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Effective Date: 8/01/97
Product Name: Bismuth Subsalicylate
CAS No.: 14887-18-9

Hazardous Ingredients:

OSHA/PEL: None

ACSIH/PEL: None

Physical Data:

Physical Form:	White powder
Melting point (range) Approx.:	Not Found
Boiling point:	N/A
Specific Gravity (Water=1):	3.058
Solubility in water:	Practically insoluble in water. Decomposes in boiling water.
Odor:	None
Bulk Tap density:	0.43 +/- 0.10 g/cc (26.8 +/- 6.2 lb/ft ³)

Fire and Explosion Information:

Extinguishing media to be recommended:

Does not burn. Use any suitable means to extinguish surrounding fire.

Reactivity Data:

Stable X

Unstable

Hazardous Decomposition: Thermal decomposition may produce toxic and irritating fumes.

Incompatibilities: Strong oxidizing agents

Handling and Storage Information:

Decomposes with alkalis. Discolors in light.

Leak/Spill Information:

Vacuum or sweep material. Avoid dust formation.

Disposal Information:

state,

Dispose in closed containers in accordance with all applicable federal, and local environmental regulations.

Health Hazard Information:

A. Exposure/Health Effects:

This product may cause eye, skin and upper respiratory tract irritation. If solubilized in gastric juices, insoluble bismuth compounds may affect the kidneys. However, there is no evidence of industrial poisoning.

Chronic Exposures:

No information found relating to normal occupational exposures

B. First Aid:

Inhalation:

Move the exposed person to fresh air. Get medical attention.

Ingestion:

If swallowed and the person is conscious, immediately give large amounts of water to drink, induce vomiting. Get medical attention.

Skin Contact:

Immediately wash with plenty of soap and water. Remove contaminated clothing. Not a route of entry

Eye Contact:
medical

Immediately flush with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, keep lids open. Get attention.

Occupational Control Measures:

Ventilation Systems:

None required where adequate ventilation exist. If airborne concentration is high, use a

Skin Protection: NIOSH/MSHA approved respirator or dust mask.
Eye Protection: Impervious gloves recommended. Wear suitable clothing.
Special Protection: Safety goggles recommended
Safety showers and eyewashes. Good housekeeping procedures should be followed to minimize dust.
