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### 1. Identification

#### Product identifier used on the label

**Ultramid® B40 01**

#### Recommended use of the chemical and restriction on use

Recommended use\*: Polymer

Recommended use\*: Polymer; for industrial processing only

Suitable for use in industrial sector: Polymers industry

Unsuitable for use: Not intended for sale to or use by the general public.

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#### Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

##### Company:

BASF CORPORATION

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#### Emergency telephone number

##### 24 Hour Emergency Response Information

CHEMTREC: 1-800-424-9300

BASF HOTLINE: 1-800-832-HELP (4357)

#### Other means of identification

Substance number: 162614

Chemical family: No data available.

Synonyms: Polyamide PA6

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## 2. Hazards Identification

According to Regulation 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard; 29 CFR Part 1910.1200

### Classification of the product

No need for classification according to GHS criteria for this product.

### Label elements

The product does not require a hazard warning label in accordance with GHS criteria.

### Hazards not otherwise classified

No specific dangers known, if the regulations/notes for storage and handling are considered.

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## 3. Composition / Information on Ingredients

According to Regulation 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard; 29 CFR Part 1910.1200

Under the referenced regulation, this product does not contain any components classified for health hazards above the relevant cut off value.

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## 4. First-Aid Measures

### Description of first aid measures

#### General advice:

Remove contaminated clothing. Burns caused by molten material require hospital treatment.

#### If inhaled:

Keep patient calm, remove to fresh air. Seek medical attention.

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**If on skin:**

Wash affected areas thoroughly with soap and water. If irritation develops, seek medical attention. Burns caused by molten material require hospital treatment.

**If in eyes:**

In case of contact with the eyes, rinse immediately for at least 15 minutes with plenty of water. If irritation develops, seek medical attention.

**If swallowed:**

No hazards anticipated.

**Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**

Symptoms: (Further) symptoms and / or effects are not known so far

Hazards: No hazard is expected under intended use and appropriate handling.

**Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

Note to physician

Treatment:

Treat according to symptoms (decontamination, vital functions), no known specific antidote.

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## 5. Fire-Fighting Measures

### Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media:

water spray, foam, dry powder, carbon dioxide

### Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Hazards during fire-fighting:

carbon monoxide, hydrogen cyanide, can be emitted at > 300 °C

Under special fire conditions traces of other toxic substances are possible. Formation of further decomposition and oxidation products depends upon the fire conditions.

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### Advice for fire-fighters

Protective equipment for fire-fighting:

Firefighters should be equipped with self-contained breathing apparatus and turn-out gear.

### Further information:

Dispose of fire debris and contaminated extinguishing water in accordance with official regulations.

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## 6. Accidental release measures

### Further accidental release measures:

High risk of slipping due to leakage/spillage of product.

### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

No special precautions necessary.

### Environmental precautions

No special precautions necessary. This product is not regulated by RCRA. This product is not regulated by CERCLA ("Superfund").

### Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

For small amounts: Pick up with suitable appliance and dispose of.

For large amounts: Pick up with suitable appliance and dispose of.

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## 7. Handling and Storage

### Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Wear suitable protective clothing and gloves. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

Protection against fire and explosion:

Take precautionary measures against static discharges.

### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

The product in undamaged packing need not be stored separately.

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Suitable materials for containers: Stainless steel 1.4301 (V2), Stainless steel 1.4401, Aluminium, High density polyethylene (HDPE)

Storage stability:  
Protect against moisture.

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## 8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

No occupational exposure limits known.

**Advice on system design:**

Provide local exhaust ventilation to control dusts/vapours.

**Personal protective equipment****Respiratory protection:**

Wear respiratory protection if ventilation is inadequate. Wear a NIOSH-certified (or equivalent) organic vapour/particulate respirator.

**Hand protection:**

Wear gloves to prevent contact during mechanical processing and/or hot melt conditions.

**Eye protection:**

Safety glasses with side-shields.

**Body protection:**

Body protection must be chosen based on level of activity and exposure.

**General safety and hygiene measures:**

Wear protective clothing to prevent contact during mechanical processing and/or hot melt conditions. Avoid inhalation of dust. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

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## 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Form: pellets  
Odour: odourless

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Odour threshold:	not applicable	
Colour:	colourless	
pH value:	not soluble	
Melting temperature:	approx. 220 °C	(DIN 53765)
Freezing point:	No data available.	
Melting point:	No data available.	
onset of boiling:	not applicable	
Boiling point:	not applicable	
Boiling range:	not applicable	
Sublimation point:	No applicable information available.	
Flash point:	not applicable, the product is a solid	
Flammability:	not highly flammable	
Lower explosion limit:	For solids not relevant for classification and labelling.	
Upper explosion limit:	For solids not relevant for classification and labelling.	
Autoignition:	> 400 °C	(ASTM D1929)
Vapour pressure:	not applicable	
Density:	approx. 1.15 g/cm <sup>3</sup>	
Relative density:	No data available.	
Bulk density:	640 - 740 kg/m <sup>3</sup>	
Vapour density:	not applicable, The product is a non-volatile solid.	
Partitioning coefficient n-octanol/water (log Pow):	not applicable	
Self-ignition temperature:	not self-igniting	
Thermal decomposition:	> 300 °C May decompose if overheated and/or subjected to prolonged heating.	
Viscosity, dynamic:	not applicable, the product is a solid	
Viscosity, kinematic:	not applicable, the product is a solid	
Solubility in water:	insoluble	
Solubility (quantitative):	No applicable information available.	
Solubility (qualitative):	No applicable information available.	
Evaporation rate:	not applicable, The product is a non-volatile solid.	

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## 10. Stability and Reactivity

### Reactivity

No hazardous reactions if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

Corrosion to metals:

No corrosive effect on metal.

Oxidizing properties:

not fire-propagating

### Chemical stability

The product is stable if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

### Possibility of hazardous reactions

No hazardous reactions known.

### Conditions to avoid

Temperature: > 300 degrees Celsius

Avoid prolonged exposure to extreme heat.

### Incompatible materials

No substances known that should be avoided.

### Hazardous decomposition products

Decomposition products:

Hazardous decomposition products: carbon monoxide, hydrogen cyanide, caprolactam

Thermal decomposition products: caprolactam, The substances/groups of substances mentioned may be released during processing.

Thermal decomposition:

> 300 °C

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### 11. Toxicological information

#### Primary routes of exposure

Routes of entry for solids and liquids are ingestion and inhalation, but may include eye or skin contact. Routes of entry for gases include inhalation and eye contact. Skin contact may be a route of entry for liquefied gases.

#### Acute Toxicity/Effects

##### Acute toxicity

Assessment of acute toxicity: Contact with molten product may cause thermal burns. The resin in pelleted form poses a low hazard.

##### Oral

Type of value: ATE

Value: > 5,000 mg/kg

##### Inhalation

Not inhalable due to the physico-chemical properties of the product.

##### Dermal

Type of value: ATE

Value: > 5,000 mg/kg

##### Assessment other acute effects

No applicable information available.

##### Irritation / corrosion

Assessment of irritating effects: Thermal decomposition products of the substance can irritate the eyes, skin, and respiratory tract.

##### Sensitization

Assessment of sensitization: Based on our experience and the information available, no adverse health effects are expected if handled as recommended with suitable precautions for designated uses.

##### Aspiration Hazard

not applicable



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#### Chronic Toxicity/Effects

##### Repeated dose toxicity

Assessment of repeated dose toxicity: Based on our experience and the information available, no adverse health effects are expected if handled as recommended with suitable precautions for designated uses.

##### Genetic toxicity

Assessment of mutagenicity: Based on our experience and the information available, no adverse health effects are expected if handled as recommended with suitable precautions for designated uses.

##### Carcinogenicity

Assessment of carcinogenicity: Based on our experience and the information available, no adverse health effects are expected if handled as recommended with suitable precautions for designated uses.

##### Reproductive toxicity

Assessment of reproduction toxicity: Based on our experience and the information available, no adverse health effects are expected if handled as recommended with suitable precautions for designated uses.

##### Other Information

Based on our experience and the information available, no adverse health effects are expected if handled as recommended with suitable precautions for designated uses.

##### Medical conditions aggravated by overexposure

Data available do not indicate that there are medical conditions that are generally recognized as being aggravated by exposure to this substance/product. See SDS section 11 - Toxicological information.

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## 12. Ecological Information

### Toxicity

Aquatic toxicity

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#### Assessment of aquatic toxicity:

There is a high probability that the product is not acutely harmful to aquatic organisms. The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the structure of the product.

#### Persistence and degradability

##### Assessment biodegradation and elimination (H<sub>2</sub>O)

Experience shows this product to be inert and non-degradable.

#### Bioaccumulative potential

##### Bioaccumulation potential

The product will not be readily bioavailable due to its consistency and insolubility in water.

#### Additional information

##### Add. remarks environm. fate & pathway:

Due to the consistency of the product, dispersion into the environment is impossible. Therefore no negative effects on the environment may be anticipated based on the present state of knowledge.

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## 13. Disposal considerations

#### **Waste disposal of substance:**

Check for possible recycling. Dispose of in accordance with national, state and local regulations.

#### **Container disposal:**

Dispose of in accordance with national, state and local regulations. Packs must be completely emptied. Completely emptied packagings can be given for recycling.

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## 14. Transport Information

#### **Land transport**

USDOT

Not classified as a dangerous good under transport regulations



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#### Sea transport

IMDG

Not classified as a dangerous good under transport regulations

#### Air transport

IATA/ICAO

Not classified as a dangerous good under transport regulations

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## 15. Regulatory Information

### Federal Regulations

#### Registration status:

Chemical TSCA, US released / listed

**EPCRA 311/312 (Hazard categories):** Refer to SDS section 2 for GHS hazard classes applicable for this product.

#### NFPA Hazard codes:

Health: 1 Fire: 1 Reactivity: 0 Special:

#### HMIS III rating

Health: 1 Flammability: 1 Physical hazard: 0

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## 16. Other Information

#### SDS Prepared by:

BASF NA Product Regulations

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