



Manufacturers of 100% recycled papers

## MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

TRADE NAME: **Paper/Wood (Cellulose Fiber Products)**(Paper & Wood Dust)  
SYNONYMS: Natural Kraft, Corrugated Medium, Kraft Paper, Roll Stock, Boxboard, Gray  
Bogus, Red Rosin, Masking Paper, Natural Towel, Tissue  
CAS. NO.: 65996-61-4

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***While pulp, paper and paperboard products are considered an article and/or wood product, they would be exempted by OSHA 29 CFR 1910.1200 (c) and 1910.1200 (b) (6) (iii). However, subsequent handling and/or re-manufacturing processes could result in the release of wood/cellulose dust and/or fibers.***

<b>PHYSICAL DATA</b>		<b>REACTIVITY DATA</b>	
Boiling Point.....	Not Applicable	Stability.....	Stable under normal conditions
Special Gravity.....	Variable (Dependent on wood species and moisture content)	Incompatibility.....	Avoid contact with oxidizing agents and drying oils. Avoid open flames and sources of combustion.
Vapor Density.....	Not Applicable	Hazardous Decomposition.....	Thermal and/or thermal oxidative decomposition can produce irritating and potentially toxic fumes and gases, including carbon monoxide, aldehydes and organic acids.
% Volatiles By Vol.....	Not Applicable	Products	
Melting Point.....	Not Applicable	Hazardous Polymerization.....	Not Applicable
Vapor Pressure.....	Not Applicable	<b>EXPOSURE LIMITS</b>	
Solution in Water (& By Wt.).....	Insoluble		
Evaporation Rate (Butyl Acetate = 1).....	Not Applicable		
pH.....	Not Applicable		
Appearance and Odor.....	Light to dark colored fibers. Powder-like solid		
<b>FIRE AND EXPLOSION DATA</b>			
Flash Point.....	Not Applicable		
Autoignition Temperature.....	Variable (Typically 400-500° F)		
Explosive Limits in Air.....	40 grams/m <sup>3</sup> (LEL)		
Extinguishing Media.....	Water, Carbon Dioxide, Dry Chemical, Foam water spray, sand		
Special Fire Fighting Procedure..	Use water to wet down dust to reduce the likelihood of ignition or dispersion of dust into the air. Remove burned or wet dust to open area after fire is extinguished.		
Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazard.....	Wood and paper dust is a strong to severe explosion hazard if a dust "cloud" contacts an ignition source.		

<b><u>ACUTE/SUB-CHRONIC HEALTH EFFECTS (This material is not Toxic)</u></b>		<b><u>PRECAUTIONS AND SAFE HANDLING</u></b>	
Skin and Eye Contact.....	Wood and paper dust can cause eye irritation. Paper dust and various species of wood dust can elicit allergic contact dermatitis in sensitized individuals.	Provide adequate ventilation to reduce the possible build-up of dust/fibers in the air.	
Ingestion.....	Not Applicable	Avoid eye contact.	
Skin Absorption.....	Not known to occur	Avoid repeated or prolonged contact with skin. Careful bathing and clean clothes are indicated after exposure.	
Inhalation.....	May cause nasal dryness, irritation and obstruction. Coughing, wheezing, sneezing, sinusitis and prolonged colds have also been reported.	Avoid prolonged or repeated breathing of dust in the air.	
<b><u>CHRONIC HEALTH EFFECTS</u></b>		<b><u>GENERALLY APPLICABLE CONTROL MEASURES</u></b>	
Skin Contact.....	Paper Dust and Wood dust, depending on the species, may cause dermatitis on prolonged, repetitive contact particularly with sensitized individuals.	Ventilation:	Provide adequate general and local exhaust ventilation to maintain healthful working conditions.
Inhalation.....	May cause respiratory sensitization and/or irritation. IARC classifies wood dust as a carcinogen to humans (Group 1). This classification is based primarily on IARC's evaluation of increased risk in the occurrence of adenocarcinomas of the nasal cavities and paranasal sinuses associated with exposure to wood dust. IARC did not find sufficient evidence to associate cancers of the oropharynx, hypopharynx, lung, lymphatic and hematopoietic systems, stomach, colon or rectum, with exposure to wood dust.	Wear goggles or safety glasses. Other protective equipment such as gloves and approved dust respirators may be needed, depending upon the conditions.	
<b><u>EMERGENCY AND FIRST AID PROCEDURES</u></b>		<b><u>SPILL/LEAK CLEAN UP PROCEDURES</u></b>	
Eyes.....	Flush with water to remove dust particles. If irritation persists, get medical attention.	Sweep or vacuum spills for recovery or disposal; avoid creating dust conditions. Provide good ventilation where dust conditions may occur. Place recovered wood or paper dust in a container for proper disposal.	
Skin.....	Wash with soap and water. If a rash or persistent irritation or dermatitis occur, get medical attention where applicable before returning to work where paper or wood dust is present.	<b><u>REGULATORY INFORMATION</u></b>	
Inhalation.....	Remove to fresh air. If persistent irritation, severe coughing, or breathing difficulties occur, get medical attention before returning to work where paper or wood dust is present.	SARA – Not listed on Section 313 required reporting list. Prop 65 Product should not present any significant risk as defined by the State of California labeling and disclosure requirements. There is no intended use of ozone depleting chemicals as defined by the Environmental Protection Agency in the manufacturing of this product.	
Ingestion.....	Not Applicable	<b><u>IMPORTANT:</u></b> The information and data contained herein is believed to be accurate and has been compiled from sources believed to be reliable. It is offered for your consideration, investigation and verification. There is no warranty of any kind, expressed or implied, concerning the accuracy or completeness of the information and data herein. It is the responsibility of the user to comply with local, state, and federal regulations concerning the use of this product.	

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