# Safety Data Sheet

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### SECTION 1: Identification of the Substance/Mixture and of the Company/Undertaking

1.1 Product Identifier

**Substance name:** SupraNano Black Latent Fingerprint Powder

Product no.: 01BLK060

1.2 Relevant Identified Uses of the Substance or Mixture and Uses Advised Against

**Relevant identified uses:** Professional Uses [SU 22]; Law enforcement/forensic applications.

[PC0] Other; Fingerprint development

**Uses advised against:**No further relevant information available

1.3 Details of Supplier of Safety Data Sheet

Manufacturer: ArroGen Supranano Ltd.

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1.4 <u>Emergency Telephone Number</u>

**Telephone number:** +44 (0) 560 364 6985 (Languages: English)

**Opening hours:** Monday – Friday, 0900 - 1700

#### **SECTION 2: Hazards Identification**

### 2.1 Classification of the Substance or Mixture

### 2.1.1 Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 [CLP]



GHS07 Warning

Skin Irrit. 1 H315 Causes skin irritation
Eye Irrit. 2 H319 Causes serious eye irritation
STOT SE 3 H335 May cause respiratory irritation

### 2.2 <u>Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 [CLP]:</u>

This mixture is classified and labelled according to the CLP regulation

**Hazard pictograms:** GHS07 **Signal word:** Warning

**Hazard statements:** H315 Causes skin irritation

H319 Causes serious eye irritation
H335 May cause respiratory irritation

**Precautionary statements:** P261 Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray

P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing. Eye

protection/face protection

P304+P340 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable

for breathing

P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes.

Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue

rinsing.

P405 Store locked up

P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with

local/regional/national/international regulations.

Supplemental hazard information (EU): Not applicable

2.3 Other Hazards

Care should be taken to avoid dust formation.



#### 3.2 **Mixtures**

Description of Mixture: Black Powder Hazardous Ingredients: Carbon black, iron (II,III) oxide								
CAS No.	EC No.	% [Weight]	Name	Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1278/2008 (CLP)	Classification according to Directive 67/548/EEC or Directive 1999/45/EC			
9005-84-9		70%	Starch	Not applicable	Not applicable			
1333-86-4	215-609-9	5 – 15%	Carbon Black	Not applicable	Not applicable			
1317-61-9	215-277-5	5 – 15%	Iron(II,III) Oxide	Flam. Sol. 2, H228 Eye Irrit. 2, H319 STOT SE 3, H335	X <sub>i</sub> ; Irritant, R36/R37/R38			

### **SECTION 4: First Aid Measures**

4.1 **Description of First Aid Measures** 

> Following inhalation: Supply fresh air. If required, provide artificial respiration. Keep warm. Consult doctor if

> > symptoms persist. Seek immediate medical advice.

Instantly wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly. Seek immediate medical Following skin contact:

Following eye contact: Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Then consult doctor.

Following ingestion: Seek medical treatment

4.2 Most Important Symptoms and Effects, Both Acute and Delayed

> If ingested: Irritating if swallowed; redness of mouth and throat may occur.

If inhaled: Dust may be irritating to respiratory tract. Provide appropriate local exhaust ventilation

at machinery and at places where dust can be generated. Chronic lung conditions may

mixture.

be aggravated by high concentrations of dust.

If contact with skin: May cause mechanical irritation, soiling and skin drying. Avoid contact with skin. No

cases of sensitization in humans have been reported.

If contact with eyes: May cause mechanical irritation. Avoid contact with eyes.

4.3 <u>Indication of Any Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment Needed</u>

No further relevant information available

### **SECTION 5: Firefighting Measures**

**Extinguishing Media** 5.1

Suitable extinguishing media:

For safety reasons unsuitable extinguishing agents:

Use foam, carbon dioxide or dry chemical. Water: may scatter and spread fire. DO NOT USE high pressure media which could cause formation of a potentially explosive dust-air

## 5.2 Special Hazards Arising from the Substance or Mixture

If this product is involved in a fire, the following can be released:

Metal oxide, carbon monoxide, carbon

dioxide and sulphur dioxides.

#### 5.3 Advice for Firefighters

**Protective equipment:** 

Hazardous combustion products/special hazards:

 $We ar \ self-contained \ breathing \ apparatus.$ 

Wear full protective suit.

Fine, dry dust suspensions can explode in presence of ignition. Combustion produces carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, smoke, soot and minor amount of nitrogen oxides and sulphur. It may not be obvious that material is burning unless the material is stirred and embers and/or sparks are apparent. Material should be observed closely for at least 48 hours to ensure no smoldering material is present.

#### **SECTION 6: Accidental Release Measures**

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

Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away. Ensure adequate ventilation. Keep away from ignition sources. Refer to section 8 for personal protection. Do not create dust. Wet material may produce slippery walking surfaces.

#### **Environmental Precautions**

Do not allow material to be released to the environment without proper government permits. Do not allow product to reach sewage system or water bodies. Do not allow to enter the ground/soil.

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

Keep away from ignition sources. Ensure adequate ventilation. Vacuum or sweep and transfer to a sealable, labelled container and dispose according to local regulations. If the spilled material contains dust or has the potential to create dust use explosion-proof vacuums and/or cleaning systems suitable for combustible dusts. Use of a vacuum with high efficiency particulate air (HEPA) filtration is recommended. Do not create dust could by using a brush or compressed air. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Dry sweeping is not recommended. Water spray will produce slippery walking surfaces and will not result in satisfactory removal of contamination.

#### 6.4 Reference to Other Sections

See section 7 for information on safe handling

See section 8 for information on personal protection equipment

See section 13 for information on disposal.

### **SECTION 7: Handling and Storage**

#### 7.1 Precautions for Safe Handling

Keep containers tightly sealed. Store in a cool, dry place in tightly closed containers. Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace. Avoid formation of dust. Minimise release of the mixture into the environment.

Information about protection against explosions and fires: Protect against electrostatic charges.

#### 7.2 Conditions for Safe Storage, Including any Incompatibilities

Store in a cool, well-ventilated location. Store in a cool location. Keep away from oxidising agents. Keep container tightly closed until in use.

#### 7.3 Specific End Use(s)

The intended used of the product is for the visualisation of latent fingermarks only. The powder should be picked up using a suitable brush, ensuring excess powder is tapped back into the jar. The powder should be brushed gently across the surface of the mark to allow for visualisation. Waste powder should be transferred to a sealable container. See section 13 for information regarding disposal.

### 7.4 Reference to Other Sections:

See section 13 for information on disposal.

### **SECTION 8: Exposure Controls/Personal Protection**

8.1 <u>Control Parameters</u>

Not required.

8.2 Exposure Controls

**Personal Protective Equipment** 



General protective and hygienic measures: The usual precautionary measures should be adhered to in handling

chemicals. Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and food. Instantly remove any impregnated garments. Wash hands during breaks and at

the end of work. Avoid contact with eyes and skin. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice by using adequate ventilation and personal protection as needed. Maintain an

ergonomically appropriate working condition.

**Breathing equipment:** Not required in unconfined or well-ventilated areas. Use NIOSH or EU

EN149 standard approved respirators for areas where general

ventilation is not possible.

Protection of hands: Check protective gloves prior to each use for their proper condition.

> The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from

manufacturer to manufacturer.

Material of gloves: Impervious gloves Penetration time of glove material: Not determined.

Eve protection: Safety glasses or splash goggles are advised to be worn while handling.

**Body protection:** Protective work clothing.

#### **SECTION 9: Physical and Chemical Properties Information on Basic Physical and Chemical Properties** 9.1 **General Information** Appearance: Form: Powder Colour: Black Smell: Not determined Odour threshold: Not determined Not applicable pH-value:

Change in condition

**Black Powder** 

Melting point/range: Not determined **Boiling point/range:** Not determined **Sublimation temperature/start:** Not determined

Inflammability (solid, gaseous)

Not determined Ignition temperature: **Decomposition temperature:** Not determined Self-inflammability: Not determined

Danger of explosion

Critical values for explosion:

Lower: Not determined Upper: Not determined Steam pressure: Not applicable Density at 20 °C Not determined Settled apparent density at 20 °C: Not determined Not determined Relative density: Vapour density: Not applicable **Evaporation rate:** Not applicable

Solubility in / Miscibility with water: Insoluble in water and solvents, dispersible in liquids

Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water): Not determined

Viscosity:

**Dynamic:** Not applicable **Kinematic:** Not applicable

9.2 **Other Information:** No further relevant information available

### **SECTION 10: Stability and Reactivity**

10.1 Reactivity No information known

10.2 **Chemical Stability** Stable under recommended storage conditions

Thermal Decomposition/conditions to avoid: No decomposition if used and stored according to

specifications.

10.3 Possibility of Hazardous Reactions Reacts with strong oxidising agents



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10.4	Conditions to Avoid	Do not expose to heat above 300 °C. Keep away from		
		oxidising agents in order to avoid exothermic reactions.		
10.5	<b>Incompatible Materials</b>	Oxidising agents such as chlorates, bromates and nitrates.		
10.6 <u>Hazardous Decomposition Products</u>		Metal oxide, carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide and oxides of		
		sulphur. In combustion emits smoke, soot and toxic fumes.		

### **SECTION 11: Toxicological Information**

### 11.1 <u>Information on Toxicological Effects</u>

#### 11.1.1 Acute toxicity:

Black Powder

Hazardous components	EC No.	CAS no.	LC/LD <sub>50</sub> values relevant for classification
Iron(II,III) Oxide	215-277-5	1317-61-9	No effects known

**Skin irritation or corrosion:** May cause irritation

**Eye irritation or corrosion Sensitization:**Causes serious eye irritation.
No sensitizing effect known.

Germ cell mutagenicity:

Carcinogenicity:

No effects known.

No effects known.

Reproductive toxicity:

No effects

Specific organ system toxicity

**Repeated exposure:** No effects known.

**Single exposure:** May cause respiratory irritation.

**Aspiration hazard:** No effects known

Other information (experimental toxicity): CARBON BLACK: Mutagenic effects have been observed on tests with

bacteria and with laboratory animals.

**Additional toxicological information:** The acute and chronic toxicity of this substance is not fully known.

### **SECTION 12: Ecological Information**

12.1 <u>Toxicity</u>

Aquatic toxicity:
No further relevant information available
Persistence and Degradability:
No further relevant information available

Additional ecological information: Do not allow material to be released to the environment without proper

government permits. Generally not hazardous for water. Avoid transfer into the

environment.

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB Assessment

PBT: Not applicable vPvB: Not applicable

**12.6 Other Adverse Effects:** No further relevant information available.

### **SECTION 13: Disposal Considerations**

13.1 Waste Treatment Methods

**Recommendation:** Hand over to disposers of hazardous waste. Must be treated under adherence to official

regulations. Consult state, local or national regulations for proper disposal of used and

unused product.

**Packaging:** Disposal must be in line with official regulations.

	SECTION 14: Transport Information	
14.1	UN Number:	Not applicable
14.2	UN Proper Shipping Name:	Not applicable
14.3	Transport Hazard Class(es):	Not applicable
14.4	Packing Group	Not applicable
14.5	Environmental Hazards:	Not applicable
14.6	Special Precautions for User:	Not applicable
14.7	Transport in Bulk According to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code:	Not applicable

### **SECTION 15: Regulatory Information**

15.1 <u>Safety, Health and Environmental Regulations/Legislation Specific for the Substance or Mixture</u>

No data available

15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment

No Chemical Safety Assessment has been carried out for this mixture by the supplier.

### **SECTION 16: Other Information**

### 16.1 <u>Disclaimer:</u>

The above information is believed to be correct, however it does not proclaim to be all-inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. ARRO SupraNano Ltd shall not be held liable for any damage from handling or contact with the above product. Independent judgement of the suitability of this product should be exercised in supplement to this information to ensure proper use and protect the health and safety of employees.

(i) Abbreviations and acronyms: GHS: Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

LC<sub>50</sub>: Lethal concentration, 50 percent

LD<sub>50</sub>: Lethal dose, 50 percent

(ii) Key literature references and sources for data

**Toxicity Values:** Retrieved from Toxicology Data Network <a href="http://toxnet.nlm.nih.gov/">http://toxnet.nlm.nih.gov/</a>

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