

Safety Data Sheet



MIMOSA ME POWDER

SECTION 1: Identification of the substance / mixture and of the company

Product identifier 1.1

Product form : Substance

Product Name : Mimosa ME Powder

CAS No. : 68911-60-4 UN No. : Non-hazardous

Recommended use and restrictions of use

Leather manufacture.

Details of the supplier 1.3

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SECTION 2: Hazards identification

Classification of the substance or mixture 2.1

Classification (GHS) : Not classified / not hazardous

2.2 Label elements

GHS Labelling : No labelling applicable

Other hazards

Other hazards not otherwise classified : None under normal conditions.

SECTION 3: Composition / information on ingredients

3.1 Substance

Name : Mimosa ME Powder

CAS No. : 68911-60-4

Name	Product identifier	%	Classification (GHS)
Wattle/Mimosa (Acacia mearnsii) Extract	(CAS No) 68911-60-4	95	Not classified
Water		5	

SECTION 4: First aid measures

Description of first aid measures 4.1

General : If you feel unwell, seek medical advice.

After inhalation : Move to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.

After skin contact : Brush off and wash with water. : Wash eyes for 10 minutes with water. After eye contact

After ingestion : If large quantity ingested give plenty of water to drink. Seek medical advice.

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4.2 Most important symptoms / effects, acute and delayed

After inhalation : Lung disorders may be aggrevated by high dust concentrations.

After skin contact : No known dermatological effects.

After eye contact : Irritation can occur in dusty conditions. No known ocular effects.

After ingestion : Not harmful in small quantities.

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment

No additional information available

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media : Water or Carbon dioxide

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

None

5.3 Advice for firefighters

Firefighting instructions : Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire.

Protection during firefighting : As for normal firefighting.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

General measures : Avoid dusting conditions, may form explosive mixtures with air

Protective equipment : Gloves, protective clothing, safety goggles

Emergency procedure : Use wet sweeping compound or water to avoid dust cloud formation

6.2 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Environmental precautions : Avoid major release to the environment. Oxygen demand high as product is biodegradable

For containment : Dam up the solid spill.

Methods for cleaning up : Wash down leftovers with plenty of water. Scoop solid spill into closing containers

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling : Avoid raising dust. Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before

eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage conditions : Store in a cool, dry area. Incompatible products : Formaldehyde donors.

Packaging materials : Packed in woven polypropylene bags with polyethylene liners of nett mass 25kg, or in woven

polypropylene bags of nett mass 500kg.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls / personal protection

8.1 Control parameters

Occupational exposure limits : Dust 5 mg/m³

8.2 Exposure controls

Engineering control measures : Minimise dust formation.

Hand protection : Gloves for prolonged contact.

Eye protection : Safety goggles in dusty areas.

Skin and body protection : Apron or chemically resistant clothing should be worn.

Respiratory protection : Respiratory protection not required in normal conditions. Dust mask in dusty areas.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state : Free flowing powder

Colour : Brown

Odour : Pleasant, characteristic
Melting / Freezing point : Decomposes at 350 °C

Boiling point : Not applicable

Flammability : Ignition temperature >200 °C

Lower and upper explosion limit : No data available Flash point : Does not flash

Auto-ignition temperature : None

Decomposition temperature : 350 °C

pH : 4.5 (10% aqueous solution)

Kinematic viscosity : No data available

Solubility : Soluble in water. Low solubility in alcohol

Partition coefficient n-octanol/water : No data available

Vapour pressure : Nil

Density and/or relative density : Bulk density 700 kg/m³

Relative vapour density : Nil

Particle characteristics : Particle Size: Mean= 32.6 µm, SD= 17.5 µm (ASTM C1070-1)

9.2.1 Information with regard to physical hazard classes

Not applicable

9.2.2 Other safety characteristics

Formation of explosible dust/air mixtures:

Ignitability : Ignition, no flame spread (ISO 11925-2)

Explosible : Yes (ISO 6184) Explosion Index (EI) : 167 (ISO 6184)

Dust Explosion Class : St 1 (Between 0 and 200 EI) (ISO 6184)

Lower Explosive Limit : 20 g.m⁻³ (ISO 6184) Minimum Ignition Energy : < 10 mJ (ISO 6184)

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1 Reactivity

No additional information available.

10.2 Chemical stability

Stable indefinitely under ambient temperature and pressure.

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

No additional information available.

10.4 Conditions to avoid

Heat and Moisture.

10.5 Incompatible materials

Formaldehyde donors.

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

None.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1 Likely routes of exposure

Eyes, skin and inhalation

11.2 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity : $LD_{50} > 5000$ mg/kg oral (rat)

Skin corrosion/irritation No data available Serious eye damage/irritation No data available Respiratory or skin sensitization No data available Germ cell mutagenicity No data available No data available Carcinogenicity Reproductive toxicity No data available No data available Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure) No data available Aspiration hazard No data available Chronic symptoms No data available

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1 Toxicity

12.2 Persistence and degradability

Product is biodegradable

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

None

12.4 Mobility in soil

No data available

12.5 Other adverse effects

No additional information available

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1 Waste disposal recommendations

Dispose of in a safe manner in accordance with local/national regulations. Avoid major release to the environment.

SECTION 14: Transport information

14.1 UN Number : Not classified, product is non-hazardous for transport

14.2 UN Proper shipping name: Not applicable14.3 Transport hazard classes: Not applicable14.4 Packing group: Not applicable14.5 Environmental hazards: Not applicable

14.6 Special precautions for user14.7 Maritime transport in bulk according to IMONo additional information available

instruments

14.8 Additional information : No additional information available

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

US Federal regulations : No additional information available International regulations : No additional information available

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. : Not classified

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SECTION 16: Other information

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