SIGMA CHEMICAL COMPANY -- C3387 CHITIN PRACTICAL GRADE POWDER FROM CRAB SHELLS -- 6550-00F054175

Product ID: C3387 CHITIN PRACTICAL GRADE POWDER FROM CRAB SHELLS MSDS Date: 05/19/1997 FSC:6550 NIIN:00F054175 MSDS Number: CFGQT === Responsible Party === Company Name: SIGMA CHEMICAL COMPANY Address:3050 SPRUCE ST Box:14508 City:SAINT LOUIS State:MO ZIP:63178-5000 Country: US Info Phone Num: 314-771-5765/800-325-3010 Emergency Phone Num:314-771-5765/800-325-3010 CAGE:21076 === Contractor Identification === Company Name: SIGMA CHEMICAL COMPANY Address:3050 SPRUCE ST Box:14508 City:ST LOUIS State:MO ZIP:63178 Country: US Phone: 314-771-5765 CAGE: 21076 ======= Composition/Information on Ingredients ========= Ingred Name: CHITIN CAS:1398-61-4 RTECS #:FM6125000 ========= Hazards Identification =========== Routes of Entry: Inhalation: YES Skin: YES Ingestion: YES Reports of Carcinogenicity:NTP:NO IARC:NO OSHA:NO Health Hazards Acute and Chronic: MAY BE HARMFUL BY INHALATION, INGESTION/SKIN ABSORPTION. MAY CAUSE IRRITATION. Explanation of Carcinogenicity: NONE Effects of Overexposure: IRRITATION. =========== First Aid Measures ================ First Aid: INGESTION: WASH OUT MOUTH W/WATER IF CONSCIOUS. SKIN: FLUSH W/COPIOUS AMOUNTS OF WATER FOR 15 MINS. INHALATION: REMOVE TO FRESH AIR. EYES: FLUSH W/COPIOUS AMOUNTS OF WATER FOR 15 MINS. OBTAIN MEDICAL ATTENTION IN ALL CASES. ========== Fire Fighting Measures =============== Extinguishing Media: WATER SPRAY, CO2, DRY CHEMICAL POWDER/APPROPRIATE Fire Fighting Procedures: WEAR SCBA & PROTECTIVE CLOTHING. ======== Accidental Release Measures ========== Spill Release Procedures: WEAR PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT. SWEEP UP, PLACE IN A BAG & HOLD FOR WASTE DISPOSAL. AVOID RAISING DUST. VENTILATE AREA & WASH SITE AFTER MATERIAL PICKUP IS COMPLETE. ======= Exposure Controls/Personal Protection ========= Respiratory Protection: WEAR APPROPRIATE NIOSH/MSHA APPROVED RESPIRATOR. Ventilation: MECHANICAL EXHAUST REQUIRED. Protective Gloves: CHEMICAL RESISTANT Eye Protection: SAFETY GOGGLES Other Protective Equipment: PROTECTIVE CLOTHING. Work Hygienic Practices: REMOVE/LAUNDER CONTAMINATED CLOTHING & SHOES

BEFORE REUSE. Supplemental Safety	and Health	
==========	Physical/Chemical Properties	==========
Appearance and Odor:SOLID		
=======================================	Stability and Reactivity Data	
Stability Indicator/Materials to Avoid:YES		
=======================================	= Disposal Considerations ==	==========

Waste Disposal Methods:DISSOLVE/MIX W/A COMBUSTIBLE SOLVENT & BURN IN A CHEMICAL INCINERATOR EQUIPPED W/AN AFTERBURNER & SCRUBBER, IAW/FEDERAL, STATE & LOCAL REGULATIONS.

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