

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

PRESCRIPTION TREATMENT® brand TRI-DIE® Silica & Pyrethrum Dust

EMERGENCY PHONE NUMBERS:

MEDICAL: 800-225-3320 (PROSAR)

TRANSPORTATION: 800-424-9300 (CHEMTREC)

SECTION 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name: Prescription Treatment® brand Tri-Die®
Silica & Pyrethrum Dust
EPA Reg. No.: 499-429
Product Code: 02-0232 (4 x 5 lb.)
EPA Signal Word: CAUTION
Distributed by: Whitmire Micro-Gen Research Laboratories, Inc.
3568 Tree Court Industrial Blvd.
St. Louis MO 63122-6682

SECTION 2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

COMPOSITION INFORMATION

ACTIVE INGREDIENTS (51.0%)	%	CAS NO.
Pyrethrins	1.0%	8003-34-7
Piperonyl Butoxide, Technical	10.0%	51-03-6
Amorphous Silica Dioxide	40.0%	112826-00-8
OTHER INGREDIENTS* (49.0%)	%	CAS NO.
Petroleum Distillate	> 10.0%	64742-47-8

* All ingredients may not be listed. Ingredients not listed do not meet the reporting requirements of the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (HCS) as specified in 29 CFR 1910.1200.

EXPOSURE INFORMATION

Material	OSHA PEL		ACGIH TLV	
	STEL	TWA	STEL	TWA
Pyrethrins	NE	NE	10 mg/m ³	5 mg/m ³
Piperonyl Butoxide, Technical	NE	NE	NE	NE
Amorphous Silica Dioxide	NE	NE	NE	NE
Petroleum Distillate	NE	NE	NE	NE

* TWA recommended by ingredient supplier = 300 ppm

SECTION 3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

NOTES TO PHYSICIAN

Contains petroleum distillate – vomiting may cause aspiration pneumonia.

SIGNS/SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE

May cause eye irritation. Prolonged exposure may cause drying of nose and throat.

ROUTES OF ENTRY

Primary: Skin **Secondary:** Inhalation **Tertiary:** Ingestion

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS

Can include carbon dioxide and carbon monoxide.

UNUSUAL FIRE, EXPLOSION AND REACTIVITY HAZARDS

None known.

SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor or going for treatment. Describe any symptoms and follow the advice given.

Ingestion: Immediately call a poison control center or doctor. Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by a poison control center or doctor. Do not give ANY liquid to the person. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

Inhalation: Move person to fresh air. If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably by mouth-to-mouth, if possible. Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice.

Skin Contact: Take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.

Eye Contact: Hold eyes open and rinse slowly and gently for 15-20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eyes. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.

Note to Physician: Contains petroleum distillate – vomiting may cause aspiration pneumonia.

Medical Conditions Generally Aggravated by Exposure: None known.

Emergency Telephone Number of Prosar: 800-225-3320 (for medical emergencies.)

SECTION 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

FIRE AND EXPLOSION

Flash Point (TCC): 177° F

Explosibility Limits of propellant in Air (% by volume):

Lower (LEL) = NE Upper (UEL) = NE

UNUSUAL FIRE, EXPLOSION AND REACTIVITY HAZARDS

None known.

IN CASE OF FIRE

Extinguisher Media: CO₂, Dry Chemical, Foam

Special Fire Fighting Procedures: None required.

SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

IN CASE OF SPILL OR LEAK

Spilled material should be carefully collected and containerized in a manner that produces the least amount of airborne dust. Residual surface material may be removed with towels moistened with water.

This product contains the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (CERCLA) listed chemical Pyrethrins which has a reportable quantity (RQ) of 1 lb. A release of more than 20 lbs. of this product (approx. 100 pails) is reportable to the National Response Center (800-424-8802).

Emergency Telephone Number of Chemtrec: (800) 424-9300 (for transportation spills)

PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT FOR CLEANUP PERSONNEL

Eyes: Use proper protection – goggles or face shield recommended. Avoid contact with eyes.

Skin: Wear chemical resistant gloves. (Good practice requires that gross amounts of any chemical be removed from the skin as soon as practical, especially before eating or smoking.)

Inhalation: Use of a respirator may be appropriate when working with spills in enclosed or confined spaces. When using a respirator, wear a NIOSH approved respirator with an organic vapor (OV) cartridge or canister with any R, P, or HE prefilter.

WASTE DISPOSAL METHOD

Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal of wastes. Take full or leaking containers to a local disposal company for biological treatment or incineration. Review all Local, State, and Federal regulations concerning health and pollution to determine approved disposal procedures. NEVER PLACE WASTES DOWN ANY INDOOR OR OUTDOOR DRAIN OR SEWER.

SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

Keep out of reach of children. CAUTION – Harmful if inhaled or absorbed through skin. Causes moderate eye irritation. Avoid breathing dust. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Special precautions should be taken so that all residue will be out of reach of children or domestic animals. Avoid contamination of food and foodstuffs.

STORAGE

Do not contaminate water, food or feed. Keep container tightly closed. Store in a cool, dry area inaccessible to children.

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SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROL / PERSONAL PROTECTION

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT (PPE)

Respiratory Protection: None required when used according to label directions. For prolonged exposure or if used in enclosed or confined areas, a NIOSH approved respirator with an organic vapor (OV) cartridge or canister with any R, P, or HE prefilter may be used.

Protective Gloves: Chemical resistant gloves are recommended if prolonged or repeated skin contact is likely. Good practice requires that gross amount of any chemical be removed from the skin as soon as practical, especially before eating or smoking.)

Eye Protection: Use proper protection – safety glasses are recommended.

Other Protective Equipment: None required.

VENTILATION

Local Exhaust: None required.

Mechanical: None required.

Special: None required.

Other: Provide adequate ventilation of treatment area.

SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance: Dry white powder.
Solubility in Water: Negligible
Viscosity: NE
Boiling Point: NE
pH: NE

Odor: Characteristic Pyrethrum odor.
Vapor Pressure: NA
Vapor Density: NE
Freezing/Melting Point: NE
Density: 0.278 g/ml @ 20° C

SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

REACTIVITY

Stability: Indefinite when used according to label directions.

Conditions to Avoid: None known.

Incompatibility (Material to Avoid): Strong oxidizing agents.

Hazardous Polymerization: Will not occur.

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS

Can include carbon dioxide and carbon monoxide.

SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

ROUTES OF ENTRY

Primary: Skin **Secondary:** Inhalation **Tertiary:** Ingestion

ACUTE

Eyes: May cause eye irritation. Product produced conjunctival irritation in albino rabbit eyes reversible within 72 hours. No corneal opacity or iritis was observed.

Skin: No known adverse effects to humans with intact skin. May be absorbed through damaged skin. Acute dermal LD₅₀ > 2000 mg/kg (rabbits). Primary skin irritation index = 0.

Ingestion: Acute oral toxicity LD₅₀ > 5000 mg/kg (rats).

Inhalation: A few cases of extrinsic asthma from pyrethrin mixtures have been reported. Prolonged exposure may cause drying of nose and throat. Acute inhalation toxicity LC₅₀ = 4.3 mg/L (rats).

CHRONIC / CARCINOGENICITY

Neither this product nor any of its ingredients are classified as carcinogens by the National Toxicity Program (NTP), the International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) or the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA).

SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

This product is toxic to fish. Do not apply directly to water. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwater or rinsate.

SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATION

Do not contaminate water, food or feed by disposal of container or wastes. Dispose of container and wastes in accordance with all Federal, state and local regulations.

Container Disposal: Empty container by using the product according to the label directions. Do not reuse this container! Place empty container in trash or offer for recycling if available. If container is partly filled, call your local solid waste agency or call 1-800-CLEANUP for disposal instructions. NEVER PLACE UNUSED PRODUCT DOWN ANY INDOOR OR OUTDOOR DRAIN OR SEWER.

Waste Disposal: Wastes resulting from the use of this product may be disposed of on site or at an approved waste disposal facility. NEVER PLACE WASTES DOWN ANY INDOOR OR OUTDOOR DRAIN OR SEWER.

SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

SHIPMENT BY GROUND WITHIN U.S. (DOT CLASSIFICATION)

Proper Shipping Description: Insecticide (Not Regulated)

Package Marking: None required.

Package Labeling: None required.

Certified Packaging: Not required.

SHIPMENT BY WATER OR AIR (IMDG / IATA CLASSIFICATION)

No information available.

SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

CERCLA

This product contains the CERCLA listed chemical Pyrethrins which has a reportable quantity (RQ) of 1 lb.

SARA TITLE III SECTION 311/312 HAZARD CLASS

This product has been reviewed according to the EPA "Hazard Categories" promulgated under Section 311 and 312 of the Superfund Amendment and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA Title III) and is considered, under applicable definitions, to meet the following categories:

Acute Health Hazard

SARA TITLE III SECTION 313 CHEMICALS

This product contains the following substances subject to the reporting requirements of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA Title III) and/or 40 CFR Part 372:

Piperonyl Butoxide, Technical (CAS #51-03-6) 10.0% by weight

TSCA

All components of this product are listed or excluded from listing on the US Toxic Substance Control Act (TSCA) Chemical Substance Inventory.

SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

NFPA HEALTH RATING INFORMATION

HEALTH - 1 FLAMMABILITY - 2 REACTIVITY - 0

HMIS HAZARD RATING INFORMATION

HEALTH - 1 FLAMMABILITY - 2 REACTIVITY - 0

KEY:	4 = Severe
	3 = Serious
	2 = Moderate
	1 = Slight
	0 = Minimal

The information and recommendations contained herein are based upon data believed to be correct. However, no guarantee or warranty of any kind, expressed or implied, is made with respect to the information contained herein.

Questions concerning the safe handling of the product should be referred to the Whitmire Micro-Gen Customer Service Department at 800-777-8570.

NA - Not Applicable
NE - Not Established
PEL - Permissible Exposure Limit
TLV - Threshold Limit Value
STEL - Short Term Exposure Limit (15 min.)
TWA - Time Weighted Average (8 hrs)



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