

# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA

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May be used to comply with OSHA's Hazard Communication Standard, 29CFR 1910, 1200, Standard must be consulted for specific requirements.

#### **SECTION 1**

Product Name: Midsol™ 50

Chemical Name: Wheat Starch, Unmodified

**CAS Number:** 009005-25-8

Manufacturer's Name: MGP Ingredients, Inc.®

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# **SECTION 2 - HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS/IDENTITY**

# Hazardous Component(s) (chemical & common name(s)):

1. Starch

Item No:	OSHA PEL:	ACGIH TLV:	Other Exposure	E Limits: % (optional):
1.	15 mg/m3	10 mg/m3	None	93

# **SECTION 3 - PHYSICAL & CHEMICAL CHARACTERISTICS**

**Boiling Point: N/A** 

Specific Gravity (H<sub>2</sub>O=1): About 1.5 Vapor Pressure (mm Hg): N/A Vapor Density (Air=1): N/A Solubility in Water: Negligible Reactivity in Water: None

Appearance and Odor: White with bland odor

Melting Point: Decomposes before reaching melting point

#### **SECTION 4 - FIRE AND EXPLOSION DATA**

Flash Point: N/A (Method Used: N/A)

Flammable Limits in Air % by Volume: LEL Lower = 0.04 oz/ft 3, UEL Upper = N/A

**Auto-Ignition Temperature:** N/A

**Extinguisher Media:** Water, Carbon Dioxide, Dry Chemical Extinguisher **Special Fire Fighting Procedures:** Avoid formation of a cloud of starch dust

Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards: Starch dust may form an explosive mixture with air

# **SECTION 5 - PHYSICAL HAZARDS (REACTIVITY DATA)**

Stability: Stable

Conditions to Avoid: Avoid conditions which produce starch dust

Incompatibility (Materials to Avoid): Oxidizing agents

Hazardous Polymerization: Will not occur

Conditions to Avoid: None



#### **SECTION 6 - HEALTH HAZARDS**

Acute: None
Chronic: None

Signs and Symptoms of Exposure: Starch dust may be irritating to nose and eyes.

Medical Conditions Generally Aggravated by Exposure: People with respiratory ailment may be

sensitive to starch dust.

Chemical Listed as Carcinogen or Potential Carcinogen: No

National Toxicology Program: No

I.A.R.C. Monographs: No

OSHA: No

Emergency and First Aid Procedures: Seek medical advice if nose, eyes, skin, and stomach irritation

develops on exposure.

#### **ROUTES OF ENTRY**

1. Inhalation: Remove person to fresh air. Consult a medical doctor if breathing difficulty develops.

- 2. Eyes: Wash profusely with running water. If eyes get irritated, ask for medical advice.
- 3. Skin: Wash with soap and water. If irritation develops, seek medical attention.
- 4. Ingestion: If swallowed in large quantities, get medical advice.

# SECTION 7 - SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS AND SPILL/LEAK PROCEDURES

# Precautions to be Taken in Handling and Storage:

Store in a cool, dry, and ventilated area away from heat and oxidizing agents. Avoid formation of starch dust.

# **Other Precautions:**

None

# Steps to be Taken in Case Material is Released or Spilled:

Sweep up. Avoid production of a cloud of starch dust.

# Waste Disposal Methods (Consult federal, state, and local regulations):

Dispose of in accordance with Federal. State and Local Regulations. This product is bio-degradable.

# SECTION 8 - SPECIAL PROTECTION INFORMATION/CONTROL MEASURES

Respiratory Protection (Specify Type): Use a dust/mist respirator as needed.

Ventilation: Recommended Local Exhaust: Recommended Mechanical: Recommended

Special: None Other: None

Protective Gloves: Wear gloves as needed Eye Protection: Safety goggles good practice Other Protective Clothing or Equipment: None

Work Hygienic Practices: Protect containers of material from physical damage. Maintain eye wash

fountain in the work place.

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