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# Safety Data Sheet

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## 1. PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION

Product ID#: G1795  
Product Name: Gum Arabic  
Recommended Use: Industrial use only  
Uses advised against: Toys and food contact  
Supplier Name: Reusche & Co. of T.W.S., Inc.  
Responsible Party: Jon C. Rarick, President

## 2. HAZARD(S) IDENTIFICATION

### Classification of the substance or mixture

Irritant

Category 2

### Symbol(s)

Xn-Health Hazard  
Xi-Acute Toxicity



### Signal Word

Warning

### Hazard Statements

H315 Causes skin irritation

## 2. HAZARD(S) IDENTIFICATION CONT.

H319 Causes serious eye irritation  
H335 May cause respiratory irritation

### **Precautionary statements**

#### **General**

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#### **Prevention**

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P270 Do not eat, drink, or smoke when using this product  
P271 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area  
P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection  
P284 Wear respiratory protection

#### **Response**

P302+P352+P362 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse  
P333-P313: IF SKIN Irritation occurs: Get medical advise/attention

#### **Storage**

P402 Store in a dry place  
P404 Store in a closed container

#### **Disposal**

P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with federal, state and local regulations

### **Other Hazards**

None listed

## 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical name	WT %	TLV	PEL
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None listed

\*Specific chemical identity and/or percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

## 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

### **Description of first aid measures**

**Eye contact:** Rinse immediately for at least 15 minutes with plenty of water also under the eyelids.

**Skin contact:** Wash off immediately with plenty of soap and water. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before re-use

**Ingestion:** None listed

**Inhalation:** Move to fresh air. Call a doctor

**Notes to doctor:** Treat symptomatically

**Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed-** Skin/eye/resp. irritation

**Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed :**

**Protection of first-aiders:** Treat symptomatically

## 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

**Suitable extinguishing media** Use fire fighting measures that suit the environment

**Unsuitable extinguishing media** None listed

**Special exposure hazards** None listed

**Special protective equipment for fire fighters** As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective gear

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**Personal precautions** Avoid formation of dust

**Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up** Wear personal protective equipment. Dispose of in accordance with federal, state and local regulations. Do not allow product to reach sewage system or any water course. Ensure adequate ventilation

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

**Precautions for safe handling** Prevent formation of dust. Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace. Use personal protective equipment

**Conditions for safe storage** Keep tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep product away from foodstuffs

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

**Exposure limits** None found

**Engineering controls** Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at machinery and at places where dust or fumes can be generated. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are proximal to the workstation location.

**Personal protection measures** Safety glasses with side-shields, rubber gloves, protective clothing such as impervious plastic overalls or aprons with sleeve covers, NIOSH approved respirators equipped with fume, and mist H.E.P.A. filter cartridges during all handling operations recommended. Follow manufacturers recommendations. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash thoroughly after handling.

**Environmental controls** Prevent product from entering drains. Do not allow material to contaminate ground water system.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### General information

**Appearance** Powder

**Odor** Odorless

### Important health safety and environmental information

<b>PH</b>	No information available
<b>Melting point/freezing point</b>	No information available
<b>Boiling point/boiling range, F</b>	No information available
<b>Flash point, F</b>	Not applicable
<b>Evaporation rate</b>	No information available
<b>Flammability (solid, gas)</b>	No information available
<b>Upper/lower flammability exp. Limits</b>	No information available
<b>Vapor pressure</b>	No information available
<b>Vapor density</b>	No information available
<b>Relative density</b>	No information available
<b>Solubility(ies)</b>	Insoluble
<b>Partition coefficient</b>	No information available
<b>Auto-ignition temperature</b>	No information available
<b>Decomposition temperature</b>	No information available
<b>Viscosity</b>	No information available

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

<b>Reactivity</b>	No data Available
<b>Chemical Stability</b>	Stable under normal conditions
<b>Possibility of Hazardous Reactions</b>	No dangerous reactions known
<b>Conditions to avoid</b>	No information available
<b>Incompatible materials</b>	No information available
<b>Hazardous decomposition products</b>	Toxic metal oxide smoke

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

<b>Routes of exposure</b>	Oral, Dermal, Inhalative
<b>Symptoms related to exposure</b>	Not determined
<b>Chronic effects from exposure</b>	Organ damage
<b>Acute toxicity</b>	Organ damage
<b>Carcinogenic effects</b>	No information available

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

<b>Ecotoxicity</b>	No information available
<b>Persistence and degradability</b>	No information available
<b>Bioaccumulative potential</b>	No information available
<b>Mobility in soil</b>	No information available
<b>Other adverse effects</b>	No information available

### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

**Waste treatment methods**

Do not dispose together with household garbage

**Waste from residue/unused products**

Dispose of in accordance with local regulations

**Contaminated packaging**

Take to approved waste handling/recycling center

**Safe handling**

See section 8 for more information

### 14. TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

**DOT**

Not regulated

**ADR/RID**

Not regulated

**IMDG**

Not regulated

**IATA**

Not regulated

### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

**Chemical Inventories Status**

**U.S.A. TSCA**

Compliant

**European Community (EINECS)**

Compliant

**Canada (DSL)**

Compliant

**Australia (AICS)**

Compliant

**Japan (IEC)**

Compliant

**Korea (KECI)**

Compliant

**Philippines (PICCS)**

Compliant

**China (SEPA/CICS)**

Compliant

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