

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

PRODUCT **APATITE II**

APPEARANCE & FORM	Granular, various sizes from powder to gravel
PACKAGING	Bulk
TOXICITY	Ingestion- Nil, Eye and skin contact- Nil Inhalation- Classified as nuisance dust only.
CORROSION PROPERTIES	Non-corrosive
FIRE RISK	Combustible when subjected to heat
EXPLOSION RISK	The dust, if in powder form, when mixed with air can form an explosive mixture. Adequate extraction facilities should be provided in all areas subject to dust.
HANDLING PROCEDURES	When being handled the dust can be a nuisance. This can be improved by extraction or ventilation. No smoking.
PROTECTIVE CLOTHING	Overalls, dust mask, and eye protection if necessary
STORAGE CONDITIONS	Should be stored at ambient temperature in dry metal or concrete bins.

FIRST AID REQUIREMENTS

EYE CONTACT:	Flush eyes with water for at least 15 minutes. Obtain medical attention if condition persists. Irritating but does not injure eye tissue.
INHALATION:	No hazard under normal conditions. Move victim to fresh air area. Give artificial respiration if breathing is stopped. Call a doctor if breathing is irregular. Low order of toxicity.
SKIN CONTACT:	Skin may become dry from the dust. Wash thoroughly after contact, with soap if available. Low order of toxicity.
INGESTION:	No hazard. If ingested, give large amounts of water to induce vomiting. Keep victim down and call doctor. Minimal toxicity.

DISPOSAL OF SPILLAGE AND WASTE

Shut off source without hazard if possible. Sweep up spilled material and place in container to be recycled.

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

These materials are made from natural products and may contain natural occurring microorganisms. Proper precautions are advised to prevent infection of open wounds. Avoid inhaling excessive amounts of dust. Avoid eye contact. Observe the proper hygiene practices necessary to prevent health hazards from any naturally occurring substance such as soil, bark, etc. Wash hands with soap and water after handling.

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