



Material Safety Data Sheet

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POLYMER 1110

1 Identification

Identification of substance or preparation
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Product Application Area
Flocculant.

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2 Hazard(s) identification

EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

CAUTION

May cause slight irritation to the skin. May cause moderate irritation to the eyes. Dusts may cause irritation to the upper respiratory tract.

DOT hazard is not applicable
Odor: None; Appearance: White, Powder

Fire fighters should wear positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus(full face-piece type). Proper fire-extinguishing media: Foam or water create a slippery condition. Spread sand or grit.

POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS

ACUTE SKIN EFFECTS:

Primary route of exposure; May cause slight irritation to the skin.

ACUTE EYE EFFECTS:

May cause moderate irritation to the eyes.

ACUTE RESPIRATORY EFFECTS:

Dusts may cause irritation to the upper respiratory tract.

INGESTION EFFECTS:

May cause slight gastrointestinal irritation.

TARGET ORGANS:

No evidence of potential chronic effects.

MEDICAL CONDITIONS AGGRAVATED:

Not known.

SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE:

May cause redness or itching of skin.

3 Composition / information on ingredients

Information for specific product ingredients as required by the U.S. OSHA HAZARD COMMUNICATION STANDARD is listed. Refer to additional sections of this MSDS for our assessment of the potential hazards of this formulation.

HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS:

This product is not hazardous as defined by OSHA regulations.

No component is considered to be a carcinogen by the National Toxicology Program, the International Agency for Research on Cancer, or the Occupational Safety and Health Administration at OSHA thresholds for carcinogens.

4 First-aid measures

SKIN CONTACT:

Wash thoroughly with soap and water. Remove contaminated clothing. Get medical attention if irritation develops or persists.

EYE CONTACT:

Remove contact lenses. Hold eyelids apart. Immediately flush eyes with plenty of low-pressure water for at least 15 minutes. Get immediate medical attention.

INHALATION:

If nasal, throat or lung irritation develops - remove to fresh air and get medical attention.

INGESTION:

Do not feed anything by mouth to an unconscious or convulsive victim. Do not induce vomiting. Immediately contact physician. Dilute contents of stomach using 2-8 fluid ounces (60-240 mL) of milk or water.

NOTES TO PHYSICIANS:

No special instructions

5 Fire-fighting measures

FIRE FIGHTING INSTRUCTIONS:

Fire fighters should wear positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (full face-piece type).

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:

Foam or water create a slippery condition. Spread sand or grit.

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS:

elemental oxides

FLASH POINT:

> 200F > 93C P-M(CC)

6 Accidental release measures

PROTECTION AND SPILL CONTAINMENT:

Ventilate area. Use specified protective equipment. Contain and absorb on absorbent material. Place in waste disposal container. Flush area with water. Wet area may be slippery. Spread sand/grit.

DISPOSAL INSTRUCTIONS:

Water contaminated with this product may be sent to a sanitary sewer treatment facility, in accordance with any local agreement, a permitted waste treatment facility or discharged under a permit. Product as is - Incinerate or land dispose in an approved landfill.

7 Handling and storage

HANDLING:

Normal chemical handling.

STORAGE:

Keep containers closed when not in use. Keep dry.

8 Exposure controls / personal protection

EXPOSURE LIMITS

This product is not hazardous as defined by OSHA regulations.

ENGINEERING CONTROLS:

Adequate ventilation to maintain dust concentrations below the exposure limit of 10 mg/m³(PEL/TLV) for nuisance dusts.

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT:

Use protective equipment in accordance with 29CFR 1910 Subpart I

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION:

A RESPIRATORY PROTECTION PROGRAM THAT MEETS OSHA'S 29 CFR 1910.134 AND ANSI Z88.2 REQUIREMENTS MUST BE FOLLOWED WHENEVER WORKPLACE CONDITIONS WARRANT A RESPIRATOR'S USE.
USE AIR PURIFYING RESPIRATORS WITHIN USE LIMITATIONS ASSOCIATED WITH THE EQUIPMENT OR ELSE USE SUPPLIED AIR-RESPIRATORS.
If air-purifying respirator use is appropriate, use any of the following particulate respirators: N95, N99, N100, R95, R99, R100, P95, P99 or P100.

SKIN PROTECTION:

neoprene gloves-- Wash off after each use. Replace as necessary.

EYE PROTECTION:

airtight chemical goggles

9 Physical and chemical properties

Density	NO DATA	Vapor Pressure (mmHG)	< 0.1
Freeze Point (F)	NA	Vapor Density (air=1)	< 1.00
Freeze Point (C)	NA		
Viscosity(cps 70F,21C)	NA	% Solubility (water)	1.0

Odor		None	
Appearance		White	
Physical State		Powder	
Flash Point	P-M(CC)	> 200F > 93C	
pH 0.5% Sol. (approx.)		8.0	
Evaporation Rate (Ether=1)		< 1.00	
Percent VOC:		0.0	

NA = not applicable ND = not determined

10 Stability and reactivity

CHEMICAL STABILITY:

Stable under normal storage conditions.

POSSIBILITY OF HAZARDOUS REACTIONS:

No known hazardous reactions.

INCOMPATIBILITIES:

May react with strong oxidizers.

DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS:

elemental oxides

11 Toxicological information

Oral LD50 RAT:	>5,000 mg/kg
Carcinogenicity RAT/DOG:	NEGATIVE
NOTE - No adverse effects observed in either feed study	
Dermal LD50 RABBIT:	>2,000 mg/kg
Skin Irritation Score RABBIT:	NONIRRITANT
Eye Irritation Score RABBIT:	
NOTE - Mechanical irritation	
Skin Sensitization G.PIG:	NEGATIVE

12 Ecological information

AQUATIC TOXICOLOGY

Bluegill Sunfish 96 Hour Static Screen
0% Mortality= 300 mg/L
Ceriodaphnia 48 Hour Static Acute Bioassay
LC50= 6.1; No Effect Level= 1.2 mg/L
Daphnia magna 48 Hour Static Screen
0% Mortality= 500 mg/L
Fathead Minnow 96 Hour Static Screen
5% Mortality= 500; 0% Mortality= 100 mg/L
Rainbow Trout 72 Hour Static Screen
0% Mortality= 100 mg/L

BIODEGRADATION

COD (mg/g): 1010

TOC (mg/g): 390

13 Disposal considerations

If this undiluted product is discarded as a waste, the US RCRA hazardous waste identification number is :
Not applicable.

Please be advised; however, that state and local requirements for waste disposal may be more restrictive or otherwise different from federal regulations. Consult state and local regulations regarding the proper disposal of this material.

14 Transport information

DOT HAZARD: Not Applicable

PROPER SHIPPING NAME:

DOT EMERGENCY RESPONSE GUIDE #: Not applicable

Note: Some containers may be DOT exempt, please check BOL for exact container classification

15 Regulatory information

TSCA:

All components of this product are included on or are in compliance with the U.S. TSCA regulations.

CERCLA AND/OR SARA REPORTABLE QUANTITY (RQ):

No regulated constituent present at OSHA thresholds

NSF Registered and/or meets USDA (according to 1998 Guidelines):

Registration number: Not Registered

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SARA SECTION 312 HAZARD CLASS:

Product is non-hazardous under Section 311/312

SARA SECTION 302 CHEMICALS:

No regulated constituent present at OSHA thresholds

SARA SECTION 313 CHEMICALS:

No regulated constituent present at OSHA thresholds

CALIFORNIA REGULATORY INFORMATION**CALIFORNIA SAFE DRINKING WATER AND TOXIC****ENFORCEMENT ACT (PROPOSITION 65):**

This product contains one or more ingredients at trace levels known to the state of California to cause cancer.

MICHIGAN REGULATORY INFORMATION

No regulated constituent present at OSHA thresholds

16 Other information

HMIS vII**CODE TRANSLATION**

Health	1	Slight Hazard
Fire	1	Slight Hazard
Reactivity	0	Minimal Hazard
Special	NONE	No special Hazard
(1) Protective Equipment	B	Goggles,Gloves

(1) refer to section 8 of MSDS for additional protective equipment recommendations.

CHANGE LOG

	EFFECTIVE DATE	REVISIONS TO SECTION:	SUPERCEDES
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MSDS status:	22-AUG-1995	REVISED FORMAT	** NEW **
	05-JAN-1996	12	22-AUG-1995
	15-AUG-1996	12	05-JAN-1996
	18-SEP-1996	12	15-AUG-1996
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	01-MAY-1997	8	09-OCT-1996
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