



# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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**Product Name** 0.2, 0.45 mic Nitrocellulose/Filter Paper Sandwich

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## SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

### Product identifier

**Product Name** 0.2, 0.45 mic Nitrocellulose/Filter Paper Sandwich

**Catalogue Number(s)** 1620212, 1620213, 1620214, 1620215, 1620232, 1620233, 1620234, 1620235, 1620212EDU, 1620213EDU, 1620214EDU, 1620215EDU, 1620232EDU, 1620233EDU, 1620234EDU, 1620235EDU

**English chemical name** Nitrocellulose

### Other means of identification

**UN/ID no** UN3270

**Pure substance/mixture** Substance

### Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

#### Corporate Headquarters

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### Emergency telephone number

**24 Hour Emergency Phone Number** CHEMTREC Hong Kong: 800-968-793

### Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

**Recommended use** Laboratory chemicals

## SECTION 2: Hazards identification

### **Emergency Overview**

Flammable solid

**Appearance** Nitrocellulose membrane filters

**Physical state** Solid

**Odour** Odourless

### Classification of the substance or mixture

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**Flammable solids**

Category 1

**Label elements**



**Signal word**

Danger

**Hazard statements**

Flammable solid

**Precautionary statements**

**Prevention**

Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking  
Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

**Response**

In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol-resistant foam to extinguish

**Physical and chemical hazards**

Flammable solid. May be ignited by friction, heat, sparks or flames. Some may burn rapidly with flare burning effect. Powders, dusts, shavings, borings, turnings or cuttings may explode or burn with explosive violence.

**Health hazards**

Immediate Health Effects: Not applicable.  
Chronic effects: Not applicable.

**Environmental hazards**

Not applicable

**Other hazards which do not result in classification**

Not applicable

**SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

**Substance**

Chemical name	Weight-%	CAS No
Nitrocellulose	50 - 100	9004-70-0

**SECTION 4: First aid measures**

**Description of necessary first aid measures**

**General advice**

No hazards which require special first aid measures.

**Inhalation**

Remove to fresh air.

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<b>Eye contact</b>	Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Keep eye wide open while rinsing. Do not rub affected area.
<b>Skin contact</b>	Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated clothes and shoes.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Rinse mouth thoroughly with water.
<b><u>Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed</u></b>	No information available.
<b><u>For emergency responders</u></b>	Remove all sources of ignition. Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, take precautions to protect themselves and prevent spread of contamination. Wear personal protective clothing (see section 8).
<b><u>Note to doctors</u></b>	Treat symptomatically.

## SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

### Extinguishing media

<b>Suitable Extinguishing Media</b>	Dry chemical. Carbon dioxide (CO <sub>2</sub> ). Water spray. Alcohol resistant foam.
<b>Unsuitable extinguishing media</b>	No information available.
<b><u>Specific hazards arising from the chemical</u></b>	Risk of ignition. Keep product and empty container away from heat and sources of ignition. In the event of fire, cool tanks with water spray. Fire residues and contaminated fire extinguishing water must be disposed of in accordance with local regulations.
<b><u>Special protective actions for fire-fighters</u></b>	Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full firefighting turnout gear. Use personal protection equipment.

## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

<b>Personal precautions</b>	Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Use personal protective equipment as required. See section 8 for more information. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Ensure adequate ventilation. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. ELIMINATE all ignition sources (no smoking, flares, sparks or flames in immediate area). Pay attention to flashback. Take precautionary measures against static discharges. All equipment used when handling the product must be grounded. Do not touch or walk through spilled material.
<b>Other information</b>	Ventilate the area.
<b>For emergency responders</b>	Use personal protection recommended in Section 8.
<b><u>Environmental precautions</u></b>	Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 7 and 8. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Prevent product from entering drains.
<b><u>Methods and material for containment and cleaning up</u></b>	Stop leak if you can do it without risk. Do not touch or walk through spilled material. A vapour suppressing foam may be used to reduce vapours. Keep out of drains, sewers, ditches and waterways. Take precautionary measures against static discharges. Pick up and transfer to properly labelled containers.

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**Precautions to prevent secondary hazards** Clean contaminated objects and areas thoroughly observing environmental regulations.

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### **Precautions for safe handling**

Use personal protection equipment. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid breathing vapours or mists. Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking. Use grounding and bonding connection when transferring this material to prevent static discharge, fire or explosion. Use with local exhaust ventilation. Use spark-proof tools and explosion-proof equipment. Keep in an area equipped with sprinklers. Use according to package label instructions. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace. Regular cleaning of equipment, work area and clothing is recommended. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product. See Section 8 for information on appropriate personal protective equipment.

### **Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**

Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep away from heat, sparks, flame and other sources of ignition (i.e., pilot lights, electric motors and static electricity). Keep in properly labelled containers. Do not store near combustible materials. Keep in an area equipped with sprinklers. Store in accordance with the particular national regulations. Store in accordance with local regulations. Store according to product and label instructions.

### **Incompatible materials**

None known based on information supplied.

## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### **Occupational exposure limits**

This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

### **Note**

See section 16 for terms and abbreviations

### **Biological occupational exposure limits**

This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with biological limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies

### **Monitoring and observation processes**

No applicable information was found.

### **Engineering controls**

Showers  
Eyewash stations  
Ventilation systems.

### **Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment**

#### **Eye/face protection**

Tight sealing safety goggles.

#### **Skin and body protection**

Wear suitable protective clothing. Long sleeved clothing. Chemical resistant apron. Antistatic boots.

#### **Hand protection**

Wear suitable gloves. Impervious gloves.

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<b>Respiratory protection</b>	No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions. If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, ventilation and evacuation may be required.
<b>General hygiene considerations</b>	Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace. Regular cleaning of equipment, work area and clothing is recommended. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

<b>Appearance</b>	Nitrocellulose membrane filters
<b>Colour</b>	white
<b>Physical state</b>	Solid
<b>Odour</b>	Odourless
<b>Odour threshold</b>	No information available

<u>Property</u>	<u>Values</u>	<u>Remarks • Method</u>
pH		None known
Melting point / freezing point	No data available	None known
Boiling point / boiling range	No data available	None known
Flash point	12.8 °C	
Evaporation rate	No data available	None known
Flammability (solid, gas)	No data available	None known
Flammability Limit in Air		None known
Upper flammability or explosive limits	15	
Lower flammability or explosive limits	3.5	
Vapour pressure	No data available	None known
Vapour density	No data available	None known
Relative density	No data available	None known
Water solubility	Insoluble in water	
Solubility(ies)	No data available	None known
Partition coefficient	No data available	None known
Autoignition temperature	No data available	None known
Decomposition temperature	No data available	None known
Kinematic viscosity	No data available	None known
Dynamic viscosity	No data available	None known

### Additional information

<b>Explosive properties</b>	Not applicable
<b>Oxidising properties</b>	Not applicable

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

<b><u>Stability</u></b>	Stable under normal conditions.
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<b><u>Possibility of hazardous reactions</u></b>	None under normal processing.
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<b>Sensitivity to mechanical impact</b>	None.
<b>Sensitivity to static discharge</b>	Yes.

<b><u>Conditions to avoid</u></b>	Heat, flames and sparks.
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<b><u>Incompatible materials</u></b>	None known based on information supplied.
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**Hazardous decomposition products** None known based on information supplied.

## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### Acute toxicity

### Numerical measures of toxicity

#### Component Information

Chemical name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Nitrocellulose	> 5 g/kg ( Rat )	-	-

**Skin corrosion/irritation** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**Serious eye damage/eye irritation** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**Respiratory or skin sensitisation** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**Germ cell mutagenicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

#### Carcinogenicity

The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen.

Chemical name	China	IARC
Nitrocellulose	-	Group 2A

#### Legend

**IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)**

Group 2A - Probably Carcinogenic to Humans

**Reproductive toxicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**Specific target organ toxicity — single exposure** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**Specific target organ toxicity — repeated exposure** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**Aspiration hazard** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

## SECTION 12: Ecological information

**Ecotoxicity** The environmental impact of this product has not been fully investigated.

**Persistence and degradability** No information available.

**Bioaccumulative potential** No information available.

**Mobility in soil** No information available.

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## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### Waste chemicals

Should not be released into the environment. Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Dispose of waste in accordance with environmental legislation.

### Contaminated packaging

Empty containers pose a potential fire and explosion hazard. Do not cut, puncture or weld containers.

## SECTION 14: Transport information

### IMDG

UN number or ID number	UN3270
UN proper shipping name	NITROCELLULOSE MEMBRANE FILTERS
Description	UN3270, NITROCELLULOSE MEMBRANE FILTERS, 4.1, II
Transport hazard class(es)	4.1
Packing group	II
Marine pollutant	NP
Special Provisions	237, 286
EmS-No	F-A, S-I
Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL and the IBC Code	No information available

### IATA

UN number or ID number	UN3270
UN proper shipping name	Nitrocellulose membrane filters
Description	UN3270, Nitrocellulose membrane filters, 4.1, II
Transport hazard class(es)	4.1
Packing group	II
Special Provisions	A57, A73, A122
ERG Code	3L

### China

UN number or ID number	UN3270
UN proper shipping name	NITROCELLULOSE MEMBRANE FILTERS
Transport hazard class(es)	4.1
Packing group	II
Description	UN3270, NITROCELLULOSE MEMBRANE FILTERS, 4.1, II

### **Special precautions for user**

Please refer to the applicable dangerous goods regulations for additional information

## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

### Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

#### National regulations

#### **Law of the People's Republic of China on Prevention and Control of Occupational Diseases**

Catalogue of occupational hazard factors:  
Catalogue of occupational diseases:

Not applicable.  
Not applicable.

#### **Regulations on the Control over Safety of Hazardous Chemicals**

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Inventory of hazardous chemicals

The table below indicates ingredients above the cut-off threshold considered as relevant which are listed. Verify that licence requirements are met.  
Weight-% 100

Chemical name	Inventory of hazardous chemicals
Nitrocellulose	Listed

GB 18218-2009 Identification of major hazard installations for dangerous chemicals

Category

Flammable liquids

Threshold quantity (T)

1000

Chemical name	Threshold quantity (T)
Nitrocellulose	1 10 50

List of hazardous chemicals under priority management

Chemical name	List of priority hazardous chemicals under work safety management
Nitrocellulose	Listed

**Regulations on Labour Protection in Workplaces Where Toxic Substances Are Used**

Inventory of highly toxic goods

Not applicable

**Regulations for Environmental Management on the First Import of Chemicals and the Import and Export of Toxic Chemicals**

List of toxic chemicals severely restricted for import and export in China

Not applicable

**Measures for the Environmental Management of New Chemical Substances**

**IECSC - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances** Contact supplier for inventory compliance status.

International Regulations

**The Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer** Not applicable

**The Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants** Not applicable

**The Rotterdam Convention** Not applicable

**SECTION 16: Other information**

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**Revision Note** Significant changes throughout SDS. Review all sections.

**Abbreviations and acronyms**

Legend Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

TWA	TWA (time-weighted average)	STEL	STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit)
Ceiling	Maximum limit value	*	Skin designation
C	Carcinogen		

**Key literature references and sources for data used to compile the SDS**

Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (ATSDR)  
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ChemView Database  
European Food Safety Authority (EFSA)

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EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)  
Acute Exposure Guideline Level(s) (AEGl(s))  
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act  
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency High Production Volume Chemicals  
Food Research Journal  
Hazardous Substance Database  
International Uniform Chemical Information Database (IUCLID)  
Japan GHS Classification  
Australian National Industrial Chemicals Notification and Assessment Scheme (NICNAS)  
NIOSH (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)  
National Library of Medicine's ChemID Plus (NLM CIP)  
National Library of Medicine's PubMed database (NLM PUBMED)  
National Toxicology Program (NTP)  
New Zealand's Chemical Classification and Information Database (CCID)  
Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development Environment, Health, and Safety Publications  
Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development High Production Volume Chemicals Programme  
Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development Screening Information Data Set  
RTECS (Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances)  
World Health Organization

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