

# **Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS)**

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# Section 1 - Product and Company Identification

Product Name: Yellow Iron Oxide Supplier: Naturally Balmy Ltd

Address: Naturally Balmy Ltd, 8 Benson Road, Nuffield Industrial Estate,

Poole BH17 oGB

# **Section 2 - Composition**

Pigment Yellow 42 (77492) - CAS# 51274-00-1

# **Section 3 - Hazards Identification**

This product is not classified as hazardous.

This product is not classified a dangerous good.

Potential Health Effects:

Skin Contact - Not hazardous and unlikely to cause any discomfort however the use of gloves is recommended to avoid any temporary staining of the figures and nails.

Inhalation - No evidence to suggest serious health effects associated with long term inhalation. Prolonged or repeated exposure to fine dust may however cause temporary discomfort of the respiratory tract.

Eye Contact - Avoid eye contact, fine dust may cause irritation /inflammation. Ingestion - This product is not intended for consumption and if ingested in significant quantities is likely to cause headache and gastric disturbance such as nausea and vomiting. No evidence to suggest long term damage, only temporary discomfort.

### **Section 4 - First Aid Measures**

Skin Contact: Wash off with soap and water.

Inhalation: Remove immediately from area of exposure. If breathing is difficult administer oxygen. Seek medical attention if symptoms persist.

Eye Contact: Flush eyes with water until irritation subsides.

Ingestion: If large amounts have been ingested seek medical attention

## **Section 5 - Fire-Fighting Measures**

Flash Point: Non-flammable.

Explosion Hazard: Not a fire or explosion hazard.

Extinguishing Media: Use extinguishing methods appropriate for surrounding

fire.

#### Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

Wear Suitable protective clothing.

Methods For Cleaning Up: Scoop up excess powder into a container for reclamation or disposal to avoid dusting. Remove balance using absorbent cloths and then clean the area with hot water and detergents.

Environment Precautions: Non hazardous waste. Dispose of in accordance with applicable local disposal regulations.

# **Section 7 - Handling And Storage**

Precautions In Handling: Good hygiene practices should be employed. Avoid breathing excessive dust. Avoid direct contact with eyes.

Storage Conditions: Store in a tightly closed container in a cool, dry room avoiding direct exposure to sunlight. Do not store near Alkalis.

# **Section 8 - Exposure Controls / Personal Protection**

No special equipment is required when occasionally handling small quantities of this product.

Use in a well ventilated area to control dust exposure to applicable limits.

Precautions: Goggles should be worn if there is a risk of splashing.

Clothing: Use an apron or protective overalls to avoid staining of clothing.

# **Section 9 - Physical And Chemical Properties**

Appearance: Powder.

Colour: Yellow. Odour: Odourless.

### **Section 10 - Stability And Reactivity**

Chemical Stability: Stable.

Conditions to avoid: Humidity, Direct Sunlight, Strong Acids.

Hazardous Decomposition: None Known. Hazardous Polymerization: Will not occur.

## **Section 11 - Toxicological Information**

Inorganic pigment considered to be non-toxic in general.

#### Section 12 - Ecological Information

Considered essentially not harmful to the environment.

# Section 13 - Disposal Considerations

Dispose of according to local and national regulations.

#### **Section 14 - Transport Regulations**

Not classified as a Dangerous Good. Considered non hazardous for transportation by land, sea or air.

#### Section 15 - Regulatory Information

Meets all FDA and European E172 heavy metals specifications for use in cosmetic, food and pharmaceutical applications.

## **Section 16 - Other Information**

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