

## HEALTH AND SAFETY DATA SHEET

## **EXPANDED PERLITE**

### **1. IDENTIFICATION**

1.1 Commercial Name(s): Expanded Perlite

1.2 <u>Supplier</u>: : Agrekal Tarım Girdileri Ür. İnş. Tic. Ltd.Sti. Yukarıkocayatak Beldesi Poyrazlı Mevkii Merkez Mh. No:25/1 Serik - Antalya - TURKEY

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### 2. CHEMICAL COMPOSITION

Perlite is a Natural Complex Aluminium, Potassium and Sodium Silicate not chemically treated. Dicalite Perlite is chemically inert and contains less than 1 % Crystalline Silica.

### 3. HAZARD INFORMATION

Expanded Perlite causes an annoying but reversible effect on the lungs by inhalation. This annoying dust causes no organic disease or has no toxic influence on the organism.



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### 4. FIRST AID PROCEDURE

4.1 Inhalation:

Remove from dust area, drink water to clear throat; blow nose to evacuate dust.

4.2 Eye irritation:

Do not rub! Flush eyes immediately with copious amounts of water. Consult a physician if irritation persists.

- 4.3 Skin irritation: None
- 4.4 Swallow: None
- 4.5 Falling into expanded perlite: Secure yourself against falling

### 5. FIRE- AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS

None. Perlite is inert and non-flammable.



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### 6. HANDLING AND STORAGE-PRECAUTIONS

- 6.1 Handling: Avoid creating dust. Repair all broken bags immediately.
- 6.2 <u>Storage:</u> Keep dry and far from odoriferous chemicals.

### 7. EXPOSURE AND PERSONAL PRECAUTION

- 7.1 Respiratory organs protection:
  - A dust mask shall wear.
- 7.2 Eye protection: Safety glasses shall be wear.
- 7.3 Hand & skin protection: None.



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### 8. PHYSICAL-CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical state at 20°C	: Solid white powder
Density pH (in 100 gil water slurry) State Modification	: 50 - 110 kg/m <sup>3</sup>
	: 6,5 - 7,5
	: over 800°C

### 9. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Hazardous Reaction Hazardous dissemination products None, except with f1uoric-acidReacts with f1uoric-acid to form toxic silicon

tetrafluoride.



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### **10. APPLICATIONS**

Growing media for soilless cultures and agricultures mixtures.

### **11. LEGAL INFORMATION**

Hazard symbol	: none
Risk sentences R	: none
Risk sentences S	: none
Recommended: S22	: do not inhale dust
S26	: by eye contact, flush with water