Product ID:SODIUM HEXAMETAPHOSPHATE MSDS Date:07/11/2000 FSC:6810 NIIN:01-481-6872 Status Code:A MSDS Number: CLDJY === Responsible Party === **Company Name: ASTARIS LLC** Address:622 EMERSON RD SUITE 500 City:SAINT LOUIS State:MO ZIP:63141-1160 Country:US Info Phone Num:800-244-8169 / 909-983-0772 Emergency Phone Num: (800) 424-9300 Resp. Party Other MSDS Num.: REFERENCE NUMBER: AST 10053 Chemtrec Ind/Phone:(800)424-9300 CAGE:1RKV8 === Contractor Identification === **Company Name: ASTARIS LLC** Address:622 EMERSON RD SUITE 500 Box:City:SAINT LOUIS State:MO ZIP:63141-1160 Country:US Phone:800-244-8169 / 909-983-0772 CAGE:1RKV8 Company Name:WALTRON LTD Address:50 TANNERY RD Box:70 City:WHITEHOUSE State:NJ ZIP:08888-0070 Country:US Phone:908-534-5654/FAX: 908-534-5694 Contract Num:SP0450-01-M-ZB11 CAGE:71229

Ingred Name:SODIUM HEXAMETAPHOSPHATE CAS:68915-31-1 RTECS #:TR4950250 = Wt:100. OSHA PEL:15 MG/M3(T DUST)8HR ACGIH TLV:19 MG/M3(INHAL)8HR

LD50 LC50 Mixture:ORAL, RAT, LD50:8,600 MG/KG

Health Hazards Acute and Chronic:NO SIGNIFICIANT HAZARDS ASSOCIATED WITH THIS MATERIAL. EYE CONTACT: NO MORE THAN SLIGHTLY IRRITATING BASED ON TOXICITY STUDIES. THE D

RY MATERIAL MAY CAUSE FOREIGN BODY IRRITATION ON SOME INDIVIDUALS. SKIN CONTACT: NO MORE THAN SLIGHTLY TOXIC OR SLIGHTLY IRRITATING BASED ON TOXICITY STUDIES. PROLONGED CONTACT WITH THE DRY MATERIAL MAY CAUSE DRYING OR CHAPPING OF THE SKIN. INHALATION: INHALATION OF THE DUST MAY CAUSE COUGHING AND SNEEZING. INGESTION: NOT TOXIC IF SWALLOWED BASED ON TOXICITY STUDIES. NO SIGNIFICANT ADVERSE HEALTH EFFECTS ARE EXPECTED IF ONLY SMALL AMOUNTS (LESS THAN A MOUTHFUL) A RE

SWALLOWED.

Effects of Overexposure:EYE CONTACT: IRRITATATION. SKIN CONTACT: IRRITATION, DRYING OR CHAPPING OF SKIN. INHALATION: COUGHING AND SNEEZING. INGESTION: NO ADVERSE HEALTH EFFECTS EXPECTED IF ONLY SMALL AMOUNTS (LESS THAN A MOU THFUL) ARE SWALLOWED.

First Aid:IF IN EYES OR ON SKIN: IMMEDIATE FIRST AID IS NOT LIKELY TO BE REQUIRED. HOWEVER, THIS MATERIAL CAN BE REMOVED WITH WATER. REMOVE MATERI

AL FROM EYES, SKIN AND CLOTHING. WASH HEAVILY CONTAMINATED CLOTH ING BEFORE REUSE. IF INHALED: IMMEDIATE FIRST AID IS NOT LIKELY TO BE REQUIRED. HOWEVER, IF SYMPTOMS OCCUR, REMOVE TO FRESH AIR. IF SWALLOWED: IMMEDIATE FIRST AID IS NOT LIKELY TO BE REQUIRED. A PHYSI CIAN OR POISON CONTROL CENTER CAN BE CONTACTED FOR ADVICE.

Flash Point:NON COMBUSTIBLE Lower Limits:NA Upper Limits:NA Extinguishing Media:NA U nusual Fire/Explosion Hazard:NONE KNOWN

Spill Release Procedures: SWEEP, SCOOP OR VACUUM AND REMOVE FOR DISPOSAL. FLUSH RESIDUAL SPILL AREA WITH WATER.

Handling and Storage Precautions:HANDLE IN ACCORDANCE WITH GOOD INDUSTRIAL HYGIENE AND SAFETY PRACTICES. THESE PRACTICES INCLUDE AVOIDING UNNECESSARY EXPOSURE AND REMOVAL OF MATERIAL FROM EYES,

SKIN, AND CLOTHING. STORE IN A COOL, DR Y PLACE TO MAINTAIN PRODUCT PERFORMANCE.

Respiratory Protection: AVOID BREATHING DUST. USE NIOSH/MSHA APPROVED RESPIRATORY PROTECTION EQUIPMENT WHEN AIRBORNE EXPOSURE LIMITS ARE EXCEEDED. CONSULT THE RESPIRATOR MANUFACTURER TO DETERMINE APPROPRIATE TYPE EQUIPMENT F OR A GIVEN APPLICATION. OBSERVE RESPIRATOR USE LIMITATIONS SPECIFIED BY NIOSH/MSHA OR THE MFR. RESPI

RATORY PROTECTION PROGRAMS MUST COMPLY WITH 29 CFR 1910.134. Ventilation: PROVIDE NATURAL OR MECHANICAL VENTILATION TO CONTROL

EXPOSURE LEVELS BELOW AIRBORNE EXPOSURE LIMITS. LOCAL MECHANICAL EXHAUST VENTILATION IS PREFERRED.

Protective Gloves:WEARING PROTECTIVE GLOVES IS RECOMMENDED TO MINIMIZE SKIN CONTAMINATION.

Eye Protection:EYE PROTECTION NOT REQUIRED. USE GOOD INDUSTRIAL PRACTICE TO AVOID EYE CONTACT.

Other Protective Equipment:OSHA AND ACGIH HAVE NOT ESTABLISHED EXPO

SURE LIMITS FOR THIS MATERIAL. HOWEVER, OSHA AND ACGIH HAV ESTABLISHED LIMITS FOR PARTICULATES NOT OTHERWISE CLASSIFIED (PNOC). (SEE "TOXICOLOGICAL").

Work Hygienic Practices:USE GOOD INDUSTRIAL PRACTICE TO AVOID EYE CONTACT. MINIMIZE SKIN CONTAMINATION BY FOLLOWING GOOD INDUSTRIAL PRACTICE. WASH HANDS AND CONTAMINATED SKIN THOROUGHLY AFTER HANDLING. AVOID BREATHING DUST.

Supplemental Safety and Health

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:N1 Melt/Freeze Pt:=628.C, ######F Spec Gravity:POWDER:78-84 LB/FT3 pH:7.0 (AS 1% SOL) Solubility in Water:INFINITELY SOLUBLE Appearance and Odor:WHITE POWDER, GRANULES, OR GLASS PLATES, NO ODOR.

Stability Indicator/Materials to Avoid:YES NONE KNOWN.

Stability Condition to Avoid:SOLUTIONS OF THIS PRODUCT WILL HYDROLYZE TO FORM ORTHO PHOSPHATE AND OTHER SHORTER CHAIN PHOSPHATES. DISSOLUTION IS IMPACTED BY TERMPERATURE A ND PH OF THE SYSTEM. Hazardous Decomposition Products:NONE KNOWN. Conditions to Avoid Polymerization:WILL NOT OCCUR.

Toxicological Information:AIRBORNE EXPOSURE LIMITS: OSHA PEL: 15 MG/M3 (TOTAL DUST) 8-HR TWA; 5 MG/M3 (RESPIRABLE) 8-HR TWA. ACGIH TLV: 10 MG/M3 (INHALABLE) 8-HR TWA; 3 MG/M3 (RESPIRABLE) 8-HR TWA. COMPONENTS REFERRED TO HEREI N MAY BE REGULATED BY SPECIFIC CANADIAN PROVINCIAL LEGISLATION. PLEASE

**REFER TO EXPOSURE LIMITS** 

LEGISLATED FOR THE PROVINCE IN WHICH THE SUBSTANCE WILL BE USED. ORAL, RAT, LD50: 8,600 MG/KG; PRACTICA LLY NONTOXIC. DERMAL, RABBIT, LD50: >7,940 MG/KG; PRACTICALLY NONTOXIC. EYE IRRITATION, RABBIT: 1.3/110.0: SLIGHTLY IRRITATING. SKIN IRRITATION, RABBIT (24-HR EXP): 0.0/8.0; NONIRRITATING. RATS FED TH IS MATERIAL (CONTD. SEE "ECOLOGICAL")

Ecological:ASTARIS HAS NOT CONDUCTED ENVIRONMENTAL TOXICITY OR BIODEGRADATION STUDIES WITH THIS PRODUCT. ASTARIS HAS NOT CONDUCTEDR BIODEGRADATION STUDIES WITH THIS PRODUCT SINCE WHEN DISSOLVED/HYDROLYZED IN WAT ER IT YIELDS COMPLETELY MINERALIZED MATERIALS. (CONTD. FROM "TOXICOLOGICAL")IN THEIR DIET FOR ONE MONTH SHOWED DECREASED GROWTH, INCREASED KIDNEY, LUNG, AND SPLEEN WEIGHT, AND KIDNEY DAMAGE. RATS FED THIS MATERIAL FOR TWO YEARS ALSO SHOWED DECREASED WEIGHT GAIN, INCREASED KIDNEY WEIGHT, AND

## KIDNEY CHANGES. NO INCREASE IN TUMORS WAS REPORTED. NO ADVERSE EFFECTS IN REPRODUCTIVE (CONTD. SEE "TRANSPO RT")

Waste Disposal Methods:THIS MATERIAL WHEN DISCARDED IS NOT A HAZARDOUS WASTE AS THAT TERM IS DEFINED BY THE RESOURCE CONSERVATION AND RECOVERY ACT (RCRA), 40 CFR 261. DRY MATERIAL MAY BE LANDFILLED OR RECYCLED IN ACCORDANCE WITH LOCAL, STATE AND FEDERAL REGULATIONS. CONSULT YOUR ATTORNEY OR APP ROPRIATE REGULATORY OFFICIAL S FOR INFORMATION ON SUCH DISPOSAL.

Transport Information: THE DATA PROVIDED IN THIS SECTION IS FOR INFORMATION ONLY. PLEASE APPLY THE APPROPRIATE REGULATIONS TO PROPERLY CLASSIFY YOUR SHIPMENT FOR TRANSPORTATION. U.S. DOT: NOT REGULATED FOR TRANSPORTATION. C ANADIAN TDG: NOT RGULATED FOR TRANSPORTATION. (CONTD. FROM "ECOLOGICAL") CAPACITY WERE REPORTED IN A MULTIGENERATION

STUDY USING RATS FED THIS MATERIAL.

SARA Title III Information:SARA HAZARD NOTIFICATION:HAZARD CATEGORIES UNDER TITLE I I I RULES (40 CFR 370): NOT APPLICABLE.SECTION 302 EXTREMELY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES: NOT APPLICABLE. SECTION 313 TOXIC CHEMICALS: NOT APPLICABLE. CERCLA REPORTABLE QUANTITY: NOT APPLICABLE.

Federal Regulatory Information: TSCA INVENTORY: LISTED. DSL INVENTORY: LISTED.

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