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MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

DEXTRAN
AV. Mol. wt. 50000
MSDS CAS: 9004-54-0

Section 1: Chemical Product and Company Identification

Section 1: Chemical Product
Product Name: DEXTRAN
CAS#: 9004-54-0
Synonym: Not applicable.
Chemical Name: Dextran
Chemical Formula: $(C_6H_{10}O_5)n+1$

Brand: OXFORD

Details Of The Supplier Of The Safety Data Sheet :

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Section 2: Composition and Information on Ingredients

Composition:

Name	CAS NO.	% by Weight
Dextran 50,000	9004-54-0	100

Toxicological Data on Ingredients: Not available.

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Section 3: Hazards Identification

Potential Acute Health Effects:
Slightly hazardous in case of skin contact (irritant), of eye contact (irritant), of ingestion, of inhalation.

Potential Chronic Health Effects:
CARCINOGENIC EFFECTS: Not available. MUTAGENIC EFFECTS: Not available. TERATOGENIC EFFECTS: Not available. DEVELOPMENTAL TOXICITY: Not available. Repeated or prolonged exposure is not known to aggravate medical condition.

Section 4: First Aid Measures

Eye Contact:
Check for and remove any contact lenses. In case of contact, immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Cold water may be used. Get medical attention if irritation occurs.

Skin Contact:
Wash with soap and water. Cover the irritated skin with an emollient. Get medical attention if irritation develops. Cold water may be used.

Serious Skin Contact: Not available.

Inhalation:
If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.

Serious Inhalation: Not available.

Ingestion:
Do NOT induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If large quantities of this material are swallowed, call a physician immediately. Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband.

Serious Ingestion: Not available.

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Section 5: Fire and Explosion Data

Flammability of the Product: May be combustible at high temperature.

Auto-Ignition Temperature: Not available.

Flash Points: Not available.

Flammable Limits: Not available.

Products of Combustion: These products are carbon oxides (CO, CO2).

Fire Hazards in Presence of Various Substances:
Slightly flammable to flammable in presence of heat. Non-flammable in presence of shocks.

Explosion Hazards in Presence of Various Substances:
Slightly explosive in presence of open flames and sparks. Non-explosive in presence of shocks.

Fire Fighting Media and Instructions:
SMALL FIRE: Use DRY chemical powder.
LARGE FIRE: Use water spray, fog or foam. Do not use water jet.

Special Remarks on Fire Hazards:
As with most organic solids, fire is possible at elevated temperatures.

Special Remarks on Explosion Hazards:
Fine dust dispersed in air in sufficient concentrations, and in the presence of an ignition source is a potential dust explosion hazard.

Section 6: Accidental Release Measures

Small Spill:
Use appropriate tools to put the spilled solid in a convenient waste disposal container. Finish cleaning by spreading water on the contaminated surface and dispose of according to local and regional authority requirements.

Large Spill:
Use a shovel to put the material into a convenient waste disposal container. Finish cleaning by spreading water on the contaminated surface and allow to evacuate through the sanitary system.

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Section 7: Handling and Storage

Precautions:
Keep away from heat. Keep away from sources of ignition. Ground all equipment containing material. Do not breathe dust. Keep away from incompatibles such as oxidizing agents.

Storage:
Keep container tightly closed. Keep container in a cool, well-ventilated area.

Section 8: Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Engineering Controls:
Use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to keep airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If user operations generate dust, fume or mist, use ventilation to keep exposure to airborne contaminants below the exposure limit.

Personal Protection:
Safety glasses. Lab coat. Dust respirator. Be sure to use an approved/certified respirator or equivalent. Gloves.

Personal Protection in Case of a Large Spill:
Splash goggles. Full suit. Dust respirator. Boots. Gloves. A self contained breathing apparatus should be used to avoid inhalation of the product. Suggested protective clothing might not be sufficient; consult a specialist BEFORE handling this product.

Exposure Limits: **Not Available.**

Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

Physical state and appearance: **Solid. (Powdered solid.)**

Odor	**: Phenolic-like. (Slight.)**
Taste	**: Not available.**
Molecular Weight	**: 50000 g/mole**
Color	**: White. Slightly off-white.**
pH (1% soln/water)	**: Not applicable.**
Boiling Point	**: Not available.**

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Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties (Continued)

Melting Point	**: Not available.**
Critical Temperature	**: Not applicable.**
Specific Gravity	**: Not available.**
Vapor Pressure	**: Not applicable.**
Vapor Density	**: Not applicable.**
Volatility	**: Not available.**
Odor Threshold	**: Not available.**
Water/Oil Dist. Coeff.	**: Not available.**
Ionicity (in Water)	**: Not available.**
Dispersion Properties	**: See solubility in water.**
Solubility	**: Easily soluble in cold water. Fully soluble at low concentrations. It will dissolve At higher concentrations with warming.**

Section 10: Stability and Reactivity Data

Stability: **The product is stable.**

Instability Temperature: **Not available.**

Conditions of Instability: **Excess heat, dust generation, incompatible materials.**

Incompatibility with various substances: **Reactive with oxidizing agents.**

Corrosivity: **Non-corrosive in presence of glass.**

Special Remarks on Reactivity: **Not available.**

Special Remarks on Corrosivity: **Not available.**

Polymerization: **Will not occur.**

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Section 11: Toxicological Information

Routes of Entry: **Inhalation. Ingestion.**

Toxicity to Animals: **LD50: Not available. LC50: Not available.**

Chronic Effects on Humans: **Not available.**

Other Toxic Effects on Humans:
Slightly hazardous in case of skin contact (irritant), of ingestion, of inhalation.

Special Remarks on Toxicity to Animals: **Not available.**

Special Remarks on Chronic Effects on Humans: **Not available.**

Special Remarks on other Toxic Effects on Humans:
Acute Potential Health Effects: Skin: May cause skin irritation. Eyes: May cause eye irritation. Inhalation: May cause respiratory tract irritation. Ingestion: May cause gastrointestinal tract irritation.

Section 12: Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity: **Not available.**

BOD5 and COD: **Not available.**

Products of Biodegradation:
Possibly hazardous short term degradation products are not likely. However, long term degradation products may arise.

Toxicity of the Products of Biodegradation:
The product itself and its products of degradation are not toxic.

Special Remarks on the Products of Biodegradation: **Not Available.**

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Section 13: Disposal Considerations

Waste Disposal:
Waste must be disposed of in accordance with federal, state and local environmental control regulations.

Section 14: Transport Information

Land transport (ADR-RID)

General information: **Not regulated.**

Sea transport (IMDG) [English only]

General information: **Not regulated.**

Air transport (ICAO-IATA) [English only]

General information: **Not regulated.**

Section 15: Other Regulatory Information

Federal and State Regulations: **TSCA 8(b) inventory: Dextran.**

Other Regulations:
EINECS: **This product is on the European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances.**

Other Classifications:
WHMIS (Canada): **Not controlled under WHMIS (Canada).**
DSCL (EEC): **This product is not classified according to the EU regulations. Not applicable.**

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Section 15: Other Regulatory Information (Continued)

HMIS (U.S.A.):
Health Hazard: 1
Fire Hazard: 1
Reactivity: 0
Personal Protection: E

National Fire Protection Association (U.S.A.):
Health: 1
Flammability: 1
Reactivity: 0
Specific hazard:

Protective Equipment:
Gloves. Lab coat. Dust respirator. Be sure to use an approved/certified respirator or equivalent. Safety glasses.

Section 16 - Additional Information

References: Not available.

Other Special Considerations: Not available.

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