

1. Identification of the preparation and of the company

1.1 Identification of the preparation

Latex intra/extra-oral elastics and elastic cotton thread.

1.2 Use of the preparation

Orthodontic products for intra-and extra oral practices in conjunction with fixed or removable appliances.

1.3 Company identification

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1.4 Emergency telephone

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2. Hazards identification

The information contained herein is to be referred to the raw material which these products are manufactured with; for this purpose some instructions and indications are related to the personnel employed in the manufacturing processes and not to the final user.

Medical conditions aggravated by exposure: no known hazards.

Persons allergic to fruits or persons with spina bifida may be allergic to natural rubber.

Exposure limits: none.

Potential health effects: none.

Routes of entry: not applicable.

Human effects and symptoms of overexposure: not applicable.

(Acute) Inhalation: no significant health hazards.

(Chronic) Inhalation: none.

(Acute) eye contact: not irritant.

(Chronic) eye contact: none.

Carcinogenicity: none.

3. Composition/information on ingredients

Intra-and extra oral elastics		
Chemical name: butadiene, methyl, homopolymer		
Components	%	
Natural latex	95-98	
Sulfur	0-1	
Zinc oxide	0-1	
Polymeric hindered phenol	1-2	
Dithiocarbonate derivitive	0-1	

Cotton thread for elastic ligatures		
Components	%	CAS ¹ Number
Natural latex rubber	39-48	-
Polyesther resin (AFC material) ²	47-55	31831-53-5
Cotton	5-6	-

All components are non-hazardous.

4. First aid measures

Inhalation: not applicable. Ingestion: not applicable. Skin contact: not applicable. Eye contact: not applicable.

5. Fire-fighting measures

Flash point: not applicable. Flammable limits: not applicable. Extinguishing media: foam, CO2, dry chemical. Special fire fighting procedures: overexposure to thermal decomposition products may cause health hazard. An approved, self-contained breathing apparatus should be worn.

6. Accidental release measures

Contain and remove by mechanical means.

¹ CAS Number (Chemical abstract service).

² Cfr. EFSA (European Food Safety Authority) Journal (2005) 201, Opinion of the Scientific Panel on food additives, flavourings, processing aids and materials in contact with food (AFC) on a request from the Commission related to a 7th list of substances for food contact materials.



7. Handling and storage

7.1. HandlingSpecial sensitivity: not applicable.7.2 StorageStorage temperature: ambient. Keep away from flame or excessive heat.

8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Eye protection requirements: not required. Skin protection requirements: not required. Respirator requirements: not required. Ventilation requirements: adequate ventilation practice. Additional protective measures: none.

9. Physical and chemical properties

9.1. General information

Appearance/status: Odour:	solid rubber odour.	
9.2. Health, safety and environmental information		
pH:	not applicable	
Boiling point:	not applicable	
Melting point:	not applicable	
Solubility in water:	insoluble	
Specific gravity ($H_2O=1$):	0.95	
% volatile by volume:	not applicable	
Vapour pressure:	not applicable.	

10. Stability and reactivity

Stability: stable. Hazardous polymerization: it does not occur. Incompatibility: not applicable. Instability conditions: flames or excessive heat. Hazardous decomposition products: by fire, oxides of carbon when burned.

11. Toxicological information

Toxicity tests have not been conducted on this product.

12. Ecological information

None.

13. Disposal considerations

Dispose of in accordance with local and national regulations. In Italy dispose of according to Legislative Decree of April 3 2006 no. 152 "Regulations on environmental subject", application of European Directives on environmental protection, and subsequent modifications and integrations.

14. Transport information

Not dangerous for transport.

15. Regulatory information

- Health, safety and environmental information shown on the label according to European Directives on hazardous materials and substances

None.

- Information related to further dispositions

This product is CE marked in accordance with the essential requirements of 93/42EEC Directive, Annex I, on medical devices.

16. Other information

The safety data sheet has been written according to relevant European provisions, on the basis of information received by the supplier of preparation.

Caution: these products contain natural rubber latex which may cause allergic reactions.

The product is intended for orthodontic and odontological use only. The use of the product has to be restricted to skilled and licensed professionals.



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Previous safety data sheet n. K07/1E dated 14/11/2006 has to be considered cancelled. In comparison to the preceding revision, meaningful changes have not been effected but only adjustments to the European provisions which regulate the compilation of safety data sheet.

This safety data sheet is subject to revision.

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