# **SAFETY DATA SHEET**



#### 1. Identification

Product Identifier THE Polishing Compound

Other means of identification

Product code 2480

**Recommended use** Polish compound for stone and marble.

Recommended restrictions Professional use only.

Manufacturer/Distributor/Supplier/Importer information

**Company name** Apeiron Stone & Concrete Care Inc.

Address P.O. Box 57

Mount Vernon, VA 22121

Telephone (703) 780-0254

Emergency phone number ChemTel (800) 255-3924

24 hour Emergency (800) 255-3924

## 2. Hazard(s) Identification

Physical hazards Not classified.

**Health hazards** Acute toxicity, oral Category 4

Acute toxicity, dermal Category 4
Serious eye damage. Category 1

Environmental hazards Not classified.

OSHA defined hazards Not listed.

**Label elements** 



Signal word Danger

Hazard statement Harmful if swallowed.

Harmful in contact with skin. Causes serious eye damage.

**Precautionary statement** 

Prevention Wash hands and exposed skin thoroughly after handling. Do not eat, drink or smoke while

using this product. Wear protective gloves/protective clothing. Wear eye protection/face

protection.

**Response** IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. Call a POISON CENTER/doctor/medical

professional if you feel unwell. Specific treatment (see section 4 on the Safety Data Sheet).

Take off contaminated clothing before reuse. IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON

CENTER/doctor/medical professional if you feel unwell. Rinse mouth. IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor/medical professional.

Storage

**Disposal** Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international

regulations.

Hazard(s) not otherwise

classified (HNOC)

None.

Supplemental information None.

### 3. Composition/information on ingredients

#### Mixtures

| Chemical name                            | CAS number | %     |
|--|------------|-------|
| Potassium hydrogen oxalate               | 127-95-7   | 40-55 |
| Oxalic acid                              | 6153-56-6  | 1-4   |
| Other components below reportable levels |            | 40-60 |

#### 4. First-aid measures

Inhalation Move to fresh air. Call a physician if symptoms develop or persist.

Skin contact Remove contaminated clothing immediately and wash skin with soap and water. In case of

eczema or other skin disorders: Seek medical attention and take along these instructions.

Eye contact Rinse with water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do.

Get medical attention. Eye wash stations should be located in work area.

Ingestion Rinse mouth. Get medical attention if symptoms occur. Do not induce vomiting.

Most important

Dermatitis. Rash. May cause an allergic skin reaction. symptoms/effects, acute and

delayed

Indication of immediate medical attention and special

treatment needed

General information

Provide general support measures and treat symptomatically. Keep victim under observation.

Symptoms may be delayed.

Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to

protect themselves. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

### 5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable extinguishing media

Unsuitable extinguishing

media

Water fog. Foam. Dry chemical powder. Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>).

None known.

Specific hazards arising from

the chemical

Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

During fire, gases hazardous to health may be formed.

Fire-fighting

equipment/instructions

Specific methods **General fire hazards**  Move containers from fire area if you can do so without risk.

Use standard firefighting procedures and consider the hazards of other involved materials.

Self-contained breathing apparatus and full protecting clothing must be worn in case of fire.

No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted.

#### 6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Wear appropriate protective equipment and clothing during clean-up. Wear eye/face

protection.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Caution – spillages may be slippery.

Large spills: Stop the flow of material, if this is without risk. Dike the spilled material, where this is possible. Absorb in vermiculite, dry sand or earth and place into containers. Prevent entry into waterways, sewer, basements or confined areas.

Small spills: Wipe up with absorbent material (e.g. cloth, fleece). Clean surface thoroughly to remove residual contamination.

Never return spills to original container for re-use. For waste disposal, see section 13 of the

SDS.

**Environmental precautions** Do not release into the environment (see section 12). Avoid discharge into areas not

consistent with package labeling.

### 7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling 
Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Avoid prolonged exposure. Wear appropriate

personal protective equipment. Observe good industrial hygiene practices.

Conditions for safe storage,

including any incompatibilities

Store in original tightly closed container. Do not store in extreme conditions.

## 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

### Occupational exposure limits

US OSHA Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants (29 CFR 1910.1000)

**US ACGIH Threshold Limit Values** 

#### **Biological limit values**

None established

Appropriate engineering

Emergency eye wash stations and showers should be readily accessible. Provide natural or

mechanical ventilation.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

**Eye/face protection** Avoid contact with eyes. Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles).

Skin protection

controls

**Hand protection** Wear appropriate chemical resistant gloves.

Other Wear long sleeve shirt and pants.

Respiratory protection Respiratory protection not required.

**Thermal hazards** Wear appropriate thermal protective clothing, when necessary.

General hygiene considerations

When using do not smoke or use chewing tobacco. Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing after handling the material and before eating, drinking, and/or smoking. Routinely wash work clothing and protective equipment to remove contaminants.

Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.

### 9. Physical and chemical properties

**Appearance** 

Physical State Paste

ColorYellow/orangeOdorCharacteristic.Odor thresholdNot available.

**pH** 3

Melting/freezing point 101.5°F (38.6°C) Initial boiling point and >212°F (100°C)

boiling range

Flash point >385°F (196°C)

Material Name: THE Polishing Compound

Evaporation rate Not available.
Flammability Not available.

**Flammability Limits** 

Upper Not available.
Lower Not available.
Vapor pressure Not available.
Vapor density Not available.

Specific gravity (water=1) 1.43
Solubility in water Slight

Partition coefficient Not available.

(n-octanol/water)

Auto-ignition temperature Not available.

Decomposition temperature Not available.

Viscosity Not available.

### 10. Stability and reactivity

**Reactivity** This product is stable and non-reactive under normal conditions of use.

Chemical stability Material is stable under normal conditions.

Possibility of hazardous Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

reactions

**Conditions to avoid** Heat, flames can cause product to decompose. **Incompatible materials** Strong acids, strong bases, strong oxidizing agents.

Hazardous decomposition Aldehydes, k

products

Aldehydes, ketones, organic acids.

# 11. Toxicological information

Information on likely routes

of exposure

IngestionHarmful if swallowed. Do not ingestInhalationExpected to be a low inhalation hazard.

**Skin contact** Harmful if in contact with skin. See section 8 for personal protection equipment.

**Eye contact** May cause severe eye damage. May cause severe corneal injury.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

Dermatitis. Rash. May cause an allergic skin reaction.

**Acute toxicity** Harmful if swallowed. Harmful in contact with skin

| Product                              | Route and Species | LD <sub>50</sub>      |
|--------------------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|
| THE Polishing Compound (CAS mixture) |                   |                       |
| Acute                                | <i>Oral,</i> rat  | 500 mg/kg estimated   |
|                                      | Dermal, rabbit    | 1,100 mg/kg estimated |

<sup>\*</sup>Estimates for product may be based on additional component data not shown

**Skin corrosion/irritation** Not classified.

Serious eye damage/ Causes severe eye damage.

irritation

Respiratory sensitizationNot classified.Skin sensitizationNot classified.Germ cell mutagenicityNot classified.

Carcinogenicity Not considered a carcinogen.

OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1050)

Not Listed.

Reproductive toxicity Not classified. Specific target organ toxicity

Not classified.

- single exposure

Specific target organ toxicity

Not classified.

- repeated exposure

**Aspiration hazard** Not considered an aspiration hazard.

# 12. Ecological information

**Ecotoxicity** No information.

Persistence and degradability No information **Bioaccumulative potential** No data available. Mobility in soil Not available.

Other adverse effects Use this product according to good working practices. Avoid littering.

## 13. Disposal considerations

**Disposal instructions** Collect and reclaim or dispose in sealed containers at licensed waste disposal site. Dispose of

contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations. Do

not release to the environment.

Local disposal regulations

Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.

Waste from residues/unused product

Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe manner. (see:

Disposal instructions).

Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or Contaminated packaging

disposal. Since emptied containers may contain product residue, follow label warnings even

after container is emptied.

### 14. Transport information

DOT

**UN** number UN3287

**UN proper shipping name** Toxic liquid, inorganic, n.o.s. (Contains: Potassium hydrogen oxalate)

Transport hazard class(es)

Class 6.1 Subsidiary risk **Packaging group** Ш Marine pollutant No

Special precautions for user Read safety instructions, SDS, and emergency procedures before handling. Not intended to be transported in bulk.

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78

and the IBC Code

DOT



# 15. Regulatory information

**US federal regulations** 

SARA 302 Extremely hazardous substance

Not listed.

SARA 304 Emergency release notification

Not listed.

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

Immediate Hazard - Yes

Delayed Hazard - No

Fire Hazard - No

Pressure Hazard - No

Reactivity Hazard - No

SARA 313 (TRI reporting)

Not listed.

# 16. Other information, including date of preparation or last revision

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HMIS® ratings Health: 3

Flammability: 1 Physical hazard: 0

NFPA ratings Health: 3

Flammability: 1 Instability: 0

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