

SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

GHS product identifier

Product Name ABSORB

Other means of identification

Product Code(s) ODGRND

Synonyms ORGRND

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended Use Institutional absorbent

Uses advised against No information available

Supplier's details



2205 OLD PHILADELPHIA PIKE
LANCASTER, PA 17602
TEL: 1-888-256-6400

Emergency telephone number

Emergency Telephone Number CHEM-TEL, INC.
24 Hour Emergency Contact 1-800-255-3924

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification

This chemical is considered hazardous according to the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard 2012 (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation	Category 2
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GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Emergency Overview

Signal Word	Warning
Hazard Statements	
• Causes skin irritation	
• Causes serious eye irritation	
• Avoid prolonged inhalation of dust	

**Appearance** GRANULES**Physical State** Solid.**Odor** No information available**Precautionary Statements****Prevention**

- Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling
- Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

General Advice

- None

Eyes

- IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing
- If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

Skin

- IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water
- If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention
- Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

Storage

- None

Disposal

- None

Hazard Not Otherwise Classified (HNOC)

Not applicable

Other information

No information available.

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**Synonyms**

ABSORB

Chemical Name	CAS-No	Weight %	Trade secret
Opaline Silica) Fullers Earth	7631-86-9	90-100	*
Bentonite	8031-18-3	90-100	*
Quartz (respirable <1%)	1302-78-9	90-100	*

*The exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

Chemical Name	CAS-No	Weight %	Trade secret
Quartz	14808-60-7	<10	*

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Description of necessary first-aid measures

Eye Contact	Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.
Skin Contact	Wash off with warm water and soap. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before re-use. If symptoms persist, call a physician.
Inhalation	Move to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. If symptoms persist, call a physician.
Ingestion	Drink plenty of water. Do NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If swallowed, seek medical attention.

Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed

Most Important Symptoms/Effects No information available.

Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed, if necessary

Notes to Physician Treat symptomatically.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable Extinguishing Media

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media None

Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical

No information available

Explosion Data

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact	None.
Sensitivity to Static Discharge	None

Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal Precautions Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Stop leak if you can do it without risk. If spilled, take caution, as material can cause surfaces to become very slippery.

Environmental Precautions

Environmental Precautions Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Methods for Containment Stop leak if you can do it without risk

Methods for Cleaning Up Contain spill, dilute with water and neutralize as required. Wash away small spills with plenty of water. Large spillage: Soak up with inert absorbent material.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

Handling Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid breathing vapors or mists. Use only in area provided with appropriate exhaust ventilation. In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wear personal protective equipment. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Do not take internally. Wash thoroughly after handling.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Store at room temperature. Keep container closed when not in use.

Incompatible Products Strong acids.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

EXPOSURE GUIDELINES:

Component	Exposure Limit
Silica Hydrated (Amorphous Opaline Silica) Fullers Earth	10 mg/m ³

Bentonite

Quartz (respirable <1%)

PEL - 80 mg/m³ / % SiO₂

PEL - 15 mg/m³ TWA (total dust)

PEL - 5 mg/m³ TWA (respirable fraction) PEL - 15 mg/m³ TWA (total dust)

PEL - 5 mg/m³ TWA (respirable fraction)

PEL - 10 mg/m³ TWA (respirable fraction)

PEL- OSHA Permissible Exposure Limit. TLV- American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists (ACGIH) Threshold Limit

Value. TWA- 8 hour Weighted Average. STEL-Short Term Exposure Limit.

ENGINEERING CONTROLS:

For operations where the exposure limit may be exceeded, local exhaust ventilation is recommended.

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION:

For operations where the exposure limit may be exceeded, a NIOSH/MSHA approved high efficiency particulate respirator is recommended.

SKIN PROTECTION: None required for normal use.

EYE PROTECTION: Safety glasses or goggles recommended.

OTHER:None required for normal use.

Appropriate engineering controls

Engineering Measures	Showers
	Eyewash stations
	Ventilation systems

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/Face Protection	Safety glasses with side-shields.
Skin and Body Protection	Rubber gloves. Latex gloves
Respiratory Protection	Particle filtering face piece

Hygiene Measures Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical State	Powder	Appearance	Powder
Odor	No information available	Odor Threshold	No information available

<u>Property</u>	<u>Values</u>	<u>Remarks/ - Method</u>
pH	11.2	(4 % solution)
Melting Point/Range	No data available	None known
Boiling Point/Boiling Range	No data available	None known
Flash Point	No data available	None known
Evaporation rate	No data available	None known
Flammability (solid, gas)	No data available	None known

Flammability Limits in Air		
upper flammability limit	No data available	
lower flammability limit	No data available	
Vapor Pressure		
Vapor Density	No data available	None known
Relative Density	No data available	None known
Specific Gravity	No data available.	None known
Water Solubility	100%	None known
Solubility in other solvents	No data available	None known
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	No data available	None known
Autoignition Temperature	No data available	None known
Decomposition Temperature	No data available	None known
Viscosity	No data available	None known
Flammable Properties	Not flammable	
Explosive Properties	No data available	
Oxidizing Properties	No data available	

Other information

VOC Content (%)	No data available
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10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity

No data available.

Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Possibility of hazardous reactions

None under normal processing.

Conditions to avoid

Incompatible products.

Incompatible materials

Strong acids.

Hazardous decomposition products

None known based on information supplied.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on likely routes of exposure

Product Information

Inhalation	May cause irritation of respiratory tract.
Eye Contact	Causes serious eye irritation.
Skin Contact	Causes skin irritation.
Ingestion	May be harmful if swallowed.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

Symptoms No information available.

Delayed and immediate effects and also chronic effects from short and long term exposure

Sensitization No information available.
Mutagenic Effects No information available.
Carcinogenicity Contains no ingredient listed as a carcinogen.

Reproductive Toxicity No information available.
STOT - single exposure No information available.
STOT - repeated exposure No information available.
Aspiration Hazard No information available.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**Ecotoxicity**

The environmental impact of this product has not been fully investigated.

Persistence and Degradability No information available.

Bioaccumulation No information available.

Other Adverse Effects

No information available.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Disposal Methods Dispose of in accordance with federal, state, and local regulations

Contaminated Packaging Do not re-use empty containers.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT Not regulated

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**International Inventories**

TSCA	Complies
DSL	Complies
IECSC	Complies
KECL	Complies
PICCS	Complies
AICS	Complies

Legend

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

IECSC - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

KECL - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

U.S. Federal Regulations

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372.

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

Acute Health Hazard	Yes
Chronic Health Hazard	No
Fire Hazard	No
Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard	No
Reactive Hazard	No

Clean Water Act

This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42).

CERCLA

This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355). There may be specific reporting requirements at the local, regional, or state level pertaining to releases of this material.

U.S. State Regulations

California Proposition 65

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

This product does not contain any substances regulated by state right-to-know regulations.

U.S. EPA Label Information

EPA Pesticide Registration Number Not applicable

16. OTHER INFORMATION				
<u>NFPA</u>	Health Hazard 2	Flammability 0	Instability 0	Physical and Chemical Hazards - Personal Protection
<u>HMIS</u>	Health Hazard 2	Flammability 0	Physical Hazard 0	X

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