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MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

SECTION I - IDENTITY

Product Name: SUPARTZTM

NDC Number:

"Medical Device Listing Number B091961"

"FDA Product Code 89MOZ"

"PMA Number P980044 - FDA Approved January 24, 2001"

Product Class: Medical Device, significant risk, class 3

Description:

SUPARTZ™ is a sterile, viscoelastic non-pyrogenic solution of purified, high molecular weight sodium hyaluronate (620,000-1,170,000 daltons) having a pH of 6.8-7.8. Each one mL of SUPARTZ™ contains 10mg of sodium hyaluronate dissolved in a physiological saline (1.0% solution). The sodium hyaluronate is extracted from chicken combs. Sodium hyaluronate is a polysaccharide containing repeating disaccharide units of glucuronic acid and N-acetyl-glucosamine.

SECTION II - PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL CHARACTERISTICS

Appearance/Odor: Colorless and clear, odorless and viscous	
Specific Gravity: 1.008	
Acid/Alkaline (pH): 6.8 - 7.8	
Solubility in Water: NA	
Melting Point: NA	
Evaporation Point: NA	
Boiling Point: NA	
Vapor Pressure: NA	
Vapor Density: NA	

SECTION III - FIRE/EXPLOSION DATA

Flash Point: NA

LEL/UEL* (see notes): NA

Extinguishing Media: NA

Special Fire Fighting Precautions: NA

SECTION IV - REACTIVITY DATA

Stability: Stable for 42 months below 25°C, not freezing

Hazardous Decomposition or Byproducts: NA

Hazardous Polymerization: NA

Conditions to Avoid: Avoid freezing and high temperature

SECTION V - HEALTH HAZARD DATA

Route of Entry: Intra-articular injection

Health Hazard:

Animal studies, post-marketing experience with other sodium hyaluronate-based products in this indication suggest that adverse events with SUPARTZ™ are usually infrequent, mild and transient.

Toxicity (toxicology):

• The safety of sodium hyaluronate has been established in a series of studies designed to comply with the ISO 10993 standard.

Medical Conditions Aggravated by Exposure: Not expected

Effects of Overexposure: Not expected

Emergency First Aid:

- Eyes: Immediately flush with lots of running water (if necessary)
- Inhalation: Gargle with lots of water (if necessary)
- Ingestion: Wash mouth and gargle with lots of water and drink lots of water (if necessary)
- Skin: Wash with soap and lots of water (if necessary)

Regulated Exposure Limits: ND

SECTION VI - PRECAUTIONS FOR SAFE HANDLING

Spill/Leakage Procedures: Clean up by absorption with materials such as a cloth.

Waste Disposal: Follow local, state and federal regulations

Handling and Storage Precautions:

• Do not freeze and store below 25°C.

Other Precautions:

• Do not use if the package or syringe is opened or damaged.

SECTION VII - CONTROL MEASURES

Ventilation: NA

Personal Protective Equipment: NA

Clothing: NA

Gloves: NA

Eye Protection: NA

Respiratory Protection: NA

Work Practices: The administration is to be performed by a physician.

Hygienic Practices: Standard aseptic administration technique must be followed.

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Notes:

- 1. If the item has not been determined, the abbreviation "ND" may be used.
- 2. If the item is not applicable to the product, the abbreviation "NA" may be used.
- 3. UEL = upper explosive limit
- 4. LEL lower explosive limit