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MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

This Material Safety Data Sheet conforms to the requirements of ANSI Z400.1. THIS MSDS COMPLIES WITH 29 CFR 1910.1200 (HAZARD COMMUNICATION STANDARD) IMPORTANT: Read this MSDS before handling & disposing of this product. Pass this information on to employees, customers, & users of this product.

SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND COMPANY

PRODUCT IDENTITY: TRIPOLI A
SUPPLIER IDENTITY: Romanoff
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SECTION 2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

CONTAINS: 70-80% SILICA (14808-60-7)
10-20% STEARIC ACID (57-11-4),
Number in parentheses is CAS #, number in brackets is European EC #.

SECTION 3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

RISK STATEMENTS:

This product has no significant hazards.

SAFETY STATEMENTS:

Not Applicable.

SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

EYE CONTACT:

For eyes, flush with plenty of water for 15 minutes & get medical attention.

SKIN CONTACT:

In case of contact with skin immediately remove contaminated clothing.

Wash thoroughly with soap & water. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

INHALATION:

After high vapor exposure, remove to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. If breathing has stopped give artificial respiration.

SWALLOWING:

If swallowed, CALL A PHYSICIAN IMMEDIATELY! Do NOT induce vomiting. Have patient lie down & keep warm. Vomiting may lead to pneumonitis, which may be fatal.

SECTION 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA

NFPA Class B extinguishers (Carbon Dioxide or foam) for surrounding fire.

SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES

Water spray may be ineffective on fire but can protect fire-fighters & cool closed containers. Use fog nozzles if water is used.

Do not enter confined fire-space without full bunker gear.

(Helmet with face shield, bunker coats, gloves & rubber boots).

Use NIOSH approved positive-pressure self-contained breathing apparatus.

UNUSUAL EXPLOSION AND FIRE PROCEDURES

Noncombustible.

Keep container tightly closed.

Closed containers may rupture if exposed to extreme heat.

Applying to hot surfaces requires special precautions.

SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

CONTAINMENT TECHNIQUES

Stop spill at source. Dike area & contain.

CLEAN-UP PROCEDURES:

Sweep up remainder into disposal containers.

SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

HANDLING

Use only with adequate ventilation.

Avoid prolonged or repeated contact with skin.

Wear OSHA Standard goggles or face shield. Consult Safety Equipment Supplier.

Wear gloves, apron & footwear impervious to this material. Wash clothing before reuse.

STORAGE

Do not store above 49 C/120 F. Keep container tightly closed & upright when not in use to prevent leakage.

SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION:

EXPOSURE CONTROLS

None necessary.

VENTILATION

LOCAL EXHAUST	: Necessary
MECHANICAL (GENERAL)	: Acceptable
SPECIAL	: None
OTHER	: None

PERSONAL PROTECTIONS:

Wear OSHA Standard goggles or face shield. Consult Safety Equipment Supplier.

Wear gloves, apron & footwear impervious to this material. Wash clothing before reuse.

WORK & HYGIENIC PRACTICES:

Provide readily accessible eye wash stations & safety showers.

Wash at end of each workshift & before eating, smoking or using the toilet.

Promptly remove clothing that becomes contaminated. Destroy contaminated leather articles. Launder or discard contaminated clothing.

SECTION 9. PHYSICAL DATA

APPEARANCE : Solid, Amber
ODOR : None
BOILING RANGE : Not Applicable
AUTO IGNITION TEMPERATURE : Not Applicable
LOWER FLAMMABLE LIMIT IN AIR (% by vol): Not Applicable
FLASH POINT (TEST METHOD): Not Applicable
FLAMMABILITY CLASSIFICATION: Non-Combustible
GRAVITY @ 60 F :
 SPECIFIC GRAVITY (Water=1) : 1.925
 POUNDS/GALLON : 16.038
VOC'S (>0.44 Lbs/Sq In) : 0.0 Vol. % / 0.0 g/L / 0.000 Lbs/Gal
TOTAL VOC'S (TVOC) : 0.0 Vol. % / 0.0 g/L / 0.000 Lbs/Gal
NONEXEMPT VOC'S (CVOC) : 0.0 Vol. % / 0.0 g/L / 0.000 Lbs/Gal
HAZARDOUS AIR POLLUTANTS (HAPS) : 0.0 Wt. % / 0.0 g/L / 0.000 Lbs/Gal
VAPOR PRESSURE (mm of Hg)@20 C 0.0
NONEXEMPT VOC PARTIAL PRESSURE (mm of Hg @ 20 C) 0.0
VAPOR DENSITY (air=1) : Not Applicable
WATER ABSORPTION : Negligible

SECTION 10. STABILITY & REACTIVITY

STABILITY

Stable

CONDITIONS TO AVOID

Not Applicable.

MATERIALS TO AVOID

Not Applicable.

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS

Silicon Dioxide, Carbon Oxides from heating in fire conditions.

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION

Will not occur.

SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

MATERIAL	CAS #	TWA (OSHA)	TLV (ACGIH)	HAP
Silica	14808-60-7	None Known	None Known	No
Stearic Acid	57-11-4	None Known	None Known	No
Petrolatum	8009-03-8	None Known	None Known	No

This product contains no EPA Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAP) in amounts > 0.1%.

SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

MATERIAL	CAS #	CEILING	STEL (OSHA/ACGIH)
		None Known	None Known

ACUTE HAZARDS

EYE & SKIN CONTACT:

Primary irritation to skin, defatting, dermatitis.
Primary irritation to eyes, redness, tearing, blurred vision.
Liquid can cause eye irritation. Wash thoroughly after handling.

INHALATION:

Vapor harmful.

SWALLOWING:

Swallowing can cause abdominal irritation, nausea, vomiting & diarrhea.

SUBCHRONIC HAZARDS/CONDITIONS AGGREGATED

CONDITIONS AGGREGATED:

None Known.

CHRONIC HAZARDS

CANCER, REPRODUCTIVE & OTHER CHRONIC HAZARDS:

This product has no carcinogens listed by IARC, NTP, NIOSH, OSHA or ACGIH, as of this date, greater or equal to 0.1%.

SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

MAMMALIAN INFORMATION:

No mammalian information is available on this product.

AQUATIC ANIMAL INFORMATION:

No aquatic environmental information is available on this product.

MOBILITY

Mobility of this material has not been determined.

DEGRADABILITY

This product is completely biodegradable.

ACCUMULATION

Bioaccumulation of this product has not been determined.

SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Recycle / dispose of observing national, regional, state, provincial and local health, safety & pollution laws.

If questions exist, contact the appropriate agencies.

SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT SHIPPING NAME: None

DRUM LABEL: None

IATA / ICAO: None

IMO / IMDG: None

EMERGENCY RESPONSE GUIDEBOOK NUMBER: None

SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

EPA REGULATION:

SARA SECTION 311/312 HAZARDS: None Known

All components of this product are on the TSCA list. This material contains no known products restricted under SARA Title III, Section 313 in amounts greater or equal to 1%.

SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

INTERNATIONAL REGULATIONS

The components of this product are listed on the chemical inventories of the following countries:
Australia, Canada, Europe (EINECS), Japan, Korea, United Kingdom.

SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

HAZARD RATINGS:

HEALTH (NFPA): 0
HEALTH (HMIS): 0
FLAMMABILITY: 1
REACTIVITY: 0

This information is intended solely for the use of individuals trained in the NFPA & HMIS hazard rating systems.

EMPLOYEE TRAINING

Employees should be made aware of all hazards of this material (as stated in this MSDS) before handling it.

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