

Special Firefighting procedures: None
Unusual fire and explosion hazards: None
Flammable Limits: LEL UEL
Conditions to avoid: avoid extreme heat

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Section 5- Health Hazard Data

Primary routes of body entry: Inhalation, eye contact

Effects of over exposure: Handle with care and avoid unnecessary exposure.

Emergency procedures: If dust enters eye, flush with running water. Obtain medical attention.

Skin contact: Wear gloves, cotton or latex. Wash hands with soap and water for 15 minutes. If irritation occurs, seek medical attention.

Ingestion: If ingested, seek medical assistance.

Chronic health effects: Persons with impaired pulmonary function may be more susceptible to the effects of this product. If breathing seems impaired or becomes difficult remove from dusty area and give oxygen. Call a physician.

No known adverse health effects for Tragacanth Gum or Methyl Cellulose used as a binder.

Section 6- spill or leak procedure

Steps to be taken if material leaks or is spilled: Uncontaminated material may be scooped up for use. If contaminated, scoop or vacuum into container for disposal. Use a HEPA vacuum filter.

Waste disposal method: Refer to EPA RCRA regulations. Dispose of in accordance with federal, state and local regulations.

Section 7- Special protection Data/ Control measures

Respiratory protection: OSHA/NIOSH approved Respirator for protection against dust

Ventilation: Suitable for dusts/ local exhaust

Protective gloves: Work gloves, cotton or latex, or a barrier cream

Eye protection: safety glasses if eye contact is likely. Protect against dust.