Material Safety Data Sheet

Mississippi Blending


IDENTITY (As Used on Label and List)

DTLS-StarTex Laundry Starch

Section I

Manufacturer's Name
Mississippi Blending Company
Emergency Telephone Number
800-758-4080

Address (Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)
121 Royal Road
Telephone Number for Information
800-758-4080

Reckuk, LA 52632
Date Prepared
July 22, 2002
Signature of Preparer (optional)

Section II -- Hazardous Ingredients/Identity Information

Hazardous Components (Specific Chemical Identity: Common Name(s)

Chemical Name - Starch
Chemical Family - Carbohydrate

Section III -- Physical/Chemical Characteristics

Boiling Point
N/A
Specific Gravity (H2O = 1)
1.4 - 1.6

Vapor Pressure (mm Hg)
N/A
Melting Point
N/A

Vapor Density (AIR = 1)
N/A
Evaporation Rate (Butyl Acetate = 1)
N/A

Solubility in Water
- Partially soluble

Appearance and Odor
- Off white, odorless, granular

Section IV -- Fire and Explosion Hazard Data

Flash Point (Method Used)
110 - 120°C

Flammable Limits
25% LEL

Extinguishing Media
- Water, foam, dry chemical fire extinguisher

Special Fire Fighting Procedures
- Avoid creating dust that would cause secondary explosion.

Use fine water spray to wet down material

Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards
- Explosive in specific dust concentrations - dust precaution required.

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Section V -- Reactivity Data

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Incompatibility (Materials to Avoid)

None.

Hazardous Decomposition or Byproducts

None.

Hazardous Polymerization

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Section VI -- Health Hazard Data

Route(s) of Entry:

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Health Hazards (Acute and Chronic)

None.

Carcinogenicity: N/A IARC Monographs: N/A OTHER Regulated: N/A

Signs and Symptoms of Exposure

None.

Medical Conditions Generally Aggravated by Exposure

None.

Emergency and First Aid Procedures

For skin, wash with water.

For eyes, use any standard eye wash recommended by company physician.

Section VII -- Precautions for Safe Handling and Use

Steps to Be Taken in Case Material is Released or Spilled

Replace in container, wash down with water, sweep or vacuum.

Waste Disposal Method

Landfill, standard sewage system.

Precautions to Be Taken in Handling and Storing

Bulk handling -- good housekeeping -- dust tight equipment -- proper venting -- non-combustible storage bins.

Other Precautions

Bag storage, properly stacked bags -- good housekeeping -- sprinkler system -- no smoking.

Section VII -- Control Measures

Respiratory Protection (Specify Type)

NIOSH approved dust mask as necessary.

Ventilation

Local Exhaust

Special

Mechanical (General)

Slight

Other

Mechanical (General)

Eye Protection

Protective Gloves

Not required.

Other Protective Clothing or Equipment

N/A

Work/Eyeglass Practices

Normal