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**PRODUCT SAFETY DATA SHEET**

**1. PRODUCT NAME:** PROPAX Sterile Unmedicated Dressings

**2. INTENDED USES:**

A sterile unmedicated wound dressing.

**3. COMPOSITION:**

The dressing is made up of a dressing pad consisting of a non-woven fabric covering a swabsi surgery fleece or a 20g/,<sup>2</sup> non-woven fabric thermo bonded to either side of a 160g/m<sup>2</sup> rayon filler sewn to an EASIFIX bandage. The EASIFIX bandage is made up of 2/44f13 texturised nylon(R92) in the warp and 15.5 tex spun polyester waxed and 20 tex green cotton weft inlay yarn.

**4. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES:**

Combustible solid.

**5. HEALTH HAZARDS:**

No health hazard is anticipated during normal handling of this product.

**6. FIRE HAZARD AND EMERGENCY ACTION:**

If ignited may give off toxic fumes, carbon monoxide, smoke containing particulate matter. In case of fire any standard fire extinguisher may be used. Wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

**7. STORAGE PRECAUTIONS:**

Store in a cool, dry place out of direct sunlight and below 25°C. Keep away from sources of ignition.

**8. TRANSPORT PRECAUTIONS:**

Not applicable.

**9. HANDLING/USE/PROTECTIVE CLOTHING:**

Not applicable.

**10. DISPOSAL:**

Controlled incineration/landfill according to local environmental health guidelines.

**11. FIRST AID:**

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| a) Inhalation        | - | Not applicable |
| b) Contact with skin | - | Not applicable |
| c) Contact with eyes | - | Not applicable |
| d) Ingestion         | - | Not applicable |

**12. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:**

Not applicable.

**13. NAME, ADDRESS AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF SUPPLIER:**

Smith & Nephew Healthcare  
Healthcare House  
Goulton Street  
Hull  
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