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# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

(ACCORDING TO DIRECTIVE 91/155/EEC)

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

### 1.1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION

PANGEL HV, PANGEL S-15, PANGEL S-9, PANGEL FF, PANGEL C-150, PANSIL, PANSIL 2, PANSIL 100, PANSIL 400, SEPIOLITE 4/7, SEPIOLITE 6/15, SEPIOLITE 6/30, SEPIOLITE 15/30, SEPIOLITE 16/35, SEPIOLITE 30/60, SEPIOLITE 60/120, SEPITOL ABSORBENT 615, SEPITOL ABSORBENT 3060, SEPITOL ABSORBENT 3060, SEPITOL ABSORBENT 60120, SEPIOLITE-100, EXAL, EXAL-H, EXAL 30/60, EXAGEL, CRUDE ORE, SEPIOLITE-20, PANGEL S-9 (FRICTION)

### 1.2. COMPANY/UNDERTAKING IDENTIFICATION

TOLSA, S.A. NUÑEZ DE BALBOA, 51 MADRID 28001, SPAIN 91-3220100

# 1.3. EMERGENCY TELEPHONE NUMBER

91-3220110

## 2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

# 2.1. COMPOSITION

Common Name: Sepiolite

Chemical Name: Hydrated magnesium silicate

Formula:  $Si_{12}Mg_8O_{30}(OH)_4(OH_2)_4.8H_2O$ 

**Product CAS**: 63800-37-3

### 3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

This product can generate nuisance dust.

INGREDIENTPEL-OSHATLV-ACGIHHydrated magnesium silicate15 mg/m³10 mg/m³Total dustTotal dust

5 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

Respirable fraction



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### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

**EYE CONTACT:** Flush eyes with plenty of water. If irritation persists seek medical advice.

**SKIN CONTACT:** Procedures normally not needed.

**INHALATION:** Move to fresh air.

**INGESTION:** Procedures normally not needed.

### 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Sepiolite is a clay mineral product and it will not burn.

No special fire fighting procedures are needed for sepiolite products.

#### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Sweep up accidental spillages by using equipment such as a vacuum cleaner to avoid generating dust, and store in closed containers prior to disposal.

### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

### 7.1. HANDLING

Avoid generating dust in handling. Use with adequate ventilation to maintain dust levels below PEL and TLV. Use approved dust mask if exposure exceeds TLV.

### 7.2. STORAGE

Store in dry conditions.

# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### 8.1. VENTILATION

General or local exhaust ventilation sufficient to maintain dust levels below PEL and TLV.

# **8.2. RESPIRATORY PROTECTION**

Dust masks.

# 8.3. HAND PROTECTION

Not required.

### **8.4. EYE PROTECTION**

Recommended safety goggles, but not required.

# **8.5. SKIN PROTECTION**

Not required.

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# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

**METHOD** 

9.1. FORM: Granules, or powder

9.2. COLOUR: Light-cream

9.3. ODOUR: Odorless

**9.4.** pH-VALUE:  $8.5 \pm 0.5$  (100 g/l H<sub>2</sub>O, 20° C)

9.5. MELTING POINT: 1.550° C

9.6. BOILING POINT: Not applicable

9.7. FLASH POINT: Not applicable

9.8. FLAMMABILITY: Non flammable

9.9. AUTOFLAMMABILITY: Not applicable

9.10. EXPLOSIVE PROPERTIES: Not applicable

9.11. VAPOUR PRESSURE: Not applicable

9.12. RELATIVE DENSITY: 2,1 ( $H_2O = 1$ )

9.13. SOLUBILITY

a) WATER SOLUBILITY: Insolubleb) FAT SOLUBILITY: Insoluble

9.14. PARTITION COEFFICIENT: Not applicable

9.15. FURTHER DATA

a) THERMAL DECOMPOSITION: Not applicable

### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Generally considered stable.

# 10.1. CONDITIONS TO AVOID

None expected.

# 10.2. MATERIALS TO AVOID

None expected.

### 10.3. HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS

No hazardous decomposition or by-products are expected.

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## 11. TOXICOLOGY INFORMATION

### 11.1 ROUTES OF ENTRY

Eyes? NO Skin? NO Inhalation? YES Ingestion? NO

## 11.2. EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE

EYE CONTACT: May cause mechanical irritation if exposed to large amounts of dust.

SKIN CONTACT: No adverse effects expected.

INHALATION: May cause irritation of the respiratory tract.

INGESTION: No adverse effects expected.

### 11.3. CARCINOGENICITY

IARC has determinated that there is no data of evidence of carcinogenicity to humans and inadequate evidence of carcinogenicity to experimental animals (Class 3).

The epidemiological studies as well as the in vitro and in vivo studies on sepiolite produced by TOLSA have demonstrated no carcinogenic effects.

### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Sepiolita is a naturally occurring clay mineral with no adverse effects on the environment.

The manufacture of these sepiolite-based products does not produce polluting wastes and does not alter the environment.

### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATION

This material does not require special disposal method. However spent material may be contaminated with the absorbed products and may require special disposal methods. Consult with appropriate regulatory authorities.

# 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

- 14.1. GGVSee/IMDG CODE
- 14.2. GGVE/GGVS
- 14.3. UN No.
- 14.4. RID/ADR
- 14.5. ICAO/IATA-DGR
- 14.6. ADNR

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15. REGULATORY INFORMATION
Refer to point 3 for TLV and PEL. Other national regulations for sepiolite, nuisance dust or particles not otherwise classified (PNOC) may be applicable.
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