

1. Identification

Product identifier	Kraton™ D Polymers (SBS) Talc Dusted
Other means of identification	
SDS number	16487
Product Code	D0243, D0246, D1101, D1102, D1116, D1118, D1152, D1157, D1184, D1191, D1192, D1194, Suffix Examples: AT, ET, ETF, KT
Recommended use	Industrial use
Recommended restrictions	None known.
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2. Hazard(s) identification

Hazards for the product as sold

Physical hazards	Not classified.
Health hazards	Not classified.
OSHA defined hazards	Not classified.
Label elements	
Hazard symbol	None.
Signal word	None.
Hazard statement	Not applicable.
Precautionary statement	
Prevention	Not applicable.

Response	Not applicable.
Storage	Not applicable.
Disposal	Not applicable.
Hazard(s) not otherwise classified (HNOC)	Static charges generated by emptying package in or near flammable vapor may cause flash fire.
Supplemental information	None.

3. Composition/information on ingredients

Mixtures

Chemical name	Common name and synonyms	CAS No./Unique ID	%
Styrene-Butadiene-Styrene Polymer (SBS)		9003-55-8	98 - < 100
Talc		14807-96-6	0.1 - 0.8
Other components below reportable levels			≤ 0.5

4. First-aid measures

Inhalation	If exposed to excessive levels of dusts or fumes, remove to fresh air and get medical attention if cough or other symptoms develop.
Skin contact	If burned by contact with hot material, cool molten material adhering to skin as quickly as possible with water, and see a physician for removal of adhering material and treatment of burn. Wash the skin immediately with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.
Eye contact	If hot product contacts eye, flush with water for at least 15 minutes and seek medical attention immediately. Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
Ingestion	Call a physician or poison control center immediately. Only induce vomiting at the instruction of medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.
Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed	Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.
Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed	Treat symptomatically.
General information	Get medical attention if symptoms occur. Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to protect themselves.

5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable extinguishing media	Water spray, dry chemical, carbon dioxide.
Unsuitable extinguishing media	Do not use water jet.
Specific hazards arising from the chemical	During fire, gases hazardous to health may be formed. Upon decomposition, this product emits carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide and/or low molecular weight hydrocarbons.
Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters	Self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.
Fire fighting equipment/instructions	Wear suitable protective equipment.
Specific methods	Use standard firefighting procedures and consider the hazards of other involved materials.
General fire hazards	Static charges generated by emptying package in or near flammable vapor may cause flash fire.

6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures	Keep unnecessary personnel away. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment. Avoid inhalation of fumes from molten product. Use a NIOSH/MSHA approved respirator if there is a risk of exposure to dust/fume at levels exceeding the exposure limits. Avoid contact with hot material. Ensure adequate ventilation. For personal protection, see section 8 of the SDS. If spilled, may cause a slipping hazard. Avoid dust formation. Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking.
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Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Collect and dispose of spillage as indicated in section 13 of the SDS. Avoid the generation of dusts during clean-up. The product is immiscible with water and will spread on the water surface. Attempt to reclaim the free product, if this is possible.

Environmental precautions

Avoid discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground.

7. Handling and storage**Precautions for safe handling**

Minimize dust generation and accumulation. Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking. Avoid heat, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. Do not smoke. Static electricity and formation of sparks must be prevented. Ground container and transfer equipment to eliminate static electric sparks. Avoid contact with hot material. Do not breathe dust from this material. Avoid breathing vapor from heated material. Avoid prolonged exposure. Avoid release to the environment. Observe good industrial hygiene practices. Follow all SDS/label precautions even after container is emptied because they may retain product residues. Maintain a fire watch if material reaches 225°C (437°F).

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store indoor. Keep away from heat, sparks and open flame. This material can accumulate static charge which may cause spark and become an ignition source. Prevent electrostatic charge build-up by using common bonding and grounding techniques. To maintain product quality, do not store in heat or direct sunlight. Keep in a cool, well-ventilated place. Store in tightly closed container. Keep containers closed when not in use. Store at ambient temperature and atmospheric pressure. Guard against dust accumulation of this material. Use care in handling/storage. Store away from incompatible materials (see Section 10 of the SDS). Do not store outside. Care should be taken when storing and handling this product. Apart from the specific nature of the polymer product, conditions such as humidity, sunlight, and temperature have an influence on the way the product behaves during storage and handling. Special attention should be paid to avoid inappropriate stacking of palletized bags or other package units. Indeed, polymer products may be dimensionally unstable under certain conditions. Do not stack Flexible Intermediate Bulk Containers (FIBCs) or palletized bags. Avoid storage under pressure or at elevated temperatures to minimize particulate clustering.

8. Exposure controls/personal protection**Occupational exposure limits**

The following constituents are the only constituents of the product which have a PEL, TLV or other recommended exposure limit. At this time, the other constituents have no known exposure limits.

US. OSHA Table Z-3 Permissible Exposure Limits (PEL) for Mineral Dusts (29 CFR 1910.1000)

Components	Type	Value	Form
Talc (CAS 14807-96-6)	TWA	0.1 mg/m3	Respirable.
		20 mppcf	
		2.4 mppcf	Respirable.

US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)

Components	Type	Value	Form
Talc (CAS 14807-96-6)	TWA	2 mg/m3	Respirable fraction.

NIOSH. Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health (IDLH) Values, as amended

Components	Type	Value
Talc (CAS 14807-96-6)	IDLH	1000 mg/m3

US. NIOSH: Pocket Guide to Chemical Hazards Recommended Exposure Limits (REL)

Components	Type	Value	Form
Talc (CAS 14807-96-6)	TWA	2 mg/m3	Respirable.

Biological limit values

No biological exposure limits noted for the ingredient(s).

Appropriate engineering controls

Good general ventilation should be used. Ventilation rates should be matched to conditions. If applicable, use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to maintain airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If exposure limits have not been established, maintain airborne levels to an acceptable level. Ventilation should be sufficient to effectively remove and prevent buildup of any dusts or fumes that may be generated during handling or thermal processing.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment**Eye/face protection**

Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles). Wear a face shield when working with molten material.

Skin protection	
Hand protection	Wear appropriate chemical resistant gloves.
Other	Wear suitable protective clothing and gloves. For molten product, use any type rubber thermal insulating gloves and other clothing as necessary to protect from thermal burns.
Respiratory protection	If engineering controls do not maintain airborne concentrations below recommended exposure limits (where applicable) or to an acceptable level (in countries where exposure limits have not been established), an approved respirator must be worn. Use a NIOSH/MSHA approved respirator if there is a risk of exposure to dust/fume at levels exceeding the exposure limits.
Thermal hazards	Wear appropriate thermal protective clothing, when necessary.
General hygiene considerations	Eye wash fountain and emergency showers are recommended. Launder contaminated clothing before reuse. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

9. Physical and chemical properties

Physical state	Solid.
Form	Porous Pellet. Crumb.
Color	White.
Odor	Odorless.
Melting point/freezing point	Not available.
Boiling point or initial boiling point and boiling range	Not available.
Flammability	Not available.
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	
Explosive limit - lower (%)	Not available.
Explosive limit - upper (%)	Not available.
Flash point	Not available.
Auto-ignition temperature	Not available.
Decomposition temperature	Not available.
pH	Not available.
Kinematic viscosity	Not available.
Solubility	
Solubility (water)	Not available.
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water)	Not available.
Vapor pressure	Not available.
Density and/or relative density	
Relative density	≥ 0.88 - ≤ 0.95
Relative density temperature	68 °F (20 °C)
Vapor density	Not available.
Particle characteristics	Not available.
Other information	
Explosive properties	Not explosive.
Oxidizing properties	Not oxidizing.

10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity	The product is stable and non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.
Chemical stability	Material is stable under normal conditions.
Possibility of hazardous reactions	Risk of self-heating and self-ignition under long term exposure to high temperatures.
Conditions to avoid	Avoid exposure to high temperatures or direct sunlight.

Incompatible materials	This product may react with strong oxidizing agents. Strong acids, alkalies and oxidizing agents.
Hazardous decomposition products	Upon decomposition, this product emits carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide and/or low molecular weight hydrocarbons.

11. Toxicological information

Information on likely routes of exposure

Inhalation	Inhalation of vapors/fumes generated by heating this product may cause respiratory irritation with throat discomfort, coughing or difficulty breathing. Prolonged inhalation may be harmful.
Skin contact	Molten material will produce thermal burns.
Eye contact	Molten material will produce thermal burns. Fumes released during thermal processing may cause eye irritation.
Ingestion	Health injuries are not known or expected under normal use.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity

Styrene-Butadiene-Styrene Polymer (SBS)	USP Systemic Toxicity Study in Mice – Extract:, No significant and/or relevant adverse effects reported.; for a representative substance.
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Skin corrosion/irritation Molten material will produce thermal burns.

Irritation Corrosion - Skin

Styrene-Butadiene-Styrene Polymer (SBS)	USP Intracutaneous Study in Rabbits – Extract:, for a representative substance. Result: Negative.
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Serious eye damage/eye irritation Molten material will produce thermal burns. Fumes released during thermal processing may cause eye irritation.

Respiratory or skin sensitization

Respiratory sensitization	Not a respiratory sensitizer.
Skin sensitization	This product is not expected to cause skin sensitization.

Sensitization

Styrene-Butadiene-Styrene Polymer (SBS)	Tests for irritation and skin sensitization, for a representative substance. Result: Negative. Notes: ISO 10993-10 Guinea Pig Maximization Sensitization Test
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Germ cell mutagenicity No data available to indicate product or any components present at greater than 0.1% are mutagenic or genotoxic.

Mutagenicity

Styrene-Butadiene-Styrene Polymer (SBS)	In Vitro Bacterial Mutagenicity Study in E.Coli and S.Typhimurium from extract., for a representative substance. Result: Negative.
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Carcinogenicity Risk of cancer cannot be excluded with prolonged exposure.

IARC Monographs. Overall Evaluation of Carcinogenicity

Styrene-Butadiene-Styrene Polymer (SBS) (CAS 9003-55-8)	3 Not classifiable as to carcinogenicity to humans.
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OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1053)

Not listed.

US. National Toxicology Program (NTP) Report on Carcinogens

Not listed.

Reproductive toxicity This product is not expected to cause reproductive or developmental effects.

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure Not classified.

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure	Not classified.
Aspiration hazard	Not an aspiration hazard.
Chronic effects	Prolonged inhalation may be harmful. Prolonged exposure may cause chronic effects.

Further information

Styrene-Butadiene-Styrene Polymer (SBS)

Cytotoxicity Study using the Colony Assay in Chinese Hamster Lung Cells (V79);, No significant and/or relevant adverse effects reported.; for a representative substance.
In Vitro Haemolysis Study in Red Blood Cells, Japanese MHLW;; No significant and/or relevant adverse effects reported.; for a representative substance.
USP Muscle Implantation Study in Rabbits – 7 Day;; No significant and/or relevant adverse effects reported.; for a representative substance.

12. Ecological information

Ecotoxicity The product is not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does not exclude the possibility that large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging effect on the environment.

Components	Species	Test Results
Styrene-Butadiene-Styrene Polymer (SBS) (CAS 9003-55-8)		
Aquatic		
<i>Acute</i>		
Fish	LC50 Rainbow Trout	> 1000 mg/l, 96 hr

Persistence and degradability No data is available on the degradability of any ingredients in the mixture.

Bioaccumulative potential No data available.

Mobility in soil No data available.

Other adverse effects No other adverse environmental effects (e.g. ozone depletion, photochemical ozone creation potential, endocrine disruption, global warming potential) are expected from this component.

13. Disposal considerations

Disposal instructions Collect and reclaim or dispose in sealed containers at licensed waste disposal site.

Local disposal regulations Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.

Hazardous waste code The waste code should be assigned in discussion between the user, the producer and the waste disposal company.

Waste from residues / unused products Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe manner.

Contaminated packaging Since emptied containers may retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is emptied. Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal.

14. Transport information

DOT

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

IATA

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

IMDG

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

Transport in bulk according to IMO instruments Not available.

15. Regulatory information

US federal regulations This product is not known to be a "Hazardous Chemical" as defined by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200.

Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) All components are either listed on the US EPA TSCA Inventory list and designated as "active" or are exempt from listing.

TSCA Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpt. D)

Not regulated.

CERCLA Hazardous Substance List (40 CFR 302.4)

Not listed.

SARA 304 Emergency release notification

Not regulated.

OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1053)

Not listed.

Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)

SARA 302 Extremely hazardous substance

Not listed.

SARA 311/312 Hazardous chemical No

SARA 313 (TRI reporting)

Not regulated.

Other federal regulations

Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) List

Not regulated.

Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112(r) Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130)

Not regulated.

Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA) Not regulated.

16. Other information, including date of preparation or last revision

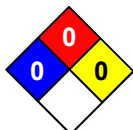
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