Safety Data Sheet

Epsom Salts



Section 1 Product Description

Product Name: Epsom Salts

Recommended Use: Science education applications

Synonyms: Epsom Salt, Sulfuric Acid, Magnesium Salt
Distributor: Carolina Biological Supply Company
2700 York Road, Burlington, NC 27215

1-800-227-1150

Chemical Information: 800-227-1150 (8am-5pm (ET) M-F)

Chemtrec: 800-424-9300 (Transportation Spill Response 24 hours)

Section 2 Hazard Identification

Classification of the chemical in accordance with paragraph (d) of §1910.1200;

Not a dangerous substance according to GHS classification criteria. No known OSHA hazards.

GHS Classification:

Section 3 Composition / Information on Ingredients

 Chemical Name
 CAS #
 %

 Magnesium Sulfate, 7-hydrate
 10034-99-8
 100

Section 4 First Aid Measures

Emergency and First Aid Procedures

Inhalation: In case of accident by inhalation: remove casualty to fresh air and keep at rest.

Eyes: In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.

Skin Contact: After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of water.

Ingestion: If swallowed, do not induce vomiting: seek medical advice immediately and show this container or label.

Section 5 Firefighting Procedures

Extinguishing Media: Use dry chemical, CO2 or appropriate foam.

Fire Fighting Methods and Protection: Firefighters should wear full protective equipment and NIOSH approved self-contained

breathing apparatus.

Fire and/or Explosion Hazards: Fire or excessive heat may produce hazardous decomposition products.

Hazardous Combustion Products: Sulfur containing gases

Section 6 Spill or Leak Procedures

Steps to Take in Case Material Is Released or Spilled:

No health affects expected from the clean-up of this material if contact can be avoided. Follow personal protective equipment recommendations found in Section 8 of this (M)SDS Prevent the spread of any spill to minimize harm to human health and the environment if safe to do so. Wear complete and proper personal protective equipment following the recommendation of Section 8 at a minimum. Dike with suitable absorbent material like granulated clay. Gather and store in a sealed container pending a waste disposal evaluation.

Section 7 Handling and Storage

Handling: Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not breathe dust. **Storage:** Keep container tightly closed in a cool, well-ventilated place.

Storage Code: Green - general chemical storage

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Section 8 **Protection Information**

> **ACGIH OSHA PEL**

Chemical Name (TWA) (STEL) (TWA) (STEL) Magnesium Sulfate, 7-hydrate N/A N/A N/A N/A

Control Parameters

Engineering Measures: No exposure limits exist for the constituents of this product. General room ventilation

might be required to maintain operator comfort under normal conditions of use.

Personal Protective Equipment (PPE): Lab coat, apron, eye wash, safety shower.

Respiratory Protection: No respiratory protection required under normal conditions of use.

Respirator Type(s): None required where adequate ventilation is provided. If airborne concentrations are above the applicable exposure limits, use NIOSH/MSHA approved respiratory protection.

Eye Protection: Wear chemical splash googles when handling this product. Have an eye wash station

available.

Skin Protection: Avoid skin contact by wearing chemically resistant gloves, an apron and other protective

> equipment depending upon conditions of use. Inspect gloves for chemical break-through and replace at regular intervals. Clean protective equipment regularly. Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking, and when leaving

work

No information available Gloves:

Section 9 Physical Data

Formula: MgSO4.7H2O Vapor Pressure: No data available

Molecular Weight: 246.5 Evaporation Rate (BuAc=1): No data available **Appearance:** Colorless to White Crystals Vapor Density (Air=1): No data available

Odor: None Specific Gravity: 1.67 Odor Threshold: No data available Solubility in Water: Soluble

pH: 5.0 - 8.0 Log Pow (calculated): No data available Melting Point: No data available Autoignition Temperature: No data available

Boiling Point: No data available **Decomposition Temperature: 1124 C**

Flash Point: No data available Viscosity: No data available

Flammable Limits in Air: No data available Percent Volatile by Volume: No data available

Section 10 Reactivity Data

Not generally reactive under normal conditions. Reactivity:

Chemical Stability: Stable under normal conditions.

None known. **Conditions to Avoid:**

Incompatible Materials: Ethoxyethynyl Alcohols Sulfur containing gases **Hazardous Decomposition Products:**

Hazardous Polymerization: Will not occur

Section 11 Toxicitv Data

Routes of Entry Ingestion.

Symptoms (Acute): Cardiovascular system, Anesthetic properties., Cyanosis, Paralysis

Delayed Effects: No data available

Acute Toxicity:

Inhalation LC50 Chemical Name CAS Number Oral LD50 **Dermal LD50** Magnesium Sulfate 7-hydrate 10034-99-8 Not determined Not determined Not determined

Carcinogenicity:

Chemical Name CAS Number IARC NTP **OSHA** Magnesium Sulfate 7-hydrate 10034-99-8 Not listed Not listed Not listed

Chronic Effects:

Mutagenicity: No evidence of a mutagenic effect.

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Teratogenicity: No evidence of a teratogenic effect (birth defect).

Sensitization: No evidence of a sensitization effect. Reproductive: No evidence of negative reproductive effects.

Target Organ Effects:

Acute: Central Nervous System, Cardiovascular system

Chronic: No information available

Section 12 Ecological Data

Overview: This material is not expected to be harmful to the ecology.

Mobility: This material is expected to have very high mobility in soil. It does not absorb to most soil types.

Persistence: Dissolved into water

Bioaccumulation: No data Degradability: No data Other Adverse Effects: No data

Chemical Name CAS Number Eco Toxicity

Magnesium Sulfate, 7-hydrate 10034-99-8

Disposal Information Section 13

Disposal Methods: Dispose in accordance with all applicable Federal, State and Local regulations. Always

contact a permitted waste disposer (TSD) to assure compliance.

Waste Disposal Code(s): Not Determined

Section 14 Transport Information

Ground - DOT Proper Shipping Name: Air - IATA Proper Shipping Name: Not regulated for transport by US DOT. Not regulated for air transport by IATA.

Section 15 Regulatory Information

TSCA Status: All components in this product are on the TSCA Inventory.

Chemical Name CAS § 313 Name § 304 RQ **CERCLA RQ** § 302 TPQ **CAA 112(2)**

Number

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California Prop 65: No California Proposition 65 ingredients

Additional Section 16 Information

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Glossary

ACGIH NTP American Conference of Governmental National Toxicology Program

Industrial Hygienists **OSHA** Occupational Safety and Health Administration

CAS Chemical Abstract Service Number Permissible Exposure Limit PEL

CERCLA Comprehensive Environmental Response, ppm Parts per million

Compensation, and Liability Act **RCRA** Resource Conservation and Recovery Act

U.S. Department of Transportation Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act DOT SARA

IARC International Agency for Research on Cancer TLV Threshold Limit Value

N/A Not Available **TSCA** Toxic Substances Control Act

IDLH Immediately dangerous to life and health

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