

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

SECTION I - NAME AND PRODUCT

MANUFACTURER'S NAME WOOSTER PRODUCTS INC		DATE JANUARY 1, 2002	
ADDRESS (Street, City, State, and Zip Code) 1000 Spruce St, PO Box 6005, Wooster, OH 44691		CONTACT INDER KAPOOR	
TRADE NAME Leveling Compound		Emergency Telephone No. 330-264-2844	
C.A.S. Number Mixture	Sub Risk	D.O.T. Hazard Class	HMIS Code: 1 0 0 E
ID	MFAG:	Proper Shipping Name	

SECTION II - HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS

INGREDIENTS	CAS#	WEIGHT %	EXPOSURE LIMITS
Perlite	N/A	< 20	X
Portland Cement	65997-15-1	< 50	X
Starch	9005-25-8	< 15	X
Calcium Sulfate	7778-18-9	< 100	X
Calcium Carbonate	1317-65-3	< 100	X

X - The dust is considered to be particulate mater not otherwise classified (PNDC). The OSHA PEL for total dust PNOC is 15 mg/m³ as an 8-hour average. The corresponding ACGIH TLV is 10 mg/m³. The OSHA PEL for respirable dust PNOC is 5 mg/m³ as an 8-hour average. The corresponding ACGIH TLV is 3 mg/m³.

SECTION III - PHYSICAL DATA

SP Gravity (Water = 1):	2.7	pH: Slightly alkaline	Vapor Pressure:	N/A
Appearance & Odor:	Medium gray powder; low odor; solid		Solubility in Water:	< 1% @ 22 °C

SECTION IV - FIRE AND EXPLOSION DATA

Flammability Class:	N/A	Flash Point:	N/A	LEL:	N/A	UEL:	N/A
Extinguishing Media:	Non-combustible						
Special Fire Fighting Procedures:	None						
Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards:	None						

SECTION V - HEALTH, FIRST AID AND MEDICAL DATA

PRIMARY ROUTE(S) OF ENTRY	EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE	FIRST AID AND MEDICAL INFORMATION
Inhalation	Repeated and prolonged excessive exposure to respirable crystalline silica dust can cause silicosis, a disabling lung disease that causes fibrosis (scarring of the lung tissue) and may take years to develop. Silicosis can make a person more susceptible to other lung ailments.	For gross inhalation of dust, remove to fresh air. If severe coughing or breathing difficulty persists, get medical attention.
Eye Contact	Dust particles can cause irritation of the eye surface due to mechanical action..	Remove contact lenses. Rinse eyes for at least 15 minutes with plenty of running water, including under eyelids. If irritation persists, contact physician.
Skin Contact	Handling may cause dry skin. Skin contact with a large mass of wet product during hardening can develop sufficient heat to cause severe burns, possibly resulting in a permanent injury.	Wash promptly with mild soap and water. If irritation persists or excessive redness occurs, apply sterile dressings and get medical attention.
Ingestion	In the unlikely event of massive exposure by ingestion, the product may cause obstruction.	Product may harden on contact with water. May result in obstruction if ingested. See physician.
Other Health Hazard Information	Crystalline silica is on the carcinogen lists of the Int'l Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC class 2A) and the National Toxicology Program (NTP). OSHA does not regulate any ingredients as carcinogens.	

SECTION VI - CORROSIVITY AND REACTIVITY DATA

Stability	Unstable <input type="checkbox"/> Stable <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Polymerization may occur <input type="checkbox"/> Will not occur <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Incompatibility (Materials to avoid):	None	
Decomposition Products:	None	
Conditions to be Avoided:	Avoid contact with hydrofluoric acid, strong oxidizing agents and concentrated acids.	

SECTION VII - STORAGE, HANDLING AND USE PROCEDURES

STEPS TO BE TAKEN IN CASE OF SPILLS:	Sweep or vacuum spilled material into a waste container for disposal. Avoid creating excessive dust. Wear approved respirators if necessary. Do not wash down drains - may plug drains.
WASTE DISPOSAL METHOD:	May be disposed of as inert solid in sanitary landfill or by other procedures in accordance with all federal, state and local regulations.
CLEAN WATER ACT REQUIREMENTS:	N/A
RCRA CLASSIFICATION:	N/A
STORAGE:	Dew point conditions or other conditions causing presence of moisture will harden this product during storage.

SECTION VIII - PERSONAL PROTECTION INFORMATION

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION: Wear NIOSH-approved respirator as appropriate for nuisance dust, especially when sanding, dry grinding crushing and milling. Where applicable, use wet sponging in lieu of dry sanding whenever possible.

VENTILATION: Local exhaust ventilation at the source of dust emissions when dumping or spilling large quantities of the dry product and when cutting, grinding or breaking the hardened product. Use air cleaning devices as components of the ventilation system to avoid contamination of other areas with dust.

SKIN CONTACT: Protective gloves may be desirable under certain working conditions or to protect against drying of hands. Wash hands and forearms with water and mild soap after use.

EYE PROTECTION: Close fitting goggles as appropriate for nuisance dust.

OTHER PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT: N/A

SECTION IX - SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS / REGULATORY INFORMATION**PRECAUTIONS:**

Be sure proper ventilation and respiratory and eye protection are used under dusting conditions. Excessive particulate in workplace air must be avoided even though it is inert and non-toxic. Where applicable, use wet sponging in lieu of dry sanding whenever possible.

NOTICE: Regulatory requirements are subject to change and may differ from one location to another. It is the buyer's responsibility to ensure that its activities comply with federal, state or local laws. The following specific information is not meant to be a comprehensive list of applicable regulations.

WORKPLACE CLASSIFICATION: The product is considered hazardous under the OSHA Hazard Communication Standards 29 CFR 1910.1200.

SARA TITLE 3: The product does not contain chemicals listed in the Superfund Amendments and Re-authorization Act, Section 313 at or above the de minimis concentrations.

TSCA: All components are included in the EPA Toxic Substances Control Act Chemical Substance Inventory.

RCRA: The product is not considered hazardous waste by the EPA Resource Conservation and Recovery Act 40 CFR 261. Please be advised that chemical additions to, processing of, or otherwise altering this material may make this waste information inaccurate or inappropriate. State and local waste disposal requirements may be more restrictive or different from the federal regulations.

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