

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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SECTION 1: PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION

PRODUCT NAME: Tissue Conditioner Powder

CHEMICAL NAME: Poly Ethyl Methacrylate

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SECTION II - HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS OF MIXTURES

HAZARDOUS COMPONENT	CAS REG. NO.	%	TLV	(UNITS)	PEL	(UNITS)
Particulates NOC	NE	< 99	10	mg/m ³	15	mg/m ³
Residual Monomers	NA	< 1	NA		NA	
Benzoyl Peroxide	94-36-0	< 3	5	mg/m ³	5	mg/m ³
Titanium Dioxide	13463-67-7	< 1	10	mg/m ³	15	mg/m ³
Mineral Pigment ¹	68186-94-7	< 1	10	mg/m ³	15	mg/m ³
Mineral Pigment ²	1309-37-1	< 1	5	mg/m ³	5	mg/m ³
Azo Pigment ¹	59487-23-9	< 1	NE		NE	
Azo Pigment ²	5567-15-7	< 1	10	mg/m ³	10	mg/m ³

SECTION III - PHYSICAL DATA

BOILING POINT: NA **SPECIFIC GRAVITY** (h₂O=1): 1.25 **VAPOR PRESSURE:** NA

PERCENT VOLATILE W/W%: NA **VAPOR DENSITY** (AIR=1): NA **EVAPORATION RATE** (=1): NA

SOLUBILITY IN WATER: Insoluble **APPEARANCE & ODOR:** Fine beige powder. Faint odor in bulk.

SECTION IV: FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA

FLASH POINT: 304°C/ 580°F **FLAMMABLE LIMIT AIR VOL%:** Lower - NA Upper - NA **AUTOIGNITION TEMPERATURE:** NE **EXTINGUISHER METHOD:** Water, carbon dioxide, dry chemical. **SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES:** Avoid extinguishing methods which may generate dust clouds. Water stream can disperse dust into air, producing a fire hazard and possible explosion hazard if exposed to ignition source. **UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDOUS:** Polymer dust is combustible. The explosive limits of the polymer particles suspended in air are approximately those of coal dust. Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

SECTION V - HEALTH HAZARD DATA

PRIMARY ROUTES OF ENTRY: Eyes or skin (no absorption); inhalation of dusts. **CARCINOGENICITY:** Titanium Dioxide is listed as a possible carcinogen by IARC. None of the other components of this material are listed by IARC, NTP, OSHA, OR ACIGH as carcinogens.

TARGET ORGANS: For Polymer: None Listed. For decomposition product Ethyl Methacrylate Monomer: None Listed. For Benzoyl Peroxide: None Listed. For Titanium Dioxide: None Listed. For Mineral Pigment¹: None Listed. For Mineral Pigment²: None Listed. For Azo Pigment¹: None Listed. For Azo Pigment²: None Listed. **EFFECTS OF OVER EXPOSURE:** It is not known to cause significant health problems. OSHA classifies this material as particulates not otherwise classified. Avoid inhalation of dust. Keep dust out of eyes to prevent possible irritation. **EMERGENCY AND FIRST AID PROCEDURES: INHALATION:** Remove to fresh air. Get medical help if discomfort persists. **EYES:** Flush with water for 15 minutes, including under eyelids. Get medical help if discomfort persists. **SKIN:** Wash with soap and water. Get medical help if discomfort persists. **INGESTION:** Rinse mouth out with water. Call doctor if amount was large. **CLOTHING:** Wash thoroughly before reuse. **TREATMENT:** Treat symptoms after thorough decontamination.

HAZARDOUS MATERIAL IDENTIFICATION SYSTEM (HMIS) RATING: Health: 1 Flammability: 1 Reactivity: 0
Personal Protective Equipment: Gloves and Safety Glasses or Chemical Splash Goggles.

SECTION VI - REACTIVITY DATA

STABILITY: Stable **CONDITIONS TO AVOID:** Heating above 240°C, 464°F. **INCOMPATIBILITY (MATERIALS TO AVOID):** Strong oxidizing agents. **HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS:** Methacrylate Monomers and Oxides of Carbon when burned. **HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION:** Will not occur. **CONDITIONS TO AVOID:** NA.

SECTION VII - SPILL OR LEAK PROCEDURE

STEPS TO BE TAKEN IN CASE MATERIAL IS RELEASED OR SPILLED: Sweep up to avoid slipping hazard. Keep airborne particulates at a minimum when cleaning up spills. **ENVIRONMENTAL EFFECTS: ECOLOGICAL TOXICITY:** For Benzoyl Peroxide: Ecological Toxicity is not known. **WASTE DISPOSAL METHOD:** Dispose in a landfill or incinerate according to Federal, State, and Local regulations.

SECTION VIII - SPECIAL PROTECTION INFORMATION

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION (SPECIFY TYPE): Use type for Particulates Not Otherwise Classified, if needed. **VENTILATION:** Use good local exhaust at processing equipment, including buffers, sanders, grinders and polishers. **PROTECTIVE GLOVES:** If hot plastic is handled. **EYE PROTECTION:** Safety glasses or chemical splash goggles. **OTHER PROTECTIVE CLOTHING OR EQUIPMENT:** High temperature processing equipment should be well ventilated.

SECTION IX - SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS

PRECAUTIONS TO BE TAKEN IN HANDLING AND STORING: Store in cool dry place. Keep container closed to prevent water absorption and contamination. **OTHER PRECAUTIONS:** Wash face and hands thoroughly with soap and water after use and before eating, drinking, smoking or applying cosmetics.