



Connecticut Coconut Company  
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# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

## Country of Origin: Philippines

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### 1. IDENTIFICATION OF SUBSTANCE

- Commercial Product Name : **Organic Desiccated Coconut**
- Company : Connecticut Coconut Company  
44 Hubbell Lane, Shelton CT USA  
(203) 513-2691
- Information Department : Safety Committee CCC

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### 2. COMPOSITION/DATA ON COMPONENTS:

- Chemical Characterization – Processed Food from Coconut
- Description:  
Mixture of Special & Granular cut, white, characteristic of coconut with no off-odor
- No regulated component added

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### 3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION:

- This material is not hazardous, but as an exported food is subject to regulation under US Federal Food, Drug and Cosmetic act or equivalent regulatory agencies of destination countries
- Content – Coconut, considered as tree nut by USFDA, may cause allergy specially to children.
- Combustible due to natural oil content and dry state

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### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES:

- Call a doctor immediately in case someone has allergic reactions

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### 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES:

- Suitable extinguishing agent – CO<sub>2</sub> or extinguishing powder
- Protective Equipment – Wear fully protective suit in case of fire.

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### 6. HANDLING AND STORAGE:

- Information about protection against fires: Store away from boiler or heat. Store away from toxic or volatile substances as coconut may absorb them.
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## 7. EXPOSURE CONTROL AND PERSONAL PROTECTION:

- Critical component – none
- General protective and Hygienic Measure- No special precautionary measures
- Protection of Hands, Eye, Body – No special precautionary measures

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## 8. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES:

- Form : Solid, dry, granulated or shredded particles
- Color : White
- Odor : Natural fresh coconut flavor with no-off odor
- Change in condition : None
- Melting point/Melting range : Undetermined
- Boiling Flash Point/Boiling range : Undetermined
- Flash Point : Not Applicable
- Auto igniting : Product is not self-igniting
- Danger of Explosion : Product does not present an explosion hazard
- Density : Not determined
- Solubility in /Miscibility with water : Insoluble. Rehydrate
- Dry Matter Content : 96 – 99%

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## 9. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

- Thermal Decomposition /conditions to be avoided:  
No decomposition if used according to specifications
- Dangerous reactions – No dangerous reactions known
- Dangerous Products of Decomposition: No dangerous decomposition products known

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## 10. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION:

- When used and handled according to specifications, the product does not have any harmful effects

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## 11. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION:

- Ecotoxicological effects – currently, none have been identified

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## 12. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

- Product:  
Small quantities can be disposed of as with solid waste, adhering to state and federal regulations.  
may be used as animal feed.
  - Packaging:  
Disposal must be made according to official regulations
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### 13. TRANSPORT INFORMATION:

- Hazard Class – not dangerous
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### 14. REGULATIONS:

- Product related hazard information – observe the general safety regulations when handling foods
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### 15. OTHER INFORMATION:

To the best of our knowledge, the information contained herein is accurate. However, Connecticut Coconut Company or any of its distributors does not assure any liabilities whatsoever for the accuracy or completeness of the information contained herein. Final determination of suitability of any material is the sole responsibility of the user. All materials may present unknown hazards and should be used with caution.

- Department issuing MSDS  
Safety Committee, Connecticut Coconut Company (CCC)
  - Contact:  
General Manager, CCC
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Issued to Sales Department

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