# SAFETY DATA SHEET

## 1. Product and Company Identification

Product: All Urethane Parts including Armadillo Pipe, Ag Sprockets, Rollers, Wheels, Casters

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## 2. Hazard Identification

#### Emergency Overview

Acute: None known from solid article. Fumes from hot wire cutting can be irritating and lead to coughing. These fumes could contain traces of TDI, MDI and/or curatives.

Exposure to isocyanates may produce an asthma-like reaction, with shortness of breath, wheezing or cough, which may occur after re-exposure to very low levels. **Chronic:** Animal studies indicate that chronic inhalation or overexposure of dusts may cause inflammation of the lungs, fibrosis, and airway destruction.

Severe Immediate Hazards Dusts from grinding operations may aggravate existing lung disorders when proper protection is not used.

Potential Health Effects Routes of Exposure: o Skin x Inhalation o Ingestion Lengths of Exposure: o Single o Repeated x Lifetime Severity of Effect: x Mild o Moderate o Severe Target Organs: o Liver o Kidney x Lung o Skin

Effects/Symptoms See acute and chronic effects.

Carcinogenity Cured polyurethane is not listed as a carcinogen.

## 3. Composition, Information on Ingredients

Hazardous components/ Identity

Identity: 4,4-Methylene bis (2-chloroaniline)

CAS#: **101-14-4** Wt.%: **< .1%** 

POLYURETHANE ELASTOMERS ARE FULLY REACTED POLYMERS FORMING ARTICLES WHICH ARE NOT CONSIDERED HAZARDOUS UNDER OSHA'S CRITERIA 29 CFR 1910.1200. HOWEVER, HAZARDOUS DUSTS, VAPORS, GASES, OR FUMES MAY BE RELEASED BY MECHANICAL OR THERMAL PROCESSING, OR BY THERMAL DECOMPOSITION.

### 4. First-aid Measures

Procedures Flush eyes with water if dust from grinding causes irritation

Note to Physicians None

### 5. Fire-Fighting Measures

Flammable Properties Flash Point: Not Applicable Flammable Limits: LEL: Not Applicable UEL: Not Applicable

Extinguishing Media Water, dry chemical, foam, or carbon dioxide

Fire Fighting Instructions

Evacuate non-emergency personnel to a safe area. Firefighters should use self-contained breathing apparatus. Avoid breathing smoke, fumes, and decomposition products. Use water spray to quench smoldering elastomers. Product may malt after ignition, to form flammable liquids. Burning produces intense heat, dense smoke, and toxic gases, such as carbon monoxide, oxides of nitrogen, and traces of hydrogen cyanide. Dusts from processing operations may be combustible.

### 6. Accidental Release Measures

Safeguards (Personal) None

Spill Clean Up Pick up and handle as any other solid material

## 7. Handling and Storage

Handling

Cutting elastomer by hot wire or hot branding, or other thermal processing can form decomposition products. Local exhaust ventilation should be used to remove any fumes. If isocyanates or curatives are emitted, ventilation must be sufficient to ensure levels below the TLV for TDI, MDI or curatives (0.005 PPM TWA/0.02 PPM STEL). Also, see respiratory protection below.

Storage

Store elastomers in areas equipped with sprinkler systems. Store away from sparks, flames, or other ignition sources.

## 8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

#### **Engineering Controls**

Local exhaust recommended for thermal processing operations, as required to reduce dust, gas, and vapor fume exposure below OSHA levels.

Personal Protective Equipment

Eye/Face Protection: None required in normal use. For grinding operations, use safety goggles, and face shield.

Skin Protection None required.

Respiratory Protection (specify type)

Use NIOSH approved respirator. For grinding operations wear a dust respirator. If generating gas, vapor, and fumes from hot wire, hot knife, or other thermal processing operations wear an air-purifying respirator with organic cartridge or supplied-air respirator if ventilation is inadequate.

General Protection None required.

## 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance and Odor	Solid, no odor.
Physical State	Solid
PH	N/A
Vapor Pressure	N/A
Vapor Density	N/A
Boiling Point	N/A
Freezing/Melting Point	Melts 380°-450°F
	May degrade above 300°F (150°C)
Solubility in Water	Insoluble
Specific Gravity	1.05 – 1.25
Evaporation Rate	N/A
Other	None

## 10. Stability and Reactivity

x Stable o Unstable Conditions to Avoid: None

Incompatibility With Other Material Strong acids or bases

Hazardous Decomposition or By-products Decomposition through burning produces fumes consisting of

Hazardous Polymerization Will Not Occur Conditions to Avoid: None

## **11. Toxicological Information**

Toxicological Data Under normal conditions not applicable.

## 12. Ecological Information

Ecological Data Under normal conditions not applicable.

## **13. Disposal Considerations**

Waste Disposal

Not considered a hazardous material. Dispose of material according to any local, state, and federal regulations.

## 14. Transport Information

Shipping Information Not regulated as a hazardous material.

**15. Regulatory Information** U.S. Federal Regulations EPA SARA Title III Hazard Class: None EPA SARA Title III Section 313 (40CFR372) Toxic Chemicals present in quantities greater than the "*de minimis*" level are: None

State Regulations None

International Regulations None

## **16. Other Information**

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Additional Information None