# **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)

Gulfil AW.

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

**Recommended Use** For industrial use.

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Supplier Address ShellPro, Inc. P.O. Box 2680 Lodi, CA 95241

**Emergency Telephone Number** 

**Company Phone Number** 1-209-727-0707 **Emergency Telephone (24 hr)** 1-209-727-0707

# 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Appearance Grit: Light brown granules Physical State Solid Odor No odor

Flour: Light brown powder

Classification

Combustible Dust

Signal Word Warning

**Hazard Statements** 

May form combustible dust concentrations in air

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#### **Unknown Acute Toxicity**

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

## 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.

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** May cause mechanical eye irritation. Inhalation of dust may cause mechanical irritation to

the respiratory tract.

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

**Notes to Physician** Treat symptomatically.

#### 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

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 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.

# 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

Property Values Remarks • Method

**pH** 4-5

**Melting Point/Freezing Point** Not applicable **Boiling Point/Boiling Range** Not applicable Flash Point 193 °C / 380 °F Not applicable **Evaporation Rate** 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

Decomposition Temperature

Kinematic Viscosity

Not applicable

Not determined

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.

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**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

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

potential carcinogens as listed by OSHA, IARC or NTP.

#### **Numerical measures of toxicity**

Not determined

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

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

exemptions and special circumstances.

**DOT** Not regulated

IATA Not regulated

<u>IMDG</u> Not regulated

# 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

## International Inventories

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

#### 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** 

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

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

handling.

NFPA Health Hazards

Not determined

Health Hazards

Not determined

Flammability
Not determined
Flammability
Not determined

Instability
Not determined
Physical Hazards
Not determined

Special Hazards
Not determined
Personal Protection
Not determined

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