



# SAFETY DATA SHEET

## POLYFLOC\* AP1131

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### 1. Identification

**Product identifier** POLYFLOC AP1131  
**Other means of identification** None.  
**Recommended use** Flocculant  
**Recommended restrictions** Industrial use only.

#### Company/undertaking identification

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### 2. Hazard(s) identification

**Physical hazards** Not classified.  
**Health hazards** Not classified.  
**OSHA defined hazards** Not classified.

#### Label elements

**Hazard symbol** None.  
**Signal word** None.

**Hazard statement** The mixture does not meet the criteria for classification. The material is not hazardous under the criteria of the Federal OSHA Hazard Communication Standard's (29CFR 1910.1200) implementation of the Globally Harmonized System (GHS), i.e., material is not a dangerous substance or mixture requiring GHS classification.

#### Precautionary statement

**Prevention** Observe good industrial hygiene practices.  
**Response** Wash hands after handling.  
**Storage** Store away from incompatible materials.  
**Disposal** Dispose of waste and residues in accordance with local authority requirements.

**Hazard(s) not otherwise classified (HNOC)** None known.

**Supplemental information** None.

### 3. Composition/information on ingredients

#### Mixtures

The manufacturer lists no ingredients as hazardous to health according to OSHA 29 CFR 1910.1200.

**Composition comments** Information for specific product ingredients as required by the U.S. OSHA HAZARD COMMUNICATION STANDARD is listed. Refer to additional sections of this SDS for our assessment of the potential hazards of this formulation.

## 4. First-aid measures

<b>Inhalation</b>	Move to fresh air. Call a physician if symptoms develop or persist.
<b>Skin contact</b>	Wash off with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.
<b>Eye contact</b>	Do not rub eyes. Rinse with water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists. Immediately flush eyes with plenty of low-pressure water for at least 15 minutes.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Rinse mouth. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.
<b>Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed</b>	Dusts may irritate the respiratory tract, skin and eyes.
<b>Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed</b>	Treat symptomatically.
<b>General information</b>	Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to protect themselves.

## 5. Fire-fighting measures

<b>Suitable extinguishing media</b>	Water fog. Foam. Dry chemical powder. Carbon dioxide (CO <sub>2</sub> ).
<b>Unsuitable extinguishing media</b>	Do not use water jet as an extinguisher, as this will spread the fire.
<b>Specific hazards arising from the chemical</b>	During fire, gases hazardous to health may be formed.
<b>Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters</b>	Wear full protective clothing, including helmet, self-contained positive pressure or pressure demand breathing apparatus, protective clothing and face mask.
<b>Fire fighting equipment/instructions</b>	In case of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes. Use standard firefighting procedures and consider the hazards of other involved materials. Move containers from fire area if you can do so without risk. Cool containers / tanks with water spray.
<b>Specific methods</b>	Use standard firefighting procedures and consider the hazards of other involved materials.
<b>General fire hazards</b>	No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted.

## 6. Accidental release measures

<b>Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures</b>	Keep unnecessary personnel away. Wear appropriate protective equipment and clothing during clean-up. Use a NIOSH/MSHA approved respirator if there is a risk of exposure to dust/fume at levels exceeding the exposure limits. For personal protection, see section 8 of the SDS.
<b>Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up</b>	Avoid the generation of dusts during clean-up. Collect dust using a vacuum cleaner equipped with HEPA filter. Stop the flow of material, if this is without risk.  Large Spills: Wet down with water and dike for later disposal. Shovel the material into waste container. Following product recovery, flush area with water.  Small Spills: Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal. For waste disposal, see section 13 of the SDS.
<b>Environmental precautions</b>	Avoid discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground.

## 7. Handling and storage

<b>Precautions for safe handling</b>	Minimize dust generation and accumulation. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. Practice good housekeeping. See Section 8 of the SDS for Personal Protective Equipment.
<b>Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities</b>	Store in tightly closed container. Store in a well-ventilated place. Store away from incompatible materials (see Section 10 of the SDS).

## 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

<b>Biological limit values</b>	No biological exposure limits noted for the ingredient(s).
<b>Appropriate engineering controls</b>	If material is ground, cut, or used in any operation which may generate dusts, use appropriate local exhaust ventilation to keep exposures below the recommended exposure limits.
<b>Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment</b>	
<b>Eye/face protection</b>	Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles).
<b>Skin protection</b>	
<b>Hand protection</b>	Wear appropriate chemical resistant gloves. The choice of an appropriate glove does not only depend on its material but also on other quality features and is different from one producer to the other. Glove selection must take into account any solvents and other hazards present.

<b>Other</b>	Wear suitable protective clothing.
<b>Respiratory protection</b>	In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment. A respiratory protection program that meets OSHA's 29 CFR 1910.34 and ANSI Z88.2 requirements must be followed whenever workplace conditions warrant a respirator's use.
<b>Thermal hazards</b>	Wear appropriate thermal protective clothing, when necessary.
<b>General hygiene considerations</b>	Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing after handling the material and before eating, drinking, and/or smoking. Routinely wash work clothing and protective equipment to remove contaminants.

## 9. Physical and chemical properties

<b>Appearance</b>	Powder
<b>Physical state</b>	Solid.
<b>Form</b>	Powder.
<b>Color</b>	White to off-white
<b>Odor</b>	Mild
<b>Odor threshold</b>	Not available.
<b>pH (concentrated product)</b>	Not available.
<b>Melting point/freezing point</b>	Not available.
<b>Initial boiling point and boiling range</b>	Not available.
<b>Flash point</b>	> 213 °F (> 101 °C) P-M(CC)
<b>Evaporation rate</b>	< 1 (Ether = 1)
<b>Flammability (solid, gas)</b>	Not available.
<b>Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits</b>	
<b>Explosive limit - lower (%)</b>	Not available.
<b>Explosive limit - upper (%)</b>	Not available.
<b>Vapor pressure</b>	< 0.1 mm Hg
<b>Vapor pressure temp.</b>	70 °F (21 °C)
<b>Vapor density</b>	< 1 (Air = 1)
<b>Relative density</b>	Not available.
<b>Relative density temperature</b>	70 °F (21 °C)
<b>Solubility(ies)</b>	
<b>Solubility (water)</b>	Not available.
<b>Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water)</b>	Not available.
<b>Auto-ignition temperature</b>	Not available.
<b>Decomposition temperature</b>	Not available.
<b>Viscosity</b>	Not available.
<b>Viscosity temperature</b>	70 °F (21 °C)
<b>Other information</b>	
<b>Explosive properties</b>	Not explosive.
<b>Oxidizing properties</b>	Not oxidizing.
<b>pH in aqueous solution</b>	7 (0.5% SOL.)
<b>VOC</b>	0 % (Estimated)

## 10. Stability and reactivity

<b>Reactivity</b>	The product is stable and non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.
<b>Chemical stability</b>	Material is stable under normal conditions.
<b>Possibility of hazardous reactions</b>	No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.
<b>Conditions to avoid</b>	Contact with incompatible materials.
<b>Incompatible materials</b>	Strong oxidizing agents.
<b>Hazardous decomposition products</b>	Ammonia, oxides of carbon and nitrogen evolved in fire.

## 11. Toxicological information

### Information on likely routes of exposure

Inhalation	Dust may irritate respiratory system.
Skin contact	Dust or powder may irritate the skin.
Eye contact	Dust may irritate the eyes.
Ingestion	Expected to be a low ingestion hazard.

**Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics** Dusts may irritate the respiratory tract, skin and eyes.

### Information on toxicological effects

**Acute toxicity** Not classified.

Product	Species	Test Results
POLYFLOC AP1131		
<b>Acute</b>		
<b>Dermal</b>		
LD50	Rabbit	> 5000 mg/kg (Estimated value)
<b>Oral</b>		
LD50	Rat	> 5000 mg/kg (Estimated value)

**Skin corrosion/irritation** Prolonged skin contact may cause temporary irritation.

**Serious eye damage/eye irritation** Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.

### Respiratory or skin sensitization

**Respiratory sensitization** This product is not expected to cause respiratory sensitization.

**Skin sensitization** This product is not expected to cause skin sensitization.

**Germ cell mutagenicity** Not classified.

**Carcinogenicity** Not classified.

#### IARC Monographs. Overall Evaluation of Carcinogenicity

Not listed.

#### OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1053)

Not listed.

#### US. National Toxicology Program (NTP) Report on Carcinogens

Not listed.

**Reproductive toxicity** Not classified.

**Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure** Not classified.

**Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure** Not classified.

**Aspiration hazard** Not classified.

## 12. Ecological information

### Ecotoxicity

Product	Species	Test Results
POLYFLOC AP1131		
<b>Aquatic</b>		
Algae	IC50 Selenastrum (algae)	> 100 mg/L, 72 H (Similar Product)
Crustacea	EC50 Daphnia magna	> 100 mg/L, 48 H (Similar Product)
Fish	LC50 Bluegill Sunfish	> 100 mg/L, 96 H (Similar Product)
	Rainbow Trout	> 100 mg/L, 96 H (Similar Product)

### Bioaccumulative potential

**Mobility in soil** No data available.

**Other adverse effects** Not available.

### 13. Disposal considerations

<b>Disposal instructions</b>	Collect and reclaim or dispose in sealed containers at licensed waste disposal site.
<b>Local disposal regulations</b>	Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.
<b>Hazardous waste code</b>	The waste code should be assigned in discussion between the user, the producer and the waste disposal company.
<b>Waste from residues / unused products</b>	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 (see: Disposal instructions).
<b>Contaminated packaging</b>	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.

Some containers may be exempt from Dangerous Goods/Hazmat Transport Regulations, please check BOL for exact container classification.

#### IATA

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

#### IMDG

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

### 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)

##### 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

Acrylamide (CAS 79-06-1)

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

Not regulated.

**Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA)** Contains component(s) regulated under the Safe Drinking Water Act.

#### Inventory status

Country(s) or region	Inventory name	On inventory (yes/no)*
Canada	Domestic Substances List (DSL)	Yes
Canada	Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)	No
United States & Puerto Rico	Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory	Yes

\*A "Yes" indicates that all components of this product comply with the inventory requirements administered by the governing country(s)

A "No" indicates that one or more components of the product are not listed or exempt from listing on the inventory administered by the governing country(s).

## US state regulations

### California Proposition 65



**WARNING:** WARNING: This product contains a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer and birth defects or other reproductive harm. This product can expose you to Acrylamide, which is known to the State of California to cause cancer and birth defects or other reproductive harm. For more information go to [www.P65Warnings.ca.gov](http://www.P65Warnings.ca.gov).

#### US - California Proposition 65 - CRT: Listed date/Carcinogenic substance

Acrylamide (CAS 79-06-1) Listed: January 1, 1990

#### US - California Proposition 65 - CRT: Listed date/Developmental toxin

Acrylamide (CAS 79-06-1) Listed: February 25, 2011

#### US - California Proposition 65 - CRT: Listed date/Female reproductive toxin

No ingredient listed.

#### US - California Proposition 65 - CRT: Listed date/Male reproductive toxin

Acrylamide (CAS 79-06-1) Listed: February 25, 2011

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

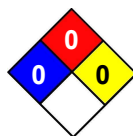
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**NFPA ratings** Health: 0  
Flammability: 0  
Instability: 0

**NFPA ratings**



### List of abbreviations

AICIS: Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals.  
DOT: Department of Transportation (49 CFR 172.101).  
GHS: Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals.  
IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer.  
OSHA: Occupational Safety & Health Administration.  
WHMIS: Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System.  
ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists  
BOD: Biochemical Oxygen Demand  
CAS: Chemical Abstract Service Registration Number  
COD: Chemical Oxygen Demand  
NFPA: National Fire Protection Association  
IATA: International Air Transport Association  
IMDG: International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code  
LC50: Lethal Concentration, 50%  
LD50: Lethal Dose, 50%  
NOEL: No Observed Effect Level  
STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit  
TOC: Total Organic Carbon  
TSRN indicates a Trade Secret Registry Number is used in place of the CAS number.  
TWA: Time Weighted Average

**References:** No data available

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