

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

NPS Sorbent Products
STATIC Resistant Sorbents

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Section 1. Chemical Product and Company Identification

Product Number: PS Series
Product Name: STATIC RESISTANT Sorbents

Manufacturer:
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Emergency Telephone Numbers:
CHEMTREC--Domestic (800) 424-9300 24 hours
--International (202) 483-7616 24 hours
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Section 2. Composition/Information on Ingredients

<u>CAS Registry #</u>	<u>Component</u>
9003-07-0	Polypropylene Particulate or Fabric
-- NA--	Proprietary Anti-Static Polymer

(NOTE: See Section 8 of this MSDS for Exposure Guidelines)

Section 3. Hazards Identification

Emergency Overview

Odorless, white fabric. This material presents little or no hazard if spilled and exhibits no unusual fire hazard.

Potential Health Effects

Eye: Direct contact may cause irritation.

Inhalation: Exposure to dust levels exceeding the PEL (see Section 8) may cause irritation of the upper respiratory system. Breathing dust may aggravate acute or chronic asthma or other chronic pulmonary diseases.

Signs and Symptoms:

- Eyes: Redness, Tearing
- Inhalation: Dry cough, labored breathing during exertion

Section 4. First Aid Measures

Eyes: Immediately flush with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. If irritation persists, seek medical attention.

Skin: Brush off excess fibers with dry towel. Wash affected area with plenty of soap and water for several minutes. If skin irritation develops or persists, seek medical attention.

Inhalation: Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Seek medical attention.

NOTE: If burned through contact with molten material, cool as quickly as possible with water and seek medical attention. Do not attempt to remove the cooled molten material.

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Section 5. Fire Fighting Measures

Flash Point: >625 °F

Flammable Limits: NA

Auto-ignition Temperature: >675 °F

NOTE: This material will burn, but it is difficult to ignite.

Extinguishing Media: Water spray, ABC dry chemical, foam, or carbon dioxide. Use water fog or spray to cool exposed equipment and containers.

Special Fire Fighting Procedures: For large fires or fires in confined areas, full emergency equipment with self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing should be used. Thermal decomposition of this product may produce hazardous and irritating gases. See Section 10.

Section 6. Accidental Release Measures

Unused material can be shoveled, swept, or vacuumed and recycled for use. Avoid generating airborne dust.

If used material is released or spilled, see Section 13.

Section 7. Handling and Storage

Store at room temperature in a dry area. When handling, avoid the generation of airborne dust. Storage for extended periods (>30 days) at temperatures >150 °F may cause decomposition.

Section 8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Exposure Limits: None specifically developed for this product; treated as a nuisance dust as defined in 29 CFR 1910.1000.

OSHA PEL: Total Dust is 15 mg/M³.

Respirable Fraction is 5mg/M³.

ACGIH TLV is 10 mg/M³.

OSHA PEL for the Proprietary anti-static polymer is 50 ppm.

The end-user must determine the specific types of personal protective equipment needed according to 29 CFR 1910.132—Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) for General Industry. The following are only suggestions:

- Eyes: Safety glasses or goggles
- Skin: Work gloves

Adequate ventilation should be provided to limit the amount of airborne dust.

Section 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance: White fabric

Odor: Odorless

Boiling Point: NA

Vapor Pressure (mmHg): NA

Vapor Density: NA

Solubility in Water: Insoluble

Specific Gravity (H₂O=1): 0.90

Melting Point: >320 °F

pH: NA

Evaporation Rate (Butyl Acetate=1): NA

% Vaporizable by volume (H₂O=100): <0.4

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Section 10. Stability and Reactivity

Stable: Yes

Conditions to Avoid: None known

Incompatibility (Materials to Avoid): Avoid contact with hot or concentrated nitric and perchloric acids, and fuming sulfuric acid at temperatures >140 °F

Hazardous Decomposition or Byproducts: Thermal decomposition produces carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, methane, acetone, and other ketones.

Hazardous Polymerization: Will not occur

Section 11. Toxicological Information

This product is not listed by NTP or IARC. See Section 15.

Section 12. Ecological Information

No data available. See Section 15.

Section 13. Disposal Considerations

This product in itself is considered to be non-hazardous as defined by RCRA (40 CFR 261). Once used, this product will take on the characteristics of the chemical sorbed and should be disposed of accordingly.

Disposal of this product (used or unused) must be in compliance with all local, state, and federal regulations.

Section 14. Transport Information

This product is not a DOT Hazardous Material and is not regulated for all shipping purposes.

Section 15. Regulatory Information

This product does not meet the definition of a hazardous chemical given in 29 CFR 1910.1200 (OSHA).

TSCA Inventory Status: All components are listed on the TSCA list.

SARA Title III

Section 302 Extreme Hazardous Substance List: Not listed

Section 311/312 Hazard Classification:

Immediate (acute): No

Delayed (chronic): No

Fire: No

Sudden Release of Pressure: No

Reactive: No

Section 313 Toxic Chemicals: Not listed

USEPA CERCLA—Reportable Quantity (RQ): Not listed

RCRA Hazardous Waste: Not listed

State/Int'l Right-to-Know Regulations: Not listed

Section 16. Other Information

Abbreviations:

CFR: Code of Federal Regulations

OSHA: Occupational Safety and Health Administration

MSDS: Material Safety Data Sheet

PEL: Permissible Exposure Limit

NA: Not Applicable

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

TLV: Threshold Limit Value

NTP: National Toxicology Program

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Abbreviations (cont.):

IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer
RCRA: Resource Conservation and Recovery Act
TSCA: Toxic Substances Control Act
SARA: Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act
USEPA: United States Environmental Protection Agency
CERCLA: Comprehensive Response, Compensation, and Liability Act
DOT: Department of Transportation
ppm: Parts per Million
NFPA: National Fire Protection Association
HMIS: Hazardous Material Information System

NFPA Ratings:

Health: 0
Fire: 1
Reactivity: 0
Special Hazard: None

HMIS Ratings:

Health: 0
Flammability: 1
Reactivity: 0
Personal Protection: X

NOTE: This MSDS has been prepared only for the STATIC Resistant Sorbent Products (PS Series) of NPS Products. The MSDS's of the chemicals used with this product must be reviewed completely, and precautions taken as described.

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