

# Press Agent

## Safety Data Sheet

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### SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION

#### 1.1. Product Identifier

**Product Form:** Mixture

**Product Name:** Press Agent

**Product Code:** 15801, 15805, 15855

\*This document is intended to be used for safety in the workplace only, and is not a consumer document.

#### 1.2. Intended Use of the Product

Laundry starch/sizing.

#### 1.3. Name, Address, and Telephone of the Responsible Party

Faultless Starch/ Bon Ami Co.

1025 W 8th St.

Kansas City, MO 64101 USA

T: 1-816-842-1230

[www.faultless.com](http://www.faultless.com)

#### 1.4. Emergency Telephone Number

**Emergency Number** : 1-703-527-3887 or 1-800-424-9300 (for emergencies) CHEMTREC

### SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### 2.1. Classification of the Substance or Mixture

**Classification (GHS-US)**

Skin Sens. 1 H317

Full text of H-phrases: see section 16

#### 2.2. Label Elements

**GHS-US Labeling**

**Hazard Pictograms (GHS-US)** :



**Signal Word (GHS-US)** :

Warning

**Hazard Statements (GHS-US)** :

H317 - May cause an allergic skin reaction.

**Precautionary Statements (GHS-US)** :

P261 - Avoid breathing vapors, mist, or spray.  
P272 - Contaminated work clothing must not be allowed out of the workplace.  
P280 - Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, and eye protection.  
P302+P352 - IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water.  
P321 - Specific treatment (see section 4 on this SDS).  
P333+P313 - If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.  
P362+P364 - Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.  
P501 - Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local, regional, national, and international regulations.

#### 2.3. Other Hazards

Exposure may aggravate those with pre-existing eye, skin, or respiratory conditions.

#### 2.4. Unknown Acute Toxicity (GHS-US) No data available

### SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

#### 3.1. Substances

Not applicable

#### 3.2. Mixture

Name	Product Identifier	% (w/w)
3(2H)-Isothiazolone, 5-chloro-2-methyl-	(CAS No) 26172-55-4	0.1 - 1

The specific chemical identity and/or exact percentage of composition have been withheld as a trade secret [29 CFR 1910.1200].

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A range of concentration as prescribed by the Controlled Products Regulations has been used where necessary, due to varying composition.

Full text of H-phrases: see section 16

### SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

#### 4.1. Description of First Aid Measures

**General:** Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label if possible).

**Inhalation:** Remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Obtain medical attention if breathing difficulty persists.

**Skin Contact:** Wash with plenty of soap and water. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse. If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

**Eye Contact:** Rinse with plenty of water immediately. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Obtain medical attention if irritation develops or persists.

**Ingestion:** Do not induce vomiting. Rinse mouth. Seek medical attention if a large amount is swallowed.

#### 4.2. Most Important Symptoms and Effects Both Acute and Delayed

**General:** Skin sensitization.

**Inhalation:** Prolonged exposure may cause irritation.

**Skin Contact:** Exposure may produce an allergic reaction.

**Eye Contact:** Prolonged exposure to liquid may cause a mild irritation.

**Ingestion:** Ingestion is likely to be harmful or have adverse effects.

**Chronic Symptoms:** None expected under normal conditions of use.

#### 4.3. Indication of Any Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment Needed

If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible).

### SECTION 5: FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

#### 5.1. Extinguishing Media

**Suitable Extinguishing Media:** Use extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding fire.

**Unsuitable Extinguishing Media:** Do not use a heavy water stream. Use of heavy stream of water may spread fire.

#### 5.2. Special Hazards Arising From the Substance or Mixture

**Fire Hazard:** Product is not flammable.

**Explosion Hazard:** Product is not explosive.

**Reactivity:** Hazardous reactions will not occur under normal conditions.

#### 5.3. Advice for Firefighters

**Precautionary Measures Fire:** Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire. Under fire conditions, hazardous fumes will be present.

**Firefighting Instructions:** Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed containers.

**Protection During Firefighting:** Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.

**Hazardous Combustion Products:** Thermal decomposition generates: Carbon oxides (CO, CO<sub>2</sub>).

#### Reference to Other Sections

Refer to section 9 for flammability properties.

### SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

#### 6.1. Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures

**General Measures:** Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

##### 6.1.1. For Non-Emergency Personnel

**Protective Equipment:** Use appropriate personal protection equipment (PPE).

**Emergency Procedures:** Evacuate unnecessary personnel.

##### 6.1.2. For Emergency Personnel

**Protective Equipment:** Equip cleanup crew with proper protection.

**Emergency Procedures:** Upon arrival at the scene, a first responder is expected to recognize the presence of dangerous goods, protect oneself and the public, secure the area, and call for the assistance of trained personnel as soon as conditions permit.

#### 6.2. Environmental Precautions

Prevent entry to sewers and public waters. Notify authorities if product enters sewers or public waters.

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### 6.3. Methods and Material for Containment and Cleaning Up

**For Containment:** Contain any spills with dikes or absorbents to prevent migration and entry into sewers or streams.

**Methods for Cleaning Up:** Clean up spills immediately and dispose of waste safely. Absorb and/or contain spill with inert material, then place in suitable container. Contact competent authorities after a spill.

### 6.4. Reference to Other Sections

See Section 8, Exposure Controls and Personal Protection. See Section 13, Disposal Considerations.

## SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

### 7.1. Precautions for Safe Handling

**Hygiene Measures:** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety procedures. Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work.

### 7.2. Conditions for Safe Storage, Including Any Incompatibilities

**Technical Measures:** Comply with applicable regulations.

**Storage Conditions:** Store in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep container closed when not in use. Keep/Store away from direct sunlight, extremely high or low temperatures, and incompatible materials.

**Incompatible Materials:** Water reactive materials. Strong oxidizers.

### 7.3. Specific End Use(s)

Laundry starch/sizing.

## SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### 8.1. Control Parameters

For substances listed in section 3 that are not listed here, there are no established Exposure limits from the manufacturer, supplier, importer, or the appropriate advisory agency including: ACGIH (TLV), NIOSH (REL), OSHA (PEL), Canadian provincial governments, or the Mexican government.

### 8.2. Exposure Controls

**Appropriate Engineering Controls:** Emergency eye wash fountains and safety showers should be available in the immediate vicinity of any potential exposure. Provide adequate ventilation to minimize dust concentrations. Provide exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls to keep the airborne concentrations of vapor or mists below the applicable workplace exposure limits. Ensure all national/local regulations are observed.

**Personal Protective Equipment:** Protective goggles. Protective clothing. Gloves. Insufficient ventilation: wear respiratory protection.



**Materials for Protective Clothing:** Chemically resistant materials and fabrics.

**Hand Protection:** In case of repeated or prolonged contact wear gloves.

**Eye Protection:** Chemical safety goggles.

**Skin and Body Protection:** Wear suitable protective clothing.

**Respiratory Protection:** If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, approved respiratory protection should be worn.

**Environmental Exposure Controls:** Do not allow the product to be released into the environment.

**Consumer Exposure Controls:** Do not eat, drink or smoke during use.

## SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### 9.1. Information on Basic Physical and Chemical Properties

Physical State	: Liquid
Appearance	: Clear to hazy
Odor	: Pleasant
Odor Threshold	: Not available
pH	: 5.5 - 6.5
Evaporation Rate	: Not available
Melting Point	: Not available
Freezing Point	: Not available
Boiling Point	: 100 °C (212 °F)

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Flash Point	: Not available
Auto-ignition Temperature	: Not available
Decomposition Temperature	: Not available
Flammability (solid, gas)	: Not available
Lower Flammable Limit	: Not available
Upper Flammable Limit	: Not available
Vapor Pressure	: Not available
Relative Vapor Density at 20 °C	: Not available
Relative Density	: Not available
Specific Gravity	: 1.008 g/mL
Solubility	: Complete in water
Partition Coefficient: N-Octanol/Water	: Not available
Viscosity	: Not available
Explosion Data – Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact	: Not expected to present an explosion hazard due to mechanical impact.
Explosion Data – Sensitivity to Static Discharge	: Not expected to present an explosion hazard due to static discharge.
VOC content	: No additional information available

### SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

- 10.1. Reactivity:** Hazardous reactions will not occur under normal conditions.
- 10.2. Chemical Stability:** Stable under recommended handling and storage conditions (see section 7).
- 10.3. Possibility of Hazardous Reactions:** Hazardous polymerization will not occur.
- 10.4. Conditions to Avoid:** Direct sunlight. Extremely high or low temperatures. Incompatible materials.
- 10.5. Incompatible Materials:** Water reactive materials. Strong oxidizers.
- 10.6. Hazardous Decomposition Products:** Thermal decomposition generates: Carbon oxides (CO, CO<sub>2</sub>).

### SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### 11.1. Information on Toxicological Effects - Product

**Acute Toxicity:** Not classified

**LD50 and LC50 Data:** Not available

**Skin Corrosion/Irritation:** Not classified

**pH:** 5.5 - 6.5

**Serious Eye Damage/Irritation:** Not classified

**pH:** 5.5 - 6.5

**Respiratory or Skin Sensitization:** May cause an allergic skin reaction.

**Germ Cell Mutagenicity:** Not classified

**Teratogenicity:** Not classified

**Carcinogenicity:** Not classified

**Specific Target Organ Toxicity (Repeated Exposure):** Not classified

**Reproductive Toxicity:** Not classified

**Specific Target Organ Toxicity (Single Exposure):** Not classified

**Aspiration Hazard:** Not classified

**Symptoms/Injuries After Inhalation:** Prolonged exposure may cause irritation.

**Symptoms/Injuries After Skin Contact:** Exposure may produce an allergic reaction.

**Symptoms/Injuries After Eye Contact:** Prolonged exposure to liquid may cause a mild irritation.

**Symptoms/Injuries After Ingestion:** Ingestion is likely to be harmful or have adverse effects.

**Chronic Symptoms:** None expected under normal conditions of use.

#### 11.2. Information on Toxicological Effects - Ingredient(s)

**LD50 and LC50 Data:**

3(2H)-Isothiazolone, 5-chloro-2-methyl- (26172-55-4)	
LD50 Oral Rat	481 mg/kg
LC50 Inhalation Rat	1.23 mg/l/4h

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ATE US (dermal)	300.00 mg/kg body weight
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### SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### 12.1. Toxicity No additional information available

<b>3(2H)-Isothiazolone, 5-chloro-2-methyl- (26172-55-4)</b>	
LC50 Fish 1	1.6 mg/l (Exposure time: 96 h - Species: Oncorhynchus mykiss [semi-static])
EC50 Daphnia 1	4.71 mg/l (Exposure time: 48 h - Species: Daphnia magna)
EC50 Daphnia 2	0.12 - 0.3 mg/l (Exposure time: 48 h - Species: Daphnia magna [Flow through])

#### 12.2. Persistence and Degradability Not available

#### 12.3. Bioaccumulative Potential

<b>3(2H)-Isothiazolone, 5-chloro-2-methyl- (26172-55-4)</b>	
Log Pow	-0.71 - 0.75 (at 20 °C)

#### 12.4. Mobility in Soil Not available

#### 12.5. Other Adverse Effects Not available

### SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

#### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

**Sewage Disposal Recommendations:** Do not empty into drains; dispose of this material and its container in a safe way.

**Waste Disposal Recommendations:** Dispose of waste material in accordance with all local, regional, national, provincial, territorial and international regulations.

### SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

#### 14.1. In Accordance with DOT Not regulated for transport

#### 14.2. In Accordance with IMDG Not regulated for transport

#### 14.3. In Accordance with IATA Not regulated for transport

#### 14.4. In Accordance with TDG Not regulated for transport

### SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION


#### 15.1. US Federal Regulations

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SARA Section 311/312 Hazard Classes	Immediate (acute) health hazard
<b>3(2H)-Isothiazolone, 5-chloro-2-methyl- (26172-55-4)</b>	
Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory	
EPA TSCA Regulatory Flag	S - S - indicates a substance that is identified in a proposed or final Significant New Uses Rule.
SARA Section 311/312 Hazard Classes	Immediate (acute) health hazard

#### 15.2. US State Regulations

<b>3(2H)-Isothiazolone, 5-chloro-2-methyl- (26172-55-4)</b>	
U.S. - Texas - Effects Screening Levels - Long Term	
U.S. - Texas - Effects Screening Levels - Short Term	

#### 15.3. Canadian Regulations

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WHMIS Classification	Class D Division 2 Subdivision B - Toxic material causing other toxic effects
	

<b>3(2H)-Isothiazolone, 5-chloro-2-methyl- (26172-55-4)</b>	
Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)	
WHMIS Classification	Class D Division 1 Subdivision B - Toxic material causing immediate and serious toxic effects Class D Division 2 Subdivision B - Toxic material causing other toxic effects Class E - Corrosive Material

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This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations (CPR) and the SDS contains all of the information required by CPR.

### SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION, INCLUDING DATE OF PREPARATION OR LAST REVISION

**Revision Date** : 09/22/2015

**Other Information** : This document has been prepared in accordance with the SDS requirements of the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard 29 CFR 1910.1200.

#### GHS Full Text Phrases:

Skin Sens. 1	Skin sensitization Category 1
H317	May cause an allergic skin reaction

#### Party Responsible for the Preparation of This Document

Faultless Starch/ Bon Ami Co.: 1-816-842-1230 (for product information); 1-800-424-9300 (for emergencies)

*This information is based on our current knowledge and is intended to describe the product for the purposes of health, safety and environmental requirements only. It should not therefore be construed as guaranteeing any specific property of the product.*

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