# **MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET**





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#### "Information Concerning this Material Safety Data Sheet"

A Material Safety Data Sheet is for the benefit of the people who work with hazardous materials. Great Eastern Technologies, L.L.C., (GET) uses the standard 16 Section format developed by the Chemical Manufacturers Association (CMA) and published in 1993 as ANSI Z400, and endorsed by OSHA. A description of each Section's purpose is listed below the each Section title to assist the user with understanding this MSDS

GET urges each customer or recipient of this MSDS to study it carefully to become aware of and understand the hazards associated with the product. The reader should consider consulting reference works or individuals who are experts in ventilation, toxicology, and fire prevention, as necessary or appropriate to use and understand the data contained in this MSDS.

While the information and recommendations set forth herein are believed to be accurate, as of the date hereon, Great Eastern Technologies, L.L.C., makes no warranty with respect thereto and disclaims all liability from reliance thereon. The information contained herein represents our current data and best opinion as to the proper use and handling of this product under normal conditions. Any use of this product which is not in conformance with this data sheet or which involves using the product in combination with any other product or any process is the responsibility of the user.

The MSDS should not be construed as the sum total of all protective measures that may be taken. It is the responsibility of the employer to evaluate the information and to determine the extent of the hazard and what personal protective measures should be taken. The information contained herein is based on data considered accurate. However, no warranty is expressed or implied regarding the accuracy of these data or the results to be obtained from the use thereof.



Health Hazard – Left	Fire Hazard - Top
0 Normal	0 Will Not Burn
1 Slightly Hazardous	1 Above 200E F
2 Hazardous	2 Below 200E F
3 Extreme Danger	3 Below 100E F
4 Deadly	4 Below 73E F
Instability- Right 0 Stable 1 Unstable if Heated 2 Violent Chemical Change 3 Shock/Heat May Detonat 4 May Detonate	

# SECTION 01

### **CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY**

This section is intended to give the names of the material as it relates to the material's label and shipping document. It will include the mailing address and relevant phone numbers of the material manufacture.

#### Product Identification

Product Trade Name	: AIR-RIGHT <sup>®</sup>
Chemical Name	: Mixture - Not Applicable
CAS #	: Mixture - Not Applicable
Chemical Family	: Chemical Admixture
Product Synonyms	: None
Product Use	: Air Entraining Concrete Admixture
DOT Hazard Class	: Not Regulated

#### **Company Identification**

Great Eastern Technologies, L.L.C. 4407 S. Broad Street Yardville, New Jersey 08620

(609) 581-1587 Factory Phone Number (609) 581-0735 Fax Number

#### **Emergency Number**

Great Eastern Technologies, L.L.C. work hours are generally 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. The Emergency Number is the Factory Phone Number (609) 581-1587. The Emergency Number for office hours and non-office hours is (800) 424-9300 ( CHEMTREC )

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#### **HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS**

This section contains information to identify hazardous components of the material. If non-hazardous ingredients are listed, they will be listed separately. Chemical Abstract Service (CAS) numbers will be given if available, as well as OSHA Permissible Exposure Limits and American Conference of Government Industrial Hygienist (ACGIH) TLVs. If the identity of any ingredient is claimed to be a trade secrete, it will be so indicated in this section.

					(See S	Section 11 for Cor	nplete Chemical Names)
				Exp	osure Limits	s in Air	
	Maximum	OSH	IA-PEL	ACC	SIH-TLV		
Ingredient	by Weight	PEL	STEL	TLV	STEL	IDLH	Other
Sodium Hydroxide	< 1%	None	None	None	None		CAS# 1310-73-1

# SECTION 03 EMERGENCY HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

This section describes potential health effects hazards of the material that may be of concern for emergency response personnel.

**Emergency Overview** : AIR-RIGHT<sup>®</sup> is a dark brown to amber, soapy liquid that has little to no odor. It is a non-hazardous material. Contact with the eyes may cause irritation.

#### Potential Health Effects

Skin	:	Prolonged skin contact may cause skin irritation
Eyes	:	Contact with eyes may cause slight burning and irritation.
Inhalation	:	Not typically used in an environment of vapor or mist.
Ingestion	:	Small incidental amount that may arise in industrial environments should not pose any physiological hazard.
Injection	:	No data Available
ACUTE : 1	The	primary hazard associated with this product is contact with the eyes may cause irritation.
CHRONIC : N	l ol	mown chronic effects as defined by 29 CFR 1910.1200
TARGET ORGA	NS	CHRONIC: None Known
CARCINOGENI	СІТ	Y : All components of this product are included in the EPA Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA). State of California includes no reportable chemicals.

### SECTION 04

### **FIRST AID MEASURES**

This section includes emergency and first aid procedures and is written in layman's language in order to be easily understood. Procedures for each potential route of exposure will be included.

Contaminated individuals must be taken for medical attention if any adverse reaction occurs. Rescuers should be taken for medical attention, if necessary. Take a copy of Product Label and MSDS to a health professional with the contaminated individual.

- Skin : If this product contaminates the skin, begin decontamination by washing thoroughly with soap and water. Remove exposed or contaminated clothing, wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Victim must seek immediate medical attention if any adverse effect occurs.
- Eyes : If this product liquid or vapors enter the eyes, open contaminated individual's eyes under gently running water. Use sufficient force to open eyelids. Have contaminated individual "roll" eyes. Minimum flushing is for 15 minutes. Contaminated individual must seek immediate attention.
- Inhalation : If vapors, mist, or spray of this product are inhaled, remove contaminated individual to fresh air. If difficulty with breathing, administer oxygen. If necessary, use artificial respiration to support vital functions. Seek medical attention. Remove or cover contamination to avoid exposure to rescuers.

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Ingestion : If this product is swallowed, CALL PHYSICIAN OR POISON CONTROL CENTER FOR MOST CURRENT INFORMATION. Do not inducing vomiting. Do not give diluents (milk or water) to someone who is unconscious, having convulsion, or unable to swallow.

Medical Conditions Aggravated by Exposure : No Data Available

Notes to Physicians : Treat symptomatically.

# SECTION 05

# FIRE FIGHT MEASURES

This section gives information to describe fire and exposure properties of the material, extinguishing media to be used, and fire-fighting instructions. It applies to anyone who may be in the area of the fire.

Flash Point Flammable Limits Explosion Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact Explosion Sensitivity to Static Discharge Auto Ignition Temperature		: Not Flammable : Not Flammable : Not Sensitive : Not Sensitive : Not Available		
Extinguishing Media	: Use method : : Water Spray : Halon : Foam		he situation : Carbon Dioxide : Dry Chemical : Other	Yes Yes Any "ABC: Class
Special Fire Fighting	Procedures	: No spe	cial Fire Fighting Re	quirements
Fire and Explosion H	lazards		•	a flash point by conventional test methods, use le for type of surrounding fire.

### SECTION 06 ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Spill and Leak Response. This section will give information needed to prevent or minimize adverse effects on employees, neighbors, property, and the environment, including waterways. It is intended for emergency response personnel.

Isolate hazard area and deny entry to unnecessary or unprotected personnel. Contain spilled liquid with sand or earth. Place in a disposal container. Avoid runoff into storm sewers and ditches which lead to waterways.

### SECTION 07

### HANDLING AND STORAGE

This section provides guidelines for minimizing any potential hazards from storing the material. It should include information to minimize handling when appropriate, and conditions such as temperature, inert atmosphere, and conditions to avoid.

Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Use with adequate ventilation. Use normal personal hygiene and housekeeping. Store in room temperature, dry area and from other incompatible materials such as strong mineral acids. Keep from freezing. Average shelf life is 18 months.

# SECTION 08 EXPOSURE CONTROLS, PERSONAL PROTECTION

This section will discuss the degree of engineering control that may be needed when handling the material, and the personal protective equipment that should be used if there is a potential for exposure above the regulatory or suggested limits. Exposure guidelines, such as OSHA PELs and ACGIH TLVs should be included in this section.

<b>Respiratory Protection</b>	:	Respirators are not required under normal use. At room temperatures, exposures to vapors are unlikely due to physical properties.
Ventilation Requirements	:	Ventilate as necessary to eliminate from the work area.
Ingestion	:	Amounts ingested incidental to industrial handling are not expected to cause injury.
Eyes	:	May cause slight transient irritation.
Skin Protection	:	Use rubber sufficient to protect skin from liquid. Not expected to be absorbed through skin in sufficient quantities to increase overall toxicity. Prolonged or repeated skin contact tends to remove oils possibly leading to irritation.
Work, Hygienic Practices	:	As required to protect skin and eyes from liquid, safety showers and/or eye wash should be available. Do leave food or smoke in work area. Wash thoroughly and remove or clean any contaminated clothing.
Exposure Limits	:	None Established.

# SECTION 09 PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

These properties are intended to assist users to determine proper handling and storage. Additional properties other than the standard data given below may be included if they are useful.

Specific Gravity	: 1.01	Odor	: None to Mild
pH Level approximate	: 9.0 -13.0	Appearance	: Dark Brown Liquid
Viscosity (cps)	: < 20 cps	Percent Volatile	: 0%
Flash Point @ EF	: Not Applicable	Ignition Point @ EF	: Not Applicable
Freezing Point @ EF	: 32.0 F 0.0 @C	Boiling Point @ EF	: Not Applicable
Explosion Hazard	: Not Applicable	Melting Point @ EF	: Not Applicable
Vapor Pressure (MM Hg)	: Not Applicable	Vapor Density	: Not Applicable
Evaporation Rate	: Not Applicable	Solubility in Water	: Compete (100%)

### SECTION 10

### **STABILITY AND REACTION**

This section describes conditions that may result in a potentially hazardous reaction, such as evolution of hazardous gases, production of heat, or other hazardous conditions.

Chemical Stability Keep Away From Hazardous Polymerization Hazardous Decomposition Product

- : Stable. Not sensitive to mechanical impact.
- : Strong Mineral Acids
- : Will not occur.
- Hazardous Decomposition Products : After water has evaporated, Oxides of Carbon, Nitrogen and Sulfur

#### **TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

This section includes known information resulting from animal testing or human experience on the toxicity of the material. Also included would be information on its potential for causing cancer. Data will include acute, sub-chronic, and chronic exposures, if available.

Ingredient	(See Section 2 for Exposure Limits)
(Chemical Name, CAS #, Common Name)	Toxicity Data
ARC22 (Concentrate) CAS Number: Blend -	Proprietary
Standard Draize Test (Skin-Rabbit, adult) No Data Available	LD50 (Oral-Rat) No Data Available
Standard Draize Test (Eye-Rabbit, adult) No Data Available	LD50 (Oral-Rat) No Data Available
Suspected Cancer Agent : The components of this product are	not considered to be, nor suspected to be, cancer causing agents.
Irritancy of Product : No Data Available	
Sensitization of Product : No Data Available	
	nutagenic, embryotoxic, teratogenic effects in humans. This product is not ity effects in humans. (see definitions in Section 16 Other)
ACGIH Exposure Indices : No Data Available	

#### Notation of Definitions:

A <u>mutagen</u> is a chemical which causes permanent changes to genetic material (*DNA*) such that the changes will propagate through generational lines. An <u>embryotoxin</u> is a chemical change which causes damage to a developing "embryo" (i.e within the first eight weeks of pregnancy in humans), but the damage does not propagate across generational lines. A <u>teratogen</u> is a chemical which causes damage to a developing "fetus", but the damage does not propagate across generational lines. A <u>teratogen</u> is a chemical which causes damage to a developing "fetus", but the damage does not propagate across generational lines. A <u>teratogen</u> is any substance which interferes in any way with the reproductive process.

# SECTION 12

# **ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

This section will list known impacts to the environment that may occur if the material is released to the environment, or in evaluating waste treatment practices.

All work practices must be aimed at eliminating environmental contamination.

**Environmental Stability** : The components of this product are relatively stable under ambient, environmental conditions.

Effects of Material on Plants or Animals : No Data Available

Effects of Chemical on Aquatic Life : No Data Available.

### SECTION 13 DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

This section provides guidance to environmental and other technical, or in evaluating waste treatment practices.

Consult all Federal, State, Provincial and Local regulations, or a qualified waste disposal firm when characterizing waste for disposal. Dispose of waste in accordance with all applicable regulations.

For all spills soak up with sand or sweeping compounds.

U.S. EPA (40 CFR 261) waste definition of this product: No Data Available

RCRA Waste # : None

### **TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION**

This section provides information concerning classification for shipping the material. It should include U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) classifications, or an indication that it is not regulated.

Department of Transportation Shipping Name: Not RegulatedHazard Class: Not ApplicableIdentification #: Not ApplicableLabel (s) Required: Not ApplicableSurface Freight Classification: Concrete or Mage

Not Regulated
Not Applicable
Not Applicable
Not Applicable
Concrete or Masonry Concrete Chemical Additive

# SECTION 15

# **REGULATORY INFORMATION**

This section is contains information regarding the regulatory status of the material. It should include OSHA, and EPA regulations if available.

OSHA Status TSCA Status CERCLA Reportable Requirements SARA Title III Information California Proposition 65

: None : None : None

: None

: No detectable carcinogenic materials

#### **OTHER INFORMATION**

This section is intended for other material the preparer feels is pertinent, and that should be not be included in the other fifteen sections.

#### Definitions and Terms

A large number of abbreviations and acronyms appear on a MSDS. Some of these commonly used included the following:

CAS #: This is the Chemical Abstract Service Number which uniquely identifies each constituent.

#### Exposure Limits in Air

- ACGIH American Conference of Government Industrial Hygienist, a professional association which establishes exposure limits.
- TLV Threshold Limit Value, an airborne concentration of a substance which represents conditions under which it is generally believed that nearly all workers may be repeatedly exposed without adverse effect. The duration must be considered; including the 8 hour Time Weighted Average (TWA), the 15 minute Short Term Exposure Limit, and the instantaneous Ceiling Level (C). Skin absorption limits must also be considered.
- OSHA U.S. Occupational Safety and Health Administration
- PEL Permissible Exposure Limit, This exposure limit means exactly the same as a TLV, except it is enforceable by OSHA. The OSHA Permissible Exposure Limits are based in the 1989 PELs and the June, 1993 Air Contaminates Rule (Federal Register: 58: 35338-35351 and 58:40191). Both the current PELs and the vacated PELs are indicated. The phrase, "vacated 1989 PEL," is placed next to the PEL which was vacated by Court Order.
- IDLH Immediate Dangerous to Life and Health, This level represents a concentration from which one can escape within 30 minutes without suffering escape-preventing or permanent injury.
- NIOSH National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health, which is the research arm of OSHA.
- REL Recommended Exposure Limits, Issued by NIOSH.

#### Hazard Ratings

#### HMIS Hazardous Materials Identification System

Health Hazard

- 0 Minimal acute or chronic exposure hazard
- Slight acute or significant chronic exposure hazard.
- Moderate acute or significant chronic exposure hazard. 2
- Severe acute or significant chronic exposure hazard. One time 3 exposure can result in permanent injury and may be fatal.
- 4 Extreme acute or significant chronic exposure hazard. One time exposure can be fatal.

#### Flammability Hazard

- Minimal Hazards
- Materials that require substantial pre-heating before burning.
- 2 Combustible liquids or solids; liquids with a flash point of 38-39C (100-200F)
- Class IB & IC flammable liquids with flash points below 38C (100F)
- Class IA flammable liquids with a flash point below 23C (73F) and boiling points below 38C (100F).

#### **Reactive Hazard**

- Normally Stable 0
- Material that can become unstable at elevated temperatures or which can react slightly with water.
- Materials that are unstable but do not detonate or which can react 2 violently with water.
- Materials which can detonate when initiated or which can react 3 explosively with water.
- 4 Materials which can detonate at normal temperatures or pressures.

#### NFPA **National Fire Protection Association**

- Health Hazard 0 Materials that on exposure under fire conditions would offer no hazard beyond t hat of ordinary combustible materials.
- Materials that on exposure under fire conditions could cause skin 1 irritation or minor residual injury.
- 2 Materials that on intense or continued exposure under fire conditions could cause temporary incapacitation or possible residual injury.
- 3 Materials that on short exposure could cause serious temporary or residual injury.
- 4 Materials that on very short exposure causes death or major injury. Flammability Hazard and Reactivity Hazard are the same as HMIS

#### Flammability Limits in Air

Much of the information related to fire and explosion is derived from the NFPA as follows:

Autoign	ition Temp.	The minimum temperature requited to initiate combustion in air with no other source of ignition.
		Minimum Temperature at which a liquid gives off vapors to form an ignitable mixture with air.
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UEL	Explode or ignite in the presence of an ignition source. The highest percent of vapor in air, by volume, that will explode or ignite in the presence of an ignition source.	
Toxicological Information Possible health hazards as derived from human data, animal studies, or from the results of studies when similar compounds are presented		

from the results of studies when similar compounds are presented. Definitions of some terms used in this section are:

- LD50 Lethal Dose which kills 50% of the exposed animals
- Lethal Concentration which kills 50% of the exposed animals LC50 ppm Concentration expressed in parts of material per million parts of air or water.
- mg/m<sup>3</sup> Concentration express in weight of substance per volume of
- mg/kg Quantity of material, by weight, administered to a test subject based on their body weight per kg.
- IARC International Agency for Research of Cancer
- National Toxicology Program (Cancer Research) NTP
- RTECS Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances (Cancer Research)
- Notation The IARC and NTP rate chemicals on a scale of decreasing potential to cause human cancer with ranking from 1 to 4. Sub-Rankings (2A, 2B, etc.) Are also used. Other measures of toxicity include TDLo the lowest dose to cause a symptom and TCLo the lowest concentration to cause a symptom.
- Biologoical Exposure Indices represents the levels of determinants which are most likely to be observed in BEI specimens collected from a healthy worker who has been exposed to chemicals to the same extent as a worker with inhalation exposure to the TLV.
- EC Ecological Information, EC is the effect concentration in water.

#### **Regulatory Information**

- This section explains various laws and regulations on the material.
- EPA U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
- DOT U.S. Department of Transportation.
- SARA U.S. Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act
- **TSCA** U.S. Toxic Substance Control Agency
- Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation CERCLA and Liability Act

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