

Safety Data Sheet

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### **SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION**

<u>Product Identifier</u> <u>Product Form:</u> Substance

Product Name: KRAFT PULP (BLEACHED)

**Intended Use of the Product** 

Absorbent hygiene products, paper and specialty materials.

Name, Address, and Telephone of the Responsible Party

Company

International Paper 6400 Poplar Avenue Memphis, TN 38197 Tel.: 901-419-4848

**Emergency Telephone Number** 

Emergency Number : 1-800-424-9300 (North America)/ 1-703-527-3887 (International)

CHEMTREC - TOLL FREE 24 HOUR EMERGENCY TELEPHONE NUMBER

# **SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

### **Classification of the Substance or Mixture**

**GHS-US/CA Classification** 

Not classified **Label Elements** 

GHS-US/CA Labeling

**Supplemental Information**: Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No

smoking. Proper grounding procedures to avoid static electricity should be followed. Prevent dust accumulation (to minimize explosion hazard). Avoid generating dust.

### **Other Hazards**

This product is not hazardous in the form in which it is shipped by the manufacturer but may become hazardous by downstream activities (e.g., slitting, cutting, pulverizing) that reduce its particle size. Exposure may aggravate those with pre-existing eye, skin, or respiratory conditions.

# Unknown Acute Toxicity (GHS-US/CA)

No data available

# SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

### **Substance**

Name : Bleached Kraft Pulp CAS-No. : 65996-61-4

Name	Product Identifier	% *	GHS Ingredient Classification
Pulp, cellulose	(CAS-No.) 65996-61-4	99 - 100	Combustible Dust

<sup>\*</sup>Percentages are listed in weight by weight percentage (w/w%) for liquid and solid ingredients. Gas ingredients are listed in volume by volume percentage (v/v%).

### **SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES**

### **Description of First-aid Measures**

General: Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice.

**Inhalation:** Remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Obtain medical attention if breathing difficulty persists.

Skin Contact: Wash with plenty of soap and water. Obtain medical attention if irritation develops or persists.

**Eye Contact:** Rinse cautiously with water for at least 5 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Obtain medical attention if redness, pain, or irritation occurs.

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Ingestion: Rinse mouth. Do not induce vomiting. Seek medical attention if a large amount is swallowed.

### Most Important Symptoms and Effects Both Acute and Delayed

General: Not expected to present a significant hazard under anticipated conditions of normal use.

**Inhalation:** Dust from this product may cause irritation to the respiratory tract.

Skin Contact: Prolonged contact with large amounts of dust may cause mechanical irritation.

Eye Contact: Eye contact with large amounts of dust may cause mechanical irritation.

**Ingestion:** If a large quantity has been ingested: Gastrointestinal irritation. **Chronic Symptoms:** None expected under normal conditions of use.

### Indication of Any Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment Needed

If exposed or concerned, get medical advice and attention.

# **SECTION 5: FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

## **Extinguishing Media**

Suitable Extinguishing Media: Dry chemical, carbon dioxide, water spray, foam.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media: Do not use a heavy water stream. Use of heavy stream of water may spread fire.

### **Special Hazards Arising From the Substance or Mixture**

Fire Hazard: May form combustible dust when processed.

**Explosion Hazard:** Dust generated from processing may present a dust explosion hazard. Accumulation and dispersion of dust with an ignition source can cause a combustible dust explosion. Keep dust levels to a minimum and follow applicable regulations.

Reactivity: Hazardous reactions will not occur under normal conditions.

### **Advice for Firefighters**

Precautionary Measures Fire: Exercise caution when fighting any paper or pulp fire.

Firefighting Instructions: Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed containers.

**Protection During Firefighting:** Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.

Hazardous Combustion Products: Carbon oxides (CO, CO<sub>2</sub>). Smoke.

### **Reference to Other Sections**

Refer to Section 9 for flammability properties.

### **SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

### Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures

**General Measures:** Avoid unnecessary contact of dust with skin, eyes, or clothing. Avoid breathing dust. Avoid creating dusty conditions whenever feasible.

### **For Non-Emergency Personnel**

Protective Equipment: Use appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE).

**Emergency Procedures:** Evacuate unnecessary personnel.

### **For Emergency Personnel**

Protective Equipment: Equip cleanup crew with proper protection.

**Emergency Procedures:** Upon arrival at the scene, a first responder is expected to recognize the presence of dangerous goods, protect oneself and the public, secure the area, and call for the assistance of trained personnel as soon as conditions permit.

#### **Environmental Precautions**

Prevent entry to sewers and public waters.

### Methods and Materials for Containment and Cleaning Up

For Containment: Contain and collect as any solid.

**Methods for Cleaning Up:** For particulates and dust: Use explosion proof vacuum during cleanup, with appropriate filter. Do not mix with other materials. Vacuum clean-up is preferred. If sweeping is required use a dust suppressant. Avoid generation of dust during clean-up of spills. Contact competent authorities after a spill.

### **Reference to Other Sections**

See Section 8 for exposure controls and personal protection and Section 13 for disposal considerations.

### **SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE**

### **Precautions for Safe Handling**

**Additional Hazards When Processed:** Accumulation and dispersion of dust with an ignition source can cause a combustible dust explosion. Keep dust levels to a minimum and follow applicable regulations.

**Hygiene Measures:** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety procedures. Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work.

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### **Conditions for Safe Storage, Including Any Incompatibilities**

**Technical Measures:** Comply with applicable regulations. Avoid creating or spreading dust. Use explosion-proof electrical, ventilating, lighting equipment. Proper grounding procedures to avoid static electricity should be followed.

**Storage Conditions:** Keep container closed when not in use. Store in a dry, cool place. Keep/Store away from direct sunlight, incompatible materials, heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames, and other ignition sources.

Incompatible Materials: Oxidizers. Drying oils.

Specific End Use(s)

Absorbent hygiene products, paper and specialty materials

### SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### **Control Parameters**

For substances listed in section 3 that are not listed here, there are no established Exposure limits from the manufacturer, supplier, importer, or the appropriate advisory agency including: ACGIH (TLV), AIHA (WEEL), NIOSH (REL), OSHA (PEL), Canadian provincial governments, or the Mexican government.

### **Exposure Controls**

Appropriate Engineering Controls: Emergency eye wash fountains and safety showers should be available in the immediate vicinity of any potential exposure. Avoid creating or spreading dust. Proper grounding procedures to avoid static electricity should be followed. Use explosion-proof equipment. Use local exhaust or general dilution ventilation or other suppression methods to maintain dust levels below exposure limits. Power equipment should be equipped with proper dust collection devices. Ensure all national/local regulations are observed.

Personal Protective Equipment: Not applicable for product in purchased form. Dust formation: Dust mask. Safety glasses.





Materials for Protective Clothing: Not required for normal conditions of use.

Hand Protection: Not required for normal conditions of use.

Eye Protection: In case of excessive dust production, safety goggles are recommended.

**Skin and Body Protection:** Not required for normal conditions of use.

**Respiratory Protection:** Use NIOSH-approved dust mask if dust has the potential to become airborne.

Consumer Exposure Controls: Do not eat, drink or smoke during use

Other Information: When using, do not eat, drink or smoke.

# SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

## **Information on Basic Physical and Chemical Properties**

Physical State : Solid

Appearance : White Rolled or Baled Pulp Sheet

Odor : Odorless
Odor Threshold : Not available
pH : Not available
Evaporation Rate : Not available
Melting Point : Not available
Freezing Point : Not available
Boiling Point : Not available
Flash Point : Not available

**Auto-ignition Temperature** :  $260 \, ^{\circ}\text{C} \, (500 \, ^{\circ}\text{F}) \, \text{dust cloud}$ 

Decomposition Temperature : Not available
Flammability (solid, gas) : Not available
Lower Flammable Limit : Not available
Upper Flammable Limit : Not available
Vapor Pressure : Not available
Relative Vapor Density at 20°C : Not available
Relative Density : Not available

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Specific Gravity: Not availableSolubility: Water: InsolublePartition Coefficient: N-Octanol/Water: Not availableViscosity: Not available

### **SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

**Reactivity:** Hazardous reactions will not occur under normal conditions.

**Chemical Stability:** Stable under recommended handling and storage conditions (see section 7).

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions: Hazardous polymerization will not occur.

Conditions to Avoid: Direct sunlight. Incompatible materials. Heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames, and other ignition sources.

**Incompatible Materials:** Oxidizers. Drying oils.

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Thermal decomposition generates: Carbon oxides (CO, CO<sub>2</sub>).

### **SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

### **Information on Toxicological Effects - Product**

Acute Toxicity (Oral): Not classified
Acute Toxicity (Dermal): Not classified
Acute Toxicity (Inhalation): Not classified
LD50 and LC50 Data: Not available
Skin Corrosion/Irritation: Not classified
Eye Damage/Irritation: Not classified

Respiratory or Skin Sensitization: Not classified

Germ Cell Mutagenicity: Not classified

Carcinogenicity: Not classified

Specific Target Organ Toxicity (Repeated Exposure): Not classified

Reproductive Toxicity: Not classified

Specific Target Organ Toxicity (Single Exposure): Not classified

Aspiration Hazard: Not classified

Symptoms/Injuries After Inhalation: Dust from this product may cause irritation to the respiratory tract.

**Symptoms/Injuries After Skin Contact:** Prolonged contact with large amounts of dust may cause mechanical irritation.

Symptoms/Injuries After Eye Contact: Eye contact with large amounts of dust may cause mechanical irritation.

Symptoms/Injuries After Ingestion: If a large quantity has been ingested: Gastrointestinal irritation.

Chronic Symptoms: None expected under normal conditions of use.

#### Information on Toxicological Effects - Ingredient(s)

LD50 and LC50 Data: Not available

### **SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**Toxicity** 

**Ecology - General:** Not classified. **Persistence and Degradability** 

# KRAFT PULP (BLEACHED) (65996-61-4)

Persistence and Degradability Not established

### **Bioaccumulative Potential**

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Bioaccumulative Potential Not established.

Mobility in Soil Not available

**Other Adverse Effects** 

Other Information: Avoid release to the environment.

# **SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

Waste Disposal Recommendations: Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local, regional, national, and international regulations

Ecology - Waste Materials: Avoid release to the environment.

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### **SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

In Accordance with DOTNot regulated for transportIn Accordance with IMDGNot regulated for transportIn Accordance with IATANot regulated for transportIn Accordance with TDGNot regulated for transport

## **SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION**

### **US Federal Regulations**

Bleached Kraft Pulp (65996-61-4)		
SARA Section 311/312 Hazard Classes	Fire hazard	
	Sudden release of pressure hazard	

All ingredients of this product are either listed on the TSCA inventory or are exempt from TSCA Inventory requirements under 40 CFR 720.30.

### **US State Regulations**

Neither this product nor its chemical components appear on any US state lists.

### **Canadian Regulations**

Pulp,	cellulose	(65996-61-4)
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Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)

# SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION, INCLUDING DATE OF PREPARATION OR LAST REVISION

**Revision Date** : 05/20/2019

Other Information : This document has been prepared in accordance with the SDS requirements of the OSHA

Hazard Communication Standard 29 CFR 1910.1200 and Canada's Hazardous Products

Regulations (HPR).

NFPA Health Hazard : 0 - Exposure under fire conditions would offer no hazard

beyond that of ordinary combustible materials.

NFPA Fire Hazard : 2 - Must be moderately heated or exposed to relatively

high temperature before ignition can occur.

NFPA Reactivity Hazard : 0 - Normally stable, even under fire exposure conditions,

and are not reactive with water.

**HMIS III Rating** 

**Health** : 0 Minimal Hazard - No significant risk to health

Flammability : 2 Moderate Hazard
Physical : 0 Minimal Hazard

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