

PVC Fittings and Pipes

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1. Identification of the Substance/Preparation and the Company Undertaking

Product Name Terrain PVC Fittings and Pipes

Supplier Polypipe Building Services

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Application Varied – see Technical Literature

2. Hazard Identification

Hazard Description

Non-Hazardous under normal conditions and use

Information concerning particular hazards to man and environment

Non-Hazardous under normal conditions and use

3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

Substances not classified as a health or environmental hazard when used in line with site instructions

4. First Aid Measures

After Inhalation

Not Applicable in normal use

If thermal decomposition occurs and vapours have been inhaled, remove patient from exposure and seek medical advice

After Skin Contact

Wash with soap and water

After Eye Contact

Rinse opened eye well to remove any particles. If symptoms persist, consult a doctor

After Swallowing

Not Applicable in normal use

If ingestion of dust occurs, rinse mouth out with water and seek medical attention if feeling unwell

5. Fire Fighting Measures

Suitable Extinguishing Agents

Water spray, CO2 or Foam

Protective Equipment

With large fires self-contained breathing apparatus must be worn

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5. Fire Fighting Measures (continued)

Additional Information

If immediate actions fail to extinguish, evacuate the area – Combustion of product produces toxic gases and fumes including Hydrogen Chloride, Carbon Monoxide & Carbon Dioxide

6. Accidental Release Measures

Personnel related Safety Precautions

Not applicable

Measures for Environmental Protection

Not applicable

Measures for Cleaning/Collecting

Material should be collected in clean containers and recycled where possible

7. Handling and Storage

Handling

Use in accordance with Site Work Instructions Gloves should be worn if sharp edges present a risk of cut

Storage

Store in accordance with Site Work Instructions Store away from sources of ignition

8. Exposure Control/Personal Protection

Exposure Limits

Not Applicable – substance is classified as non-hazardous

Personal Protective Equipment

General protective and hygienic measures

Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work Avoid contact with the eyes

Respiratory Protection

Wear suitable dust mask if cutting operation creates dust

Protection of Hands

Abrasive resistant gloves should be worn to reduce the potential risk of small cuts and abrasions, which may occur during the installation process

Eye Protection

Suitable safety goggles should be worn to reduce the potential risk due to cutting swarf and dust

Body Protection

Not Applicable

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9. Physical and Chemical Properties

General Information

Form Solid – Fittings and Pipes

Colour As specified Odour Odourless Ignition temperature >450°C Thermal Decomposition >100°C

Danger of Explosion Product is not explosive

Solubility in water Insoluble

10. Stability and Reactivity

Stability

PVC is stable if used according to specification and standard practice

Dangerous Reactions

PVC has certain solubility in presence of ketones, tetrahydrofuran, methylhydrofuran, dimethylsulphoxide and cyclohexanone

Avoid contact with acetal resin

Avoid strong oxidising agents above 60°C

Dangerous Decomposition Products

Fire or high temperatures create Hydrogen Chloride, carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide fumes

11. Toxicological Information

Acute Toxicity

Not Applicable

Primary Irritant Effect

On the Skin

No irritant effect

On the Eye

No irritating effect

Sensitisation

No sensitising effect known

12. Ecological Information

General Notes

PVC is considered to be benign. Generally any release into the environment should be avoided; this product is not biodegradable, and is not readily decomposed by weathering or by microorganisms

13. Disposal Considerations

Product Recommendation

Recycle where possible

Disposal according to local and national regulations

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13. Disposal Considerations (continued)

Packaging Recommendation

Recycle where possible. Disposal according to local and national regulations

14. Transport Information

Not classified as hazardous for transport

15. Regulatory Information

Not classified as hazardous for supply in the meaning of EU Directives

16. Other Information

These products should only be used for their stated applications

This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship

Since the users working conditions are not known by us, the information supplied on this safety sheet is based on our current level of knowledge and on National and community regulations

The product must not be used for any purpose other than that specified (Technical Literature) without first obtaining written handling instructions

It is at all times the responsibility of the user to take all necessary measures to comply with legal requirements and local regulations

The information given on this safety data sheet must be regarded as a description of the safety requirements relating to our product and not a guarantee of its properties

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