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MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET



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SECTION I - Name and Hazard Information

Trade Name RITACHOL SS
INCI Name Stearyl Stearate
Hazard Summary (As defined by OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200):
Hazard Identification Non-hazardous

SECTION II - Ingredients

CAS Number(s) 2778-96-3
EINECS Number(s) 220-476-5
DSL/NDSL Number(s) 6526

Ingredients not precisely identified are proprietary and non hazardous. Values are not product specifications.

SECTION III - Physical Data

Appearance White flakes
Odour Bland
pH N/A
Boiling point >300°F
Melting point 53 - 55°C
Flashpoint N/A
Specific Gravity N/A
Solubility in water Insoluble

SECTION IV - Fire and Explosion Hazard

Extinguishing Media Foam, dry chemicals, carbon dioxide.
Risks Arising from Combustion None
Protective Equipment Self-contained breathing apparatus.

SECTION V - Reactivity Data

Stability Extreme heat
Materials to avoid Strong alkali or caustic, strong oxidizing agents.
Hazardous decomposition products None known

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SECTION VI - Health Hazard Assessment

Acute toxicity N/A
Skin contact Not a primary skin irritant.
Eye contact Not a primary eye irritant.
Inhalation/Ingestion N/A

FIRST AID PROCEDURES:

Skin Contact Wash material off skin with copious amounts of soap and water.
Ingestion Seek medical attention.
Eye Contact Immediately flush eyes with copious amounts of water for at least 15 min.
Inhalation Remove victim to fresh air.

SECTION VII - Spill or Leak Procedures

Personal precautions Use gloves and goggles.
Environmental precautions Biodegradable product.
Methods for cleaning Contain spilled material. Transfer to secure containers.

SECTION VIII - Special Protection Information

Engineering measures Give adequate ventilation to the premises where the product is stored and/or handled.
Personal protection equipment Not needed for normal use.
Control Parameters Not needed for normal use.
Eye protection Goggles
Hand protection Gloves
Hygiene measures N/A

SECTION IX - Special Precautions or Other Comments

Handling Avoid container damage.
Storage Store in sealed containers, preferably away from heat or light.
Disposal If possible recover the product, otherwise dispose of in authorized landfill or incinerate in accordance with local regulations.

Use according to criteria of good industrial practice, avoid dispersion in the environment.
This product is not considered dangerous.

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