN/NA NUMBER:	N/A
PRODUCT RQ:	N/A		

IATA, Dangerous Goods Regulations: Not Regulated, in solid form

Section 15: Regulatory Information

OSHA STATUS: No specific regulations. The Hazard Communication Standard of the Occupational Safety and Health Administration, 29 CFR 1910.1200, considers components of this product a Hazardous Substance.

TSCA STATUS: In compliance with TSCA Inventory requirements for commercial purposes. Not listed.

RCRA STATUS: Not regulated in solid form

SARA TITLE III: There are no hazardous constituents in this product. Not subject to the reporting requirements under SARA Title III Section 313.

Section 16: Other Information

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This MSDS has been revised following the guidelines outlined in the American National Standard for Hazardous Materials Z400.1.1393 "Material Safety Data Sheets – Preparation"

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