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1. Product and Company Identification

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2. Hazards Identification

Emergency overview

Contact with the eyes or skin may cause mechanical irritation.

State of matter: solid Colour: grey

Odour: product specific

Potential health effects

Acute toxicity:

Not expected to be acutely toxic.

Irritation / corrosion:

Mechanical irritation effects from dust exposure are possible at ambient temperature. Mechanical rubbing may increase skin irritation.

Sensitization:

The chemical structure does not suggest a sensitizing effect.

Potential environmental effects

Aquatic toxicity:

At the present state of knowledge, no negative ecological effects are expected. There is a high probability that the product is not acutely harmful to aquatic organisms. The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from products of a similar structure or composition.

3. Composition / Information on Ingredients

Not WHMIS controlled.

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4. First-Aid Measures

General advice:

First aid personnel should pay attention to their own safety.

If inhaled:

Remove victim to fresh air and away from exposure immediately. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Seek medical attention.

If on skin:

Remove contaminated clothing. Wash skin with soap and water, rinse abundantly. If large slivers or particles penetrate skin, get medical attention. If symptoms persist, seek medical advice.

If swallowed:

Do not induce vomiting unless told to by a poison control center or doctor. If large quantities are ingested, seek medical advice.

5. Fire-Fighting Measures

Flash point: not applicable

Flammability: not highly flammable

Self-ignition temperature: not self-igniting

Suitable extinguishing media:

carbon dioxide, dry powder, foam, water spray

Protective equipment for fire-fighting:

Firefighters should be equipped with self-contained breathing apparatus and turn-out gear.

Further information:

Copious amounts of water may be used to cool exposures. Dust can form an explosive mixture with air. In case of combustion evolution of toxic gases/vapours possible.

6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions:

Use personal protective clothing. Avoid contact with the skin, eyes and clothing.

Environmental precautions:

Contain contaminated water/firefighting water. Do not discharge into drains/surface waters/groundwater.

Cleanup

Sweep/shovel up. Place into suitable containers for reuse or disposal in a licensed facility. Dispose of in accordance with national, state and local regulations.

7. Handling and Storage

Handling

General advice:

Ensure thorough ventilation of stores and work areas.

Protection against fire and explosion:

Avoid dust formation. Dust can form an explosive mixture with air.

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Storage

General advice:

Avoid dust formation, product dust can form an explosive mixture with air.

Storage stability:

Keep only in the original container in a cool, dry, well-ventilated place away from ignition sources, heat or flame. Protect from direct sunlight.

8. Exposure Controls and Personal Protection

Advice on system design:

Provide local exhaust ventilation to maintain recommended P.E.L.

Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection:

Wear respiratory protection if ventilation is inadequate. Wear a NIOSH-certified (or equivalent) respirator as necessary.

Hand protection:

Protective glove selection must be based on the user's assessment of the workplace hazards.

Eye protection:

Safety glasses with side-shields.

Body protection:

Body protection must be chosen based on level of activity and exposure.

General safety and hygiene measures:

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Food, beverages, and tobacco products shall not be carried, stored, or consumed where this material is in use. Hands and/or face should be washed before breaks and at the end of the shift. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Form: fibers

Odour: product specific
Odour threshold: No data available.

Colour: grey

pH value: not applicable
Melting point: not applicable
Vapour pressure: not applicable

Bulk density: 1,800 - 2,400

kg/m3

Partitioning coefficient not applicable n-octanol/water (log Pow):

Solubility in water: insoluble

Miscibility with water: (20 °C) not soluble

Other Information: If necessary, information on other physical and chemical parameters is

indicated in this section.

10. Stability and Reactivity

Hazardous reactions:

The product is stable if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

Thermal decomposition:

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No decomposition if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

Corrosion to metals:

Corrosive effects to metal are not anticipated.

Oxidizing properties:

Based on its structural properties the product is not classified as oxidizing.

11. Toxicological information

Other Information:

Based on our experience and the information available, no adverse health effects are expected if handled as recommended with suitable precautions for designated uses. The product has not been tested. The statements on toxicology have been derived from products of a similar structure and composition.

12. Ecological Information

Other adverse effects:

Ecological data are not available.

13. Disposal considerations

Waste disposal of substance:

Do not discharge into drains/surface waters/groundwater. Dispose of in a licensed facility.

14. Transport Information

Land transport

TDG

Not classified as a dangerous good under transport regulations

Sea transport

IMDG

Not classified as a dangerous good under transport regulations

Air transport IATA/ICAO

Not classified as a dangerous good under transport regulations

15. Regulatory Information

Federal Regulations

Registration status:

Chemical DSL, CA released / exempt

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16. Other Information

We support worldwide Responsible Care® initiatives. We value the health and safety of our employees, customers, suppliers and neighbors, and the protection of the environment. Our commitment to Responsible Care is integral to conducting our business and operating our facilities in a safe and environmentally responsible fashion, supporting our customers and suppliers in ensuring the safe and environmentally sound handling of our products, and minimizing the impact of our operations on society and the environment during production, storage, transport, use and disposal of our products.

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