

PRO CHEM, INC.

1475 BLUEGRASS LAKES PKWY.
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ADDITIONAL EMERGENCY # INFO TRAC 1-800-535-5053

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET**CONTAIN / 3120****NOVEMBER 2008****PAGE 1**

HEALTH	1
FIRE	0
REACTIVITY	0
P.P.E.	B

Complies With USDL Safety and Health Regulations, (29 CFR 1910.200)

SECTION 1 – Chemical and Company Identification**CHEMICAL FAMILY:** Absorbent**SECTION 2 – Composition on Ingredients**

The components of this product are not regulated as hazardous under 29CFR and 49 CFR

SECTION 3 – Hazards Information

EMERGENCY OVERVIEW: Dust controlled absorbent mixture for oil and water based spills. It is insoluble in water and can cause extremely slippery conditions when wet. Although not regulated as a hazardous material, the respirable dust is a potential respiratory tract irritant. The manufacturer recommends an eight-hour exposure limit of 0.05 mg/m³.

POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS:

EYES: Dust may cause burning, drying, itching, and other discomfort, resulting in reddening of the eyes.

SKIN: Exposure to the dust, such as in manufacturing, may aggravate existing skin conditions due to drying effect.

INGESTION: Although not a likely route of entry, tests have shown that polyacrylate absorbents are non-toxic if ingested. However, as in any instance of non-food consumption, seek medical attention in the event of any adverse symptoms.

INHALATION: Exposure to respirable dust may cause respiratory tract and lung irritation and may aggravate existing respiratory conditions.

SECTION 4 – First Aid Measures

EYES: Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes.

SKIN: Remove product dust from skin using soap and water.

INHALATION: If inhaled, move to source of fresh air. Seek medical attention if symptoms persist.

INGESTION: Non-toxic by ingestion. However, if adverse symptoms appear, seek medical attention.

SECTION 5 – Fire Fighting Measures

GENERAL FIRE HAZARDS: No recognized fire hazards associated with the finished product.

UPPER FLAMMABLE LIMIT: N/A **LOWER FLAMMABLE LIMIT:** N/A

FLASH POINT: None **FLAMMABILITY CLASSIFICATION:** None

HAZARDOUS COMBUSTION PRODUCTS: None are known.

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA: Dry chemical, foam, carbon dioxide, water fog; Extremely slippery conditions are created if spilled product comes in contact with enough water.

FIRE FIGHTING EQUIPMENT/INSTRUCTIONS: Firefighters should wear full protective clothing including self-contained breathing apparatus.

NFPA RATINGS: Health: 1 Fire: 0 Reactivity: 0

Hazard Scale: 0=Minimal 1=Slight 2=Moderate 3=Serious 4=Severe

SECTION 6 – Accidental Release Measures

CONTAINMENT PROCEDURES: Sweep or vacuum material when possible and shovel into a waste container.

CLEAN-UP PROCEDURES:

Use caution after contact of product with water as extremely slippery conditions may result.

EVACUATION PROCEDURES:

None are required.

SPECIAL PROCEDURES:

Avoid respirable dust inhalation during clean up. Wear appropriate respirator.

SECTION 7 – Handling and Storage

HANDLING: Handle as an eye and respiratory tract irritant.

STORAGE: Store in a dry, closed container.

SECTION 8 – Exposure Controls/Personal Protection**EXPOSURE GUIDELINES:**

A. GENERAL PRODUCT INFORMATION: This product is not regulated as a hazardous material. However, the manufacturer recognizes the potential for respiratory tract irritation and recommends an eight-hour exposure limit of 0.05mg/m³.

B. COMPONENT EXPOSURE LIMITS: No information is available.

ENGINEERING CONTROLS: Provide local exhaust ventilation to maintain worker exposure to less than 0.05mg/m³ over an eight-hour period.

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT:

EYES/FACE: Wear safety glasses with side shields or goggles.

SKIN: Use impervious gloves when handling the product in the manufacturing environment.

RESPIRATORY: Wear respirator with a high efficiency filter if particulate concentration in the work area exceeds 0.05mg/m³ over an eight-hour period.

GENERAL: Obey reasonable safety precautions and practice good housekeeping. Wash thoroughly after handling.

SECTION 9 – Physical and Chemical Properties

APPEARANCE: Brown or gray free-flowing aggregate **ODOR:** None

EVAPORATION RATE (Butyl Acetate = 1): Not applicable

PHYSICAL STATE: Solid

SOLUBILITY IN WATER: Not Soluble

pH: N/A

SPECIFIC GRAVITY (70°F): N/A

BOILING POINT: N/A

VAPOR DENSITY (AIR=1): N/A

VAPOR PRESSURE: Unknown

SECTION 10 – Stability and Reactivity

CHEMICAL STABILITY: Stable

CONDITIONS TO AVOID: This product is intended to be used as a chemical absorbent. If possible, consult the MSDS or supplier of the material being absorbed.

INCOMPATIBILITY (Materials to Avoid): None

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION: None Known

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION: Will not occur

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SECTION 11 – Toxicological Information**Acute and Chronic Toxicity:**

GENERAL PRODUCT INFORMATION: Acute inhalation of respirable dust may cause irritation of the upper respiratory tract and lungs.

CARCINOGENICITY: N/A

MUTAGENICITY: Not applicable

SECTION 12 – Ecological Information

ECOTOXICITY: No data available for product.

ENVIRONMENTAL FATE: No data available for product.

SECTION 13 – Disposal Consideration**US EPA WASTE NUMBER AND DESCRIPTIONS:**

A. GENERAL PRODUCT INFORMATION: This product is a non-hazardous waste material suitable for approved solid waste landfills.

B. COMPONENT WASTE NUMBERS: No EPA Waste Numbers are applicable for this product's components.

DISPOSAL INSTRUCTIONS: Dispose of in accordance with Local, State and Federal regulations.

SECTION 14 – Transport Information

INTERNATIONAL TRANSPORTATION REGULATIONS: This product is not transport regulated.

SECTION 15 – Regulatory Information**US Federal Regulations:**

A. GENERAL PRODUCT INFORMATION: This product is not federally regulated as a hazardous material.

B. CLEAN AIR ACT: No information is available.

C. COMPONENT ANALYSIS: No information is available.

State Regulations:

A. GENERAL PRODUCT INFORMATION: This product is not regulated by any state as a hazardous material.

B. COMPONENT ANALYSIS- STATE: None of this product's components are listed on the state lists from CA, FL, MA, MN, NJ, or PA.

C. COMPONENT ANALYSIS – WHMIS IDL: No components are listed in the WHMIS IDL.

SECTION 16 – Other Information

OTHER INFORMATION: The information herein is presented in good faith and believed to be accurate as of the effective date given. However, no warranty, expressed or implied, is given. It is the buyer's responsibility to ensure that its activities comply with Federal, State or provincial and local laws.

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