PALL CORPORATION

PRODUCT SAFETY DATA INFORMATION

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SECTION 1 – Product Identification

This 'Product Safety Data Information' Sheet covers Pall Medical disposable filter cartridges, each employing a Versapor® RC hydrophobic acrylic copolymer filter medium within an acrylic body.

Example Product name(s): 25mm

Example Part Number(s): See appendix 1

The filters detailed above are intended for air and gas filtration and separation applications which do not soften, swell or adversely affect the filter or its materials of construction.

For further information on Pall products, please visit Pall at https://www.pall.com/en/about-pall.html

SECTION 2 - Hazards Identification

Product definition: Article.

These products are not classified as hazardous according to REACH Regulation 1907/2006, or European CLP/GHS Regulation 1272/2008.

GHS Signal word: No signal word.

Hazard statements: No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Special packaging requirements: None.

SECTION 3 - Materials of Construction

3.1 The filters detailed in Section 1 are comprised of the following materials:

Material Name	CAS Number
Versapor RC hydrophobic acrylic copolymer membrane	Pall proprietary information
Modified acrylic copolymer housing body	Supplier proprietary information

These products are not known to contain BADGE, NOGE, or BFDGE.

Trace additives will be present in the plastic components.

There are no additional ingredients present which, within the current knowledge of the supplier, are classified and contribute to the classification of the article.

There are no current SVHC substances known to be present in the finished articles above 0.1%.

There are no current ROHS2 Directive (2011/65/EU) and amendment (2015/863) substances of concern (including Lead, Cadmium, Mercury, Hexavalent Chromium, Polybrominated biphenyl (PBB), Polybrominated diphenyl ether (PBDE), Bis(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP), Benzyl Butyl Phthalate (BBP), Dibutyl phthalate (DBP) and Diisobutyl phthalate (DIBP)) known to be present in the materials employed in excess of the limits laid down, based on information from our suppliers and knowledge of substances used within Pall the manufacturing facility.

Pall Medical filters do not employ natural rubber latex, or latex derivatives in their construction.

Pall Medical products do not knowingly contain materials of direct animal origin i.e. animal parts, tissues, or body fluids however, to assist our customers in performing a TSE/BSE risk assessment, we are pleased to provide the following information:

> Certain plastics are known to contain trace levels of additive (e.g. calcium stearate) which are manufactured from tallow. Pall Medical products may utilize components in the fluid pathway which are fabricated from plastic resins containing tallow-derived additives at trace levels, but Pall does not test for them.
> Please be advised that bovine tallow-derived additives are not considered specified TSE/BSE risk materials according to the current revision of the U.S. **Code of Federal Regulations**, Title 21 of part 189.5, which defines specified risk material. Furthermore, the Committee for Proprietary Medicinal Product (CPMP)'s *Note for guidance on minimizing the risk of transmitting animal spongiform encephalopathies via human and veterinary medicinal products* (EMA410/01 rev 3) and Regulation (EU) 722/2012 **EEC** concerning medical devices manufactured using tissues of animal origin in Article 4, give specific consideration to tallow derivatives and states they are unlikely to be infectious or can be excluded due to the rigorous processing steps used during their manufacture examples of which are:
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> - Trans-esterification or hydrolysis at not less than 200 ℃ for not less than 20 minutes under pressure (glycerol, fatty acids and fatty acid esters production),
> - Saponification with NaOH 12 M (glycerol and soap production)
> - Batch process: at not less than 95 ℃ for not less than 3 hours,
> - Continuous process: at not less than 140 ℃, under pressure for not less than 8 minutes or equivalent,
> - Distillation at 200 ℃.

Pall continually works to assure the safety of our products with respect to potential BSE/TSE transmission by working through our supply chain to obtain information regarding the possible use of animal-based material and to confirm specific sourcing and processing details where applicable

WARNING: This product may expose you to PFOA which is known in the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects or other reproductive harm. For more information go to www.P65Warnings.ca.gov.

Medical products placed on the market in the State of California are not intended for 'consumer' sale and are for professional use, and as the result of use will be expected to be disposed of as 'hazardous waste' within an appropriate waste stream reflecting the contaminant present as the result of use. These articles are supplied in sealed bags and boxed and any direct contact with the materials of construction of those items is expected to be through 'occupational exposure', which does not require mandatory labelling of articles. In line with the 'Questions and Answers for business' (dated August 2017) on the labelling requirements – Q41 - this SDS convey this warning for occupational exposure.

SECTION 4 - First Aid Measures

4.1 First aid measures

Always address any contaminants present on the filter as the result of use.

Eye Contact:	Eye injury could result from physical impact. Get medical attention immediately.
Inhalation:	Inhalation is not considered a likely route of exposure for the filter product as supplied by Pall.
Skin Contact:	Wash with soap and water. If irritation persists, get medical attention.
Ingestion:	This material is not intended for ingestion and is not expected to present an ingestion hazard in the form and quantities present in a work place setting. However if ingestion occurs, seek medical attention.
Protection of first-aiders:	No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training.

4.2 Key symptoms and effects

No known significant effects or critical hazards related to the materials of construction of the filter as supplied.

SECTION 5 - Fire Fighting Measures

5.1 Extinguishing media

Select an extinguish medium suitable for surrounding / working environment.

For filter alone use dry chemical, CO2, water spray (fog) or foam.

5.2 Specific Hazards

Consult the SDS details of product being filtered for specific advice.
For the filter alone: No specific fire or explosion hazard.

Hazardous thermal decomposition products: CO, CO2, Acrid Smoke, methyl methacrylate

Note: These products may contain levels of PFOA (less than 25 ppb) and PFOA-related compounds (less than 1000ppb) which should be taken into account on thermal decomposition of the product.

5.3 Advice to Fire Fighters

Special precaution required. Fire-fighters should wear appropriate protective equipment, including self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) with a full face-piece operated in positive pressure mode.

Protective gloves must be worn when handling debris after a fire.

SECTION 6 - Accidental Release Measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

No special measures are required in respect of the filters in the unused condition as supplied.

For used filters always address any contaminants present on the filter as the result of use.

6.2 Environmental precautions

For unused filter modules, place in designated waste container appropriate to the materials of construction listed in Section 3 and dispose of in accordance with local regulations via a licenced waste disposal contractor.

For used filter modules, using clear-up, containment and appropriate PPE measures related to the product being filtered and the materials of construction detailed in Section 3.

6.3 Spillage containment and cleaning up

Use suitable equipment to collect the filter material and place in a designated, labelled waste container.

Care should be taken to consider the nature of any contamination on the filter as the result of use and suitable PPE employed for handling medical waste.

Dispose of waste via a licensed waste disposal contractor.

SECTION 7 – Handling

7.1 Handling and Storage

Put on appropriate personal protective equipment for the working environment (See Section 8). Consult details of product being filtered for specific advice. Avoid activities that can damage the filter.

Follow good hygiene practices. Eating, drinking and smoking are generally prohibited in areas where this product is handled, stored or processed – exceptions are made on the guidance of local medical advice. Staff must follow standard work-place hygiene before eating, drinking or smoking after using this product. Wear gloves to prevent contamination of the filter cartridge and maintain cleanliness of the unused filter.

7.2 Storage

Clean, dry conditions suitable for a medical device. In the received condition, special protective equipment is not needed during handling and normal use of these filters. However, gloves are recommended to prevent contamination of the filter and maintain cleanliness. Handling of used filters must take into account the nature of potential contaminants.

The article is supplied dry, without the presence of any preserving fluid.
Store in clean, dry conditions suitable for a medical device.

Handle with care to avoid damage.

Do not expose to direct sunlight during storage, or other radiation or direct weather conditions.
Store in original shipping bag or boxing.
Ensure careful handling to avoid physical damage. Ensure shipping bag and seals are intact prior to use - do not use if damaged.

Please also consult Pall for further instructions for use information on the product prior to use.

SECTION 8 - Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

8.1 Control parameters

Occupational Exposure limits: None required.

Recommended monitoring procedures: None required

8.2 Exposure controls

There are no special ventilation requirements for the article as supplied in the new and unused condition.

Hygiene Measures:	No special measures required. Good hygiene practice in line with local working environmental requirements and medical guidelines.
Hand protection:	Disposable gloves are recommended to ensure filter remains clean during installation.
Environmental Exposure Controls:	Not normally required for the filter itself as supplied.

After the filter has been used additional exposure controls care should be taken in line with the nature of any contaminant on the filter as a result of its use.

SECTION 9 - Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance:	Disposable filter
Physical state:	Solid
Colour:	Clear / blue outer housing with white filter material
Solubility:	Insoluble in water
	Acrylic components readily soluble in esters, ketones and chlorinated hydrocarbons
Auto-ignition temperature:	Acrylic components: 440°C (830°F), decomposition begins at 250°C (482°F)
	Versapor RC membrane: N/A
Sensitive to shock:	Mechanical / thermal shock can result in damage to the filter

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SECTION 10 – Stability and Reactivity

Reactivity:	The filter is stable under the recommended conditions of use and storage.
Chemical Stability:	The filter is stable under recommended conditions of use and storage.
Hazardous Polymerisation:	Polymerisation will not occur under recommended conditions of use and storage.

Other hazardous reactions:	Consult details of product being filtered for specific advice. Under normal conditions of storage and use, no hazardous reactions will occur.
Conditions to Avoid:	Avoid conditions that soften, swell or adversely affect the filter or its materials of construction. Do not allow fluids to freeze on the filter.
Incompatible Materials:	Strong Acids, Strong Alkalis, Strong Oxidising Agents.
Decomposition Products:	Under recommended conditions of use or storage, no hazardous decomposition products will be produced.

SECTION 11 - Toxicological Information

The information in this section contains generic advice and guidance in respect of the unused filter as supplied. Consult SDS details of the product being filtered for specific advice and recommendations.

11.1 Acute Toxicity

Based on typical information for the material type named, this information has not been determined specifically for Pall Medical filters:

Irritation/Corrosion/Sensitisation: No known concern to unused filter as supplied

Mutagenicity / Carcinogenicity / Reproductive Toxicity / Teratogenicity: No known concern for the materials of construction of the filter as supplied (new and unused)

Aspiration Hazard:	Not applicable for un-used filter.
Potential acute health effects:	No known significant effects or critical hazards for the unused filter as supplied.

11.2 Chronic health effects

No known significant effects or critical hazards for the unused filter as supplied.

Carcinogenicity:	No specific test data available, no evidence for hazardous properties

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SECTION 12 - Ecological Information

Pall Medical filters are not expected to degrade in contact with soil or water under ambient conditions.

SECTION 13 - Disposal Information

The information in this section contains generic advice and guidance.

Product

Methods of disposal:

Unused as supplied filters: Disposal/handling of the un-used filters should be in-line with national legislation and local regulatory requirements for the materials present. Unused filter cartridges may be used as land-fill.

Hazardous Waste**:** To the best of our knowledge, this product if unused is not regarded as hazardous waste as defined by the EU Directive 91/689/EEC and amendments.

Used filter cartridges should be disposed of as clinical waste due to the nature of the contaminants on the filters as a result of use. Therefore used filters may be classified as hazardous – clinical waste.

Packaging

Non-sterile products:

Bagging:	Plastic (polyethylene)
Box:	Cardboard

Sterile products:

Blister:	Plastic (PETG)
Lid:	Polyethylene (Tyvek®)
Box:	Cardboard

The generation of waste should be avoided or minimised wherever possible. Waste packaging should be recycled where suitable arrangements and facilities exist. Incineration or land-fill should only be considered where re-cycling is not feasible.

SECTION 14 - Transport Information

The clean and un-used filter, supplied in its original packaging, is not classified as dangerous goods under ADR, RID, IMDG or IATA regulations.

Notice to Reader

To the best of our knowledge, the information contained herein is accurate. However, neither the above Pall Corporation, nor any of its subsidiaries, assumes any liability whatsoever for the accuracy or completeness of the information contained herein.

Final determination of suitability of any materials is the sole responsibility of the user. All materials may present unknown hazards and should be used with caution. Although certain hazards are described herein, we cannot guarantee that these are the only hazards that exist.

APPENDIX 1

Non-sterile codes

PALL PART NUMBER	PRODUCT FAMILY	PRODUCT DESCRIPTION
6004701	25 mm Acrylic	25MM W/1.2UM VERSAPOR EA
6004706	25 mm Acrylic	25 MM W/ V-3000RC
6704192	25 mm Acrylic	MLL/FLL TP V200RC 1000EA/BG GEN
6734192	25 mm Acrylic	25 MM 0.2UM V200RC FLL/MLL
6784187	25 mm Acrylic	25MM 0.8UM VERSAPOR FLL/MSL
6004800	25 mm Acrylic	25mm Filter, Versapor RC, 0.8um
6374197	25 mm Acrylic	25mm Filter, Versapor RC, 0.8um

6664197	25 mm Acrylic	25MM MALE/MALE V-200RC GENERIC
6784197	25 mm Acrylic	25 MM VENT FILTER W/V800RC

Sterile codes

PALL PART NUMBER	PRODUCT FAMILY	PRODUCT DESCRIPTION
HP2002	25 mm Acrylic	PHARMACY ADMIX VENT FLT 0.2 UM