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COMPOUND: POLYETHYLENE (DUST OR PELLETS)

EXPOSURE GUIDELINE: 10 MG/M<sup>3</sup> - TO AVOID IRRITATION TO  
NOSE AND THROAT IN DUSTY  
ATMOSPHERES.

EYES: MINOR IRRITATION POSSIBLE FROM MECHANICAL ABRASION.

SKIN: MINOR IRRITATION POSSIBLE FROM MECHANICAL ABRASION.

INGESTION: NON-TOXIC

INHALATION: CONSIDERED A NUISANCE DUST (BIOLOGICALLY INACTIVE)

SHORT TERM EXPOSURE: MAY CAUSE IRRITATION TO THE NOSE AND  
THROAT IN VERY DUSTY ATMOSPHERES.

LONG TERM EXPOSURE: MAY RESULT IN SOME DEPOSITION OF THE  
DUST IN THE LUNGS.

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