# MEECO'S RED DEVIL FIRELIGHTING SQUARES

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SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1. Product identifier

**Product Number** : 418, 419, 420, 421

Product form : Mixture

1.2. Relevant identified uses: Firestarter. Uses advised against: not specified.

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

MEECO Manufacturing Co., Inc. 19704 60th Ave NE Suite 104

Arlington, WA 98223

Emergency telephone number

Emergency number · 206 262 8340

#### **SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

#### Classification of the substance or mixture

**GHS-US** classification Skin Sens. 1 H317

2.2. Label elements

**GHS-US** labelling

Hazard pictograms (GHS-US)



Signal word (GHS-US) : Warning

: H317 - May cause an allergic skin reaction Hazard statements (GHS-US)

: P261 - Avoid breathing dust Precautionary statements (GHS-US)

P272 - Contaminated work clothing must not be allowed out of the workplace

P280 - Wear eye protection, protective clothing, protective gloves P302+P352 - If on skin: Wash with plenty of soap and water P321 - Specific treatment (see first aid instructions on this label)

P333+P313 - If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention P362+P364 - Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse

2.3. Other hazards

Other hazards not contributing to the

classification

: Wood dust is expected to cause respiratory irritation and sensitization, and is considered carcinogenic. When this product is used as intended, exposure to wood dust is neglible, but users are recommended to avoid dust formation. If dust is created, precautions against inhalation of particles are recommended.

#### Unknown acute toxicity (GHS-US) 2.4.

No data available

#### **SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

#### 3.1. Substance

Not applicable

#### 3.2. Mixture

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#### **SECTION 4: First aid measures**

## 4.1, Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures general : If exposed or concerned, get medical attention/advice. Show this safety data sheet to the

doctor in attendance. Wash contaminated clothing before re-use. Never give anything to an

unconscious person.

First-aid measures after inhalation : IF INHALED: Remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a comfortable position for breathing.

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First-aid measures after skin contact : IF ON SKIN (or clothing): Remove affected clothing and wash all exposed skin with water for at

least 15 minutes. If irritation develops or persists, get medical attention.

First-aid measures after eye contact : IF IN EYES: Immediately flush with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact

lenses if present and easy to do so. If pain, blinking, or irritation develops or persists, get

medical attention. Continue rinsing.

First-aid measures after ingestion : IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth thoroughly. Do not induce vomiting without advice from poison

control center or medical professional. Get medical attention if you feel unwell.

#### 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms/injuries : May cause an allergic skin reaction.
Symptoms/injuries after inhalation : May cause respiratory irritation.
Symptoms/injuries after skin contact : May cause an allergic skin reaction.

Symptoms/injuries after eye contact : Direct contact with the eyes is likely to be irritating.

Symptoms/injuries after ingestion : May cause gastrointestinal irritation.

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

No additional information available

#### **SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

#### 5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media : Foam. Water spray

#### 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Fire hazard : Heating may cause a fire. Material will support combustion. May be drenched with water to

reduce fire hazard. Material may smolder after it is involved in a fire. Spread material out to be

sure fire is extinguished.

Explosion hazard : Product is not explosive

Reactivity : No dangerous reactions known under normal conditions of use.

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Firefighting instructions : Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed containers. Exercise caution when fighting any

chemical fire. Do not dispose of fire-fighting water in the environment.

Protection during firefighting : Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective suit (see item 8).

#### **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

#### 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

General measures : Avoid dust formation. Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other

ignition sources. No smoking. Evacuate area. Keep upwind.

6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Protective equipment : Wear Protective equipment as described in Section 8.

Emergency procedures : Evacuate unnecessary personnel.

6.1.2. For emergency responders

Protective equipment : Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye or face protection. Approved supplied-air

respirator, in case of emergency.

#### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Prevent entry to sewers and public waters. Avoid release to the environment.

#### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

For containment : Sweep or shovel spills into appropriate container for disposal.

Methods for cleaning up : Place in a suitable container for disposal in accordance with the waste regulations (see Section

13).

#### 6.4. Reference to other sections

No additional information available

## **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

## 7-1 Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling : Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Use appropriate

personal protection equipment (PPE). Avoid dust formation. Do not breathe dust. Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking. Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap

and water before eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work.

#### [7,2] Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

torage conditions : Keep only in the original container in a cool, well ventilated place away from : Heat sources.

Keep container closed when not in use.

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#### 7.3 Specific end use(s)

No additional information available

#### **SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

#### 8.1. Control parameters

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Remark (ACGIH) OELs not established Remark (OSHA) OELs not established

#### 8.2, Exposure controls

Eye protection

Appropriate engineering controls : Provide adequate general and local exhaust ventilation. Use process enclosures, local exhaust

ventilation, or other engineering controls to control airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. Use explosion-proof equipment with flammable materials. Ensure adequate

ventilation, especially in confined areas.

Personal protective equipment : Gloves. Protective goggles. Protective clothing.

Hand protection : Use gloves chemically resistant to this material when prolonged or repeated contact could

occur. Gloves should be classified under Standard EN 374 or ASTM F1296. Suggested glove materials are: Neoprene, Nitrile/butadiene rubber, Polyethylene, Ethyl vinyl alcohol laminate, PVC or vinyl. Suitable gloves for this specific application can be recommended by the glove

supplier.

: Wear eye protection, including chemical splash goggles and a face shield when possibility

exists for eye contact due to spraying liquid or airborne particles.

Skin and body protection : Wear long sleeves, and chemically impervious PPE/coveralls to minimize bodily exposure.

Respiratory protection : Use NIOSH-approved dust/particulate respirator. Where vapor, mist, or dust exceed PELs or

other applicable OELs, use NIOSH-approved respiratory protective equipment.

#### **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

#### 1, Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state : Solid

Appearance : Light brown to brown to gray colored board.

Color : No data available

Odor : Low.

Odor Threshold : No data available pH : No data available Relative evaporation rate (butylacetate=1) : No data available Melting point : No data available Freezing point : No data available Boiling point : No data available Flash point : 232.2 °C (450 °F)

Auto-ignition temperature : 198.9 - 232.2 °C (390-450 °F)

Decomposition temperature : No data available Flammability (solid, gas) : No data available Vapour pressure : No data available Relative vapour density at 20 °C : No data available Relative density : 0.8 - 1.2 (H<sub>2</sub>O = 1) Solubility : Water: Nil

Log Pow : No data available
Log Kow : No data available
Viscosity, kinematic : No data available
Viscosity, dynamic : No data available
Explosive properties : No data available
Oxidising properties : No data available
Explosive limits : No data available

### 9.2. Other information

No additional information available

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### **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

10.1. Reactivity

No dangerous reactions known under normal conditions of use.

10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under recommended handling and storage conditions (see section 7).

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

None known

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Ignition sources.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Oxidizing agents. Drying oils.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Thermal decomposition in the presence of air may yield major amounts of oxides of carbon and minor amounts of oxides of sulfur and nitrogen.

#### SECTION 11: Toxicological information

#### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity : Not classified

Skin corrosion/irritation : Not classified

Serious eye damage/irritation : Not classified.

Respiratory or skin sensitisation : Not classified. May cause an allergic skin reaction.

Germ cell mutagenicity : Not classified Carcinogenicity : Not classified

**Wood Dust** 

IARC group 1 - Carcinogenic to humans

The International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) has classified wood dust as carcinogenic to humans (group 1). However these warnings refer to wood in dust form and do not apply to solid fire starter blocks composed of wood and wax. As such, we have not classified this product as a carcinogen in accordance with the US OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR §1910.1200) but recommend that users avoid inhalation of product in a dust form.

Reproductive toxicity : Not classified Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) : Not classified. Specific target organ toxicity (repeated : Not classified

exposure)

Aspiration hazard : Not classified

Symptoms/injuries after inhalation : May cause respiratory irritation.

Symptoms/injuries after skin contact : May cause an allergic skin reaction.

Symptoms/injuries after eye contact : Direct contact with the eyes is likely to be irritating.

Symptoms/injuries after ingestion : May cause gastrointestinal irritation.

#### **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

| 12-1. Toxicity                      |                             |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Ecology - general                   | : No information available. |
| 12.2. Persistence and degradability |                             |
| Firelighting Squares                |                             |
| Persistence and degradability       | No information available.   |
| 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential     |                             |
| Firelighting Squares                |                             |
| Bioaccumulative potential           | No information available.   |

12.4. Mobility in soil

Seymour Solid Fire Starter

Ecology - soil No information available.

12.5. Other adverse effects

 Öther adverse effects
 : No data available.

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### **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Waste treatment methods : Do not discharge to public wastewater systems without permit of pollution control authorities.

No discharge to surface waters is allowed without an NPDES permit.

Waste disposal recommendations : Dispose in a safe manner in accordance with local/national regulations. Do not allow the

product to be released into the environment.

#### **SECTION 14: Transport information**

In accordance with DOT Not hazardous for transport

Additional information

Other information : No supplementary information available.

#### Transport by sea

No additional information available

#### Air transport

No additional information available

## **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

#### 15.1. US Federal regulations

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All chemical substances in this product are listed in the EPA (Environment Protection Agency) TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) Inventory SARA Section 311/312 Hazard Classes

Immediate (acute) health hazard

#### 15.2. International regulations

No additional information available.

#### 15.3. US State regulations

WARNING! This product contains chemicals known to the state of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or other reproductive harm.

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U.S. - California Proposition 65 Proposition 65 Carcinogens List
U.S. - California Proposition 65 Developmental Toxicity
U.S. - California Proposition 65 Proposition 65 Reproductive Toxicity Reproductive Toxicity No significance
risk level (NSRL)
Reproductive Toxicity -

Female Male

Yes No No No

#### **Wood and Wood Dust**

U.S. - New Jersey - Right to Know Hazardous Substance List

U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) List

#### **SECTION 16: Other information**

 Indication of changes
 : Revision 2.0.

 Revision date
 : 10/12/2018

 Other information
 : Author: ZPT.

NFPA health hazard : 1 - Exposure could cause irritation but only minor residual

injury even if no treatment is given.

NFPA fire hazard : 1 - Must be preheated before ignition can occur.

NFPA reactivity : 0 - Normally stable, even under fire exposure conditions,

and are not reactive with water.

HMIS III Rating

Health : 1 Flammability : 1

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| Physical            | : 0 |
|---------------------|-----|
| Personal Protection | : 0 |

This information is based on our current knowledge and is intended to describe the product for the purposes of health, safety and environmental requirements only. It should not therefore be construed as guaranteeing any specific property of the product

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