

Whole Cone Hops

Hops are not classified as dangerous products according to European Union legislation, and their use is as a food product in the brewing of beer. However, this safety data sheet is provided voluntarily according (as appropriate) to the principles of the Classification, Labelling and Packaging Regulations (Regulation (EC) No.1272/2008).

Safety Data Sheet

1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE AND OF THE COMPANY

1.1 Product Identifier	Whole Cone Hops, Raw Hops
1.2 Synonyms	Baled Hops, Cone Hops, Leaf Hops, Raw Cone Hops, Organic Cone Hops, Organic Raw
1.3 Relevant Uses	For use as an ingredient in the brewing of beer
1.4 Supplier	BarthHaas / BarthHaas UK Ltd.
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2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

- 2.1 Classification** Not classified (Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008)
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- 2.2 Label Elements** N/A (not classified)
- 2.3 Other Hazards** Associated dust may be irritating to eyes, mouth and throat.

3. COMPONENTS/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

The product consists entirely of hop cones of the cultivated hop plant *Humulus lupulus*. Many different varieties.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

4.1 Description of First

Aid Methods:

- **Inhalation**
 - **Skin Contact**
 - **Eye Contact**
 - **Oral Ingestion**
- Move to fresh air
 - Brush off excess material and wash skin thoroughly with soap and water.
 - Flood the eye with plenty of water. If any symptoms persist obtain medical attention.
 - Drink large amounts of water to dilute. Vomiting may occur but should not be induced. Obtain medical attention if symptoms persist.

4.2 Most important symptoms and Effects None known. See Section 2.3.

4.3 Indications of Immediate Medical None known

5 FIRE AID MEASURES

5.1 Extinguishing Media Carbon dioxide, dry powder, foam. Keep container and surroundings cool with water spray. Great care should be taken using water/jet spray.

5.2 Special Hazards Not known
Arising from Substance

5.3 Advice for Firefighters Fire fighters should wear self-contained positive pressure breathing apparatus

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

6.1 Personal Protection Wear appropriate protective clothing – see Section 8.

6.2 Environmental Precautions Do not discharge onto the ground or into watercourses.

6.3 Methods for Cleaning Up Normal clean-up procedures as for any agricultural commodity.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

7.1 Precautions for Safe Handling Avoid generating excessive dust. Avoid excessive contact with product. Use appropriate protective clothing as indicated in Section 8. Wash hands after use.

7.2 Conditions for Safe Storage To guarantee quality avoid heat, moisture and strong odours during storage. Raw Hops should not be exposed to temperatures above 20 °C (68 °F) since it is possible that gases are formed from hop constituents. The resulting pressure increase may cause bursting of the foils. Consequently the raw hops will be exposed to air and oxidation resulting in a considerable deterioration of quality. Suitable storage containers are thick gauge laminated foil bags, hessian or plastic bags. Best storage is in a cold (-2 to 4°C, 28 to 39 °F) dry area, protected from weather influences and foreign odours. Maximum moisture content should be 12%.

7.3 Specific End Uses The substance is manufactured for use as a food ingredient and for such uses is not subject to registration via REACH (Regulation (EC) No.1907/2006). It should be used in accordance with applicable food legislation.



8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

8.1 Control Parameters Not applicable.

8.2 Exposure Controls:

- **Engineering Controls**
 - Provide adequate ventilation
 - If in danger of generating dust, wear goggles.
- **Eye/Face Protection**
 - Gloves possible (not mandatory)
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- **Hand Protection**
 - If in danger of generating dust, wear a facemask
- **Skin Protection**
- **Respiratory Protection**



9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

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| a) Physical state | Whole hop cones, sometimes compressed. |
| b) Color | Various shades of green |
| c) Odor | Characteristic, typical hoppy, depends on variety |
| d) Melting point/Freezing point | Not practical to measure |
| e) Boiling point | Not practical to measure |
| f) Flammability | Not practical to measure |
| g) Lower and upper explosion limit | Not practical to measure |
| h) Flash point | Not practical to measure |
| i) Auto-ignition temperature | Not practical to measure |
| j) Decomposition temperature | Not practical to measure |
| k) pH | Not practical to measure |
| l) Kinematic viscosity | Not practical to measure |
| m) Solubility | Insoluble |
| n) Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (log value) | Not practical to measure |
| o) Vapor pressure | Not practical to measure |



p) Density [kg/m³] 450 – 700 (80 – 200 if not compressed)

q) Relative vapor density Not practical to measure

r) Particle characteristics Not practical to measure

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

10.1 Reactivity No reactivity hazards known.

10.2 Chemical Stability Stable if stored according to Section 7.2 and 10.5

10.3 Possibility of Hazardous Reaction None known

10.4 Conditions to Avoid See Section 7.2

10.5 Incompatible Materials None known

10.6 Hazardous Decomposition Products None known



11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

- 11.1 Acute Toxicity** No data available. Hops and hop extracts are generally recognized as safe (GRAS) for their intended use in accordance with US FDA regulation, 21 CFR 170.30(c) and 170.3(f). Supported by a long history of safe use in brewing.
- 11.2 Skin Corrosion/Irritation** No data available
- 11.3 Serious Eye Damage/Irritation** No data available
- 11.4 Respiratory or Skin Sensitization** No data available
- 11.5 Germ Cell Mutagenicity** No data available
- 11.6 Carcinogenicity** No data available
- 11.7 Reproductive Toxicity** No data available
- 11.8 STOT- Single Exposure** No data available
- 11.9 STOT-Repeated Exposure** No data available
- 11.10 Aspiration Hazard** No data available



12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

12.1 Ecotoxicity	No data available
12.2 Persistence and Degradability	No data available- All-natural product.
12.3 Bioaccumulative Potential	No data available. All-natural product, not expected to bioaccumulate
12.4 Mobility in Soil	No data available
12.5 Results of PBT Exposure:	No data available
12.6 Other Adverse Effects Exposure	No data available



13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

13.1 Product Disposal Dispose in accordance with all applicable local and national regulations.

13.2 Container Disposal Labels should not be removed from containers until they have been cleaned. Contaminated containers should not be treated as household waste. Containers should be cleaned using appropriate methods and then re-used or disposed of by landfill or incineration as appropriate.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

14.1 UN-Number Non-hazardous for transport

14.2 Shipping Name Non-hazardous for transport

14.3 Transport Hazard Class N/A

14.4 Packing Group Non-hazardous for transport

14.5 Marine Pollutant No data available

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

15.1 Safety, Health, and Environmental Regulations No data available

15.2 Chemical Safety Assessments No data available

16. OTHER INFORMATION

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