1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

PRODUCT NUMBERS/SERIES: OTHER/GENERIC NAMES: PRODUCT USE:	M55 Threadmaster® T Thread Seal Tape	Thread Seal Tape		
MANUFACTURER:	Merco Hackensack, Inc PO Box 875 Hillburn, NY 10931			
FOR MORE INFORMATION:	Product Safety Department: 84	45-357-3699 (8 AM to 5	5 PM, Eastern Time)	
2. COMPOSITION / INFORMA	FION ON INGREDIENTS			
INGREDIENT NAME polytetrafluoroethylene resin (PTFE)	CAS # 9002-84-0	WE 100	IGHT %
 3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION EMERGENCY OVERVIEW: Material is non toxic, insoluble, chemically inert, and non-biodegradable. Solid material will not support combustion, but if other fuel is present, decomposition products will react at about 1275 F producing potentially toxic gaseous products. 				
POTENTIAL HEALTH HAZARDS	5:			
SKIN: EYES: INHALATION: INGESTION: DELAYED EFFECTS:	none known not a likely route of entry not a likely route of entry not a likely route of entry none known			
Ingredients found on one of the OSHA designated carcinogen lists are listed below.				
INGREDIENT NAME na	-	NTP STATUS na	IARC STATUS na	OSHA STANDARD na

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

na for material as supplied, at room temperature

Processing at high temperature may generate fumes which can cause flu-like symptoms (polymer fume fever). Remove to fresh air, consult physician if severe.

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

FLASH POINT: AUTO IGNITION TEMPERATURE: FLAMMABLE LIMITS IN AIR (% BY VOL.): EXTINGUISHING MEDIA: UNUSUAL FIRE HAZARDS:	na na na, solid material Use media appropriate to primary source of fire. Material is incombustable, but if other fuel is present, decomposition products will burn at about 1275 F, producing toxic and corrosive gaseous products.
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6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

na, solid material

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Store and handle using good warehouse practices. Avoid excessive temperatures and high humidity.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION				
ENGINEERING CONTROLS:	na			
PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT:				
RESPIRATORY PROTECTION:	Use appropriate NIOSH-approved respirator in presence of decomposition fumes.			
EYES AND FACE:	Use of safety glasses is recommended.			
HANDS, ARMS, AND BODY:	na			
OTHER CLOTHING AND EQUIPMENT:	na			
EXPOSURE GUIDELINES: (Guidelines exist for the following ingredients)				
INGREDIENT NAME	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	OTHER LIMIT	
na	na	na	na	

Other exposure limits for the decomposition products normally associated with product use are as follows: na

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

APPEARANCE:	White, soft, compliant, easily-stretched, waxy feeling tape
PHYSICAL STATE:	solid
MOLECULAR WEIGHT:	na
CHEMICAL FORMULA:	[C2F4]n
ODOR:	odorless
SPECIFIC GRAVITY:	0.5 - 1.0
SOLUBILITY IN WATER:	insoluble
pH:	na
BOILING POINT:	na
MELTING POINT:	342C
VAPOR PRESSURE:	na
VAPOR DENSITY:	na
EVAPORATION RATE:	na
% VOLATILES:	nd
FLASH POINT:	na

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

NORMALLY STABLE?	stable
INCOMPATIBILITIES:	strong oxidizers, acids, bases
HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS:	Thermal decomposition may produce toxic and corossive gaseous products.
HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION?	Hazardous polymerization will not occur.
11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION	

IMMEDIATE (ACUTE) EFFECTS: DELAYED (SUBCHRONIC & CHRONIC) EFFECTS: OTHER DATA: No acute effects have been identified. No delayed or cronic effects have been identified. na

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

These materials are chemically unreactive, non-toxic, non-water soluble, and non-biodegradeable. They are completely recyclable.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

OTHER DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS: Recycle, or dispose in an approved landfill or by incineration, in compliance with federal, state, and local regulation.

14. TRANSPORT

US DOT HAZARD CLASS: na

US DOT ID NUMBER:

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

TOXIC SUBSTANCES CONTROL ACT (TSCA):

nd

TSCA INVENTORY STATUS: All components are listed on the TSCA Inventory OTHER TSCA ISSUES: none

SARA TITLE III / CERCLA:

Reportable Quantities (RQ's) and/or Threshold Planning Quantities (TPQ's) exist for the following ingredients.

INGREDIENT NAME	SARA/CERCLA	SARA EHS
na	na	na

Spills/releases resulting in the loss of any ingredient at or above its RQ requires immediate notification to the National Response Center (1-800-424-8802) and to your Local Emergency Planning Committee.

SECTION 311 HAZARD CLASS: nd

SARA 313 TOXIC CHEMICALS

This product contains the following toxic chemicals subject to the reporting requirements of section 313 of the Emergency Planning and Community Right-To-Know Act of 1986 and of 40 CFR 372:

CAS #	CHEMICAL NAME	% BY WEIGHT
na		na

STATE RIGHT TO KNOW:

In addition to the ingredients found in section 2, the following are listed for state right-to-know purposes:

CAS #	CHEMICAL NAME	% BY WEIGHT	
na	na	na	
ADDITIONAL REGULATORY INFO			
ADDITIONAL REGULATOR I INFO	DRMATION: na		
WHMIS CLASSIFICATION (CANAL	DA): nd		
FOREIGN INVENTORY STATUS:	nd		
16. OTHER INFORMATION			
CURRENT ISSUE/REVIEW DATE:	5/12/14		
PREVIOUS ISSUE/REVIEW DATE:	9/21/01		

CHANGES TO MSDS FROM PREVIOUS ISSUE DATE ARE DUE TO THE FOLLOWING:

5/5/00 Name Chg

12/1/95 Changed PSDS form requires additional information.

OTHER INFORMATION: none