

**1. Product and Company Identification**

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Product Name: **POLY FIBER II**

Chemical Family: Olefin, Polyethylene Pulp

**2. Hazards Identification**

PRIMARY ROUTE(S) OF ENTRY: Inhalation, skin and eye contact

EYE: May cause irritation. Fibers may scratch the surface of the eye.

SKIN: May cause slight irritation.

INGESTION: None known.

INHALATION: Excessive inhalation may cause pulmonary function disability.

MEDICAL CONDITIONS THAT MAY BE AGGRAVATED BY EXPOSURE:

Possibly upper respiratory ailments, lung disease.

CARCINOGENICITY: Not designated as a carcinogen by NTP, IARC, ACGIH or OSHA.

CHRONIC EFFECTS: Not known.

**3. Composition/Information on Ingredients**

<u>Ingredient/CAS #</u>	<u>Exposure Limits</u>
Nuisance Dust	OSHA PEL: 15 mg/m <sup>3</sup> , TWA total dust; 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> , TWA - respirable dust ACGIH TLV: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> , TWA - inhalable; 3 mg/m <sup>3</sup> , TWA - respirable

**4. First Aid Measures**

EYE CONTACT: Flush with water. Do not rub eyes. Seek medical attention if irritation develops.

SKIN CONTACT: Wash with soap and water.

INHALATION: Remove to fresh air. Treat symptoms. Seek medical attention if symptoms persist.

INGESTION: Seek medical attention if symptoms develop.

**5. Fire Fighting Measures**

FLASH POINT: Not applicable

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA: Water, CO<sub>2</sub>, dry chemical, foam-fog.

HAZARDOUS COMBUSTION PRODUCTS: CO, CO<sub>2</sub>, and other organic compounds.

**6. Accidental Release Measures**

Vacuum or sweep up and place in waste container.

**7. Handling and Storage**

HANDLING: Avoid generating and breathing airborne fibers. Avoid processing into ultra-fine fibers.

STORAGE: Store in closed container in a cool, dry area.

**8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection**

ENGINEERING CONTROLS: Provide general and/or local exhaust ventilation.

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT: Wear eye protection and gloves.

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION: Wear a half-face air-purifying respirator with HEPA filter cartridges or a particulate dust mask. Observe respirator use limitations specified by manufacturer and OSHA respiratory protection standard (29 CFR 1910.134).

**9. Physical and Chemical Properties**

APPEARANCE: White fibers

VAPOR PRESSURE: Not applicable

ODOR: None

SOLUBILITY IN WATER: None

BOILING POINT: Not applicable

SPECIFIC GRAVITY: ~0.95

**10. Stability and Reactivity**

CONDITIONS TO AVOID: None known

INCOMPATIBILITY WITH OTHER MATERIALS: Oxidizing materials

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS: CO, CO<sub>2</sub>, and other organic compounds.

**11. Regulatory and Other Information**

COMMUNITY RIGHT-TO-KNOW: This product does not contain any compounds above the *de minimis* reporting levels subject to SARA Section 313 reporting requirements.

DISPOSAL: Upon disposal, this product is not a RCRA hazardous waste.

TRANSPORT: Not a hazardous material for shipping purposes based on *United Nations Recommendations for the Transport of Dangerous Goods* and 49 CFR Part 171.

HMIS RATING: Health -0, Flammability -1, Reactivity -0, PPE - E.

EMERGENCY SHIPPING INFORMATION: Call CHEMTREC, 800/424-9300.

REVISION INDICATOR: Minor format changes.

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