# Material Safety Data Sheet

## Section 1 – Identification

**Product Name:** Artisan Pure Color Powder (Transparent)  
**Chemical Name:** N/A  
**Family:** ACRYLIC POLYMER  
**Product Use:** NAIL POLYMER

**Distributor:** The Nail Superstore  
3804 Carnation St., Franklin Park, IL 60131  
**Information Contacts:** (847) 260-4000  
**Emergency Phone Numbers:** US & Canada (800) 535 - 5053

## Section 2 - Hazards Identification

### EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

This information is based on findings from related or similar materials.

- May cause allergic skin reaction.
- May cause eye irritation.
- Dust may cause irritation of the nose, throat, and lungs.
- This product may contain particulate, not otherwise classified (Nuisance Dust)

### Potential Health Effects, Signs and Symptoms of Exposure:

**Primary Route of Entry**  
- Eyes or skin (No absorption); inhalation of dust.

**Eye**  
Higher concentration can irritate eyes. May cause eye irritation or damage.

**Skin**  
Repeated or prolonged exposure may cause allergic skin rashes.

**Ingestion**  
Higher concentration can irritate respiratory system.

**Inhalation**  
Possible temporary discomfort due to inhalation of dust concentration above the permissible exposure limit. Dust may cause irritation of the nose, throat, and lungs.

### Sub-Chronic Effects

For Polymer: OSHA classifies this material as Particulates, Not Otherwise Classified. Eyes, skin and respiratory tract may be irritated by gross overexposure to Particulates, Not Otherwise Classified, no matter how they are generated. Avoid inhalation of dust. Keep dust out of eyes to prevent possible irritation.

For decomposition product: Methyl Methacrylate Monomer; Liquid or high vapor concentration can irritate eyes, respiratory system and cause skin rashes. Prolonged exposure can lead to headaches, nausea, staggering gait, confusion, drowsiness and unconsciousness. Repeated and prolonged over exposure may cause permanent brain and nervous system damage, allergic skin rashes, eye corrosion and permanent injury, as well as changes in liver and kidney function or damage. For Benzoyl Peroxide: repeated or prolonged contact may cause skin sensitization.

NOTE: Refer to Section 11, Toxicological Information for Details

## Section 3 - Composition/Information on Ingredients

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Chemical Identity</th>
<th>CAS Numbers</th>
<th>EINECS#</th>
<th>INCI Name</th>
<th>Exposure Limits</th>
<th>Carcinogen</th>
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<tr>
<td>Poly (ethyl methacrylate)</td>
<td>9003-42-3</td>
<td>N/E</td>
<td>Polyethylmethacrylate</td>
<td>OSHA: N/E; ACGIH: N/E</td>
<td>Not Listed</td>
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<td>Poly (methyl methacrylate)</td>
<td>9011-14-7</td>
<td>N/E</td>
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<td>OSHA: N/E; ACGIH: N/E</td>
<td>Group 3/no/no</td>
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<td>Dibenzoyl Peroxide</td>
<td>94-36-0</td>
<td>202-327-6</td>
<td>Benzoyl peroxide</td>
<td>OSHA: 5 mg/m3; ACGIH: 5 mg/m3</td>
<td>IARC/NT/OSHA: 3/3/3</td>
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May Contain the following:

- D&C Red #7  
  5281-04-9  
  29092-56-6  
  CI 15850  
  OSHA: N/E; ACGIH: N/E  
  Not listed  
  0-1

- D&C Red #30  
  2379-74-0  
  219-163-6  
  Red 30/C173360  
  OSHA: N/E; ACGIH: N/E  
  Not listed  
  0-1

N/E - None Established  
N/R - Not Reviewed  
N/A - Not Applicable

This product is not considered hazardous by OSHA Hazard Communication Standard.
Section 4 - First Aid Measures

First Aid for Eye  
Flush with water for 15 minutes, including under eyelids. Get medical help if discomfort persists.

First Aid for Skin  
Wash with soap and water. Get medical help if discomfort persists.

First Aid for Inhalation  
Remove to fresh air. Get medical help if discomfort persists.

First Aid for Ingestion  
Rinse mouth out with water. Call doctor if amount was large.

Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures

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<th>Tag</th>
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<th>Flammable Limit (vol%)</th>
<th>Auto-ignition Temperature (vol%)</th>
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<tr>
<td>TAG</td>
<td>580°F/304°C</td>
<td>N/A</td>
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Method:  
Water, carbon dioxide, dry chemical.

Extinguishing Media:  
Avoid extinguishing methods that generate dust clouds. Water streams can disperse dust into air, producing a fire hazard and possible explosion hazard. Fire-fighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

Unusual Hazards:  
Polymer dust is combustible, explosive limits of the polymer particles suspended in air are approximately those of coal dust.

Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

Spill or Release  
Sweep up to avoid slipping hazard. Keep airborne particulates at a minimum when cleaning up spills.

Section 7 - Handling and Storage

Handling  
Observe precautions found on the label. Wash face and hands thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking or smoking. Avoid prolonged or repeated contact with skin. Avoid contamination. Use only with adequate ventilation.

Storage  
Store in cool, dry place away from heat, sparks, flame and direct sunlight. Close container after each use. Ground all metal containers when transferring. Use explosion-proof equipment. Store away from combustibles and incompatible materials.

Explosion Hazard  
Polymer dust is combustible, explosive limits of the polymer particles suspended in air are approximately those of coal dust.

Section 8 - Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

Engineering Controls  
Use good local exhaust at processing equipment, including buffers, sanders, grinders and polishers. High temperature processing equipment should be well ventilated. Use explosion-proof equipment. Provide ventilation if necessary to control exposure levels below airborne exposure limits.

Personal Protective Equipment

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<th>General</th>
<th>Dust collectors are recommended for handling powder in bulk.</th>
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<td>Eye/ Face Protection</td>
<td>Use safety glasses and have eye flushing equipment immediately available.</td>
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<td>Skin Protection</td>
<td>Minimize contamination by following good industrial practice. Wearing nitrile, neoprene, pvc, latex or other impermeable gloves is recommended.</td>
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<td>Respiratory Protection</td>
<td>Avoid breathing dust and mist. Use dust mask.</td>
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Section 9 - Physical and Chemical Properties

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<th>Appearance</th>
<th>Odor &amp; Odor Threshold</th>
<th>pH</th>
<th>Specific Gravity</th>
<th>Viscosity</th>
<th>% Volatile</th>
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<td>Fine, pink powder</td>
<td>Faint odor in bulk.</td>
<td>N/A</td>
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See Section 16 for Risk and Safety Phrase Key
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Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

Stability: Stable

Incompatibility (Materials to Avoid): Strong oxidizing agents

Hazardous Decomposition Products: methacrylate monomers

Hazardous Polymerization: will not occur

Conditions to Avoid:
- Heating above 240 deg C, 464 deg F

Section 11 - Toxicological Information

Acute Oral Toxicity Acute Dermal Toxicity Acute Inhalation Toxicity Irritation - skin Irritation - Eye

LD50 Oral (Rat): 7990mg/kg LD50 Dermal (Rabbit): 35,500 mg/kg LC50 Inhalation (Rat): >12,500 to 16,500 ppm for 0.5 hours mild mild

Since this product contains a very low concentration of active components, the primary toxicological information is derived from the copolymers. Further hazardous properties cannot be excluded. The product should be handled with care when dealing with chemicals.

Sensitization Mutagenicity Sub-chronic Toxicity
- No information available
- No information available
- No information available

RTECS#: 9011-14-7: TR0400000

Section 12 - Ecological Information

Ecotoxicological Information

Flathead minnows and goldfish TLm24: 420 ppm Bluegills TLm24: 368 ppm N/DA N/DA N/DA N/DA

Chemical Fate Information

Biodegradability Chemical Oxygen Demand
- N/DA
- N/DA

To the best of our knowledge, the ecotoxicological and chemical fate properties have not been thoroughly investigated. Do not allow to enter drinking water supplies, wastewater, or soil.

Section 13 - Disposal Considerations

May be disposed of in a landfill or incinerated. Follow Federal, State and Local regulations for disposal. For EU Member States, please refer to any relevant Community provisions relating to waste. In their absence, it is useful to remind the user that national or regional provisions may be in force.

Section 14 - Transport Information

DOT (49 CFR 172)
- Proper Shipping Name: Non-Regulated Material
- Identification Number: N/A
- Marine Pollutant: No
- Special Provisions: N/A
- Emergency Response Guidebook (ERG) #: N/A

IATA (DGR):
- Proper Shipping Name: Non-Regulated Material
- Class or Division: N/A
- UN or ID Number: N/A
- Packaging Instructions: N/A
- Emergency Response Guidance (ICAO)#: N/A

IMO (IMDG):
- Proper Shipping Name: Non-Regulated Material
- Class or Division: N/A
### Section 15 - Regulatory Information

#### US Federal Regulations

**Clean Air Act: HAP/ODS**
This product contains the following hazardous air pollutants (HAP's) or ozone depleting substances (ODS's), as defined by the U.S. Clean Air Act:
- **NONE**

**Clean Water Act: Priority Pollutant**
This product contains the following chemicals listed under the U.S. Clean Water Act Priority Pollutant List:
- **NONE**

**FDA: Food Packaging Status**
This product has not been cleared by the FDA for use in food packaging and/or other applications as an indirect food additive.

**Occupational Safety and Health Act**
This product is not considered a hazardous chemical under the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard.

**RCRA**
This product contains no chemicals considered to be hazardous waste under RCRA (40 CFR 261).

**SARA Title III: Section 302 (TPQ)**
This product contains no chemicals regulated under Sec. 302 as extremely hazardous substances.

**SARA Title III: Section 302 (RQ)**
This product contains no chemicals regulated under Sec. 304 as extremely hazardous chemicals for emergency release notification ("CERCLA " List).

**SARA Title III: Section 311-312:**
This product does not contain hazardous substances under the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, and is not regulated under Section 311-312 (40 CFR 370). 

**SARA Title III: Section 313:**
This product contains the following chemicals outlined in SARA Title III: Section 313:
- Benzoyl Peroxide CAS #94-36-0.

**TSCA Section 8(b): Inventory:**
This product contains chemicals listed on the TSCA inventory or otherwise complies with TSCA premanufacture notification requirements.
None of the chemicals listed have a SNUR under TSCA.

#### State Regulations

**CA Right-to-Know Law:**
- Benzoyl Peroxide CAS #94-36-0

**California No Significant Risk Rule:**
- NONE

**MA Right-to-Know Law:**
- Benzoyl Peroxide CAS #94-36-0

**NJ Right-to-Know Law:**
- Benzoyl Peroxide CAS #94-36-0

**PA Right-to-Know Law:**
- Benzoyl Peroxide CAS #94-36-0

**FL Right-to-Know Law:**
- Benzoyl Peroxide CAS #94-36-0

**MN Right-to-Know Law:**
- Benzoyl Peroxide CAS #94-36-0

#### International Regulations

**CDSL: Canadian Inventory**
- Polymethyl methacrylate CAS# 9011-14-7 is on the DSL List. WHMIS = n/da
- Polyethylmethacrylate CAS# 9003-42-3 is on the DSL List. WHMIS = n/da
- Benzoyl Peroxide CAS #94-36-0 is on the DSL list. WHMIS = C, D2B, B4

#### Labeling according to EC Directives – 1999/45/EC

**European Community:**

- **Pure Color Powders:**
  - **HAZARD SYMBOLS:** Xi: Irritant
  - **RISK PHRASES:** R36/37/38: Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin
  - **SAFETY PHRASES:** S18: Handle and open container with care, S22: do not breathe dust, S24/25: avoid contact with skin and eyes, S38: in case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment.
Section 16 - Other Information

EU Classes and Risk / Safety Phrases for Referenced Ingredients (See Section 2):

Hazard Symbol:
Xn – Harmful substances or preparations

Risk Phrase:
R40 Limited evidence of a carcinogenic effect

Safety Phrase:
S24/25 Avoid contact with skin and eyes; S36/37 Wear suitable protective clothing and gloves

Hazard Rating System (Pictograms)

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* - Respiratory protection may be necessary depending on conditions of use. Refer to Section VIII of this MSDS for respiratory protection guidelines.

OSHA PEL for nuisance dust: 15 mg/m³ (total dust) 5 mg/m³ (respirable dust)
ACGIH PEL for nuisance dust: 10 mg/m³

The data contained herein is based upon information that The Nail Superstore believes to be reliable. Users of this product have the responsibility to determine the suitability of use and to adopt all necessary precautions to ensure the safety and protection of property and involved in said use. All statements or suggestions are made without warranty, express or implied, regarding accuracy of the information, the hazards connected with the use of the material or results to be obtained from the use thereof.