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1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Generic product name	: "URSA XPS" Extruded Polystyrene Foam
Recommended use	: Thermal and/or acoustical insulation of wall or roof
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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Most important hazards	: Non applicable under CLP-Regulation (EG) Nr. 1272/2008
Specific hazards	: No special hazards known, as long as you take care about the notes regarding storage and processing

3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATIONS on INGREDIENTS

Chemical Nature	: Extruded polystyrene foam.
EINECS-Number	: n.d.
CAS-Number	: n.d.
EC-Number	: n.d.
UN-Number	: n.d.
Hazardous ingredients	: n.a.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Information according to the different exposure route:	
Inhalation	: n.a.
Skin contact	: None
Eyes contact	: None. The procedure of removing particles from cutting or sewing is the same as removing dust or insects
Ingestion	: No emergency medical treatment necessary.
In case of any adverse reaction or continuous discomfort from any of the above exposure, seek medical professional advice.	

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5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media	Water, Carbon dioxide, Dry chemical fire extinguishers
Fire and Combustion Hazards	Dense smoke is produced when product burns Under fire conditions polymers decompose. The smoke may contain polymer fragments of varying compositions in addition to unidentified toxic and/or irritating compounds. Combustion products may include and are not limited to: Carbon monoxide. Carbon dioxide
Special Protective Equipment for Fire-fighters:	Wear positive-pressure self-contained breathing apparatus and protective fire fighting clothing (includes fire fighting helmet, coat, trousers, boots and gloves)
Additional notes	"URSA XPS" are polystyrene boards containing flame retardants which prevent ignition by small flames. When applied together with other combustible material there must be actions which ensure that the technical and the official requirements are fulfilled

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions	: There are no special required instructions.
Environmental protection	: There are no special required instructions
Methods for cleaning up	: Recover spilled material if possible. See Section 13, Disposal Considerations, for additional information

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

<u>Handling</u>	
Safe Handling:	Protection of Insulation boards from direct sun, moisture and direct heat. Certain operations such as grinding or cutting, may lead to build-up of dust which could cause a dust explosion. Provide adequate local ventilation and appropriate dust handling systems. Boards are attacked by soluble substances. Therefore the glue and all material which is in touch with the boards should be free of soluble substances. "URSA XPS" boards should not be exposed longer periods to temperatures above 70°C.
Fire and combustion notes:	Do not use open flame on the boards. This product is combustible and may constitute a fire hazard if improperly used or installed. When installed, this product should be adequately protected as directed by national building regulations or instructions in the specific application brochure. During shipment, storage, installation and use, this material should not be exposed to flame or other ignition sources. This material contains a flame retardant additive system to inhibit accidental ignition from small fire sources.

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Storage

Technical measures	: Protect from UV radiation.
Suitable storage condition	: Store products removed from pallet and packaging or loose un-palletised product, in a dry location
Incompatible materials	: Do not storage with easily flammable materials
Packaging material	: Delivered packed in polyethylene film or cardboard on wooden pallet

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Exposure Limit Value	: None at European level.
Exposure controls	: No specific requirements
<u>Individual protection equipments</u>	
Respiratory protection	: When working in unventilated area or during operations which can generate emission of dust. Type in accordance with EN 149 FFP1 is recommended.
Hand protection	: Wear usual gloves in conformity with EN 388
Eyes protection	: Wear goggles when working overhead. Eye protection to EN 166 is advised
Skin protection	: Cover exposed skin
Hygiene measures	: Rinse in cold water before washing

Good general ventilation should be sufficient for most conditions. Local exhaust ventilation on the equipment is necessary for processing operations such as cutting and grinding, to control the exposure to dust and fumes

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

(Method and values with measures according to directive 67/548/EG)

Physical state	: rigid board
Form	: board
Colour	: Yellow
Odour	: Odourless
Decomposition temp.	: 350°C
Melting Point	: 100 - 125°C
Softening point/range	: + 70°C
Flash point	: 380 °C
Flammability	: n.a.

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Ignition temp.	: Depends on contiguous flammable materials
Auto ignition temp.	: + 500°C, or only in combination with construction materials that are easily auto flammable (like wood).
Fire supporting characteristics:	: -
Explosion hazard:	: n.a.
Flammable limits in air:	: n.a.
Lower flammable limits:	: n.a.
upper flammable limits	: n.a.
Vapor pressure	: -
Density	: 25 - 49 kg/m
Solubility	: Materials should not get in contact with organic solvents as fuel, nitro-cellulose combination thinner etc.
Adhesive	: For adhesion to XPS, adequate adhesives must be used
Solubility in water	: insoluble in water
Fat solubility	: Contact with fatty acids should be avoided.
Distribution coefficient	: n.a.
pH-value (with 1000 g/l H2O)	: n.a.
Content of solvent	: n.a.
Check of solvent disjunction	: n.a.
Kinematic Viscosity	: n.a.
Additional notes	: n.a.

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Thermal Stability	: Thermally stable at typical use temperatures. Exposure to elevated temperatures above 70°C can cause the material to deform. Avoid load at temperatures higher than 70°C.
Dangerous reactions	: n.a.
Hazardous Decomposition Products	: Does not normally decompose. Decomposition products depend upon temperature, air supply and the presence of other materials. Decomposition products can include and are not limited to: Aromatic compounds. Aldehydes. Ethylbenzene. Polymer fragments. Under high heat, non-flaming conditions, small amounts of aromatic hydrocarbons such as styrene and ethylbenzene are generated.
Additional notes	: Avoid direct sun light, do not mix with organic solvents

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11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute Toxicity	: Toxicologically innocuous. In case of combustion, see section 10
Allergization	: n.a.
Skin and eye irritation	: Essentially non irritating to the skin. Mechanical injury only. Skin absorption is unlikely due to physical properties.
Eye Contact	: Solid or dust may cause irritation or corneal injury due to mechanical action.
Toxicity after long term exposure	: n.a.
Carcinogenic, mutagenic or reproductive toxicity	: n.a.
Practical experience	: No relevant information found.
Additional notes	: -

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Environmental hazard classification according to hazard symbol 'N'	: n.a.
Degradability	: Surface photo-degradation is expected with exposure to sunlight. No appreciable biodegradation is expected.
Ecotoxicity	: Not expected to be acutely toxic to aquatic organisms. With regard to bioaccumulation, there is no evidence of any significant leaching, therefore it is unlikely to contaminate ground water.
Additional ecological information:	
CSB-value	: n.a.
BSB-value	: n.a.
AOX-value	: n.a.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

According to the local regulation

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Road and Rail	: not regulated
Ocean	: not regulated
Air	: not regulated
Inland waterways	: not regulated
Additional notes	: -

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS)
The components of this product are on the EINECS inventory or are exempt from inventory requirements.

EC Classification and User Label Information

This product is not classified as dangerous according to EC criteria.

Additional information:

REACH Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006.

This product is an Article.

This product does not contain any substance very high concern

16. OTHER INFORMATION

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