

# July 2015

# Safety data information

1. Description

**Product Name:** PAxx, PAxxEV/EEV

**Trade name** PalFoam

**Chemical Family:** Chemically Cross-linked Polyethylene/EVA Foam

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#### 2. Composition

- 2.1. Product type Chemically Cross-linked Polyethylene & EVA Foam
- 2.2 An Article is defined as an "object which during production is given a special shape, surface or design which determines its function to a greater degree than does its chemical composition" (REACH art. 3 No. 3)

Palziv foams are articles, and therefore an MSDS is not required. (REACH article 31)

2.3 Palfoam foams do not contain an SVHC candidate list substance, or other substance listed under REACH article 57 , in concentration of 0.1% (w/w) or above.

## 3. Handling & storage

3.1 **Handling** – No restrictions.

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3.2 Storage - It is advisable to store in a ventilated warehouse on pallets raised off the ground.

Avoid UV radiation.

State:

Foam should be packed in perforated polyethylene sheets for ventilation. The material must not be stored outside, particularly in the rain or in the sun. Shrink wraps are not advisable.

**Odor:** None

## 3.3 Physical and chemical properties:

Color:

Foam PE	Various		
<b>Density</b> : 25-200kg/m <sup>3</sup>	<b>Melting Point</b> : N/A	<b>Decomposition</b> <b>Temp</b> : >300°C	
Boiling Point: N/A	Vapor Pressure: N/A	Auto Ignition Temp: N/A	
<b>Flashpoint</b> : N/A	Explosion Risk: N/A	Water Solubility: None	

## 3.4 Stability and conditions

Stability:	(x) Stable	( ) Unstable
Conditions to avoid:	Temperatures over	150 <sup>0</sup> C
Hazardous Decomposition products:	CO <sub>x</sub> , Hydrocarbons,	Trace Ammonia
Hazardous Polymerization:	( ) may occur	(x) will not occur

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#### 4. Hazard identification

There are no known hazardous decomposition compounds.

#### 5. First aid measures

**Ingestion:** If material has been ingested, seek medical advice.

**Skin Contact:** There is no risk and no need to work with gloves.

**Eye Contact:** Rinse eyes with water. In case of an uncomfortable

sensation, consult a doctor or ophthalmologist.

### 6. Fire fighting measures

## Suitable extinguishing media: CO<sub>2</sub>, H<sub>2</sub>O, Foam, Dry Chemical Powder

During a fire it is advisable to cool the material with water. Material that was not ignited should, if possible, be removed from the vicinity of the fire to a safe area. Care must be taken not to stand underneath burning material, dripping of burning molten material may occur.

Smoke may contain toxic substances; it is therefore advisable to wear a mask.

Hazardous gasses that may be generated:

Carbon dioxide, carbon monoxide, nitrogen monoxide, nitrogen dioxide.

Even after the flames have been extinguished, the material should be cooled with water, in order to prevent a renewed outbreak of the fire due to self-ignition.

#### 7. Accidental Release Measures

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Environmental Precautions:

None necessary

**Methods for Cleaning Up:** Can be cleaned by any acceptable method:

Dust and fragments may be vacuumed, swept or blown away by use of air pressure.

### 8. Personal protection and exposure

### **Engineering measures to reduce exposure:**

If dust or vapor condition is above the recommended level, use local extraction apparatus (likely only in the case of a fire).

### **Personal Protection Equipment:**

Respiratory

Not necessary.

**Protection:** 

**Hand** Not necessary.

**Protection:** 

**Eye Protection:** Not necessary.

**Skin and Body** 

There is no need for any protective measures.

Protection: Hygiene

Do not eat, smoke or drink where material is

handled, processed or stored. Wash hands

carefully before eating or smoking.

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### 9. Disposal

### 9.1 Ecological and recycling information

**Details for**In the waste can be buried at an appropriate site or burned in a furnace. The foam can also be ground

down/fed for the production of recycled foams.

Performance in Ecological Sub

System:

PE is regarded as biologically inert.

9.2

**Waste from** Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

residues/unused:

**Contaminated** Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

Packaging:

### 10. Transportation information

ADR/RID-HI/UN No.: Not classified Class:

**Proper shipping name:** 

IMDG-UN No.: None Marine Pollutant: No Class:

**Proper shipping name:** 

MFAG: MDG Page: EMS: ICAO: UNI/ID No.: Class:

**Proper shipping name:** 

### 11. Regulations

Classification according to European directive on classification of hazardous preparations 91/155/EEC, and REACH regulation article 33 (Information Obligation by the supplier).