



### Section 1 - Product and Company Identification

Material Name - Milled Barley Products including Sustagrain ® products

Chemical Category - Food Ingredient

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#### Section 2 - Hazards Identification

# Emergency Overview WARNING

#### May form combustible dust concentrations in air (during processing).

**Prevention** - Avoid generating fine dust dispersed in air in sufficient concentrations, and in the

presence of an ignition source

**Response** - When responding to explosion or any subsequent fire, DO NOT use high pressure

extinguishing agent as this may spread the dust and may create an additional ignitable

dust cloud.

**Storage/Disposal** - Dispose of content and/or container in accordance with local, regional, national, and/or

international regulations.

**Potential Health Effects** 

**Eyes** – Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation

Skin - None known.

**Inhalation** – Dust may irritate the respiratory system.

**Ingestion** – Expected to be a low ingestion hazard.

**Chronic Effects** - May cause allergic reaction in persons sensitive to wheat proteins.

**Environmental Effects** - Not expected to be harmful to aquatic organisms.

**Physical Descriptions** 

Form - Solid

Color - Yellowish

Odor - No data available

Flash Point - Not relevant

WHMIS - Other Toxic Effects - D2A

EU - Sensitizer - R42

**GHS** - Specific Target Organ Toxicity Single Exposure – Category 3; Respiratory Tract Irritation, Skin Corrosion/Irritation – Category 3; Serious Eye Damage, Eye Irritation – Category 2B; Respiratory Sensitizer – Category 1





#### **Potential Health Effects**

#### Inhalation

Acute (immediate) - May cause irritation

Chronic (delayed) – According to ACGIH, repeated and prolonged exposure to wheat flour may cause lung effects referred to as "Baker's Lungs" or allergic sensitization resulting in what is referred to as "Baker's Asthma".

#### Skin

Acute (immediate) – Under normal conditions of use, no health effects are expected. Chronic (delayed) – Under normal conditions of use, no health effects are expected.

#### Eye

Acute (immediate) - May cause irritation

Chronic (delayed) - Under normal conditions of use, no chronic effects are expected.

#### Ingestion

Acute (immediate) – No effects are expected for most people. Listed as food allergen. Chronic (delayed) – Under normal conditions of use, no chronic effects are expected.

### Section 3 - Composition/Information on Ingredients

Hazardous Components							
Chemical Name	Identifiers	%(weight)	LD50/LC50	Classifications According to Regulation/Directive	Comments		
Barley flour	NDA	100%	NDA				

#### Section 4 - First Aid Measures

**Inhalation** - Get medical attention if symptoms occur. Remove to fresh air.

**Skin** - No data available.

**Eye** - Get medical attention if symptoms occur. If contact with eyes directly, flush with gently

flowing fresh water thoroughly.

**Ingestion** - Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

### Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures

**Extinguishing Media Unsuitable Extinguishing Media** 

Firefighting Procedures

- Dry chemical, CO2, foam or water fog.

- High pressure water spray may cause a combustible dust cloud.

- FIRES INVOLVING TANKS OR CAR/TRAILER LOADS: ALWAYS stay away from tanks engulfed in fire. LARGE FIRES: Move containers from fire execution accomplish without risk.

fire area if can accomplish without risk.

**Unusual Fire & Explosion Hazards** 

- Fine dust (typically less than 420 microns) associated with this product may represent a combustible dust hazard. Ignition energy (Kst value) vary with particle size.

Hazardous Combustion Products

**Protection of Firefighters** 

Flash Point Explosion Limits - None known

- Wear positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA).

- Not relevant.

**Upper** - Not relevant

Lower - Approx 50 gr/m3 (0.50 oz/cu ft)

Auto-Ignition Temperature - 390 to 500° F (199 to 260° C)

#### Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

Personal Precautions
Emergency Procedures
Environmental Precautions
Containment/Clean-up Measures

- No data available.
- Keep unauthorized personnel away.
- Avoid run off to waterways and sewers.
- Carefully shovel or sweep up spilled material and place in suitable container. Use appropriate Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)

### Section 7 - Handling and Storage

Handling

- Follow good manufacturing practices when handling this product. Minimize dust generation and accumulation. Routine housekeeping should be instituted to ensure that dusts do not accumulate on surfaces. Dry powders can build static electricity charges when subjected to the friction of transfer and mixing operations. Provide adequate precautions, such as electrical grounding and bonding, or inert atmospheres. Refer to NFPA 61: Standard for the Prevention of Fires and Dust Explosions in the Agricultural and Food

Storage
Special Packaging Materials
Incompatible Materials or
Ignition Sources

No data available.None required.

**Processing Facilities** 

- None known.

### Section 8 - Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

**Personal Protective Equipment** 

Respiratory

- Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or the European Standard EN 149. Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator is exposure limits are exceeded or symptoms are experienced.

Eye/Face Hands Skin/Body Protective safety glasses recommended.No data available.

Skin/Body Separal Industrial Hygian - None required for normal handling.

General Industrial Hygiene

Considerations

- Persons who handle grain products must follow good hygienic practices (i.e. wash frequently, and wear clean clothing)

**Engineering Measures/Controls** 

- Adequate ventilation systems as needed to control concentrations of airborne contaminants below applicable threshold limit values.

Exposure Limits/Guidelines								
	Result	ACGIH	United States - California					
Milled Wheat Products as	TWAs	0.5 mg/m3 TWA (inhalable fraction)	0.5 mg/m3 PEL					
Flour dust		as Flour dust	as Flour dust					

#### **Exposure Control Notations**

ACGIH - Milled Wheat Products as Flour dust: Sensitizers

#### **Exposure Limits Supplemental**

ACGIH – Milled Wheat Products as Flour dust: TLV Basis – Critical Effects: (asthma, bronchitis, upper respiratory tract irritation)

#### **Environmental Exposure Controls**

No data available

## **Section 9 – Physical and Chemical Properties**

Material Description								
Physical Form	Solid	Appearance/Description	No data available.					
Color	Yellowish.	Odor	Barley.					
Taste	No data available.	Particulate Type	Not relevant					
Particulate Size	Not relevant	Aerosol Type	Not relevant					
Odor Threshold	Not relevant	Physical and Chemical Properties	Not relevant					
General Properties								
<b>Boiling Point</b>	Not relevant	Melting Point	Not relevant					
Decomposition Temperature	Not relevant	Heat of Decomposition	Not relevant					
рН	Not relevant	Specific Gravity/Relative Density	Not relevant					
Density	Not relevant	Bulk Density	Not relevant					
Water Solubility	Not relevant	Solvent Solubility	Not relevant					
Viscosity	Not relevant							
Volatility								
Vapor Pressure	Not relevant	Vapor Density	Not relevant					
Evaporation Rate	Not relevant	VOC (Wt.)	Not relevant					
VOC (Vol.)	Not relevant	Volatiles (Wt.)	Not relevant					
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Flammability								
Flash Point	Not relevant	UEL	Not relevant					
LEL	Not relevant	Auto-Ignition	390 to 500 F(199 to 260 C)					
Self-Accelerating Decomposition Temperature (SADT)	Not relevant	Heat of Combustion (ΔHc)	Not relevant					
Burning Time	Not relevant	Flame Duration	Not relevant					
Flame Height	Not relevant	Flame Extension	Not relevant					
Ignition Distance	Not relevant							
Environmental								
Half-Life	Not relevant	Octanol/Water Partition coefficient	Not relevant					
Coefficient of water/oil distribution	Not relevant	Bioaccumulation Factor	Not relevant					
Bioconcentration Factor	Not relevant	Biochemical Oxygen Demand BOD/BOD5	Not relevant					
Chemical Oxygen Demand	Not relevant	Persistence	Not relevant					
Degradation	Not relevant							

#### Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

Stability

- Stable when kept dry under normal temperatures and pressures.

Hazardous Polymerization Conditions to Avoid Incompatible Materials Hazardous polymerization will not occur.High humidity and/or wet conditions.

Hazardous Decomposition Products - None known.

- None known

### Section 11 – Toxicological Information

Other Information

- This product has not been tested as a separate entity. No specific toxicological data is available for the ingredients.

### Section 12 - Ecological Information

Ecological Fate- No data availablePersistence/Degradability- No data availableBioaccumulation Potential- No data availableMobility in Soil- No data available

Other Information - Product has not been studied as distributed

#### Section 13 - Disposal Considerations

**Product** 

- Dispose of content and/or container in accordance with local, regional, national, and/or international regulations.

### Section 14 – Transportation Information

DOT IATA Not regulated as a hazardous material.Not regulated as a dangerous good.

### Section 15 - Regulatory Information

Not any known regulatory list for hazardous materials.

#### Section 16 - Other Information

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