

**1. Identification**

<b>Product identifier</b>	<b>VECTOR® 2518A, 2518ALD, 6241A and 8508A Styrenic Block Copolymers</b>
<b>Other means of identification</b>	
<b>Synonyms</b>	VECTOR® is a registered trademark of TSRC Corporation
<b>Recommended use</b>	Industrial conversion as a raw material for manufacture of articles or goods.
<b>Recommended restrictions</b>	None known.
<b>Manufacturer/Importer/Supplier/Distributor information</b>	
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**2. Hazard(s) identification**

<b>Physical hazards</b>	Not classified.
<b>Health hazards</b>	Not classified.
<b>OSHA defined hazards</b>	Not classified.
<b>Label elements</b>	
<b>Hazard symbol</b>	None.
<b>Signal word</b>	None.
<b>Hazard statement</b>	The mixture does not meet the criteria for classification.
<b>Precautionary statement</b>	
<b>Prevention</b>	Observe good industrial hygiene practices.
<b>Response</b>	Wash hands after handling.
<b>Storage</b>	Store away from incompatible materials.
<b>Disposal</b>	Dispose of waste and residues in accordance with local authority requirements.
<b>Hazard(s) not otherwise classified (HNOC)</b>	None known.
<b>Supplemental information</b>	The material may form dust and can accumulate electrostatic charges, which may cause an electrical spark (ignition source).

**3. Composition/information on ingredients****Mixtures**

<b>Chemical name</b>	<b>CAS number</b>	<b>%</b>
Butadiene-styrene Rubber	9003-55-8	>= 96
Talc (non-asbestiform)	14807-96-6	<= 1

**Composition comments** All concentrations are in percent by weight.

**4. First-aid measures**

**Inhalation** If symptomatic, move to fresh air. Get medical attention if symptoms persist.

<b>Skin contact</b>	Flush skin with large amounts of water. For contact with hot material, immediately immerse affected area of skin in large amounts of cold water to dissipate heat and reduce the extent of thermal burns. Do not peel polymer from the skin.
<b>Eye contact</b>	Flush eyes with water as a precaution. Get medical attention if irritation develops or persists.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Have victim rinse mouth thoroughly with water.
<b>Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed</b>	Irritation of eyes and mucous membranes. Irritation of nose and throat.
<b>Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed</b>	Treat symptomatically.

**General information** First aid personnel must be aware of own risk during rescue.

## 5. Fire-fighting measures

<b>Suitable extinguishing media</b>	Water spray, foam, dry powder or carbon dioxide.
<b>Unsuitable extinguishing media</b>	None.
<b>Specific hazards arising from the chemical</b>	Thermal decomposition may produce smoke, oxides of carbon and lower molecular weight organic compounds whose composition have not been characterized.
<b>Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters</b>	Self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire. Selection of respiratory protection for firefighting: follow the general fire precautions indicated in the workplace.
<b>Fire fighting equipment/instructions</b>	Move containers from fire area if you can do it without risk. Cool containers with flooding quantities of water until well after fire is out.
<b>General fire hazards</b>	The product is not flammable. Will burn if involved in a fire.

## 6. Accidental release measures

<b>Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures</b>	Avoid inhalation of dust. Avoid inhalation of fumes from molten product. Surfaces may become slippery after spillage. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment. For personal protection, see Section 8 of the SDS.
<b>Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up</b>	Scrape up with shovels into a suitable container for recycle or disposal. For waste disposal, see Section 13 of the SDS.
<b>Environmental precautions</b>	Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

## 7. Handling and storage

<b>Precautions for safe handling</b>	Avoid inhalation of dust and contact with skin and eyes. Avoid contact with hot material. The product may form dust and can accumulate electrostatic charges, which may cause an electrical spark (ignition source). Use proper grounding procedures. Observe good industrial hygiene practices.
<b>Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities</b>	Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated place. Keep away from incompatible materials, open flames and high temperatures. This material can accumulate static charge which may cause spark and become an ignition source. Prevent electrostatic charge build-up by using common bonding and grounding techniques.

## 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

### Occupational exposure limits

#### US. OSHA Table Z-3 (29 CFR 1910.1000)

Components	Type	Value
Talc (non-asbestiform) (CAS 14807-96-6)	TWA	20 mppcf

#### US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values

Components	Type	Value	Form
Talc (non-asbestiform) (CAS 14807-96-6)	TWA	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Respirable fraction.

#### US. NIOSH: Pocket Guide to Chemical Hazards

Components	Type	Value	Form
Talc (non-asbestiform) (CAS 14807-96-6)	TWA	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Respirable.

**Biological limit values** No biological exposure limits noted for the ingredient(s).

<b>Exposure guidelines</b>	Follow standard monitoring procedures.
<b>Appropriate engineering controls</b>	Observe occupational exposure limits and minimize the risk of inhalation of dust and fumes. Use explosion-proof equipment if high dust/air concentrations are possible.
<b>Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment</b>	
<b>Eye/face protection</b>	If contact with material may occur, safety glasses and face shield are recommended.
<b>Skin protection</b>	
<b>Hand protection</b>	When material is heated, wear gloves to protect against thermal burns.
<b>Other</b>	Normal work clothing (long sleeved shirts and long pants) is recommended.
<b>Respiratory protection</b>	In case of inadequate ventilation or risk of inhalation of dust, use suitable respiratory equipment with particle filter.
<b>Thermal hazards</b>	Wear appropriate thermal protective clothing, when necessary.
<b>General hygiene considerations</b>	Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

## 9. Physical and chemical properties

### Appearance

<b>Physical state</b>	Solid.
<b>Form</b>	Pellets.
<b>Color</b>	White to off-white.

**Odor** Odorless to mild.

**Odor threshold** Not available.

**pH** Not available.

**Melting point/freezing point** Not available.

**Initial boiling point and boiling range** Not applicable.

**Flash point** Not applicable.

**Evaporation rate** Not applicable.

**Flammability (solid, gas)** Combustible.

### Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits

**Flammability limit - lower (%)** 1.3 (for residual solvent)

**Flammability limit - upper (%)** 8 (for residual solvent)

**Vapor pressure** Not applicable.

**Vapor density** Not applicable.

**Relative density** < 1

### Solubility(ies)

**Solubility (water)** Insoluble in water.

**Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water)** Not available.

**Auto-ignition temperature** Not available.

**Decomposition temperature** Not available.

**Viscosity** Not applicable.

### Other information

**Explosive properties** Not explosive.

**Oxidizing properties** Not oxidizing.

## 10. Stability and reactivity

**Reactivity** Stable at normal conditions.

**Chemical stability** Stable at normal conditions.

**Possibility of hazardous reactions** Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

**Conditions to avoid** Temperatures above 250 °C.

<b>Incompatible materials</b>	Strong oxidizing agents.
<b>Hazardous decomposition products</b>	Upon decomposition, this product emits carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide and/or low molecular weight hydrocarbons.

## 11. Toxicological information

### Information on likely routes of exposure

<b>Inhalation</b>	Dust may irritate respiratory system.
<b>Skin contact</b>	Molten material will produce thermal burns.
<b>Eye contact</b>	Dust may irritate the eyes.
<b>Ingestion</b>	May cause discomfort if swallowed.

**Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics** Irritation of eyes and mucous membranes. Irritation of nose and throat.

### Information on toxicological effects

<b>Acute toxicity</b>	Not expected to be acutely toxic.
<b>Skin corrosion/irritation</b>	Contact with molten material may cause thermal burns.
<b>Serious eye damage/eye irritation</b>	May cause irritation through mechanical abrasion.

### Respiratory or skin sensitization

<b>Respiratory sensitization</b>	Not classified.
<b>Skin sensitization</b>	Not classified.

**Germ cell mutagenicity** No data available to indicate product or any components present at greater than 0.1% are mutagenic or genotoxic.

**Carcinogenicity** Not classified.

#### IARC Monographs. Overall Evaluation of Carcinogenicity

Talc (non-asbestiform) (CAS 14807-96-6) 3 Not classifiable as to carcinogenicity to humans.

#### NTP Report on Carcinogens

Not listed.

#### OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1053)

Not listed.

**Reproductive toxicity** Not classified.

**Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure** Not classified.

**Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure** Not classified.

**Aspiration hazard** Due to the physical form of the product it is not an aspiration hazard.

**Chronic effects** Talc may have effects on the lungs, resulting in talc pneumoconiosis.

**Further information** No other specific acute or chronic health impact noted.

## 12. Ecological information

**Ecotoxicity** The product is not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does not exclude the possibility that large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging effect on the environment.

**Persistence and degradability** No data available.

**Bioaccumulative potential** No data available for this product.

**Mobility in soil** The product is insoluble in water and will spread on water surfaces.

**Other adverse effects** None known.

## 13. Disposal considerations

**Disposal instructions** Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

**Local disposal regulations** Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.

**Hazardous waste code** The waste code should be assigned in discussion between the user, the producer and the waste disposal company.

**Waste from residues / unused products** Dispose in accordance with local regulations.

**Contaminated packaging** Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal.

## 14. Transport information

### DOT

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

### IATA

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

### IMDG

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

**Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code** Not applicable.

## 15. Regulatory information

**US federal regulations** This product is not known to be a "Hazardous Chemical" as defined by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200.  
All components are on the U.S. EPA TSCA Inventory List.

### TSCA Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpt. D)

Not regulated.

### CERCLA Hazardous Substance List (40 CFR 302.4)

Not listed.

### SARA 304 Emergency release notification

Not regulated.

### OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1053)

Not listed.

**Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA)** All components of the mixture on the TSCA 8(b) inventory are designated "active".

### Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)

#### SARA 302 Extremely hazardous substance

Not listed.

**SARA 311/312 Hazardous chemical** No

#### SARA 313 (TRI reporting)

Not regulated.

### Other federal regulations

#### Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) List

Not regulated.

#### Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112(r) Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130)

Not regulated.

**Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA)** Not regulated.

### US state regulations

#### US. Massachusetts RTK - Substance List

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#### US. New Jersey Worker and Community Right-to-Know Act

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#### US. Pennsylvania Worker and Community Right-to-Know Law

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#### US. Rhode Island RTK

Talc (non-asbestiform) (CAS 14807-96-6)

### California Proposition 65



**WARNING:** This product can expose you to Talc (non-asbestiform), which is known to the State of California to cause cancer. For more information go to [www.P65Warnings.ca.gov](http://www.P65Warnings.ca.gov).

### California Proposition 65 - CRT: Listed date/Carcinogenic substance

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Listed: April 1, 1990

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## 16. Other information, including date of preparation or last revision

**Issue date** 05-March-2018  
**Revision date** 17-March-2021  
**Version #** 02  
**Further information** HMIS® is a registered trade and service mark of the ACA.  
B - Safety Glasses, Gloves  
**HMIS® ratings** Health: 1  
Flammability: 1  
Physical hazard: 0  
Personal protection: B

### NFPA ratings



### List of abbreviations

TWA: Time Weighted Average.

### References

ACGIH Documentation of the Threshold Limit Values and Biological Exposure Indices  
EPA: AQUIRE database  
IARC Monographs. Overall Evaluation of Carcinogenicity  
HSDB® - Hazardous Substances Data Bank  
National Toxicology Program (NTP) Report on Carcinogens  
NLM: Hazardous Substances Data Base

### Disclaimer

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This product should be stored, handled and used in accordance with good industrial hygiene practices and in conformity with any legal regulation. Many factors determine whether the reported Hazards are Risks in the workplace or other settings. Risks may be determined by reference to Exposures Scenarios. Scale of use, frequency of use and current or available engineering controls must be considered.