



PLATAMID® HX 2544 FA - TA

1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION**Company**

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Product Information

Product name: PLATAMID® HX 2544 FA - TA
Synonyms: Not available
Molecular formula: Proprietary
Chemical family: Copolyamide of high molecular weight
Product use: Adhesives, Hotmelt adhesives and coatings

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**Emergency Overview**

Color: translucent
Physical state: solid
Form: pellets
Odor: none

***Classification of the substance or mixture:**

Not a hazardous substance or mixture.

GHS-Labeling**Supplemental Hazard Statements:**

Processing may release vapors and/or fumes which cause eye, skin and respiratory tract irritation. For research and development use only by technically qualified individuals under section 5(h)(3) of the Toxic Substances Control Act

Supplemental information:**Potential Health Effects:**

Contains high molecular weight polymer(s). Effects due to processing releases or residual monomer: Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin. Data for residual monomer:

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Prolonged or repeated exposure may cause: convulsions, dermatitis, drowsiness, drying of skin, headache, local irritation, loss of consciousness, nausea, nosebleeds, weakness, (severity of effects depends on extent of exposure).

Medical conditions aggravated by overexposure:

Respiratory disease or diminished respiratory capacity. Skin disorders. (Data for residual monomer that may be released during processing)

Other:

This product may release fume and/or vapor of variable composition depending on processing time and temperature.

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	CAS-No.	Wt/Wt	GHS Classification**
Proprietary Polymer	Proprietary*	>= 97 %	Not classified
2H-Azepin-2-one, hexahydro-	105-60-2	1 - 5 %	H302, H315, H320, H335

*The specific chemical identity is withheld because it is trade secret information of Arkema Inc.

**For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Inhalation:

If inhaled, remove victim to fresh air.

Skin:

In case of contact, immediately flush skin with plenty of water. If molten polymer gets on the skin, cool rapidly with cold water. Do not peel solidified product off the skin. Obtain medical treatment for thermal burns. Remove material from clothing. Wash clothing before reuse. Thoroughly clean shoes before reuse.

Eyes:

Immediately flush eye(s) with plenty of water. Obtain medical treatment for thermal burns.

Ingestion:

If swallowed, DO NOT induce vomiting. Get medical attention. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

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Extinguishing media (suitable):

Water spray, Carbon dioxide (CO₂), Foam, Dry chemical

Protective equipment:

Fire fighters and others who may be exposed to products of combustion should wear full fire fighting turn out gear (full Bunker Gear) and self-contained breathing apparatus (pressure demand / NIOSH approved or equivalent).

Further firefighting advice:

Fire fighting equipment should be thoroughly decontaminated after use.

Fire and explosion hazards:

When burned, the following hazardous products of combustion can occur:

Carbon oxides

Hazardous organic compounds

Hydrogen cyanide (hydrocyanic acid)

(traces)

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**In case of spill or leak:**

Prevent further leakage or spillage if you can do so without risk. Ventilate the area. Sweep up and shovel into suitable properly labeled containers for prompt disposal. Possible fall hazard – floor may become slippery from leakage/spillage of product. Avoid dispersal of spilled material and runoff and contact with soil, waterways, drains and sewers. Consult a regulatory specialist to determine appropriate state or local reporting requirements, for assistance in waste characterization and/or hazardous waste disposal and other requirements listed in pertinent environmental permits.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**Handling****General information on handling:**

Avoid breathing dust.

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practices. These practices include avoiding unnecessary exposure and removal of material from eyes, skin, and clothing.

Storage**General information on storage conditions:**

Keep in a dry, cool place. Store in closed containers, in a secure area to prevent container damage and subsequent spillage. Store away from moisture and heat to maintain the technical properties of the product.

Storage stability – Remarks:

Stable under normal conditions.

Storage incompatibility – General:

None known.

Temperature tolerance – Do not store above:

140 °F (60 °C)

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8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Airborne Exposure Guidelines:

2H-Azepin-2-one, hexahydro- (105-60-2)

US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values

Form:	Inhalable fraction and vapor.
Time weighted average	5 mg/m ³

Only those components with exposure limits are printed in this section. Limits with skin contact designation above have skin contact effect. Air sampling alone is insufficient to accurately quantitate exposure. Measures to prevent significant cutaneous absorption may be required. Limits with a sensitizer designation above mean that exposure to this material may cause allergic reactions.

Engineering controls:

Investigate engineering techniques to reduce exposures below airborne exposure limits or to otherwise reduce exposures. Provide ventilation if necessary to minimize exposures or to control exposure levels to below airborne exposure limits (if applicable see above). If practical, use local mechanical exhaust ventilation at sources of air contamination such as open process equipment.

Respiratory protection:

Avoid breathing dust. Where airborne exposure is likely or airborne exposure limits are exceeded (if applicable, see above), use NIOSH approved respiratory protection equipment appropriate to the material and/or its components and substances released during processing. Consult respirator manufacturer to determine appropriate type equipment for a given application. Observe respirator use limitations specified by NIOSH or the manufacturer. For emergency and other conditions where there may be a potential for significant exposure or where exposure limit may be significantly exceeded, use an approved full face positive-pressure, self-contained breathing apparatus or positive-pressure airline with auxiliary self-contained air supply. Respiratory protection programs must comply with 29 CFR § 1910.134.

Skin protection:

Processing of this product releases vapors or fumes which may cause skin irritation. Minimize skin contamination by following good industrial hygiene practice. Wearing protective gloves is recommended. Wash hands and contaminated skin thoroughly after contact with processing fumes or vapors. Wash thoroughly after handling.

Eye protection:

Use good industrial practice to avoid eye contact. Processing of this product releases vapors or fumes which may cause eye irritation. Where eye contact may be likely, wear chemical goggles and have eye flushing equipment available.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Color:	translucent
Physical state:	solid
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Odor:	none
Odor threshold:	No data available
Flash point	Not applicable
Auto-ignition temperature:	> 878 °F (> 470 °C)
Lower flammable limit (LFL):	No data available
Upper flammable limit (UFL):	No data available
pH:	Not applicable
Density:	1.1 g/cm ³ (68 °F (20 °C))
Vapor pressure:	Not applicable
Vapor density:	Not applicable
Melting point/range:	194 - 212 °F (90 - 100 °C)
Evaporation rate:	No data available
Solubility in water:	68 °F (20 °C) insoluble
Solubility in other solvents: [qualitative and quantitative]	Soluble in: Phenol Metacresol Benzyl alcohol Formic acid (concentrate), Sulphuric acid (concentrate)
Oil/water partition coefficient:	No data available
Thermal decomposition	> 446 °F (> 230 °C)
Flammability:	See GHS Classification in Section 2

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability:

The product is stable under normal handling and storage conditions.

Hazardous reactions:

Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

Materials to avoid:

None known.

Conditions / hazards to avoid:

Avoid storing in moist and warm conditions. (to maintain the technical properties of the product). See Hazardous Decomposition Products below.

Hazardous decomposition products:

Thermal decomposition giving toxic, flammable, and / or corrosive products:

- Carbon oxides
- Ammonia
- Amino derivatives
- Hydrogen cyanide (hydrocyanic acid)
(traces)
- Hazardous organic compounds

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Data on this material and/or its components are summarized below.

Oral:

Acute toxicity estimate > 5,000 mg/kg.

Inhalation:

4 h Acute toxicity estimate > 10 mg/l. (dust/mist)

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Acute toxicity

Dermal:

No deaths occurred. (Rat) LD0 > 2,000 mg/kg.

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure:

Irritating to respiratory system.

Eye Irritation:

Causes eye irritation. (Rabbit)

Skin Sensitization:

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Not a sensitizer. Guinea pig maximization test. No skin allergy was observed

Not a sensitizer. Buehler Test. (Guinea pig) No skin allergy was observed

Repeated dose toxicity

Repeated exposure inhalation administration to Rat / affected organ(s): upper respiratory tract / signs: changes in organ structure or function / No significant impairment of function. (dust)

Repeated exposure dietary administration to Rat / affected organ(s): kidney, liver, testes / signs: changes in organ weights, hyaline droplet nephropathy / (not considered relevant in humans)

Repeated exposure dietary administration to Dog / No adverse effects reported.

Carcinogenicity

Chronic dietary administration to rat and mouse / signs: No increase in tumor incidence was reported. Classified by the International Agency for Research on Cancer as: Group 4: Probably not carcinogenic to humans.

Genotoxicity**Assessment in Vitro:**

No genetic changes were observed in laboratory tests using: bacteria

Both positive and negative responses for genetic changes were observed in laboratory tests using: animal cells, human cells, yeast

Genotoxicity**Assessment in Vivo:**

No genetic changes were observed in laboratory tests using: rats, mice

Both positive and negative responses for genetic changes were observed in laboratory tests using: fruit flies

Not genotoxic in vivo

Developmental toxicity

Exposure during pregnancy. oral (rat and rabbit) / No birth defects were observed. (levels produced toxic effects in the mothers and offspring)

Reproductive effects

Multiple generation reproduction test. dietary (Rat) / No toxicity to reproduction

Human experience**General:**

A workplace incident reported fever, nausea, vomiting, seizures, dermatitis. No effects on lung function or blood parameters. (based on a report of occupational exposure to workers)

Human experience**Inhalation:**

Respiratory tract: Discomfort, nosebleeds, dry/splitting nose, dry/splitting lips, inflammation of the membranes

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of the respiratory tract. (vapor)

Human experience

Skin contact:

Skin allergy was observed. (based on reports of occupational exposure to workers) Isolated case reports after exposure to a mixture containing this substance.

Local irritation, contact dermatitis. (based on reports of occupational exposure to workers) (repeated or prolonged exposure)

Human experience

Eye contact:

Eyes: Discomfort. (vapor)

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Chemical Fate and Pathway

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Biodegradation:

Readily biodegradable. (14 d) biodegradation 82 %

Octanol Water Partition Coefficient:

log Pow = 0.12

Ecotoxicology

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Aquatic toxicity data:

Practically nontoxic. Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) 96 h LC50 = 707.1 mg/l
 Practically nontoxic. Ictalurus punctatus (channel catfish) 96 h LC50 = 1,000 mg/l
 Practically nontoxic. Pimephales promelas (fathead minnow) 96 h LC50 = 1,400 mg/l

Aquatic invertebrates:

Practically nontoxic. Daphnia magna (Water flea) 48 h EC50 > 500 mg/l

Algae:

Practically nontoxic. Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae) 72 h EC50 > 1,000 mg/l

Microorganisms:

Pseudomonas putida 17 h EC50 = 4,240 mg/l

Chronic toxicity to aquatic invertebrates:

Practically nontoxic. Daphnia magna (Water flea) 21 d NOEC (reproduction) = 100 mg/l

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste disposal:

Where possible recycling is preferred to disposal or incineration. If recycling is not an option, incinerate or dispose of

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in accordance with federal, state, and local regulations. Pigmented, filled and/or solvent laden product may require special disposal practices in accordance with federal, state and local regulations. Consult a regulatory specialist to determine appropriate state or local reporting requirements, for assistance in waste characterization and/or hazardous waste disposal and other requirements listed in pertinent environmental permits. Note: Chemical additions to, processing of, or otherwise altering this material may make this waste management information incomplete, inaccurate, or otherwise inappropriate. Furthermore, state and local waste disposal requirements may be more restrictive or otherwise different from federal laws and regulations.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

US Department of Transportation (DOT): not regulated

International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code (IMDG): not regulated

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Chemical Inventory Status

EU. EINECS	EINECS	Conforms to
United States TSCA Inventory	TSCA	FOR RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT USE ONLY BY TECHNICALLY QUALIFIED INDIVIDUALS UNDER SECTION 5(h)(3) OF THE TOXIC SUBSTANCES CONTROL ACT.
Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL)	DSL	This product contains one or several components that are not on the Canadian DSL nor NDSL lists.
China. Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China (IECSC)	IECSC (CN)	Does not conform
Japan. ENCS - Existing and New Chemical Substances Inventory	ENCS (JP)	Conforms to
Japan. ISHL - Inventory of Chemical Substances	ISHL (JP)	Does not conform
Korea. Korean Existing Chemicals Inventory (KECI)	KECI (KR)	Does not conform
Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances (PICCS)	PICCS (PH)	Does not conform
Australia Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS)	AICS	Does not conform

United States – Federal Regulations

SARA Title III – Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Chemicals:

The components in this product are either not SARA Section 302 regulated or regulated but present in negligible concentrations.

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SARA Title III - Section 311/312 Hazard Categories:

No SARA Hazards

SARA Title III – Section 313 Toxic Chemicals:

This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (CERCLA) - Reportable Quantity (RQ):

The components in this product are either not CERCLA regulated, regulated but present in negligible concentrations, or regulated with no assigned reportable quantity.

United States – State Regulations

New Jersey Right to Know

<u>Chemical Name</u>	<u>CAS-No.</u>
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Pennsylvania Right to Know

<u>Chemical Name</u>	<u>CAS-No.</u>
Proprietary Polymer	Proprietary
2H-Azepin-2-one, hexahydro-	105-60-2

California Prop. 65

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

16. OTHER INFORMATION

Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3.

- H302 Harmful if swallowed.
- H315 Causes skin irritation.
- H320 Causes eye irritation.
- H335 May cause respiratory irritation.

Latest Revision(s):

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TSCA R&D Exemption material

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One or more of the chemicals we are shipping you are not on the Toxic Substance Control Act (TSCA) Inventory list and are being sent to you as a research and development (R&D) chemicals. In order to be exempt from Premanufacturing Notification (PMN) requirements, the EPA requires that these chemicals be used solely for R&D and that all research is supervised by a "technically qualified individual" as defined in 40 C.F.R. 720.3(ee) (see below).

The chemical, physical, and toxicological properties of these chemicals may not have been fully investigated. Use due caution in the handling of this material and follow appropriate good industrial hygiene and safety precautions to control exposure. Consult the enclosed (attached) Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) for additional information.

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