# VERMØNT NATURAL COATINGS<sup>®</sup> Revised Date: 02-10-2016

# **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

PolyWhey<sup>®</sup> Stain & Finish (all colors)

Supersedes: 02-24-2012

### 1. Identification

Product identifier	PolyWhey <sup>®</sup> Stain & Finish (all colors)	
Product type	Liquid	
Other means of identification		
Synonyms	PolyWhey <sup>®</sup> Stain & Finish (all colors)	
Product Code	-	
Recommended use	No information available.	
Recommended restrictions	No information available.	
Manufacturer/Importer/Supplier/Distributor information		
Manufacturer/Supplier	Vermont Natural Coatings	
	Box 512	
	Box 512 Hardwick, VT 05843	
General Assistance	Hardwick, VT 05843	
General Assistance E-Mail	Hardwick, VT 05843 United States	

**Emergency Telephone** 

### 2. Hazard(s) Identification

OSHA/HCS status	This material is not considered as hazardous by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200), this SDS contains valuable information critical to the safe handling and proper use of the product. This SDS should be retained and available for employees and other users of this product.
Classification of the substance or mixture	Not classified.
GHS Label elements Signal word Hazard statement Precautionary statement Hazard(s) not otherwise classified	Not applicable. Not applicable. Not applicable. Not applicable. None known.

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### 3. Composition/information on ingredients

#### Mixture

Chemical name	CAS number	<u>%</u>
Silicon dioxide, chemically prepared	112926-00-8	>0.1-<2
Zinc oxide (ZnO)	1314-13-2	<u>&gt;</u> 0.01- <1

### 4. First-aid measures

Inhalation Skin contact Eye contact Ingestion	Remove to fresh air. Administer oxygen if necessary. Seek immediate medical attention. Wash thoroughly with soap and water. If irritation persists, get medical attention. Flush with large quantities of water for at least 15 minutes. Seek immediate medical attention. Do not induce vomiting. Drink 1 or 2 glasses of water to dilute. Obtain medical attention immediately.
Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed	No known significant effects or critical hazards.
Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed General information	Provide general supportive measures and treat symptomatically. Keep victim under observation. Symptoms may be delayed. In case of shortness of breath, give oxygen. Keep victim warm. If exposed or concerned: get medical attention/advice. Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to protect themselves. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Wash contaminated clothing before re-use.

### 5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable outinguishing modia	Lice on outinguiching agent suitable for the surrounding fire
Suitable extinguishing media	Use an extinguishing agent suitable for the surrounding fire.
Unsuitable extinguishing media	None known.
Specific hazards arising from the	Closed containers may explode when exposed to extreme heat
chemical	or fire. Decomposition of burning material may cause toxic gases to form, which may include carbon dioxide and carbon monoxide.
Special protective equipment and Special firefighting procedures	Self contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.

### 6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures	<ul> <li>For non-emergency personnel: No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training.</li> <li>Evacuate surrounding areas. Keep unnecessary and unprotected personnel from entering. Do not touch or walk through spilled material. Put on appropriate personal protective equipment.</li> <li>For emergency responders: If specialized clothing is required to deal with the spillage, take note of any information in Section 8 on suitable and unsuitable materials. See also the information in "For non-emergency personnel".</li> </ul>
Environmental Precautions	Avoid dispersal of spilled material and runoff and contact with soil, waterways, drains and sewers. Inform the relevant authorities if the product has caused environmental pollution (sewers, waterways, soil or air).
Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up	<ul> <li>Small spill: Stop leak if without risk. Move containers from spill area. Dilute with water and mop up if water-soluble.</li> <li>Alternatively, or if water-insoluble, absorb with an inert dry material and place in an appropriate waste disposal container.</li> <li>Dispose of via a licensed waste disposal contractor.</li> <li>Large spill: Stop leak if without risk. Move containers from spill area. Prevent entry into sewers, water courses, basements or confined areas. Wash spillages into an effluent treatment plant or proceed as follows. Contain and collect spillage with noncombustible, absorbent material e.g. sand, earth, vermiculite or diatomaceous earth and place in container for disposal according to local regulations (see Section 13). Dispose of via a licensed waste disposal contractor. Note: see Section 1 for emergency contact information and Section 13 for waste disposal.</li> </ul>

## 7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling	Put on appropriate personal protective equipment (See Section 8).
Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities.	Store in accordance with local regulations. Store in original container protected from direct sunlight in a dry, cool and well- ventilated area, away from incompatible materials (see Section 10) and food and drink. Keep container tightly closed and sealed until ready for use. Containers that have been opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Do not store in unlabeled containers. Use appropriate containment to avoid environmental contamination.

## 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

**Occupational exposure limits** 

US. OSHA Specifically Regulated	Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-105	D)
Components	Туре	Value
Silicon dioxide, chemically	PEL(TWA)	$80 \text{ mg/m}^3$
prepared	. ,	
Zinc oxide (ZnO)	PEL(TWA)	5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (fume) 15 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (total dust) 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (resp dust)
US. OSHA Table Z-1 Limits for Air	Contaminants (29 CFR 1910.1000)	
Components	Туре	Value
Silicon dioxide, chemically prepared	TWA	80 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Zinc oxide (ZnO)	TWA	5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (fume) 15 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (total dust) 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (resp dust)
US. OSHA Table Z-2 (29 CFR 1910	.1000)	
None of the components i	-	
US. OSHA Table Z-3 (29 CFR 1910	-	
None of the components	in this product is listed.	
US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Value	S	
Components	Туре	Value
Silicon dioxide, chemically prepared	TLV(TWA)	80 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Zinc oxide (ZnO)	TLV(TWA)	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
	TLV(ST)	$10 \text{ mg/m}^3$
US. NIOSH: Pocket Guide to Chemical Hazards		
Components	Туре	Value
Silicon dioxide, chemically prepared	REL(TWA)	6 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Zinc oxide (ZnO)	REL(TWA)	5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
	REL(Ceiling)	$15 \text{ mg/m}^3$
Protective Equipment		



Appropriate engineering controls

Good general ventilation should be sufficient to control worker exposure to airborne contaminants.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment		
Eye/face protection	Safety eyewear complying with an approved standard should be used when a risk assessment indicates this is necessary to avoid exposure to liquid splashes, mists, gases or dusts. If contact is possible, the following protection should be worn, unless the assessment indicates a higher degree of protection: safety glasses with side shields.	
Skin protection		
Hand protection	Chemical-resistant, impervious gloves complying with an approved standard should be worn at all times when handling chemical products if a risk assessment indicates this is necessary. > 8 hours (breakthrough time): nitrile rubber	
Body protection	Personal protective equipment for the body should be selected based on the task being performed and the risks involved and should be approved by a specialist before handling this product.	
Other	Appropriate footwear and any additional skin protection measures should be selected based on the task being performed and the risks involved and should be approved by a specialist before handling this product.	
Respiratory protection	Use a properly fitted, air-purifying or air-fed respirator complying with an approved standard if a risk assessment indicates this is necessary. Respirator selection must be based on known or anticipated exposure levels, the hazards of the product and the safe working limits of the selected respirator.	
Thermal hazards	Wear appropriate thermal protective clothing, when necessary.	
General hygiene considerations	Wash hands, forearms and face thoroughly after handling chemical products, before eating, smoking and using the lavatory and at the end of the working period. Appropriate techniques should be used to remove potentially contaminated clothing. Wash contaminated clothing before reusing. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.	

### 9. Physical and chemical properties

Appearance	Milky liquid.
Physical state	Liquid.
Form	Liquid.
Color	Milky.
Odor	Slight odor.
Odor threshold	No information available.
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Melting point	No information available.
Freezing point	No information available.
Initial boiling point and boiling range	212 °F
Flash point	None.
% Volatile by Volume	No information available.

Evaporation rate (BuOAc=1) Material Volatile Organic Compound	Slower than ether. 0.05 lbs/gal max (18 g/L max)
(V.O.C.) Coating Volatile Organic Compound (V.O.C)	0.08 lbs/gal max (30 g/L max)
Flammability (solid, liquid, gas)	None.
Upper/lower flammability or explosive lin	nits
Flammability limit – lower (%)	Not applicable.
Flammability limit – upper (%)	Not applicable.
Explosive limit - lower (%)	No information available.
Explosive limit - upper (%)	No information available.
Vapor pressure (mm Hg)	< 1 mm Hg
Vapor density (Air=1)	Heavier than air.
Relative density (Specific gravity)	1.02
Solubility(ies)	
Solubility (water)	Dilutable.
Solubility (other)	No information available.
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water)	No information available.
Auto-ignition temperature	No information available.
Decomposition temperature	No information available.
Viscosity	No information available.

### 10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity	Product is stable.
Chemical stability	Stable under recommended handling and storage conditions.
Possibility of hazardous reactions	Hazardous polymerization will not occur.
Conditions to avoid	Elevated temperatures. Contact with oxidizing agent.
Incompatible materials	Oxidizers, acids and bases.
Hazardous decomposition Products	Burning or decomposing film may give off carbon dioxide and or
	carbon monoxide.

### 11. Toxicological information

### Information on the likely routes of exposure

Ingestion	No specific data.
Inhalation	No specific data.
Skin contact	No specific data.
Eye contact	No specific data.
Symptoms related to the physical,	No specific data.
chemical and toxicological	
characteristics	
Delayed and immediate effects	No known significant effects or critical hazards.
and also chronic effects from	
short- and long-term exposure	

Numerical measures of toxicity				
Components	Test	Species	Test Results	
Silicon dioxide, chemically	Oral LD <sub>50</sub>	Rat	>5000 mg/kg	
prepared	Dermal LD <sub>50</sub>	Rabbit	>5000 mg/kg	
(CAS 112926-00-8)	Inhalation LC <sub>50</sub>	Rat	0.69 mg/l , 4h	
Zinc oxide (CAS 1314-13-2)	Oral LD <sub>50</sub>	Rat	>8437 mg/kg	
	Dermal LD <sub>50</sub>	Rabbit	>5000 mg/kg	
Chin comparing (invitation	No information and	ilahla		
Skin corrosion/irritation		No information available.		
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	No information available.			
Respiratory or skin sensitization				
Respiratory sensitization	No information ava	No information available.		
Skin sensitization	No information ava	No information available.		
Germ cell mutagenicity	No known significa	No known significant effects or critical hazards.		
Carcinogenicity	No known significa	No known significant effects or critical hazards.		
Reproductive toxicity	No known significa	No known significant effects or critical hazards.		
Specific target organ toxicity -	No information ava	No information available.		
single exposure				
Specific target organ toxicity -	No information ava	No information available.		
repeated exposure				
Aspiration hazard	No information ava	No information available.		

### 12. Ecological information

Numerical measures of toxici	ty			
Components	Test	Species	Test Results	
Silicon dioxide, chemically	Fish LC <sub>50</sub>	Zebra fish	>1000 mg/l, 96h	
prepared		(Brachydanio rerio )		
(CAS 112926-00-8)	Crustacea EC <sub>50</sub>	Water flea	>1000 mg/l, 24h	
		(Daphnia magna)	-	
Zinc oxide (ZnO)	Fish LC <sub>50</sub>	Fathead minnow	2,246 mg/l, 96h	
(CAS 1314-13-2)		(Pimephales Promelas)		
	Crustacea EC <sub>50</sub>	Water flea	24.6 mg/l, 48h	
		(Daphnia magna)		
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Persistence and degradability		ation available.		
Bioaccumulative potential	No information available.			
Mobility in soil		No information available.		
Other adverse effects	No informa	No information available.		
13. Disposal considerations				
Disposal instructions	Waste from	n this product is not hazardous	as defined under the	
	Resource C	Conservation and Recovery Act	(RCRA) 40 CFR 261.	
	Dispose of in accordance with Federal, State and Local			
	regulations. Waste packaging should be recycled. Incineration			
	or landfill should only be considered when recycling is not			

feasible. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. Avoid dispersal of spilled material and runoff and contact with soil, waterways, drains and sewers.

#### 14. Transport information

In accordance with DOT	
In accordance with IMDG	
In accordance with IATA	

Not regulated for transport. Not regulated for transport. Not regulated for transport.

### 15. Regulatory information

US federal regulationsThis product is not a "Hazardous Chemical" as defined by<br/>the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR<br/>1910.1200.

Some components are on the U.S. EPA TSCA Inventory List.

#### TSCA Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpt. D)

None of the chemicals in this product is listed.

#### US. OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1050)

Silicon dioxide, chemically prepared Listed (CAS 112926-00-8) Zinc oxide (ZnO) (CAS 1314-13-2) Listed

CERCLA Hazardous Substance List (40 CFR 302.4)

None of the chemicals of this product are listed.

#### Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)

Hazard categories	Immediate Hazard -		No
	Delayed Hazard	-	No
	Fire Hazard	-	No
	Pressure Hazard	-	No
	Reactivity Hazard	-	No
SARA 302/304 Extremely hazardous subs	stance		
None of the chemicals in this produ	uct is listed		

None of the chemicals in this product is listed.

No

## SARA 313 (TRI reporting)

None of the chemicals in this product is listed.

SARA 311/312 Hazardous chemical

### Other federal regulations

Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) List None of the chemicals in this product is listed. Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112(r) Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130) None of the chemicals in this product is listed. Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA) None of the chemicals in this product is listed.

#### **US State regulations**

#### US. New Jersey Worker and Community Right-to-Know Act

Silicon dioxide, chemically prepared(CAS 112926-00-8)

Zinc oxide (ZnO) (CAS 1314-13-2)

#### US. Pennsylvania Worker and Community Right-to-Know Law

Silicon dioxide, chemically prepared(CAS 112926-00-8)

Zinc oxide (ZnO) (CAS 1314-13-2)

#### **US. California Proposition 65**

### US - California Proposition 65 - Carcinogens & Reproductive Toxicity (CRT):

None of the chemicals in this product is listed.

#### **International Inventories**

Country(s) or region	Inventory name	On inventory (yes/no) <sup>*</sup>
Canada	Domestic Substances List (DSL)	No
Canada	Non- Domestic Substances List (NDSL)	No
Europe	European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS)	No
Europe	European List of Notified Chemical Substances (ELINCS)	No
United States & Puerto Rico	Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory	No

\*A "Yes" indicates this product complies with the inventory requirements administered by the governing country(s). A "No" indicates that one or more components of the product are not listed or exempt from listing on the inventory administered by the governing country(s).

## 16. Other information, including date of preparation or last revision **Issue date** 02-24-2012 **Revision date** 02-10-2016 Version # **NFPA** rating 1 0 Key to abbreviations ACGIH: Documentation of the Threshold Limit Values and **Biological Exposure indices** GHS : Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals IATA : International Air Transport Association **IMDG** : International Maritime Dangerous Goods NIOSH: The National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health OSHA: Occupational Safety and Health Administration

#### Disclaimer

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