# mOasis, Inc. MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

## 01. CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

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#### 02. DESCRIPTION

Product name: BountiGel<sup>TM</sup> Hydrogel

Chemical Name Polyacrylic acid (potassium salt) cross-linked polymer

**Properties** 

form Free-flowing granular

crosslinking cross-linked

particle size 0.6 - 2 mm

Application Absorbent for water and aqueous-based liquid. Retention and slow release aid for water.

Absorbs many times its weight of aqueous fluids.

Features and Absorbs aqueous fluids to give gels which retain fluids under stress. Polymer swells in water

Benefits but does not dissolve. Amount of aqueous fluid absorbed decreases with increasing salt

content.

03 .HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION: NON-HAZARDOUS

Stability: Stable.

Materials to Avoid: Strong oxidizing agents.

Decomposition Products: Carbon dioxide.

HMIS® Hazard Ratings: Health – 1, Flammability – 1, Chemical Reactivity – 0

# 04. FIRST-AID MEASURES

Inhalation---- If symptomatic, move to fresh air. Get medical attention if symptoms persist.

Eyes ---- Any material that contacts the eye should be washed out immediately with water. If easy to do, remove contact lenses. Get medical attention if symptoms persist.

Skin ---- Wash with soap and water. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

Ingestion ---- Seek medical advice.

## 05. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Minimum Ignition Temperature --- 375°C (707°F)

**Extinguishing Media ---** Water spray, dry chemical. Polymer absorbs water and becomes slippery when wet.

**Special Fire-Fighting Procedures ---** Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing.

Hazardous Combustion Products --- Carbon dioxide, carbon monoxide.

Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards --- Powdered material may form explosive dust-air mixtures.

**Sensitivity to Static Discharge ---** Material may accumulate a static charge which could act as an ignition source.

### **06. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

Sweep or scoop up and remove.

#### 07. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Personal Precautionary Measures --- Avoid contact with molten material.

**Prevention of Fire and Explosion ---** Keep from contact with oxidizing materials. Minimize dust generation and accumulation. In the United States of America, refer to NFPA® Pamphlet No. 654, "Prevention of Fire and Dust Explosions in the Chemical, Dye, Pharmaceutical, and Plastics Industries."

Storage --- Keep container closed.