

# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

# Geocel<sup>®</sup>

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## 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

**PRODUCT NAME:** 3500

### DISTRIBUTOR

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### 24 HR. EMERGENCY TELEPHONE NUMBERS

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## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

**IMMEDIATE CONCERNS:** May cause significant eye and sinus irritation which goes away once person is no longer exposed to the material.

### POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS

**EYES:** May cause significant irritation to the eyes.

**SKIN:** Skin contact may cause irritation. Isocyanates may react with skin protein and moisture to cause itching, reddening, swelling, scaling or blistering. Individuals previously sensitized to this material may experience these symptoms from exposure to very small amounts of liquid or vapor.

**INGESTION:** May cause significant irritation to the digestive tract.

**INHALATION:** May cause significant irritation to the lungs, upper respiratory tract and nose.

### SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF OVEREXPOSURE

**EYES:** Causes eye irritation.

**SKIN:** Irritation of the skin.

**INGESTION:** Ingestion of this material can cause mouth, throat, esophageal, and gastrointestinal tract irritation.

**INHALATION:** Irritation of upper respiratory tract, asthmatic symptoms, chest tightness, breathing difficulty, coughing, short throat.

**ROUTES OF ENTRY:** Inhalation, ingestion, absorption through the eyes and skin.

**TARGET ORGAN STATEMENT:** The eyes, lungs and skin may be targeted and damaged by components of the product.

**HEALTH HAZARDS:** This product contains Methylene Diphenyl Isocyanate (MDI) which is a potential skin sensitizer and has been shown to alter cells in certain experiments. Although inconclusive, these cellular changes are thought to indicate potential carcinogenicity. Risk to your health depends on duration and concentration of exposure.

**COMMENTS:** Signs and symptoms of overexposure to this product include headache, irritation of upper respiratory tract, asthmatic symptoms, chest tightness, breathing difficulty, coughing, dizziness, weakness, fatigue, eye irritation, skin irritation, diarrhea.

## 3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	CAS	EINECS
Methylene Disphenyl Isocyanate	101-68-8	202-966-0
Polymeric Isocyanates	9016-87-9	- -

## 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

**EYES:** Immediately flush with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention or advice.

**SKIN:** Remove contaminated clothing to prevent further skin exposure and dispose of properly. In situations involving considerable skin contact, place the contaminated person in a deluge shower for at least 15 minutes. For minor exposures, wash thoroughly with soap and clean water. Get medical attention if irritation persists.

**INGESTION:** If ingested, get immediate medical attention. Do not induce vomiting unless instructed to do so by medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to a victim who is unconscious or is having convulsions.

**INHALATION:** Remove to fresh air. Get medical attention immediately for a large dose exposure or if cough or other symptoms develop. Administer oxygen or artificial respiration as needed.

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**5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES****EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:** Dry chemical, foam, carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), sand.**SENSITIVE TO STATIC DISCHARGE:** Not Applicable**SENSITIVITY TO IMPACT:** Not Applicable

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**6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES****SMALL SPILL:** Wearing the personal protective equipment designated in Section 8, carefully contain the spill and transfer to the appropriate container for disposal. Do not discharge to lakes, streams, ponds, or sewers. Dispose of in compliance with local, state, and federal regulations.**LARGE SPILL:** Wearing the personal protective equipment designated in Section 8, carefully contain the spill and transfer to the appropriate container for disposal. Do not discharge to lakes, streams, ponds, or sewers. Dispose of in compliance with local, state, and federal regulations. Ventilate well while cleanup is in process and until fumes dissipate.

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**7. HANDLING AND STORAGE****HANDLING:** Avoid temperature extremes.**STORAGE:** Store in a cool dry place.

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**8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION****PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT****EYES AND FACE:** Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles) and a face shield.**SKIN:** Wear appropriate clothing to minimize skin contact with this product.**RESPIRATORY:** Not normally required. Use NIOSH or MSHA approved respirator as appropriate.**PROTECTIVE CLOTHING:** Wear clothing that will protect the skin from exposure to this product.**WORK HYGIENIC PRACTICES:** Wash hands thoroughly after each use, especially before eating or smoking. Good personal hygiene practices should always be followed.**OTHER USE PRECAUTIONS:** Eyewash fountains and emergency showers should be readily available.

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**9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES****PHYSICAL STATE:** Paste**ODOR:** Slight**DENSITY:** 12.27-12.37**(VOC):** VOC content is less than 1% by weight.

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**10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY****STABLE:** Yes**HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION:** No**CONDITIONS TO AVOID:** High humidity at temperatures above 80°F.

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**11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION****EYE EFFECTS:** Irritating to the eyes.**SKIN EFFECTS:** Irritating to the skin.**REPEATED DOSE EFFECTS:** Single large does, and/or repeated exposures, may lead to sensitization to diisocyanates or polyisocyanates (asthma or asthma-like symptoms), causing an individual to experience adverse effects at exposure levels well below exposure limits or guidelines. Symptoms may include chest tightness, wheezing, shortness of breath, coughing or asthmatic attack, and may be delayed up to several hours. Extreme asthmatic reactions can be life threatening. Once sensitized, an individual may experience adverse symptoms upon exposure to dust, cold air or other irritants. Sensitization can last several months, years or be permanent in some cases. Chronic exposure may cause lung damage, including fibrosis and decreased lung function, which may be permanent.

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**12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION****ENVIRONMENTAL DATA:** No environmental studies have been carried out on this product.

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**13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS****DISPOSAL METHOD:** Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. US EPA guidelines for the classification determination are listed in 40 CFR Part 261.3. Additionally, waste generators must consult state and local hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.

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**14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION****DOT (DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION)****PRIMARY HAZARD CLASS/DIVISION:** Non Hazardous**OTHER SHIPPING INFORMATION:** Generators must consult DOT laws and regulations to ensure the product is being transported appropriately.**COMMENTS:** Not regulated as dangerous goods.**15. REGULATORY INFORMATION****UNITED STATES****SARA TITLE III (SUPERFUND AMENDMENTS AND REAUTHORIZATION ACT)****311/312 HAZARD CATEGORIES:** This product poses the following physical and health hazard(s) as defined in 40 CFR Part 370 and is subject to the requirements of sections 311 and 312 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986:**FIRE:** Yes **PRESSURE GENERATING:** No **REACTIVITY:** No **ACUTE:** Yes **CHRONIC:** Yes**313 REPORTABLE INGREDIENTS:** This product contains the following toxic chemicals subject to the reporting requirements of Section 313 of the Emergency Planning and Community Right-To-Know Act of 1986 and 40 CFR372. CAS #: 101-68-8 MDI, 9016-87-9 Polymeric Isocyanate.**CERCLA (COMPREHENSIVE RESPONSE, COMPENSATION, AND LIABILITY ACT)**

Chemical Name	Wt. %	CERCLA RQ
Methylene Disphenyl Isocyanate	0	5,000

**TSCA (TOXIC SUBSTANCE CONTROL ACT)****TSCA REGULATORY:** All ingredients of this product are listed or are excluded from listing under the U.S. Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Chemical Substance Inventory.**CALIFORNIA PROPOSITION 65:** This product does not contain any chemicals known to be on California's Proposition 65 List.**COMMENTS** This product meets the RoHS guidelines for electronic components and hardware. We certify the following substances are not intentionally introduced to this product: barium, beryllium, cadmium, chromium, cobalt, copper, hexavalent chromium, lead, manganese, mercury, nickel, polybrominated biphenyls, polybrominated diphenyl ethers, selenium, silver, thallium, titanium, zinc.**16. OTHER INFORMATION****APPROVED BY:** Technical Staff**PREPARED BY:** Technical Staff**REVISION SUMMARY:** This MSDS replaces the 10/20/2011 MSDS. Revised: **Section 16:** HMIS RATING - HMIS RATINGS NOTES  
NFPA CODES - NFPA STORAGE CLASSIFICATION.**NFPA STORAGE CLASSIFICATION:** Health 2, Flammability 1, Physical Hazard 0**HMIS RATINGS NOTES:** Health 2, Flammability 1, Physical Hazard 0, PPE B**MANUFACTURER DISCLAIMER:** Information given herein is offered in good faith as accurate, but without guarantee. Conditions of use and suitability of the product for particular uses are beyond our control; all risks of use of the product are therefore assumed by the user. Nothing is intended as a recommendation for uses which infringe valid patents or as extending license under valid patents. Appropriate warnings and safe handling procedures should be provided to handlers and users.