

## **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

ACCORDING TO EC-REGULATIONS 1907/2006 (REACH) & 1272/2008 (CLP)

# SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE / MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY / UNDERTAKING

1.1	Product identifier	
	Trade name	VICTREX <sup>™</sup> PEEK Granules 150FC; 450FC and 650FC
1.2	Other means of identification	
	CAS No.	PEEK Polymer (31694-16-3 or 29658-26-2)
	EC No.	Not applicable.
	REACH Registration No.	Not applicable.
1.3	Recommended use of the substance and	
	restrictions on use	
	Identified use(s)	The materials are generally used for injection moulding and extrusion operations.
		extrusion operations.
1.4	Supplier details	
	Company Identification	Victrex Manufacturing Ltd.
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1.5	Emergency telephone number	
	Emergency Phone No.	+ 44 (0) 1253 897754
SECT	ION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION	
2.1	Classification of the substance or mixture	
2.1.1	Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 (CLP).	Not classified as dangerous for supply/use.

2.2 Label elements (GHS)

Hazard pictogram(s) Signal word(s) None. None. None.

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	Hazard statement(s)	None.
	Precautionary statement(s)	None.
2.3	Other hazards	None.
2.4	Additional Information	None.

#### SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

#### 3.1 Substances

This product does not contain any reportable hazardous materials Composition is confidential. Based on Polyetheretherketone polymer - (CAS No. 29658-26-2 or 31694-16-3) Contains Polytetrafluoroethylene (PTFE) polymer- (CAS No. 9002-84-0)

Classification according to Regulation EC No. 1272/2008 [CLP]:

Hazardous ingredient(s)	%W/W	EC No.	CAS No.	REACH Registration No.	Hazard statement(s)
None.	-	-	-	-	-

#### 3.2 Additional Information

For full text of H/P phrases see section 16.

### **SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES**



5.1

4.1	Description of first aid measures	
	Inhalation	Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.
	Skin Contact	After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of soap and water. In the event of contact with molten product: Cool affected area quickly with water. Do not attempt to remove hardened product. Obtain medical attention.
	Eye Contact	Flush eyes with water for at least 2 minutes while holding eyelids open.
	Ingestion	Call a physician (or poison control centre immediately). Do not induce vomiting wash out mouth with water.
4.2	Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed	Unlikely to be required but if necessary treat symptomatically.
4.3	Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed	Unlikely to be required but if necessary treat symptomatically.

#### **SECTION 5: FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

Extinguishing media	
Suitable Extinguishing Media	In case of fire, use water spray, foam, dry powder or CO2 for
	extinction.
Unsuitable Extinguishing Media	None.

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5.2	Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture Advice for fire-fighters	In case of fire the following can develop: Oxides of carbon. When glowing and during combustion, CO/CO2 is generated as well as the potential for the release of degradation products such as Hydrogen Fluoride, Tetrafluoroethylene, Hexafluropropylene, Perfluoroisobutylene and Carbonyl Fluoride. A self contained breathing apparatus and suitable protective
5.5	Autre for me fighters	clothing should be worn in fire conditions. Dust is ignitable but will not sustain combustion. A high temperature source of ignition is required. Insensitive to sparks. The minimum spark energy required for ignition of a dust cloud is greater than 5000 mJ. It will not train fire, e.g. along beams etc.
5.4	Other	Dispose of contaminated extinction water according to official regulations.

## SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

6.1	Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures	Avoid inhalation and contact with eyes or skin. Ensure sufficient supply of air. Avoid build up of dust. Remove possible cause of ignition – do not smoke. Take precautionary measures against static discharge.
6.2	Environmental precautions	Avoid release to the environment. Prevent surface and ground water infiltration, as well as ground penetration.
6.3	Methods and material for containment and	Sweep up carefully with non-sparking tools. Transfer to a lidded
	cleaning up	container for disposal or recovery.
6.4	Reference to other sections	None.
6.5	Additional Information	None.

## SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

7.1	Precautions for safe handling	General hygiene measures for the handling of chemicals are applicable. This is particularly important due to the presence of PTFE. Observe directions on label and instructions for use. Avoid conditions where decomposition products may be formed.When using do not smoke.Eating, drinking, smoking, as well as food storage, is prohibited in work room. Avoid build up of dust. Local Exhaust Ventilation at the workplace or on the processing machines required. Note:Danger of explosive dust
		Contamination of tobacco products MUST be avoided. "Polymer Fume Fever" is particularly associated with the smoking of contaminated tobacco products. This condition is characterised by influenza-type symptoms occurring a few hours after exposure and lasting up to 48 hours. PTFE begins to decompose very slowly above 260°C and increases rapidly above 360°C. Processing above these temperatures yields a range of high toxicity and corrosive products and therefore is not recommended without the use of LEV.



Machine Cleaning (purging): Purging with other polymers (e.g. Polyethylene) at high temperatures can be hazardous. Auto ignition may also occur. Local exhaust ventilation is required. The relevant Safety Data Sheet for the purge material to be used should be consulted. Additional information can be obtained from the Victrex website www.victrex.com www.victrex.com

- 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities Storage Temperature Storage Life Incompatible materials
- 7.3 Specific end use(s)

Store products enclosed, in original packing.

Store at room temperature. > 10 Year(s). None known The materials are generally used for injection moulding and extrusion operations.

#### SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

8.1 **Control parameters** 

8.1.2

8.1.1 **Occupational exposure limits**  Ensure adequate ventilation. None.

SUBSTANCE.	CAS No.	LTEL (8 hr TWA ppm)	LTEL (8 hr TWA mg/m³)	STEL (ppm)	STEL (mg/m³)	Note:
Dust. (general dust limit	-	-	10			Inhalable Dust
value)			4			Respirable Dust.

**Biological limit value** 8.1.3 **PNECs and DNELs** Not available. 8.2 **Exposure controls** 8.2.1 Appropriate engineering controls Local Exhaust Ventilation at the workplace or on the processing machines required. 8.2.2 **Personal protection equipment** Eye protection with side protection (EN 166) Eye/face protection Skin protection (Hand protection/ Other) Impervious Gloves. Plastic or synthetic rubber gloves. Additional information on hand protection - No tests have been performed. When dealing with heated material: Insulating gloves EN 407 (heat) Respiratory protection If above exposure limits are likely to be exceeded, breathing mask with fine dust filter (EN 143) 8.2.3 **Environmental Exposure Controls** No special requirements.

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None



#### **SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

9.1	Information on basic physical and chemical properties	
	Appearance	Solid (Granulate)
	Colour.	Black
	Odour	Odourless
	Odour threshold (ppm)	None
	pH (Value)	Not applicable
	Melting point (°C)	343°C
	Boiling point/boiling range (°C):	Not known.
	Flash point (°C)	Not known.
	Evaporation rate	Not known.
	Flammability (solid, gas)	Solid , Non-flammable
	Explosive limit ranges	Not explosive.
	Vapour pressure (Pascal)	39.6 (@107°C)
	Vapour density (Air=1)	Not known
	Bulk Density (g/ml)	~1.4
	Solubility (Water)	Insoluble
	Solubility (Other)	Insoluble
	Partition coefficient (n-Octanol/water)	Not known
	Auto ignition point (°C)	595°C
	Decomposition temperature (°C)	> 450°C
	Viscosity (mPa. s)	Not known
	Explosive properties	Not explosive, May form explosible dust clouds in air.
	Oxidising properties	Not oxidising
9.2	Other information	None

#### **SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

10.1	Reactivity	Stable under normal conditions.
10.2	Chemical stability	Stable under normal conditions.
10.3	Possibility of hazardous reactions	Stable under normal conditions.
10.4	Conditions to avoid	Stable under normal conditions. Electrostatic charge.
		Open flame, ignition sources. Decomposes at temperatures
		above 450°C.
10.5	Incompatible materials	Concentrated Sulphuric acid
10.6	Hazardous Decomposition Product(s)	When glowing and during combustion, CO/CO2 is generated as
		well as the potential for the release of degradation products such
		as Hydrogen Fluoride, Tetrafluoroethylene, Hexafluropropylene,

#### SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

- 11.1 Information on toxicological effects
- 11.1.1 Substances Acute toxicity Ingestion

Predicted to be low toxicity under normal conditions of handling and use.

Perfluoroisobutylene and Carbonyl Fluoride.

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	Inhalation	Mechanical irritation of the respiratory tract.
	Skin Contact	Repeated and/or prolonged skin contact may cause irritation.
		In the event of contact with molten product: Thermal Burns
		(molten polymer will adhere to skin and cause severe burns).
	Eye Contact	No data. Dust may have irritant effect on eyes.
		Permanent damage is unlikely.
	Hazard label(s)	Not known
	Serious eye damage/irritation	Not known
	respiratory or skin sensitization	Not known
	Mutagenicity	Not known
	Carcinogenicity	Not known
	Reproductive toxicity	Not known
	STOT - single exposure	Not known
	STOT - repeated exposure	Not known
	Aspiration hazard	Not known
11.1.2	Mixtures	Not applicable
11.2	Other information	None
SECTIO	ON 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION	
12.1	Toxicity	Low toxicity to aquatic organisms.
12.2	Persistence and degradability	Not readily biodegradable.
12.3	Bioaccumulative potential	Not classified as PBT or vPvB.
12.4	Mobility in soil	The product has low mobility in soil. The product has low
		mobility in sediment.
12.5	Results of PBT and vPvB assessment	Not classified as PBT or vPvB.
12.6	Other adverse effects	None anticipated
SECTIO	ON 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS	
13.1	Waste treatment methods	Disposal should be in accordance with local, regional, state or
		national legislation.
13.2	Additional Information	The European waste codes are recommendations based on the
		scheduled use of this product. For alternative uses and
		applications, other waste codes may be allocated under certain
		circumstances.
		07 02 13- waste plastic, 07 02 99-waste not otherwise specified.
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SECTIO	ON 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION	07 02 13- waste plastic, 07 02 99-waste not otherwise specified.
	ON 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION	
<b>SECTIO</b> 14.1	ON 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION Land transport (ADR/RID) UN number	07 02 13- waste plastic, 07 02 99-waste not otherwise specified. Not classified as dangerous for transport. Not applicable

14 UN number Proper Shipping Name

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Not applicable

14.2 Sea transport (IMDG)



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	UN number Proper Shipping Name	Not applicable Not applicable	
14.3	<b>Air transport (ICAO/IATA)</b> UN number Proper Shipping Name	Not classified as dangerous for transport. Not applicable Not applicable	
14.4	Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code	Not applicable	
SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION			
15.1	Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture	Not classified as dangerous for supply/use.	
15.1.1 15.1.2	EU regulations Authorisations and/or restrictions on use National regulations	None	
	<b>USA</b> TSCA	All substances Listed - ACTIVE	
	OSHA	Not classified as a hazardous material under the criteria outlined in the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (HCS) (29 CFR 1910.1200).	
	China		
	IECSC – PEEK Polymer and additives	Listed	
	China Hazardous Chemical Inventory 2015	Not Listed	
15.2	Chemical Safety Assessment	Not relevant for this material.	

#### SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

The following sections contain revisions or new statements: No major updates, general review and template update.

#### LEGEND

LTEL	Long Term Exposure Limit
STEL	Short Term Exposure Limit
STOT	Specific Target Organ Toxicity
DNEL	Derived No Effect Level
PNEL	Predicted No Effect Concentration

References: Workplace Exposure Limit (UK HSE EH40)

Risk Phrases and Safety Phrases: None

Hazard statement(s) and Precautionary statement(s): None



#### Training advice: <u>www.victrex.com</u>

#### **Additional Information**

Manufactured in the UK by Victrex Manufacturing Ltd, under a Quality System approved to ISO 9001.

Additional information on the properties, processing and application of VICTREX polymers is available at www.victrex.com. These details refer to the product as it is delivered.

The statements made here should describe the product with regard to the necessary safety precautions – they are not meant to guarantee definite characteristics – but they are based on our present up-to-date knowledge.

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