

## SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

### 1.1 Product identifier

· **Trade name:** *VOCO Retraction paste*

#### · **Chemical Identification:**

*This product is a medical device according to Directive 93/42/EEC concerning medical devices or Regulation (EU) 2017/745 (MDR), which is used invasively or in contact with the body. Therefore, it is exempt from the classification and labelling requirements of Regulation (EC) 1272/2008 (AR CLP, Article 1, paragraph 5 d). A safety data sheet is not required by law for this product. This information is provided on a voluntary basis in the form of this Medical Devices Data Sheet.*

· **Product category** Dental medical device

#### · **Article category**

*The information relevant for the application and for the safety of users and patients is defined in the product-specific directions for use. The instructions for use must be observed.*

*The product should only be applied by a professionally trained dental practitioner.*

· **Application of the substance / the mixture** For temporary retraction of the marginal gingiva.

### 1.3 Details of the supplier of the data sheet

#### · **Manufacturer/Supplier:**

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## SECTION 2: Hazards identification

### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

#### · **Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**

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*Skin Corr. 1B H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.*

*Eye Dam. 1 H318 Causes serious eye damage.*

### 2.3 Other hazards

#### · **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

· **PBT:** Not applicable.

· **vPvB:** Not applicable.

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.2 Mixtures

· **Description:** Mixture of substances listed below with nonhazardous additions.

#### · **Dangerous components:**

aluminum chloride hexahydrate	Skin Corr. 1B, H314; Eye Dam. 1, H318	10-25%
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#### · **Additional information:**

*Further information on ingredients can be found in the instructions for use.*

*In case of known hypersensitivity to the ingredients mentioned in the instructions for use, do not use the product.*

## SECTION 4: First aid measures

### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

· **General information:** No special measures required.

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- **After inhalation:** Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of complaints.
- **After skin contact:** Generally the product does not irritate the skin.
- **After eye contact:**  
Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. If symptoms persist, consult a doctor.
- **After swallowing:**  
If symptoms persist consult doctor.  
Rinse out mouth and then drink plenty of water.
- **4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed** No further relevant information available.
- **4.3 In case of contact with mucous membranes during treatment:**  
Remove excess immediately.  
No special measures required.  
No further relevant information available.

**SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

- **5.1 Extinguishing media**
- **Suitable extinguishing agents:** Use fire extinguishing methods suitable to surrounding conditions.
- **5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture** No further relevant information available.
- **5.3 Advice for firefighters**
- **Protective equipment:** No special measures required.

**SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

- **6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures** Not required.
- **6.2 Environmental precautions:** No special measures required.
- **6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**  
Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).
- **6.4 Reference to other sections**  
See Section 7 for information on safe handling.  
See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.  
See Section 13 for disposal information.

**SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

- **7.1 Precautions for safe handling**  
No special precautions are necessary if used correctly.  
For use in dental application only.  
Observe the instructions for use! This contains the relevant application and safety information for the use of this product.
- **Information about fire - and explosion protection:** No special measures required.
- **7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **Storage:**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** No special requirements.
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.
- **Further information about storage conditions:**  
Please observe the storage instructions on the packaging and in the instructions for use.

**SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

- **8.1 Control parameters**
- **Ingredients with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**  
The product does not contain any relevant quantities of materials with critical values that have to be monitored at the workplace.

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· **Additional information:**

Due to the proportions contained in relation to the amount of product during use and the way it is incorporated into the product, monitoring of specific, workplace-related limit values is not applicable.

· **8.2 Exposure controls**

· **Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment**

· **General protective and hygienic measures:**

The usual precautionary measures are to be adhered to when handling chemicals.

Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.

In the context of the use of this product, the hygiene standards customary and general in dental practice, such as hand, mouth and eye protection, must be applied.

## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

· **9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

· **General Information**

· **Physical state**

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· **Colour:**

According to product specification

· **Odour:**

Characteristic

· **Odour threshold:**

Not determined.

· **Melting point/freezing point:**

Undetermined.

· **Boiling point or initial boiling point and boiling range**

Undetermined.

· **Flammability**

Not applicable.

· **Lower and upper explosion limit**

· **Lower:**

Not determined.

· **Upper:**

Not determined.

· **Flash point:**

Not applicable.

· **Decomposition temperature:**

Not determined.

· **pH**

Not determined.

· **Viscosity:**

· **Kinematic viscosity**

Not determined.

· **Dynamic:**

Not determined.

· **Solubility**

· **water:**

Not miscible or difficult to mix.

· **Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (log value)**

Not determined.

· **Vapour pressure:**

Not determined.

· **Density and/or relative density**

· **Density:**

Not determined.

· **Relative density**

Not determined.

· **Vapour density**

Not determined.

· **9.2 Other information**

· **Appearance:**

· **Form:**

Pasty

· **Important information on protection of health and environment, and on safety.**

· **Auto-ignition temperature:**

Product is not selfigniting.

· **Explosive properties:**

Product does not present an explosion hazard.

· **Change in condition**

Not applicable.

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

· **10.1 Reactivity** No further relevant information available.

· **10.2 Chemical stability** Stable.

· **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.

· **10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions** No dangerous reactions known.

· **10.4 Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.

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- **10.5 Incompatible materials:** No further relevant information available.
- **10.6 Hazardous decomposition products:** No dangerous decomposition products known.

**SECTION 11: Toxicological information**· **Other information**

As an invasive medical device, the product is subject to relevant laws and standards which ensure the safety and performance of the product when used appropriately and in accordance with the instructions for use. Specific toxicological information is not applicable at this point. The instructions for use must be observed.

**SECTION 12: Ecological information**· **General notes:**

As an invasive medical device, the product is subject to relevant laws and standards that ensure the safety and performance of the product when used properly and in accordance with the instructions for use. Special environmental information is not applicable at this point. The instructions for use must be observed.

**SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

- **13.1 Waste treatment methods**
- **Recommendation** Dispose of in accordance with official regulations.
- **Uncleaned packaging:**
- **Recommendation:** Dispose of in accordance with official regulations.

**SECTION 14: Transport information**

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| · <b>14.1 UN number or ID number</b><br>· <b>ADR, IMDG, IATA</b>                            | Void            |
| · <b>14.2 UN proper shipping name</b><br>· <b>ADR, IMDG, IATA</b>                           | Void            |
| · <b>14.3 Transport hazard class(es)</b><br>· <b>ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA</b><br>· <b>Class</b> | Void            |
| · <b>14.4 Packing group</b><br>· <b>ADR, IMDG, IATA</b>                                     | Void            |
| · <b>14.5 Environmental hazards:</b>  | Not applicable. |
| · <b>14.6 Special precautions for user</b>  | Not applicable. |
| · <b>14.7 Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments</b>                       | Not applicable. |
| · <b>UN "Model Regulation":</b>   | Void            |

**SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

- **15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**  
Regulation (EU) 2017/745  
Medical Devices Regulation

Directive 93/42/EEC concerning medical devices

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· **15.2 Chemical safety assessment:**

*The health and environmental hazards have been assessed and classified on the basis of the information known to us on the components and their reaction processes.  
A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.*

## **SECTION 16: Other information**

*This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.*

*The product to which this data sheet is assigned is a medical device according to the EU Medical Devices Regulation EU 2017/745. Invasive medical devices or medical devices in direct body contact are exempted from the classification and labelling requirements of Regulation (EU) 1272/2008 (AR CLP, Article 1, paragraph 5 d). The Medical Devices Regulation does not require a safety data sheet for invasive medical devices or medical devices in direct body contact, as the safe use of the product is indicated in the instructions for use and/or the labelling. Nevertheless, we provide a data sheet for medical devices in order to provide as transparent a source as possible for the assessment of hazards to humans and the environment.*

· **Relevant phrases**

*H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.  
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· **Abbreviations and acronyms:**

*ADR: Accord relatif au transport international des marchandises dangereuses par route (European Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)  
IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods  
IATA: International Air Transport Association  
GHS: Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals  
EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances  
ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances  
CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)  
PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic  
vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative  
Skin Corr. 1B: Skin corrosion/irritation – Category 1B  
Eye Dam. 1: Serious eye damage/eye irritation – Category 1*