

**MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET****1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE PRODUCT AND COMPANY****Product Name:****IMBIBER BEADS® IMBICATOR® Absorbent Products -Blended with Polyolefin Wick**

- IM0077 Packets (7"x7") A packet of polyolefin non- woven fabric containing Imbiber Beads® & polyolefin wick
- IM1421 Pillows (14"x21") A 2x3 configuration of 6 of the Imbiber Beads® packets (see above).
- IM0742 Mini Boom (7"x21") A 1x6 configuration of 6 of the Imbiber Beads® packets (see above).
- IM2142 Blankets (21"x42") A 3x6 configuration of 18 of the Imbiber Beads® packets (see above).
- IMBWF0909-4.5 FL Boom - 9' L /4.5" Dia -Woven 100 % Polyester Fabric containing Imbiber Beads® & Polyolefin Wick  
(FL Boom may vary in length size but not in composition example: IMBWF0905-4.5 is 5 FT long)

( see below - section 2 - for exact information on ingredients)

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**2. COMPOSITION INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS****Identification of the preparation:**

Active Ingredient-Alkylstyrene Copolymer  
Other Ingredient-1% Kaolin Clay to Retard Static  
Other Ingredient-less than 0.4% Gelatin encapsulated Red 17  
Polyolefin wick  
(solvent swell able-water insoluble)

**Physical**

Solid Polymer spheres-125-420 microns in size .

**3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

Loose IMBIBER BEADS® will cause slippery conditions on hard surfaces. IMBIBER BEADS® will not change the basic properties of the fluid imbibed except mobility. If the fluid is toxic-the activated IMBIBER BEADS® should be considered toxic. If the fluid is flammable-the activated IMBIBER BEADS® should be considered flammable. No known apparent hazard prior to imbibition. **DO NOT USE WITH OXIDIZERS.**

Gelatin Encapsulated Red 17- No hazardous ingredients known

**4. FIRST AID MEASURES****Inhalation :**

Treat as a fine particulate material. Use dust mask for comfort (see sec.8)  
Treatment for the activated IMBIBER BEADS® IMBICATOR™ should be the same as for the fluid prior to imbibition

**Skin Contact:**

No known hazards which require special first aid measures.  
Treatment for the activated IMBIBER BEADS® IMBICATOR™ should be the same as for the fluid prior to imbibition

**Eye Contact:**

Rinse thoroughly and completely with water, also under the eyelids.  
In case of persistent eye irritation, consult a physician.  
Treatment for the activated IMBIBER BEADS® IMBICATOR™ should be the same as for the fluid prior to imbibition

**Ingestion :**

The product is not considered toxic based on studies on laboratory animals.  
Treatment for the activated IMBIBER BEADS® IMBICATOR™ should be the same as for the fluid prior to imbibition. Consult a physician.

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**5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**


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- Suitable Extinguishing Media:** IMBIBER BEADS® IMBICATOR™ are combustible. Use water, water spray, foam, carbon dioxide(CO<sub>2</sub>), or dry powder. (Bicarbonate type extinguisher)
- Special Fire-Fighting precautions:** The IMBIBER BEADS® IMBICATOR™ make hard surfaces extremely slippery. Activated IMBIBER BEADS® should be handled the same as for the fluid prior to imbibition.
- Protective Equipment for Firefighters:** No special protective measures against fire required (slipping hazard)  
Activated IMBIBER BEADS® IMBICATOR™ should be handles the same as for the fluid prior to imbibition.
- Personal Precautions:** No special precautions required (prior to use).
- Environmental Precautions** IMBIBER BEADS® IMBICATOR™ are water insoluble. When the Beads are used, the spill procedure should be the same as for the fluid prior to imbibition.
- Methods for Cleaning Up (Prior to Use):** Clean up promptly by scoop or vacuum. Store in suitable and closed containers.

NOTE : If the IMBIBER BEADS® IMBICATOR™ have imbibed/absorbed the fluid the treatment and handling used should be for the fluid and not the IMBIBER BEADS® IMBICATOR™.

**6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**


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- Personal Precautions:** No special precautions required (prior to use).
- Environmental Precautions** IMBIBER BEADS® IMBICATOR™ Products are water insoluble. When the IMBIBER BEADS® IMBICATOR™ Products are used, the procedure should be the same as for the fluid prior to imbibition.
- Methods for Cleaning Up (Prior to Use):** Clean up promptly by scoop or vacuum. Store in suitable and closed containers.

NOTE : If the IMBIBER BEADS® IMBICATOR™ have imbibed/absorbed the fluid the treatment and handling used should be for the fluid and not the IMBIBER BEADS® IMBICATOR™.

**7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**


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- Handling :** No special handling procedures required. However, if the IMBIBER BEADS® IMBICATOR™ have imbibed fluid then special handling should be for the fluid.
- Storage:** Keep in a closed container. Protect from physical damage. Store in a cool, dry, ventilated area away from heat, moisture, and oxidizers.

**8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION**


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- Engineering Controls:** Good room ventilation is usually adequate for most operations. Keep floor clean. and dry by sweeping or vacuuming. Loose IMBIBER BEADS® IMBICATOR™ will cause a slipping hazard on a hard surface
- Personal Protection Equipment:**
- **Respiratory Protection** **Prior to Use**  
None normally needed. Use dust respirator for comfort if needed.
  - **Hand Protection**  
None normally needed.
  - **Eye Protection**  
Safety glasses are a minimum protection. In any dusty area-coverall goggles are desirable.
  - **Skin Protection**  
No special protective clothing required.
  - **Hygiene Measures:**  
Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work day. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practise.

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**9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

<b>Form:</b>	Imbiber Beads® Solid Spheres	Wick Flakes	Gelatin Encapsulated Red 17 Capsule
<b>Colour:</b>	Opaque-Tan	White	Red
<b>Odour:</b>	Slight	N/A	N/A
<b>Melting Point (C):</b>	Not applicable	N/A	N/A
<b>Flash Point :</b>	Above 450 F (235 C)	N/A	N/A
<b>Autoignition Temperature:</b>	Not applicable	N/A	N/A
<b>Vapour Pressure:</b>	Not applicable	N/A	N/A
<b>Bulk Density:</b>	40lbs/cu ft	5lbs/cu ft	24lbs/cu ft
<b>Water Solubility:</b>	Insoluble	Insoluble	Insoluble
<b>Viscosity (mPe S):</b>	Not applicable	N/A	N/A

**10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

<b>Stability:</b>	Product is stable: already a polymer, therefore no hazardous polymerization can occur.
<b>Shelf Life</b>	Indefinite
<b>Hazardous Decomposition products: (Prior to Use)</b>	Combustion will form CO2 and H2O. The plastic component of these products will emit black smoke on burning and unless excess oxygen is available carbon monoxide is probable.

**11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

<b><u>Acute Toxicity</u></b>	
<b>-Oral:</b>	:LD50oral/rat>5000mg/kg
<b>-Dermal:</b>	:LD50dermal/rabbit>2000mg/kg
<b><u>Irritation</u></b>	
<b>-Skin:</b>	Not irritating.
<b>-eyes:</b>	Moderate eye irritation due to effects all powders have on conjunctivae.
<b>Sensitization</b>	Not sensitizing .

**12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

<b>Ecotoxicity:</b>	Ecological injuries are not known or expected under normal use. Aquatic toxicity is unlikely as IMBIBER BEADS® IMBICATOR™ are water insoluble.
<b>Bioaccumulation:</b>	The product is a particulate polymer and should not undergo biological degradation.
<b>Persistence/Degradability:</b>	Should not be biodegradable due to its high molecular weight.

**13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

<b>Waste from residues/unused products Containment Packaging :</b>	Dispose of in accordance with federal, state, provincial, and local regulations. Can be landfilled, incinerated, when in compliance with regulations.
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**14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

**Not Regulated By Dpt. Of Transportation** (DOT) Classification - Plastic pellets or granules

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<b>15. REGULATORY INFORMATION</b>
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<b>RCRA Status:</b>	Not a hazardous waste.
<b>Hazardous Waste number:</b>	Not Applicable.
<b>Reportable quantity (40 CFR 302):</b>	Not Applicable.
<b>Threshold Planning Quantity(40 CFR 335):</b>	Not Applicable.
<b>California Proposition 65 information:</b>	The following statement is made in order to comply with the California Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986. Imbiber Beads® contains no chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer
<b>SARA 313 Information:</b>	Gelatin Encapsulated Red 17- Components present in this product at a level that could require reporting under this statute are : NONE No Hazardous Ingredients Known

HMIS & NFPA Ratings	HMIS	NFPA
Health:	1	1
Flammability:	0	0
Reactivity:	1	1
Personal Protection. Special:	B	

<b>16. OTHER INFORMATION</b>
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The information provided in this Safety Data Sheet is correct to the best of our knowledge, information and belief at the date of its publication. The information given is designed only as a guidance for safe handling use, processing, storage, transportation, disposal and release, and is not to be considered a warranty or quality specification. The information relates only to the specific material designated and may not be valid for such material used in combination with any other materials or in any process unless specified in the text.

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