

# SAFETY INFORMATION SHEET

# POLYETHYLENE Anteo<sup>TM</sup> FK1516

#### 1. IDENTIFICATION

Product name: FK1516

Intended use: Raw material for plastic industry

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#### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### **GHS** classification:

This product is not hazardous Singapore Standard SS 586: Part 2: 2022 (Globally Harmonized System of classification and labeling of chemicals (GHS) – Singapore adaptations

Physical: No classification based on available information.
Health: No classification based on available information.
Environmental: No classification based on available information.
Other hazards: Inhalation of dust may irritate the respiratory tract.

Prolonged inhalation of high doses of decomposition products

may give headache or irritation of the respiratory tract.

Dust from the product (when mixed with air in critical proportions and in the presence of an ignition source) may present a dust explosion hazard.

Spilled material may present a slipping hazard.

#### **GHS label elements:**

Pictograms: Nil.
Signal word: Nil.
Hazard Statements: Nil.
Precautionary statements: Nil.

# 3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

The product is a polyethylene polymer.

Contains no substance classified as hazardous in concentrations, which should be taken into account according to GHS standards/regulations.

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# 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Inhalation: If experiencing respiratory symptoms: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a

position comfortable for breathing. Get medical advice / attention.

Skin contact: If molten material comes in contact with skin, cool with plenty of water. Do not remove

solidified product.

Eye contact: No specific instruction needed. Ingestion: No specific instruction needed.

#### 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media: Water in spread jet, dry chemicals, foam or Carbon Dioxide.

Specific hazards during fire-fighting: Product will burn under fire conditions. Dust from the product (when

mixed with air in critical proportions and in the presence of an ignition source) may present a dust explosion hazard. Principal toxicant in the

smoke is Carbon Monoxide.

Special protective actions for

fire-fighters:

Fire fighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus, boots, gloves, goggles and full protective clothing. Extinguish from the upwind

direction.

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective No flames, No sparks. Eliminate all sources of ignition.

equipment and emergency measures: Avoid breathing dust. Use personal protective equipment as required.

Refer to Section 8: Exposure Controls / Personal Protection.

Methods for cleaning up: Suck or sweep up spill. All spill of material must be removed immediately

to prevent slipping accidents. Prevent product from entering environment

and drains

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling: During processing and thermal treatment of the product, small amounts of volatile hydrocarbons

may be released. Provide adequate ventilation. Local exhaust ventilation may be necessary. Avoid inhalation of dust and decomposition fumes. Dust from the product gives a potential risk for dust explosion. Avoid the formation or spread of dust in the atmosphere. Avoid the build-up of dust. Clean regularly. Ground container and receiving equipment. Take precautionary measures

against static discharge

Storage: Safety aspects do not require any special precautions in terms of storage. Keep in a dry place.

More information on storage can be found in Product Data Sheet (PDS) for this product.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Component	Basis	Control parameters / Occupational exposure limits	
Inhalable dust	USA / ACGIH	TLV-TWA:	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
	UK HSE EH40/2005	8 hr TWA:	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Respirable dust	USA / ACGIH	TLV-TWA:	3 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
	UK HSE EH40/2005	8 hr TWA:	4 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

Engineering controls: Extraction to remove dust at its source. Provide adequate ventilation.





Local exhaust ventilation may be necessary.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance: Solid, pellet, natural colour Melting point / range: 100 -140°C Odour: Odourless Ignition temperature: >320°C

Density: 0.9-1.0g/cm<sup>3</sup> Solubility in water: Insoluble in water

#### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Chemical stability: The product is a stable thermoplastic.

Reactivity: No chemical reactivity

Conditions to avoid: Dusty conditions, heat, open flame, spark, static electricity.

Incompatible materials: Nil.

Hazardous decomposition materials: On combustion releases: Oxides of Carbon.

#### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

The product is not classified as a hazardous mixture according to GHS standards/regulations However, inhalation of dust may irritate the respiratory tract. Prolonged inhalation of high doses of decomposition products may give headache or irritation of the respiratory tract.

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

The product is not classified as hazardous to the environment according to GHS standards/regulations.

#### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Reuse or recycle if not contaminated. The product may be safely used as fuel. Proper combustion does not require any special flue gas control. Check with local regulations.

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

#### 14.1 UN number

Not regulated as a dangerous good

# 14.2 UN proper shipping name

Not regulated as a dangerous good

# 14.3 Transport hazard class(es)

Not regulated as a dangerous good

# 14.4 Packing group

Not regulated as a dangerous good

## 14.5 Environmental hazards

Not regulated as a dangerous good

# 14.6 Special precautions for user

Remarks: Not dangerous goods in the meaning of ADR/RID, ADN, IMDG-Code, ICAO/IATA-DGR

# 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

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Chemical inventory	Status
Australia / AIIC	Υ
Canada / DSL:	Υ
China / IECSC:	Υ
Europe / EINECS or ELINCS or NLP:	Р
Japan / ENCS:	Υ
Japan / ISHL:	Υ
Korea / KECI:	Υ
New Zealand / NZIoC:	Е
Philippines / PICCS:	Υ
Taiwan / TCSI:	Υ
USA / TSCA (all relevant	
ingredients designated as active):	Υ

Y = All ingredients are on the inventory.

E = All ingredients are on the inventory or exempt from listing.

P = One or more ingredients fall under the polymer exemption or are on the no longer polymer list. All other ingredients are on the inventory or exempt from listing.

N = Not determined or one or more ingredients are not on the inventory and are not exempt from listing.

## **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

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