

**Safety Data Sheet Cover-Sheet** – This page provides additional New Zealand specific information for this product, and must be read in conjunction with the Safety Data Sheet (SDS) attached.

Product Name: ESPE™ Sof-Lex™ Contouring And Polishing Discs

Manufacturer: 3M

SDS Expiry: 18 July 2023

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HSNO Class/Category: Non Hazardous

HSNO Group Standard: Non Hazardous

Statements/Pictograms: As per attached Safety Data Sheet (SDS)

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## Safety Data Sheet

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This Safety Data Sheet has been prepared in accordance with the New Zealand, Hazardous Substances (Safety Data Sheets) Notice 2017.

### SECTION 1: Identification

#### 1.1. Product identifier

3M™ ESPE™ 1958, 1980, 4850, 8690 And 8691 Series Sof-Lex™ Contouring And Polishing Discs

#### Product Identification Numbers

70-2004-2154-6	70-2004-2155-3	70-2004-4244-3	70-2004-8096-3	70-2004-8097-1
70-2004-8098-9	70-2004-8099-7	70-2004-8105-2	70-2004-8106-0	70-2004-8107-8
70-2004-8108-6	70-2010-3088-2	70-2010-3089-0	70-2010-3090-8	70-2010-3091-6
70-2010-3092-4	70-2010-3093-2	70-2010-3094-0	70-2010-3095-7	

#### 1.2. Recommended use and restrictions on use

##### Recommended use

Dental Product, Tooth polishing

##### Restrictions on use

For use by dental professionals only.

#### 1.3. Supplier's details

**Address:** 3M New Zealand Ltd, 94 Apollo Drive, Rosedale 0632, Auckland  
**Telephone:** (09) 477 4040  
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#### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

24 hr Medical Emergency, National Poisons Centre, 0800 764 766 (0800 POISON)

### SECTION 2: Hazard identification

Not classified as hazardous in accordance with the relevant criteria of the HSNO Act 1996, the Hazardous Substances (Classification) Notice 2017 and Hazardous Substances (Minimum Degrees of Hazard) Notice 2017. This product is considered to be an article which does not release or otherwise result in exposure to a hazardous chemical under normal use conditions.

Refer to Section 14 of this Safety Data Sheet for product Dangerous Goods Classification.

#### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

**3M™ ESPE™ 1958, 1980, 4850, 8690 And 8691 Series Sof-Lex™ Contouring And Polishing Discs**

GHS	HSNO
Not classified as hazardous.	Not classified as hazardous.

**2.2. Label elements****SIGNAL WORD**

Not applicable.

**Symbols:**

Not applicable.

**SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

Ingredient	CAS Nbr	% by Weight
Cured urethane backing	None	40 - 50
Aluminium oxide grit and binder	None	15 - 30
Paper	None	20 - 30

**SECTION 4: First aid measures****4.1. Description of first aid measures****Inhalation**

Remove person to fresh air. If you feel unwell, get medical attention.

**Skin contact**

Wash with soap and water. If signs/symptoms develop, get medical attention.

**Eye contact**

Flush with large amounts of water. Remove contact lenses if easy to do. Continue rinsing. If signs/symptoms persist, get medical attention.

**If swallowed**

Rinse mouth. If you feel unwell, get medical attention.

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

See Section 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

**4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment required**

Not applicable

**SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures****5.1. Suitable extinguishing media**

In case of fire: Use a fire fighting agent suitable for ordinary combustible material such as water or foam to extinguish.

**5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**

None inherent in this product.

**Hazardous Decomposition or By-Products****Substance**

Carbon monoxide.

Carbon dioxide.

**Condition**

During combustion.

During combustion.

### 5.3. Special protective actions for fire-fighters

No special protective actions for fire-fighters are anticipated.

5.4. Hazchem code: Not applicable.

## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

### 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Ventilate the area with fresh air.

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Avoid release to the environment.

### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Collect as much of the spilled material as possible. Place in a closed container approved for transportation by appropriate authorities. Clean up residue. Dispose of collected material as soon as possible in accordance with applicable local/regional/national/international regulations.

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

Refer to Section 15 - Controls for more information

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Avoid prolonged or repeated skin contact.

### 7.2. Conditions for safe storage including any incompatibilities

No special storage requirements.

### 7.3. Certified handler

Not required

## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1 Control parameters

#### Occupational exposure limits

No occupational exposure limit values exist for any of the components listed in Section 3 of this Safety Data Sheet.

### 8.2. Exposure controls

#### 8.2.1. Engineering controls

Use in a well-ventilated area.

#### 8.2.2. Personal protective equipment (PPE)

##### Eye/face protection

Select and use eye/face protection to prevent contact based on the results of an exposure assessment. The following eye/face protection(s) are recommended:

Safety glasses with side shields.

Refer AS/NZS 1336 - Recommended practices for occupational eye protection and for performance specifications AS/NZS

1337, Parts 1 - 6 - Personal eye-protection.

#### **Skin/hand protection**

See Section 7.1 for additional information on skin protection.

#### **Respiratory protection**

Respiratory protection is not required.

## **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

### **9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

<b>Physical state</b>	Solid.
<b>Specific Physical Form:</b>	Abrasive discs
<b>Appearance/Odour</b>	Slight characteristic odour, Grey, brown, black, or blue discs.
<b>Odour threshold</b>	<i>No data available.</i>
<b>pH</b>	<i>Not applicable.</i>
<b>Melting point/Freezing point</b>	<i>No data available.</i>
<b>Boiling point/Initial boiling point/Boiling range</b>	<i>Not applicable.</i>
<b>Flash point</b>	No flash point
<b>Evaporation rate</b>	<i>Not applicable.</i>
<b>Flammability (solid, gas)</b>	Not classified
<b>Flammable Limits(LEL)</b>	<i>Not applicable.</i>
<b>Flammable Limits(UEL)</b>	<i>Not applicable.</i>
<b>Vapour pressure</b>	<i>Not applicable.</i>
<b>Vapour density</b>	<i>Not applicable.</i>
<b>Density</b>	<i>Not applicable.</i>
<b>Relative density</b>	<i>Not applicable.</i>
<b>Water solubility</b>	Nil
<b>Solubility- non-water</b>	<i>No data available.</i>
<b>Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water</b>	<i>Not applicable.</i>
<b>Autoignition temperature</b>	<i>No data available.</i>
<b>Decomposition temperature</b>	<i>No data available.</i>
<b>Viscosity</b>	<i>Not applicable.</i>
<b>Molecular weight</b>	<i>No data available.</i>
<b>Volatile organic compounds (VOC)</b>	<i>Not applicable.</i>
<b>Percent volatile</b>	<i>Not applicable.</i>
<b>VOC less H2O &amp; exempt solvents</b>	<i>Not applicable.</i>

## **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

### **10.1 Reactivity**

This material is considered to be non reactive under normal use conditions

### **10.2 Chemical stability**

Stable.

### **10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions**

Hazardous polymerisation will not occur.

### **10.4 Conditions to avoid**

None known.

### 10.5 Incompatible materials

None known.

### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

**Substance**

**Condition**

None known.

Refer to Section 5.2 for hazardous decomposition products during combustion.

## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

The information below may not be consistent with the material classification in Section 2 if specific ingredient classifications are mandated by a competent authority. In addition, toxicological data on ingredients may not be reflected in the material classification and/or the signs and symptoms of exposure, because an ingredient may be present below the threshold for labelling, an ingredient may not be available for exposure, or the data may not be relevant to the material as a whole.

### 11.1 Information on Toxicological effects

#### Signs and Symptoms of Exposure

Based on test data and/or information on the components, this material may produce the following health effects:

#### Inhalation

This product may have a characteristic odour; however, no adverse health effects are anticipated.

#### Skin contact

Contact with the skin during product use is not expected to result in significant irritation.

#### Eye contact

Dust created by cutting, grinding, sanding, or machining may cause eye irritation: Signs/symptoms may include redness, swelling, pain, tearing, and blurred or hazy vision.

#### Ingestion

No known health effects.

#### Toxicological Data

If a component is disclosed in section 3 but does not appear in a table below, either no data are available for that endpoint or the data are not sufficient for classification.

#### Acute Toxicity

Name	Route	Species	Value
Overall product	Ingestion		No data available; calculated ATE >5,000 mg/kg

ATE = acute toxicity estimate

#### Skin Corrosion/Irritation

For the component/components, either no data are currently available or the data are not sufficient for classification.

#### Serious Eye Damage/Irritation

For the component/components, either no data are currently available or the data are not sufficient for classification.

#### Skin Sensitisation

For the component/components, either no data are currently available or the data are not sufficient for classification.

#### **Respiratory Sensitisation**

For the component/components, either no data are currently available or the data are not sufficient for classification.

#### **Germ Cell Mutagenicity**

For the component/components, either no data are currently available or the data are not sufficient for classification.

#### **Carcinogenicity**

For the component/components, either no data are currently available or the data are not sufficient for classification.

#### **Reproductive Toxicity**

#### **Reproductive and/or Developmental Effects**

For the component/components, either no data are currently available or the data are not sufficient for classification.

#### **Target Organ(s)**

#### **Specific Target Organ Toxicity - single exposure**

For the component/components, either no data are currently available or the data are not sufficient for classification.

#### **Specific Target Organ Toxicity - repeated exposure**

For the component/components, either no data are currently available or the data are not sufficient for classification.

#### **Aspiration Hazard**

For the component/components, either no data are currently available or the data are not sufficient for classification.

**Please contact the address or phone number listed on the first page of the SDS for additional toxicological information on this material and/or its components.**

## **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

The information below may not be consistent with the material classification in Section 2 if specific ingredient classifications are mandated by a competent authority. Additional information leading to material classification in Section 2 is available upon request. In addition, environmental fate and effects data on ingredients may not be reflected in this section because an ingredient is present below the threshold for labelling, an ingredient is not expected to be available for exposure, or the data is considered not relevant to the material as a whole.

### **12.1. Toxicity**

No product test data available.

### **12.2. Persistence and degradability**

No test data available.

### **12.3 : Bioaccumulative potential**

No test data available.

### **12.4. Mobility in soil**

Please contact manufacturer for more details

### **12.5 Other adverse effects**

No information available.

## **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

### **13.1. Disposal methods**

In accordance with the Hazardous Substances (Disposal) Notice 2017 and the relevant criteria of the HSNO Act 1996.

Dispose of waste product in a permitted industrial waste facility.

Packaging (that may or may not contain any residual substance) may be lawfully disposed of by householders or other consumers through public or commercial waste collection services.

## SECTION 14: Transport Information

### **New Zealand Land Transport Rule: Dangerous Goods - Road/Rail Transport**

**UN No.:** Not applicable.

**Proper Shipping Name:** Not applicable.

**Class/Division:** Not applicable.

**Sub Risk:** Not applicable.

**Packing Group:** Not applicable.

**Hazchem Code:** Not applicable.

**IERG:** Not applicable.

### **International Air Transport Association (IATA) - Air Transport**

**UN No.:** Not applicable.

**Proper Shipping Name:** Not applicable.

**Class/Division:** Not applicable.

**Sub Risk:** Not applicable.

**Packing Group:** Not applicable.

### **International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code (IMDG) - Marine Transport**

**UN No.:** Not applicable.

**Proper Shipping Name:** Not applicable.

**Class/Division:** Not applicable.

**Sub Risk:** Not applicable.

**Packing Group:** Not applicable.

**Marine Pollutant:** Not applicable.

## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

HSNO Approval number	Not applicable
Group standard name	Not applicable
HSNO Hazard classification	Refer to Section 2: Hazard identification

### **NZ Inventory of Chemicals (NZIoC) Status**

All applicable chemical ingredients in this material are in compliance with NZIoC listing requirements.

### **Controls in accordance with the Health and Safety at Work (Hazardous Substances) Regulations 2017**

Certified handler	Not required
Location Compliance Certificate	Not required
Hazardous atmosphere zone	Not required
Fire extinguishers	Not required
Emergency response plan	Not required
Secondary containment	Not required
Tracking	Not required
Warning signage	Not required



## SECTION 16: Other information

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### Key to abbreviations and acronyms

**GHS** means the Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals, 5th revised edition 2013

**HSNO** means Hazardous Substances and New Organisms Act 1996

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