

# 1. Product and Company Identification

#### **Product Name**

Radiata Pine Industrial Lumber Radiata Pine Shop and Moulding Grade Lumber Radiata Pine Clear Lumber

#### **Product Use**

Intended for industrial use for the production of mouldings and millwork products.

### Manufacturer

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# 2. Composition/Information on Ingredients

Hazardous Ingredient	Percent	CAS#	Exposure Limits (mg/m³)	Comments
Wood	>90%	Not Assigned	OSHA PEL-TWA 15.0 OSHA PEL-TWA 5.0 ACGIH TLV-TWA 1.0	Total Dust Respirable Dust Fraction Inhalable

#### Note

Rough-sawn lumber may have small residual traces of anti-sapstain chemical present.

### 3. Hazards Identification

#### Inhalation

Wood dust may cause irritation to nose, throat and lungs resulting in breathing difficulty.

### **Eye Contact**

Wood dust may irritate the eyes.

#### **Skin Contact**

Wood dust and contact with the skin may evoke allergic reactions in sensitised individuals. If an allergy pre- exists or develops, it may be necessary to remove the sensitised worker from further exposure to wood dust or wood- based products.

#### Ingestion

 $\label{lem:comfort} \mbox{Unlikely to occur; however if swallowed abdominal discomfort and vomiting may occur.}$ 

### **Chronic Effects**

Repeated exposures over many years to uncontrolled dust from the timber may increase the risk of allergic dermatitis, asthma, or chronic nose or throat irritation in some people. The risk of nasal or paranasal sinus cancers may also be increased.

If workplace practices noted in this MSDS are followed, no chronic health effects are anticipated.

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# 4. First Aid Measures

#### Inhalation

Remove victim to fresh air. If breathing laboured and patient is cyanotic (blue), ensure airways are clear and have a qualified person give oxygen through a facemask. If breathing has stopped, apply artificial respiration at once. In event of cardiac arrest, apply cardio-pulmonary resuscitation (CPR) if trained. Seek medical advice.

#### **Eve Contact**

Irrigate with flowing water for 15 minutes. Seek medical assistance if effects persist.

#### **Skin Contact**

Wash contaminated skin with plenty of soap and water.

#### Ingestion

If conscious, give plenty of water to drink. Do NOT induce vomiting. If vomiting occurs, place victim face downwards, with the head turned to the side and lower than the hips to prevent vomit entering the lungs. Seek medical assistance.

#### First Aid Facilities

Safety shower, eyewash, CPR training, oxygen mask.

#### **Advice to Doctor**

Treat symptomatically.

# 5. Fire Fighting Measures

#### Flash Point

Not applicable

#### Flammable Limits

LFL = Not applicable

 $UFL = Not\,applicable$ 

#### **Extinguishing Media**

Water, carbon dioxide, sand.

# **Autoignition Temperature**

Variable, typically 400-500°F (200-260°C).

# **Special Fire-Fighting Procedures**

None.

#### **Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards**

Wood is a combustible material. Depending on the moisture content, and especially particle size, wood dust may explode in the presence of an ignition source. An airborne dust concentration of  $40 \text{gm/m}^3$  is often used as the LEL for wood dusts.

# 6. Accidental Release Measures

#### Spill or Leak Procedures

Not Applicable

#### **Waste Disposal**

See Section 13

#### 7. Handling and Storage

#### **Precautions**

Avoid repeated or prolonged breathing of wood or primer dust. Avoid eye contact and repeated or prolonged contact with the skin. Change protective clothing and gloves when signs of contamination occur.

Store product up off the ground and protected from the weather. Store in a cool, dry place and away from heat, flames, sparks and other sources of ignition.

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# 8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

## **Engineering Controls**

Use in an area with sufficient natural or mechanical ventilation to avoid airborne exposure hazards. Local exhaust (extract) ventilation is the preferred method.

#### **Personal Protective Equipment**

### **Respiratory Protection**

A NIOSH/MSHA approved dust respirator or equivalent is recommended when allowable exposures may be exceeded especially when sawing or cutting.

#### **Protective Gloves**

Cloth, canvas, or leather gloves are recommended to minimise risk of potential splinters or from mechanical irritation when handling the product.

#### **Eye Protection**

Safety glasses or goggles are recommended when machining this product and goggles in areas with high dust levels.

### Other Protective Clothing or Equipment

Protective clothing should be worn where prolonged skin contact may occur. Protective clothing should be laundered separately from household clothing and before reuse.

### Personal Hygiene

Wash hands thoroughly with soap and water before eating, drinking, using the bathroom, or using tobacco products. Avoid direct hand to mouth contact with hands prior to washing.

# 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

#### **Appearance**

Product appears as sawn or surfaced lumber

## **Boiling Point**

Not applicable

## Flashpoint

Not applicable

# **Vapour Pressure**

Not applicable

## Flammability Limits

Not applicable on dried lumber.

## **Specific Gravity**

 $0.4 - 0.6 \, g/ml$ 

#### Solubility in Water

Not soluble

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Not applicable

# 10. Stability and Reactivity

### Stability

Stable

### **Conditions to Avoid**

Avoid exposure to fire. Product may ignite at temperatures exceeding 400°F (200°C).

#### Incompatibility

Avoid contact with oxidizing agents

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## **Hazardous Decomposition or By-Products**

 $Thermal\, decomposition\, can\, produce\, irritating\, and\, potentially\, toxic\, products\, including\, carbon\, monoxide\, and\, carbon\, dioxide.$ 

#### **Hazardous Polymerization**

Will not occur.

#### Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact

Not applicable

#### Sensitivity to Static Discharge

Not applicable

# 11. Toxicological Information

#### **Wood Dust (softwood)**

OSHA Hazard rating = 3.3; moderately toxic with probable oral lethal dose to humans being 0.5-5g/kg. IARC has classified untreated wood dust as a Group 1 human carcinogen. The wood dust classification is based primarily on IARC's evaluation of increased risk in the occurrence of adenocarcinomas of the nasal cavities and paranasal sinuses associated with occupational exposures to untreated wood dust. The evaluation did not find sufficient evidence to associate cancers of the oropharynx, hypopharynx, lung, lymphatic and hematopoietic systems, stomach, colon, or rectum with exposure to wood dust.

# 12. Ecological Information

No data available

# 13. Disposal Considerations

### **Disposal Guide**

In its purchased form, dispose of wood and wood products by ordinary trash collection. Sawdust and other manufacturing waste can be incinerated or land-filled in accordance with local, state and federal regulations.

# 14. Transport Information

## **DOT Hazardous Material Classification**

This material is not regulated as a hazardous material by the DOT.

# 15. Regulatory Information

### RCRA (40 CFR 261)

Dispose of in accordance with local, state and federal regulations. Under RCRA it is the responsibility of the user of the product to determine at the time of disposal, whether the product meets the RCRA criteria for hazardous waste. This product is typically not considered a hazardous waste but State run waste programmes may be more stringent. Check with your local or state regulators prior to disposal.

## Other Information

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Reason for issue: New product Replaces: Not applicable

## **User Responsibility**

The information contained in this Material Safety Data Sheet is based on the experience of occupational health and safety professionals and comes from sources believed to be accurate or otherwise technically correct. It is the user's responsibility to determine if the product is suitable for the proposed application(s) and to follow necessary safety precautions. The user has the responsibility to make sure this sheet is the most up-to-date issue.

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#### **Definition of Common Terms**

ACGIH American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

Ceiling Limit

CAS# Chemical Abstracts System Number DOT U.S. Department of Transportation

DSL **Domestic Substance List** 

EC50 Effective concentration that inhibits the endpoint to 50% of control population

EPA U.S. Environmental Protection Agency IARC International Agency for Research on Cancer

IATA International Air Transport Agency **IMDG** International Maritime Dangerous Goods

LC50 Concentration in air resulting in death to 50% of experimental animals

LCLo Lowest Concentration in air resulting in death

LD50 Administration dose resulting in death to 50% of experimental animals

LDLo Lowest dose resulting in death

LEL Lower Explosive Limit LFL Lower Flammable Limit

MSHA Mining Safety and Health Administration

NA Not Applicable NAV Not Available

NIOSH National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health

NOEL No-observable Effect Level

Canadian National Pollution Release Inventory NPRI

NTP National Toxicology Programe

NZ OSH NZ Department of Labour Occupational Health & Safety

OSHA Occupational Safety and Health Administration

PEL Permissible Exposure Limit

**RCRA** Resource Conservation and Recovery Act STEL Short-Term Exposure Limit (15 minutes)

STP Stand Temperature and Pressure

TCLo Lowest concentration in air resulting in a toxic effect

TDG Canadian Transport of Dangerous Goods TDLo Lowest dose resulting in a toxic effect

TLV Threshold Limit Value TSCA Toxic SubstanceControl Act TWA Time-Weighted Average (8 hours)

UFL Upper Flammable Limit

WHMIS Workplace Hazardous Material Information System

END OF MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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