

# Magnesium Sulfate Heptahydrate Safety Data Sheet

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# **SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture**

1.1. Product identifier

Product form : Substance

Substance name : Magnesium Sulfate Heptahydrate

Formula : MgSO<sub>4</sub>·7H<sub>2</sub>O

Molecular weight : 246.47 g/mol

CAS No. : 10034-99-8

Product code : LW-MGSO4-H

Synonyms : Epsom Salts

1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Use of the substance/mixture : Laboratory chemicals, Manufacture of substances

1.3. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : 1.800.424.9300 (USA)

+1.703.527.3887 (INT)

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

### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Not a hazardous substance or mixture.

2.2. GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Not a hazardous substance or mixture.

2.3. Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS

none

# **SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

### 3.1. Substances

### **Hazardous components**

| Component                          | Classification | Concentration |
|------------------------------------|----------------|---------------|
| Magnesium(II) sulfate heptahydrate |                | <= 100 %      |

# **SECTION 4: Description of first aid measures**

### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

General advice : Move out of dangerous area.

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First-aid measures after inhalation : If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give

artificial respiration.

First-aid measures after skin contact : Wash off with soap and plenty of water.

First-aid measures after eye contact : Flush eyes with water as a precaution.

First-aid measures after ingestion : Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse

mouth with water.

### 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11.

### 4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No data available

### **SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

### 5.1. Extinguishing media

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

### 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Sulphur oxides, Magnesium oxide

### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for fire-fighting if necessary.

### 5.4. More Information

No data available

### **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

### 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapors, mist or gas.

For personal protection see section 8.

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

No special environmental precautions required.

### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Sweep up and shovel. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

### 6.4. Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

# **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

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#### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Further processing of solid materials may result in the formation of combustible dusts. The potential for combustible dust formation should be taken into consideration before additional processing occurs.

Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed.

For precautions see section 2.2.

#### 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.

Storage class (TRGS 510): Non Combustible Solids

#### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

# **SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

#### 8.1. **Control parameters**

### Components with workplace control parameters

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

#### 8.2. **Exposure controls**

Appropriate engineering controls : General industrial hygiene practice.

#### 8.3. Personal protective equipment

Eye protection : Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under

appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN

166(EU).

Skin Protection : Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use

> proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable

laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

Full contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm Break through time: 480 min

Material tested: Dermatril® (KCL 740 / Aldrich Z677272, Size M)

Splash contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm Break through time: 480 min

Material tested: Dermatril® (KCL 740 / Aldrich Z677272, Size M)

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EN374

If used in solution, or mixed with other substances, and under conditions which differ from EN 374, contact the supplier of the CE approved gloves. This recommendation is advisory only and must be evaluated by an industrial hygienist and safety officer familiar with the specific situation of anticipated use by our customers. It should not be construed as offering an approval for

any specific use scenario.

Body protection : Choose body protection in relation to its type, to the

concentration and amount of dangerous substances, and to the specific work-place., The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the

dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

Respiratory protection : Respiratory protection is not required. Where protection from

nuisance levels of dusts are desired, use type N95 (US) or type P1 (EN 143) dust masks. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as

NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

Environmental exposure controls : Do not let product enter drains.

## **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance : Form: Fine crystals and fragments

Color: white

Odor : No data available
Odor Threshold : No data available
pH : 5.0 - 8.0 at 50 g/l
Melting point/freezing point : No data available
Initial boiling point and boiling range : No data available
Flash point : No data available

Evaporation rate : No data available
Flammability (solid, gas) : No data available
Upper/lower flammability or : No data available

explosive limits

Vapor pressure :  $< 0.133 \text{ hPa} (< 0.100 \text{ mmHg}) \text{ at } 20 ^{\circ}\text{C} (68 ^{\circ}\text{F})$ 

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Vapor density : No data available

Relative density : 1.67 g/cm3

Water solubility : 246.48 g/l at 20 °C (68 °F) - completely soluble

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water : No data available
Auto-ignition temperature : No data available
Decomposition temperature : No data available
Viscosity : No data available
Explosive properties : No data available
Oxidizing properties : No data available

9.2. Other safety information

Bulk density : 0.009 kg/m3

# **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

### 10.1. Reactivity

No data available

### 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No data available

### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

No data available

### 10.5. Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents

### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Other decomposition products - No data available

In the event of fire: see section 5

# **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity : No data available

Inhalation: No data available

Dermal: No data available

Skin corrosion/irritation : No data available
Serious eye damage/irritation : No data available

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Respiratory or skin sensitization : No data available Germ cell mutagenicity : No data available

Carcinogenicity

Carcinogenicity - Mouse - Oral

Tumorigenic: Equivocal tumorigenic agent by RTECS criteria. Endocrine: Thyroid tumors.

IARC: : No component of this product present at levels greater than or

equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed

human carcinogen by IARC.

**ACGIH** : No component of this product present at levels greater than or

equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential

carcinogen by ACGIH.

NTP: : No component of this product present at levels greater than or

equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen

by NTP.

OSHA: : No component of this product present at levels greater than or

equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential

carcinogen by OSHA.

No data available Reproductive toxicity No data available

Specific target organ toxicity (single

exposure)

Specific target organ toxicity No data available

(repeated exposure)

Aspiration hazard No data available **Additional Information** RTECS: OM4508000

> To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

Stomach - Irregularities - Based on Human Evidence Stomach - Irregularities - Based on Human Evidence

# **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

12.1. Toxicity

Toxicity to fish : No data available 12.2. Persistence and degradability : No data available 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential No data available

12.3. Mobility in soil No data available

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12.4. Results of PBT and vPvB

assessment

: PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety

assessment not required/not conducted.

**12.6.** Other adverse effects : No data available

# **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

#### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

Product : Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal

company.

Contaminated Packaging : Dispose of as unused product.

# **SECTION 14: Transport information**

### DOT (US)

Not dangerous goods

**IMDG** 

Not dangerous goods

**IATA** 

Not dangerous goods

# **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

### **SARA 302 Components**

No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

### **SARA 313 Components**

This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

### SARA 311/312 Hazards

Chronic Health Hazard

### **Massachusetts Right To Know Components**

No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

### **Pennsylvania Right To Know Components**

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### California Prop. 65 Components

This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.

# **SECTION 16: Other information**

Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3.

### **HMIS Rating**

Health Hazard : 0
Chronic Health Hazard : \*
Flammability : 0
Physical Hazard : 0

### **NFPA Rating**

Health hazard : 0
Fire Hazard : 0
Reactivity Hazard : 0

### **Further Information**

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