



## Material Safety Data Sheet

### IDENTIFICATION

**NON STERILE**

**W.O.W GAUZE**

**BANDAGES**

Product Code:

**3048      5cm x 5m**

**3049      7.5cm x 5m**

Product Name: **Steroplast White Open Weave Bandage**

**USE: Disposable single use cotton Gauze Bandage.**

**Protection and to cover Minor cuts & Grazes To be used to cover wound dressing**

**For external use only**

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### Physical Description

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Appearance and Odour: White open aperture cotton woven slit to various widths and rolled to 5 metres.

Melting Point / Boiling Point: N/A

Vapour Pressure: N/A

Specific Gravity: N/A

Flashpoint: Nil

Solubility in water (g/L): N/A

Percent Volatile by Volume: N/A

### **Components**

**100% Woven Cotton threads .Bleached . Free from Latex**

Warp and Weft construction .

## **Health Hazard Information**

Health Effects

### **Acute**

Swallowed: Not a likely route of exposure. If swallowing did occur it may cause nausea and dizziness.

Eye: Not a likely route of exposure

Skin: Prolonged skin contact or repeated exposure not likely to cause any significant skin irritation unless there was an existing skin disorder. Symptoms may include redness and dryness.

Inhaled: Not a likely route of exposure

Chronic: Not likely

## **First Aid**

Swallowed: In the unlikely event that some bandage was swallowed.

Do not induce vomiting. Give water. Get medical attention.

Eye: unlikely

Skin: Unlikely. Wash thoroughly with soap and water.

Inhaled: Not likely

First Aid Facilities: Eye wash plus normal washroom facilities nearby.

Advice to Doctor: Treat symptomatically.

## **Precaution For Use**

Wearing:

Prolonged wearing should not pose a problem. Bandage to be changed frequently in accordance with good medical practice.

Flammability:

The bandage is non-flammable but combustible. Packing is a combustible solid

## **Safe Handling Information**

Storage and Transport:

Store in a cool (25C) dry place.

Spills and Disposal.

Dispose in accordance with local waste regulations.

May be incinerated at an approved facility.

Used: Soiled product may be required to be disposed of in accordance with the local authority's infectious / biohazardous waste requirements.

Fire or Explosion hazard:

No fire or explosion hazard.

Packing material: combustible solid.  
Extinguishing Media: According to the surrounding area.  
Any standard fire extinguisher may be used.

### **Other Information**

Class I – Non sterile Medical Device.

Shelf Life  
5 years on from the date of manufacture,

LOT number is shown on the outer primary wrapper.

Stability and Reactivity: Stable at room temperature  
Condition to avoid: Extreme Heat.  
Incompatible Material:  
Avoid contact with strong oxidising agents.  
Hazardous Decomposition Product: Carbon , Carbon  
monoxide , carbon dioxide.

Environmental Issues: No environmental issues expected.

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### **Please Note:**

This Data Sheet summarises our best knowledge of the health and safety hazard information of the product and how to safely handle and use the product in the workplace. Each user should read this data sheet and consider the information in the context of how the product will be handled and used in the workplace including in conjunction with other products. If clarification or further information is needed to ensure that an appropriate risk assessment can be made, the user should contact this company.

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