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#### 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

**Product identifier** 

Product Name HIR Rod , Topstick

Other means of identification

Product Code(s) HIR Rod, Topstick

Synonyms None

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use Proprietary- Polyester rods and Topstick

Uses advised against No information available

Details on the supplier of the safety data sheet

Supplier Name Röchling Glastic Composites, Inc.

Supplier Address 4321 Glenridge Road

Cleveland, Ohio 44121-2189

Supplier Phone Number (216) 486-0100

**Emergency Phone number** (216) 486-0100 (8am to 5pm)

Chemical Emergency Phone Number (216) 906 (24 hours)

#### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

## **Classification**

In its manufactured and shipped state, the product is considered Non-Hazardous, processing, however, may generate dust and particulate matter.

GHS Information	Not classified as a hazardous substance.
Hazard Statement (USA)	Not classified as a hazardous substance.
Hazard Statement (EU)	Not classified as a hazardous substance.
Signal Word	Not Applicable
Hazard Pictogram	Not Applicable
Other Labeling	Not Applicable
Requirements	

SAFETY DATA SHEET



#### **Emergency Overview**

Product is non pigmented custom profile. Dust generated from processing may cause irritation of eyes, skin, mucous membranes, and respiratory tract. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment. Keep individuals not involved in the clean-up out of the area. Pick up released product with appropriate implements and return to original container if reusable. If not reusable, place in appropriate containers for disposal. Although the product itself is non-hazardous, material collected during clean-up operations may be contaminated and should be treated as hazardous unless specific testing, including TCLP, shows the collected material to be non-hazardous. Product is not expected to present an environmental hazard.

#### **Precautionary Statements – Prevention**

Wear appropriate personal protective equipment to avoid breathing dusts and particulate matter that may be generated during processing or handling. Dusts and particulate matter may cause irritation of the eyes, skin, mucous membranes and respiratory tract. Wear appropriate personal protective clothing and gloves. Provide adequate ventilation for all operations.

# <u>Precautionary Statements - Response</u>

Keep individuals not involved in the clean-up of dusts out of the area.

# <u>Precautionary Statements – Storage</u>

Pick up released product and dust with appropriate implements and return to original container if reusable. If not reusable, place in appropriate containers for disposal.

## **Precautionary Statements – Disposal**

As supplied product is nonhazardous. It should be disposed of in an EPA approved landfill in accordance with all local, state, and federal regulations. Pick up released product with appropriate implements and return to original container if reusable. If not reusable, place in appropriate containers for disposal. Proprietary polymerized mixture of unsaturated polyester resins, metal carbonates, fiberglass, and pigments. Contact Röchling Corporation for the pigments in a specific product, specifying the part number. Released product and dusts should be tested with applicable methods including TCLP to determine disposal requirements.

# **Hazardous not otherwise classified (HNOC)**

Not Applicable

#### **Unknown Toxicity**

0% of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity.



# **Potential Health Effects**

**Eye Contact:** Dusts and particulates may cause irritation of the eyes.

**Skin Contact:** Dusts and particulates may cause irritation of the skin and dermatitis from prolonged

exposures.

Skin

Absorption: Not known to be absorbed through the intact skin.

Ingestion: Not expected to be an important route of entry into the body. Ingestion of large

quantities of the product dusts or particulates may cause gastric discomfort or distress. Pre-existing kidney and liver conditions maybe aggravated by prolonged

exposures to components of the product.

Dusts or particulates may cause irritation of the mucous membranes and respiratory

**Inhalation:** tract. Pre-existing lung conditions maybe aggravated by prolonged exposures to

components of the product.

#### **Interactions with Other Chemicals**

No information available.

# **Other Information**

N/A

#### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Proprietary Polymerized Mixture of Unsaturated Polyester Resins, Fiberglass, and processing aids.

#### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

# Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

#### For Released Product and Dust:

Remove exposed person to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, oxygen may be

Inhalation: administered. If breathing has stopped, artificial respiration should be started

immediately. Seek medical attention.

Eyes: Flush with tepid water for at least 20 minutes, holding the eyelids wide open. Seek

medical attention if irritation develops.

Skin: Wash thoroughly with mild soap and water. Seek medical attention if irritation develops.

Remove any contaminated clothing and launder thoroughly before reuse.



**Ingestion:** Not expected to be an important route of entry into the body. If large amounts of product

dusts or particulates are ingested, seek medical attention.

Notes to Chronic and Carcinogenicity: Prolonged exposure to dusts or particulates may cause dermatitis. Pre-existing skin, lung, kidney and liver conditions may be aggravated by

exposure to the components of the product.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES		
Suitable Extinguishing Media	Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment. Product will not burn. Material in or near fires should be cooled with a water spray or fog if compatible with fire-fighting techniques for the other materials involved in the fire. A self-contained breathing apparatus, operating in the positive-pressure mode, and full fire-fighting gear should be worn for combating fires.	
Unsuitable Extinguishing Media	Do not use a heavy water stream. Use of heavy stream of water may spread fire.	
	<b>Fire:</b> Product is not flammable. Small chips, turnings, dust and fines from processing may produce a class ST-1 combustible dust.	
Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical	<b>Explosion:</b> Product itself is not explosive but if dust is generated, dust clouds suspended in air can be explosive.	
	Reactivity: Hazardous reactions will not occur under normal conditions.	
Hazardous Combustion Products	Do not store with or near incompatible materials cited in Section 10. Extreme heat and fire may result in dense smoke, Carbon dioxide (CO2), Carbon Monoxide (CO), oxides of nitrogen, and low molecular weight organic species whose composition and toxicity has not been determined. Good housekeeping and engineering practices should be employed to prevent the generation and accumulation of dusts. Wet mopping or vacuuming is recommended to clean up any dusts that may be generated during handling and processing.	
Explosion Data	Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact: No Sensitivity to Static Discharge: No	
	Constitute to Statio Bisoriarge.	
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**

# Person precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Engineering Controls	Pick up released product with appropriate implements and return to original container if reusable. If not reusable, place in appropriate containers for disposal. Not normally required under normal and expected conditions of use. If significant amounts of dust are generated during processing, the operation should be evaluated by a professional industrial hygienist and local exhaust ventilation provided if deemed necessary. Local exhaust ventilation systems should be designed by a professional engineer.	
	Respiratory Protection: is not normally required under normal and expected conditions of use. If significant amounts of dust are generated during processing, the operation should be evaluated by a professional industrial hygienist and appropriate respiratory protection used If deemed necessary. All use of respiratory protections should be in accordance with the provisions of OSHA's Respiratory Protection Standard, 29 CFR 1910.134.	
Personal Precautions	Eye Protection: Safety glasses with side-shields are recommended for all operations.	
	Protective Gloves: Polymeric or cloth gloves are recommended to prevent possible irritation.	
	A polymeric coated apron or other body covering is recommended where regular work clothing may become contaminated with the product. All soiled or dirty clothing and personal protective equipment should be thoroughly cleaned before reuse.	
Environmental Precautions	Although the product itself is non-hazardous, materials collected during clean-up operations may be contaminated and should be treated as hazardous unless specific testing, including TCLP, shows the collected materials to be non-hazardous.	
Methods and material for containment and cleaning up		
Methods for Containment	Product is solid material. Contain spills of dusts with appropriate barriers to prevent migration and entry into sewers and surface waters.	
Methods for cleaning up	Pick up released product with appropriate implements and return to original container if reusable. If not reusable, place in appropriate containers for disposal. Appropriate personal protective equipment cited above and in Section 8 should be worn during all clean-up operations.  Although the product itself is non-hazardous, materials collected during clean-up operations may be contaminated and should be treated as hazardous unless specific testing, including TCLP, shows the collected materials to be non-hazardous.	



## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions For Safe

**Handling** 

Do not store with or near incompatible materials cited in Section 10. Store

out of contact with the elements.

**Handling** Appropriate personal protective equipment cited in Section 6 should be

worn during handling. Good housekeeping and engineering practices should be employed to prevent the generation and accumulation of dusts. Wet mopping or vacuuming is recommended to clean up any dusts that may be

generated during handling and processing. Wash hands and face

thoroughly before eating, drinking, or smoking.

# Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

**Storage** Store out of contact with the elements.

**Incompatible Products** None known based on information supplied.

#### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

## **Control parameters**

**Exposure Guidelines** This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with

occupational exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory

bodies

#### Appropriate engineering controls

**Engineering Measures** Not normally required under normal and expected conditions of use. If

significant amounts of dust are generated during processing, the operation should be evaluated by a professional industrial hygienist and local exhaust ventilation provided if deemed necessary. Local exhaust ventilation systems

should be designed by a professional engineer.

## Individual Protection measures, Such as personal protection equipment

**Eye/Face Protection** Safety glasses with side shields are recommended for all operations.

**Skin and Body Protection** Protective gloves: Cloth or Polymeric gloves are recommended to prevent

possible irritation. General: A polymeric coated apron or other body covering is recommended where regular work clothing may become contaminated

with the product. All soiled or dirty clothing and personal protective

equipment should be thoroughly cleaned before reuse.



**Respiratory Protection** Not normally required under normal and expected conditions of use. If

significant amounts of dust are generated during processing, the operation should be evaluated by a professional industrial hygienist and appropriate respiratory protection used, if deemed necessary. All use of respiratory protections should be in accordance with the provisions of OSHA'S

Respiratory Protection Standard, 29 CFR 1910.134.

**Hygiene Measures** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

A polymeric coated apron or other body covering is recommended where regular work clothing may become contaminated with the product. All soiled or dirty clothing and personal protective equipment should be thoroughly

cleaned before reuse.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

APPEARANCE AND PHYSICAL STATE: OCTANOL/WATER PARTITIONCOEFFICIENT:

Solid rods and profiles ND

VAPOR DENSITY (AIR =1): MELT POINT:

NA ND

VAPOR PRESSURE: EVAPORATION RATE (BUTYL ACETATE = 1):

NA NA

ODOR: SPECIFIC GRAVITY/BULK DENSITY:

None 1.7 - 2.2 g/cc

% VOLATILE BY VOLUME: BOILING POINT:

Not Volatile ND
% SOLUBILITY (H20): pH:
<1

OTHER: Auto Ignition Temperature:

NA NA

FLASH POINT: LEL: UEL: NA NA NA

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

#### Reactivity

Hazardous reactions will not occur under normal conditions

# Chemical stability

Product is stable under recommended handling and storage conditions...

#### **Possibility of Hazardous Reactions**

Hazardous reactions and polymerization will not occur.

# **Conditions to Avoid**

Do not store with or near strong acids or bases or strong oxidizing or reducing agents; avoid generation of airborne dust or excessive dust accumulation.



# Incompatibility materials

Do not store with or near strong acids or bases or strong oxidizing or reducing agents, as these materials may damage product.

# **Hazardous Decompositions Products**

Thermal decomposition may produce dense smoke, oxides of carbon, nitrogen, and low molecular weight organic species whose composition and toxicity has not been determined.

#### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

# Information on likely routes of exposure:

**Product information** Not classified for acute or chronic toxicity or carcinogenicity.

**Inhalation** Dust from this product may cause irritation to the mucous membranes and

respiratory tract.

**Eye Contact** Eye contact with dust from product may cause mechanical irritation.

**Skin Contact** Prolonged direct contact with dust may cause mechanical irritation and

dermatitis.

**Chronic Symptoms** This product contains polymers which bind the hazardous components and

make inhalation unlikely. If fine dust should be produced, chronic inhalation may cause; reduced lung function, and inflammation. Ingestion of large quantities of the product dusts or particulates may cause gastric discomfort or distress. Pre-existing kidney and liver conditions maybe aggravated by

prolonged exposures to ingested components of the product.

# 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Ecotoxicity** Detailed studies on the environmental fate of the product have not been

conducted. The product is, however, not expected to present a hazard

to aquatic and terrestrial flora and fauna.

**Persistence and Degradability** No information available.

**Bioaccumulation** No information available.

Other adverse effects No information available.

#### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

## **Waste Treatment Methods**

As supplied, product is considered non-hazardous. It should be disposed of in an approved landfill in accordance with all local, state, and federal regulations. If processed used or dust waste product is disposed



of, testing, including TCLP, should be conducted to determine hazard characteristics.

# **Disposal methods**

As supplied, product is considered non-hazardous. It should be disposed of in an approved landfill in accordance with all local, state, and federal regulations. If processed used or dust waste product is disposed of, testing, including TCLP, should be conducted to determine hazard characteristics.

# **Contaminated Packaging**

No information available

#### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

In accordance with DOT:

Not regulated for transport

#### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

**U.S. TSCA Inventory**All ingredients are on the inventory or are exempt from listing.

SARA Section 313 This product typically does not contain any compounds which are

reportable under section 313 of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986. The white, gray, and tan colors of the product can contain up to 2.2% zinc compounds which are reportable under Section 313 of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986. Contact Röchling with the part number to obtain the exact

percentage.

**OSHA Hazard Communication** 

**Categories** 

Irritant, Lung Hazard, Skin Hazard, Kidney Hazard, Liver Hazard, and

Potential Carcinogen (if black, brown or grey).

SARA Hazard Categories Not Hazardous as supplied, In use Potential Chronic Hazard

California Proposition 65 This product is not listed and does not contain chemicals listed in the

State of California to cause cancer or reproductive toxicity.

CANADA – WHMIS Non-hazardous.

Classification This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria

of the Controlled Products Regulations and the SDS contains all the

Information required by the Controlled Products Regulations.

European Regulations This product complies with the RoHS Directive 2011/65/EU, RoHS

Directive 2015/863/EU, and WEEE requirements under Directive

2012/19/EU.





#### **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

**Not Est**. = Not Established; **NA** = Not Applicable; **ND** = Not Determined

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