

#### SAFETY DATA SHEET

PRODUCT NAME ANSUL FORAY

## 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE OR MIXTURE AND OF THE SUPPLIER

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**Recommended Use** Fire extinguishing powder

Name of the Supplier Tyco Safety Products

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## 2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

#### CLASSIFIED AS HAZARDOUS ACCORDING TO HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES (CLASSIFICATION) REGULATIONS 2001

# HAZARD CLASSIFICATION Overall Substance Classification

6.3B Substances that are mildly irritating to the skin.

6.4A Substances that are irritating to the eye.

**HAZARD STATEMENTS** 

H316 Causes mild skin irritation.
H320 Causes eye irritation.

PRECUATIONARY STATEMENTS

P103 Read label before use. Read Safety Data Sheet before use.

P264 Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

**RESPONSE STATEMENTS** 

P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy

to do. Continue rinsing.

P332 + P313 If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
P337 + P313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

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## 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Ingredient	CAS No.	Content
Monoammonium Phosphate	7722-76-1	65-82%
Ammonium sulphate	7783-20-2	12-25%
Magnesium Aluminium Silicate	8031-18-3	5-7%
Calcium Carbonate	471-34-1	<2%
Methyl Hydrogen Polysiloxane	63148-57-2	<1%
Yellow Pigment	5468-75-7	<0.05%

#### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

**Eye Contact** Flush with large amount of water. If irritation persists, seek medical attention.

**Skin Contact** Wash with soap and water. If irritation persists, seek medical attention.

**Inhalation** Remove victim to fresh air. Seek medical treatment if discomfort continues.

**Ingestion** If patient is conscious, give large amount of water and induce vomiting. Seek medical help.

# 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Special Fire

**Fighting Procedure** 

No specific measures are required as this product is a fire extinguishing medium.

Respiratory Protection Dust mask where dustiness is prevalent, or TLV is exceeded. Use mechanical filter respirator if exposure

is prolonged.

**Protective Gloves**None normally needed. Use impervious gloves if irritation occurs.

**Eye Protection** Chemical goggles recommended as mechanical barrier for prolonged exposure.

Other Protective Equipment Use overalls if irritation occurs

#### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Accidental Released/

**Spills** 

Clear up spillage and transfer to a container for recovery or disposal. Vacuum cleaning is recommended to minimize dust formation.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling When handling this product use suitable containment methods to avoid generation of dust and local exhaust ventilation to limit personal exposure.

Other Precautions Do not mix fire protection agents.

Incompatibility Strong alkalis, magnesium, oxodisers that can release chlorine.

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## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS

**Exposure Limits**: Nuisance dust limit:

OSHA TWA: 15 mg/m<sup>3</sup> ACGIH TLV-TWA: 10mg/m<sup>3</sup>

Ventilation:

Local Exhaust: Not Applicable

Mechanical (General): Recommended

**Personal Protective Equipment:** 

**Protective Gloves**: None normally needed. Use impervious gloves if irritation occurs.

**Eye Protection:** Chemical goggles recommended as mechanical barrier for prolonged exposure.

Other Protective Equipment: Use overalls if irritation occurs.

Respiratory Protection: Dust mask where dustiness is prevalent, or TLV is exceeded. Use mechanical filter respirator if exposure

is prolonged

# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL CHARACTERISTICS

**Appearance** Yellow Powder

**Odor** Odorless

Flammability (solid/gas) Non flammable
Explosive Properties Not explosive
Oxidizing Properties Not an oxidizer

Solubility:

Water Solubility Slight

Fat Solubility Not Soluble

Auto Ignition Temperature Does not ignite

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Materials to avoid Strong alkalis, magnesium, oxidizers that can release chlorine or produce Nee3.

Hazardous decomposition products:

- Normally stable
- Hazardous polymerization will not occur
- Ammonia and/or phosphorous oxide can be evolved at very high temperatures.

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#### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Threshold Limit Value Nuisance dust limit OSHA TWA: 15mg/m<sup>3</sup> ACGIH TLV-TWA: 10mg/m<sup>3</sup>

Routes of Entry:

**Eye Contact:** Mildly irritating for short periods of time.

**Skin Contact:** May be mildly irritating.

Inhalation: Treat as a mineral dust. Irritant to the respiratory tract. Transient cough, shortness of breath.

Ingestion

**Signs & Symptons – Acute**: Not an expected route of entry.

Mildly irritating to eyes, skin and respiratory tract.

Overexposure

**Signs & Symptons – Chronic:** Chronic fibrosis of the lung, pneumocomiosis.

Overexposure

#### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Potential Environmental Interactions: Avoid unnecessary release of this substance to the environment. In the event of large spillage, advise appropriate authority.

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Disposal Export the substance from New Zealand as waste; or Treat the substance so that it is no longer a

hazardous substance; or Discharge the substance into the environment so that, after reasonable mixing, the concentration of the substance in an environmental medium does not exceed any relevant tolerable exposure limit and/or environmental exposure limit set for the substance or any of its components.

**Legislation** Dispose of in accordance with relevant local legislation.

State and National regulations.

#### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

NOT CLASSIFIED AS A DANGEROUS GOOD ACCORDING TO LAND TRANSPORT RULE: DANGEROUS GOODS 2005

NZS 5433:2007, UN, IMDG OR IATA

Shipping Name None Allocated

UN No. None Allocated DG Class None Allocated Subsidiary Risk(s) None Allocated Pkg Group None Allocated Hazchem Code None Allocated EPG None Allocated

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Approval Code: HSR002573

**Group Name:** Fire Fighting Chemicals Group Standard 2006

HSNO Controls: Refer to the ERMA website for more information: www.ermanz.govt.nz.

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#### 16. OTHER INFORMATION

# Additional Information

#### **ABBREVIATIONS:**

ADB - Air-Dry Basis. BEI - Biological Exposure Indice(s) CAS# - Chemical Abstract Service number - used to uniquely identify chemical compounds. CNS - Central Nervous System. EINECS - European INventory of Existing Commercial chemical Substances. IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer. M - moles per litre, a unit of concentration. mg/m3 - Milligrams per cubic metre. NOS - Not Otherwise Specified. NTP - National Toxicology Program. OSHA - Occupational Safety and Health Administration. pH - relates to hydrogen ion concentration using a scale of 0 (high acidic) to 14 (highly alkaline). ppm - Parts Per Million. RTECS - Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances. TWA/ES - Time Weighted Average or Exposure Standard.

#### **HEALTH EFFECTS FROM EXPOSURE:**

It should be noted that the effects from exposure to this product will depend on several factors including: frequency and duration of use; quantity used; effectiveness of control measures; protective equipment used and method of application. Given that it is impractical to prepare a SDS report which would encompass all possible scenarios, it is anticipated that users will assess the risks and apply control methods where appropriate.

## PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT GUIDELINES:

The recommendation for protective equipment contained within this SDS report is provided as a guide only. Factors such as method of application, working environment, quantity used, product concentration and the availability of engineering controls should be considered before final selection of personal protective equipment is made.

#### **Report Status**

This document has been compiled by the retailer of the product and serves as the retailers Safety Data Sheet ('SDS').

It is based on information concerning the product which has been provided to the retailer or obtained from third party sources and is believed to represent the current state of knowledge as to the appropriate safety and handling precautions for the product at the time of issue. Further clarification regarding any aspect of the product should be obtained directly from the retailer.

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