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Product Name: Chemical Name:	StrataSorb Sodium Polyacrylate, Crosslinked		
SECTION I	CHEMICAL PRODUCT & SUPPLIER'S IDENTIFICATION		
EFFECTIVE DATE:	January 24, 2020		
SAFETY DATA SHEET:	May be used to comply with OSHA's Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200. Standard must be consulted for specific requirements.		

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# **SECTION II**

# HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

### **Component Information/Information on Non-Hazardous Components**

The components of this product are not regulated as hazardous under 29 CFR and 49 CFR. However, the manufacturer recognizes the potential for respiratory tract irritation as a result of inhalation of this material as a respirable dust. See Sections 8, 11, 14 and 15 for further information.

### **Emergency Overview**

Sodium polyacrylate is a white, granular, odorless polymer that forms a gel-like material with water. It is insoluble in water and causes slippery conditions when wet. Although not regulated as a hazardous material, the respirable dust is a potential respiratory tract irritant. An eight-hour exposure limit of 0.05 mg/m<sup>3</sup> is recommended.

### Potential Health Effects - Eyes

Dust may cause burning, drying, itching and other discomfort resulting in reddening of the eyes.

# Potential Health Effects - Skin

Dust exposure, such as in manufacturing, may aggravate existing skin conditions due to drying.

# **Potential Health Effects - Ingestion**

Not a likely route of entry. Tests show that polyacrylate absorbents are non-toxic if ingested. However, as in the instance of any non-food consumption, seek medical attention in the event of any adverse symptoms.

#### **Potential Health Effects - Inhalation**

Respirable dust exposure may cause respiratory tract & lung irritation and may aggravate existing respiratory conditions.

# HMIS Ratings: Health 1 Fire 1 Reactivity 0

Hazard Scale: 0=Minimal 1=Slight 2=Moderate 3=Serious 4=Severe \*=Chronic Hazard

# SECTION III

# **COMPOSITION / INGREDIENT INFORMATION**

CAS #	Component	Percent
09003-04-7	Sodium polyacrylate	>99 %
Not Available	Post Treated – Trade Secret	< 0.5 %

# SECTION IV

# FIRST AID MEASURES

### First Aid - Eyes

Immediately flush eyes with water for at least 15 minutes.

First Aid - Skin

Remove polyacrylate absorbent dust from skin using soap and water.

# First Aid - Ingestion

Non-toxic. However, if adverse symptoms appear, seek medical attention.

# Firs Aid - Inhalation

If inhaled, move to source of fresh air. Seek medical attention if symptoms persist.

# SECTION V

# FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

#### General Fire Hazards

No recognized fire hazards associated with the product.

Upper Flammable Limit (UFL):	NE
Lower Flammable Limit (LFL):	NE
Method Used:	None
Flash Point:	None
Flammability Classification:	None

Hazardous Combustion Products

# None known.

### **Extinguishing Media**

Dry chemical, foam, carbon dioxide, water fog. Slippery conditions are created if spilled products comes in contact with water.

#### Fire Fighting Equipment/Instructions

Firefighters should wear full protective clothing including self contained breathing apparatus,

# NFPA Ratings: Health=1 Fire=1 Reactivity=0

Hazard Scale: 0=Minimal 1=Slight 2=Moderate 3=Serious 4=Severe

### ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

### **Containment Procedures**

Sweep or vacuum material when possible and shovel into a waste container.

# **Clean Up Procedures**

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Use caution if product comes in contact with water as slippery conditions may result. Waste residual may be flushed down a drain with water for normal wastewater treatment. This is a non-hazardous waste suitable for disposal in any approved solid waste landfill.

# **Evacuation Procedures**

None required.

#### **Special Procedures**

Avoid respirable dust. Wear a nuisance style dust mask if dusty conditions occur.

### SECTION VII

# HANDLING AND STORAGE

### Handling Procedures

Handle as an eye and respiratory tract irritant.

### Storage Procedures

Store in a dry, closed container.

# SECTION VIII

# **EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION**

#### **Exposure Guidelines**

#### I. General Product Information

- The product is not regulated as a hazardous material. There is however a potential for respiratory tract irritation and an eight-hour exposure limit of 0.05 mg/m<sup>3</sup> is recommended.
- II. Component Exposure Limits No information is available.

#### **Engineering Controls**

Provide local exhaust ventilation to maintain exposure to < 0.05 mg/m<sup>3</sup> over eight hours.

### Personal Protective Equipment – Eyes & Face

Safety glasses with side shields or goggles.

#### Personal Protective Equipment – Skin

Use impervious gloves when handling the product in a manufacturing environment.

### Personal Protective Equipment – Respiratory

Wear a nuisance style dust mask for mild dusty conditions or a high efficiency filter if particulate concentrations exceed 0.05 mg/m<sup>3</sup>.

#### **Personal Protective Equipment – General**

Follow normal safety precautions and maintain good housekeeping. Wash thoroughly after handling.

# SECTION IX

### PHYSICAL & CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance: **Physical State:** Vapor Pressure: **Boiling Point:** Solubility (H<sub>2</sub>O): Evaporation Rate:

White granular powder Solid <10 mm Hq N.A. Not soluble < 1.0

Odor: None pH: Vapor Density: N.E. Melting Point: Specific Gravity: 0.4 to 0.7 g/cc

5.5 to 6.5 (1% in water) > 390°F (> 199° C)

# SECTION X

# **CHEMICAL STABILITY & REACTIVITY INFORMATION**

**Chemical Stability** Product is stabile. **Chemical Stability: Conditions to Avoid** None Incompatibility None **Hazardous Decomposition** None **Hazardous Polymerization** None SECTION XI

# **TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### **General Product Information**

Acute inhalation of respirable dust may cause irritation of upper respiratory tract and lungs.

### Acute Toxicity – LD50/LC50

Sodium polyacrylate (CAS 09003-04-7)

LD50: Oral Rat > 5000 grams/kilogram

# Carcinogenicity

None

#### **Component Carcinogenicity**

No information is available.

#### **Chronic Toxicity**

Chronic exposure to rats for a two-year lifetime using Sodium Polyacrylate that had been micronized to a respirable size (< 10 µm) produced non-specific inflammation and chronic lung injury at 0.2 mg/m<sup>3</sup> and 0.8 mg/m<sup>3</sup>. Also at 0.8 mg/m<sup>3</sup>, tumors were seen in some test animals. In the absence of chronic inflammation, tumors are not expected. There were no adverse effects detected at 0.05 mg/m<sup>3</sup>.

### Mutagenicity

Sodium polyacrylate had no effect in mutagencity tests.

SECTION XII	ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### Ecotoxicity

#### **General Product Information**

Composted polyacrylate absorbents are nontoxic to aquatic or terrestrial organisms at predicted exposure levels from current application rates.

### **Component Analysis – Ecotoxicity & Aquatic Toxicity**

No information available

#### **Environmental Fate**

Polyacrylate absorbents are largely inert in aerobic and anaerobic conditions. They are immobile in landfills and soils systems with the mobile fraction showing biodegradability. They are also compatible with incineration of municipal solid waste. Incidental drain disposal of small quantities of polyacrylate absorbents will not affect the performance of wastewater treatment systems.

# SECTION XIII

# **DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

### **US EPA Waste Number & Descriptions**

# **General Product Information**

Product is non-hazardous waste material suitable for approved solid waste landfills.

# **Component Waste Numbers**

No EPA Waste Numbers are applicable for this product's components

#### **Disposal Instructions**

Dispose of in accordance with Local, State and Federal regulations.

SECTION XIV

# **TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION**

# **International Transportation Regulations**

The product is not transport regulated.

SECTION XV	KV REGULATORY INFORMATION					
U.S. Federal Regulation	S					
<b>General Product Informa</b>	ation					
The product is not	Federally regulated as	a hazardous material.				
Clean Air Act						
No information ava	ilable.					
Component Analysis						
No information ava	ilable.					
Food & Drug Administra	ation					
Code of Federal R	egulations (CFR) refere	ences the following regul	lated componen	ts:		
	te (CAS 09003-04-7)					
	ood Additives:	173.73, 173.310				
Indirect	Food Additives:	175.105				
State Regulations						
<b>General Product Inform</b>	ation					
The product is not	regulated by any State	as a hazardous materia	l.			
<b>Component Analysis - S</b>	state					
None of the compo	onents are listed on Sta	ate lists from CA, FL, MA	, MN, NJ or PA.			
Component Analysis - \	NHMIS IDL					
None of the compo	onents are listed in the	WHMIS IDL.				
<b>Component Analysis - In</b>	nventory					
Component		CAS #	TSCA	CAN	EEC	
Sodium Polyacry		09003-04-7	Yes	DSL	No	

# **SECTION XVI**

**OTHER INFORMATION** 

#### **Other Information**

The information presented in this document is presented in good faith and is believed to be accurate as to the effective date given. However, no warranty, expressed or implied is given. It is the buy's responsibility to ensure that its activities comply with Federal, State or provincial and local laws.

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