

# **Safety Data Sheet**

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# 1. IDENTIFICATION

**Product Identifier** 

Product Name Walnut Shell Grit & Flour

Other means of identification

SDS# SPI-002-OSHA

Synonyms Ground Walnut Shell (All grades - Coarse, Medium and Fine)

Shelblast

Glufil (WF-7, WF-5 and WF-2)

Glufil AW.

English Walnut Shell (juglans regia)

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended Use For cosmetic use.

Uses Advised Against Walnut Shell, a tree nut product, may contain walnut proteins that have been known to

cause allergic reaction. Individuals with known or suspected allergies to walnuts or tree nuts

should be made aware of product contents prior to use, exposure, contact, and/or

inhalation.

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

**Supplier Address** 

Composition Materials Co., Inc. 249 Pepes Farm Road Milford, CT 06460

**Emergency Telephone Number** 

**Company Phone Number** 1-203-874-6500 **Emergency Telephone (24 hr)** 1-352-323-3500

# 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

**Appearance** Grit: Light brown granules

Flour: Light brown powder

Physical State Solid

Odor No odor

Classification

Combustible Dust

Signal Word Warning

**Hazard Statements** 

May form combustible dust concentrations in air

#### **Unknown Acute Toxicity**

100% of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity

### **Other Hazards**

Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.

Walnut Shell, a tree nut product, may contain walnut proteins that have been known to cause allergic reaction.

# 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Synonyms Ground Walnut Shell (All grades - Coarse, Medium and Fine)

Shelblast

Glufil (WF-7, WF-5 and WF-2)

Gulfil AW.

English Walnut Shell (juglans regia)

Chemical Name	CAS No	Weight-%
Natural Walnut Shell	84012-43-1	100

# 4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

#### **First Aid Measures**

**Eye Contact** Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water, also under the eyelids.

**Skin Contact** Wash with soap and water.

**Inhalation** Remove to fresh air. Seek medical attention if irritation persists.

**Ingestion** None under normal use conditions.

### Most important symptoms and effects

**Symptoms** Direct contact with eyes or skin may cause temporary irritation. Inhalation of dust may

cause mechanical irritation to the respiratory tract. Walnut Shell, a tree nut product, may

contain walnut proteins that have been known to cause allergic reaction.

### Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Notes to Physician Treat symptomatically.

**Specific Treatment** In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek immediate medical attention.

# 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

### **Suitable Extinguishing Media**

Water.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media Not determined.

# **Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical**

If improperly handled, stored, and/or exposed to an ignition source, this material may burn. Dust can form an explosive mixture with air

Hazardous Combustion Products None.

Sensitivity to Static Discharge AVOID GENERATING DUST. Fine dust dispersed in air, in sufficient concentrations, and in

the presence of an ignition source is a potential dust explosion hazard.

#### Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

# 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

#### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

**Personal Precautions** ELIMINATE all ignition sources (no smoking, flares, sparks or flames in immediate area).

**Environmental Precautions** Prevent from entering into soil, ditches, sewers, waterways and/or groundwater. See

Section 12, Ecological Information. See Section 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS.

### Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

**Methods for Containment** Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

Methods for Clean-Up Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. Spilled material can be a

slipping hazard. Avoid generating dust. Eliminate flames, sparks, excessive temperatures

and oxidizing agents. Use only non-sparking tools.

### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

### Precautions for safe handling

Advice on Safe Handling Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid contact with

eyes. Use only in well-ventilated areas. Avoid generation of dust. Ensure that dust does not

accumulate on surfaces.

#### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

**Storage Conditions** Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep in properly

labeled containers. Store away from heat, sparks, flame.

**Incompatible Materials** Oxidizing agents.

### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

US OSHA PEL (TWA) (mg/m³): 5 mg/m³ Respirable Fraction, 10 mg/m³ Total Dust **Exposure Guidelines** 

US ACGIH (TWA) (mg/m³): 5 mg/m³ Respirable Fraction, 15 mg/m³ Total Dust

### **Appropriate engineering controls**

**Engineering Controls** Provide local ventilation if dust is generated. Explosion-proof general and local exhaust

> ventilation. Use explosion proof electrical equipment for very high dust levels. Ensure ventilation and dust-handling systems prevent the escape of dust into work areas and there

is no leakage from equipment.

#### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

**Eye/Face Protection** Safety glasses. Goggles. Face protection shield.

**Skin and Body Protection** No special technical protective measures are necessary.

**Respiratory Protection** Nuisance dust mask 3M type 8710 or equivalent.

**General Hygiene Considerations** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the materials(s) involved, and take precautions to protect

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themselves.

# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

# Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical State Solid

Appearance Grit: Light brown granules Flour: Light Odor No odor

brown powder

Color Light brown Odor Threshold Not determined

<u>Property</u> <u>Values</u> <u>Remarks • Method</u>

**pH** 4-5

Melting Point/Freezing Point Not applicable **Boiling Point/Boiling Range** Not applicable 193 °C / 380 °F **Flash Point Evaporation Rate** Not applicable Flammability (Solid, Gas) Not determined **Upper Flammability Limits** Not determined **Lower Flammability Limit** Not determined **Vapor Pressure** Not applicable **Vapor Density** Not applicable

Specific Gravity 1.2-1.35 (1=Water)

Water Solubility

Solubility in other solvents

Partition Coefficient
Auto-ignition Temperature
Kinematic Viscosity

Not applicable
Not determined
243 °C / 470 °F
Not determined
Not determined
Not determined
Not determined
Not determined

**Explosive Properties**Dust can form an explosive mixture with air

Oxidizing Properties Not determined

# 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

#### Reactivity

Not reactive under normal conditions.

### **Chemical Stability**

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

### Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

None under normal processing.

**Hazardous Polymerization** Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

# **Conditions to Avoid**

Excessive heat. Ignition sources.

### **Incompatible Materials**

Oxidizing agents.

### **Hazardous Decomposition Products**

None known based on information supplied.

# 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

# Information on likely routes of exposure

**Product Information** Product does not present an acute toxicity hazard based on known or supplied information

**Eye Contact** Avoid contact with eyes.

**Skin Contact** Not normally considered a hazard.

Inhalation Avoid inhalation of dust.

Ingestion Not an expected route of exposure.

**Component Information** Not available

### Information on physical, chemical and toxicological effects

**Symptoms** Please see section 4 of this SDS for symptoms.

### Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Based on the information provided, this product does not contain any carcinogens or Carcinogenicity

potential carcinogens as listed by OSHA, IARC or NTP.

### Numerical measures of toxicity

100% of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity. **Unknown Acute Toxicity** 

### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### **Ecotoxicity**

The product is not expected to be hazardous to the environment.

**Component Information** Not available

# Persistence/Degradability

Not determined.

### Bioaccumulation

Not determined.

#### **Mobility**

Not determined

### **Other Adverse Effects**

Not determined

# 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

**Waste Treatment Methods** 

**Disposal of Wastes** Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and

regulations.

**Contaminated Packaging** Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and

regulations.

# 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Note Please see current shipping paper for most up to date shipping information, including

exemptions and special circumstances.

**DOT** Not regulated

IATA Not regulated

IMDG Not regulated

# 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

### **International Inventories**

Chemical Name	TSCA	DSL	NDSL	EINECS	ELINCS	ENCS	IECSC	KECL	PICCS	AICS
Natural Walnut Shell		Х		Present			Χ			Х

#### Legend:

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances

ENCS - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances

IECSC - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

KECL - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

# **US Federal Regulations**

# **SARA 313**

Not determined

# **US State Regulations**

# U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

Not determined

# **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

Refer to NFPA 654, Standard for the Prevention of Fire and Dust Explosions from the **Additional Product Information** 

Manufacturing, Processing, and Handling of Combustible Particulate Solids, for safe

handling.

NFPA **Health Hazards Flammability** Instability **Special Hazards** Not determined Not determined Not determined Not determined

**Physical Hazards Personal Protection Health Hazards Flammability HMIS** Not determined Not determined Not determined Not determined

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