# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET: PULPDENT OPAQUER

**IDENTITY**:

Trade Name:

**PULPDENT OPAQUER** 

**Chemical Description:** 

Glass filler materials in methacrylate resins.

**Product Use:** 

Dental opaquer

**SECTION I** 

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SECTION II - HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS

Ingredients

PEL/TLV

Methacrylate resins

Not established

DOT HAZARD CLASSIFICATION:

Not required

WHMIS CLASSIFICATION:

D-2, Possible irritant

NFPA HMIS RATING: HEALTH: 0

FLAMMABILITY: 0

**REACTIVITY: 1** 

SECTION III - PHYSICAL / CHEMICAL CHARACTERISTICS

Boiling Point: n/a

Specific Gravity: 1.90

Vapor Pressure: <1 mm Hg

Melting Point: n/a

Vapor Density: 1

Evaporation Rate: n/a

Solubility in water: nil

Odor Threshold: n/a

Appearance and Odor: Thin paste with faint characteristic odor in near white and tooth shades.

SECTION IV - FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA

Flash Point: not established

Flammable limits: not established

Extinguishing Media: Carbon dioxide, dry chemical, alcohol foam, or water fog. Water spray may be used

to keep fire exposed containers cool.

**Special Fire Fighting Procedures:** A self-contained breathing apparatus should be worn by fire fighting personnel. Cool exposed containers with water spray to prevent polymerization under fire conditions.

Hazardous Combustion Products: carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide and oxides of nitrogen may occur under fire conditions.

Unusual Fire & Explosion Hazards: Hazardous polymerization with heat build up and release of carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide and oxides of nitrogen may occur under fire conditions.

SECTION V - REACTIVITY DATA

Stability: Stable

Conditions to avoid: Heat (>100°F), light.

Incompatibility: Reducing and oxidizing agents.

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, oxides of nitrogen.

Hazardous Polymerization: None under normal conditions of use.

Conditions to avoid: Heat (>100°F), light.

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#### SECTION VI - HEALTH HAZARD DATA

Summary of Acute Hazards: Minimal health hazard in the form and small quantity offered in this product. Minimal health hazard under normal conditions of use. May be irritating to eyes, mucous membranes or skin.

Route of Exposure

Signs & Symptoms

Inhalation

May be irritating to mucous membranes.

**Eye Contact** 

May be irritating; may cause burns.

Skin absorption

Skin Contact

Primary route of exposure; may be irritating.

Ingestion

None expected with this product under normal conditions of use.

Summary of Chronic Health Hazards: May be a sensitizer.

Carcinogenicity

Not known to be a carcinogen.

Teratogenicity, Reproductive Toxicity, Mutagenicity: None known.

Emergency First Aid Procedures:

Inhalation

Move exposed person to fresh air.

Eye contact

Flush eyes with running water for 15 minutes. See physician.

Ingestion

Consult physician immediately if large amounts are ingested.

Skin contact

Wipe off excess with alcohol. Wash skin with soap and water.

# SECTION VII - PRECAUTIONS FOR SAFE HANDLING & USE

Handling / Storage Precautions: Store at cool room temperature (< 75° F); avoid moisture and direct light.

Release or Spill: For small quantities (as in this product): Wear gloves, safety glasses. Pick up with absorbent material, such as paper or cloth. Dispose in covered container. Clear area of spill with alcohol.

Waste Disposal Method: Follow all government regulations. Other Precautions: Wash hands after use.

# SECTION VIII - CONTROL MEASURES

Respiratory Protection: Not necessary under normal conditions of use.

Ventilation: No special ventilation required under normal conditions of use. For large quantities /prolonged exposure, use enclosure, local ventilation and dilution to reduce concentration.

Protective Gloves: Chemically impervious gloves are recommended.

Eye Protection: Safety glasses are recommended under normal conditions of use in the dental office. Chemical splash goggles are required whenever there is a possibility of splashing or contact with eyes.

Protective Equipment: Emergency eye wash fountain.

Hygienic Practices: Wash hands after use.

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