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SPECIFICATION

Product Safety Data Sheet Algisite M (Sterile)

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1. PRODUCT NAME(S): ALGISITE M – Calcium Alginate Dressing

2. INTENDED USES:

Wound Dressing

3. COMPOSITION:

Calcium salt of alginic acid; 9.% calcium approx.: 0.5% textile finish (polysorbate 20, BP) calcium alginate fibre complies with BP 1993 (addendum 1995).

4. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES:

Non-woven fabric, insoluble in water.
Solvents: soluble in sodium solutions pH 6-7.
Particle size 30mm x 15m fibres.
Stable at room temperature.

5. HAZARD INFORMATION:

Non-flammable

Health effects:

None

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6. FIRST AID:	
a) Inhalation	Non-irritant
b) Contact with skin	Non-irritant
c) Contact with eyes	Wash with water
d) Ingestion	Non-toxic, flush with water.

7. FIRE AND EMERGENCY MEASURES:
 Non-flammable.

8. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES:
 N/A

9. HANDLING AND STORAGE PRECAUTIONS:
 No special precautions required.
 Stable up to 40°C; humidity <70%.
 Store at room temperature in dry conditions.

10. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION:
 None required.

11. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY:
 Stable up to 40°C; humidity <70%.
 Store at room temperature in dry conditions.

12. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION::

See information given in hazard information.

13. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION:

Not applicable.

14. DISPOSAL:

No special precautions required. Normally disposed of by incineration.

15. TRANSPORT PRECAUTIONS:

No special precautions required. Transport under the same conditions as storage.

16. REGULATORY INFORMATION:

Not applicable.

17. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

None

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