

## MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET / SERVAAS LABORATORIES, INC.

**SECTION I: PRODUCT INFORMATION** 

Product Name:

**BAR KEEPERS FRIEND CLEANSER & POLISH** 

SerVaas Laboratories. Inc. 5240 Walt Place Indianapolis, IN 46254

Shipping Information: Non-Hazardous Products

NFPA Ratings: Health: 2-Moderate Fire: 0-Minimal Reactivity: 0-Minimal

Product Use:

Cleaning and polishing hard surfaces

Product/Technical Information: 317-636-7760

Medical Emergency or

Chemical Leak/Spill Emergency:

CHEMTREC PHONE: 1-800-424-9300 (24 hours)

**HMIS Ratings:** 

Health: 2-Moderate Fire: 0-Minimal Reactivity: 0-Minimal Pers. Prot. Equip: See Section VIII

**SECTION II: HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS** 

**Chemical Name** <u>% WT</u> **Exposure Limits: TLV/PEL** CAS NO. TWA: 2 (mg/m<sup>3</sup>) from ACGIH (TVL) TWA: 1 (mg/m<sup>3</sup>) from OSHA (PEL) Oxalic Acid 144-62-7 5-10

Toxological Data on Ingredients: Oxalic acid anhydrous: ORAL (LD50); Acute: 7500 mg/kg (rat)

**SECTION III: PHYSICAL DATA** 

Boiling Point: Unknown Vapor Pressure: Unknown

Vapor Density (AIR=1): Unknown Solubility in Water: <15% at 70 °C Oxalic acid and surfactant

are soluble. Abrasive is insoluble.

Evaporation Rate: N/A Specific Gravity (H<sub>2</sub>O=1): 0.85-0.95 Physical State: Free-flowing powder Percent Solid by Weight: 100%

Appearance & Odor: White, none pH: 1.5-2.5 (3% aqueous slurry)

SECTION IV: FIRE & EXPLOSIVE HAZARD DATA

Flash Point: N/A Method Used: N/A Flammable Limits: Not established Flame Extension: N/A

Extinguishing Media: Not a fire hazard. Use extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding fire.

Special Fire-fighting Instructions: Wear NIOSH approved self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing appropriate for a

chemical fire. Cool fire-exposed containers with water spray.

**SECTION V: HEALTH HAZARD DATA** 

Threshold Limit Value: Not established Primary Routes of Entry: Inhalation, Skin Contact, Eyes, Oral

Effects of Overexposure: Causes eye irritation: Symptoms may include redness, pain, swelling, and tearing.

Causes skin irritation: Symptoms may include redness, pain, and swelling.

Harmful if swallowed: Symptoms may include nausea, vomiting, pain and diarrhea. Contains oxalic acid.

Avoid contact with skin and eves. Do not swallow. Do not mix with chlorine bleach or any other household chemicals. Avoid breathing dust particles. Wash thoroughly after handling. Keep out of

reach of children.

**Emergency & First Aid procedures:** 

Eyes: Immediately rinse eyes with water. Remove any contact lenses and continue to rinse eyes with plenty

of water for at least 15 minutes. If irritation continues or persists, get medical attention.

Skin: Wash skin thoroughly with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation persists. Wash contaminated

clothing before use.

Ingestion: DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING. Rinse mouth and give a glass of milk to drink. Consult a poison control center

or physician immediately. Never give an unconscious person anything to ingest.

Inhalation: Move to fresh air. If irritation persists or there is any trouble breathing, get immediate medical attention.



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SECTION VI: REACTIVITY DATA

Stability: Stable Incompatible materials: Chlorine bleach, ammonia,

and other alkaline products

Hazardous decomposition products: Oxalic acid may generate formic

acid and CO under fire conditions

Hazardous Polymerization: Will not occur

#### **SECTION VII: SPILL OR LEAK PROCEDURES**

Steps to be taken in case

Material is released or spilled: Carefully sweep up small spills, raising a minimum amount of dust, and discard into a household

waste container for disposal.

Contain and collect large spills with minimum amount of dust and retain for evaluation.

Waste Disposal Method: Dispose according to the local, state, or federal regulations. Use baking soda

to neutralize acid. Wear protective equipment as needed.

### SECTION VIII: SPECIAL PROTECTION INFORMATION

Respiratory Protection: Not normally required when good ventilation is provided. If respiratory irritation occurs, the use of a NIOSH

approved respirator suitable for the use-conditions and chemicals listed in Section II should be considered

Ventilation: No specific controls are needed.

Protective gloves: Wear rubber gloves if sensitive skin or prolonged use. Emergency responders should

wear impermeable gloves.

Eye Protection: Avoid contact with eyes. Emergency responders should wear full eye and face

protection.

Work hygienic practices: Washing with soap and water after use is recommended as good hygienic practice to prevent possible

skin irritation and/or eye irritation from skin contact.

## SECTION IX: SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS

Precautions, handling and storage: Store in original container in an upright position in a cool, dry area inaccessible to children and pets. Keep away from direct sunlight and freezing conditions.

## **SECTION X: TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION**

Not Regulated by DOT.

DOT Transportation Number: Not available

Packing Group: Not Available Maritime Information: Not available

Hazardous substances report Quantity: Not available

TDG Classification: Consumer Commodity-Transborder Consignment

ADR Classification: Not applicable

IMDG Classification: Corrosive liquid, acid, organic n.o.s (contains oxalic acid) class 8, UN3256-III-LTD QTY

IATA Classification: Does not qualify in manufactured case lot size

# SECTION XI: REGULATORY INFORMATION

U.S. Federal and State Regulations: SARA Title III Section 313 Toxic Chemical Notification & Release Reporting: none

Other Classification: Not controlled under WHMIS (Canada)

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