



# **SECTION 1: CHEMICAL PRODUCT and COMPANY IDENTIFICATION**

Product Name:

Calcium carboxymethylcellulose

Product Code: C01078

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### **SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

Statement of Hazard: Irritant, Respiratory irritant

<u>Acute Health Hazard:</u> Irritant to eyes, skin, mucous membranes and respiratory system. May be harmful by ingestion, skin absorption and inhalation.

Chronic Health Hazard: Not Available

HMIS Rating: H: 0 F: 0 P: 0

 $\frac{\text{NFPA Rating:}}{\text{H: 0}} \qquad \text{H: 0} \qquad \text{F: 0} \qquad \text{R: 0}$ 

To the best of our knowledge, the toxicological properties of this chemical have not been thoroughly investigated. Use appropriate procedures and precautions to prevent or minimize exposure.

<u>GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS):</u> <u>GHS Classification in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008:</u>

Acute toxicity, dermal (Category 4), H312 Acute toxicity, inhalation (Category 4), H332 Acute toxicity, oral (Category 4), H302 Serious eye damage/eye irritation (Category 2A), H319 Skin corrosion/irritation (Category 2), H315 Specific target organ toxicity, single exposure; Respiratory tract irritation (Category 3), H335

#### Pictogram:

Chemical Name:

| Signal Word:                       | Warning  |
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| <u>Hazard Statement(s):</u>        | H302 Harmful if swallowed.<br>H312 Harmful in contact with skin.<br>H315 Causes skin irritation.<br>H319 Causes serious eye irritation.<br>H332 Harmful if inhaled.<br>H335 May cause respiratory irritation.  |
| <u>Precautionary Statement(s):</u> | <ul> <li>P261 Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.</li> <li>P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.</li> <li>P301+P312 IF SWALLOWED: call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician IF you feel unwell.</li> <li>P302+P352 IF ON SKIN: wash with plenty of soap and water.</li> <li>P304+P340 IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and Keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.</li> <li>P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.</li> <li>P332+P313 IF SKIN irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.</li> </ul> |

# **SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION on INGREDIENTS**

Calcium carboxymethylcellulose

| <u>Synonyms:</u>           | Carboxymethylcellulose calcium salt |
|----------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| CAS Number:                | 9050-04-8                           |
| MDL Number:                | MFCD00197782                        |
| EINECS Number:             | Not Available                       |
| Beilstein Registry Number: | Not Available                       |
| Molecular Formula:         | Not Available                       |
| Molecular Weight:          | Not Available                       |
| Content:                   | As specified in product name.       |

# **SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES**

| <u>Eye Contact:</u> | Flush eyes with large amounts of water for fifteen minutes. Separate eyelids with fingers. If irritation persists, seek medical attention. |
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| Skin Contact:       | Wash skin with soap and water. If irritation persists, seek medical attention.   |
| Ingestion:          | Do not induce vomiting. Seek medical attention.  |
| Inhalation:         | Move to a fresh air environment. Contact a physician if breathing becomes difficult.   |

#### **SECTION 5: FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

| Flash Point (°C):                         | Not Available   |
|---|---|
| Explosion Limits:                         | Not Available   |
| <u>Auto Ignition</u><br>Temperature (°C): | Not Available   |
| Extinguishing Media:                      | Carbon dioxide, dry chemical powder, alcohol-resistant foam, or water spray |
| Protective Equipment:                     | Wear self-contained respirator and fully protective impervious suit.        |

<u>Specific Hazards:</u> May emit hazardous fumes under fire conditions.

### **SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

| Personal Protection:      | Wear a self-contained breathing apparatus, rubber boots and gloves,<br>and disposable coveralls. Dispose of coveralls after use. Remove from<br>ignition sources if safe to do so. Follow emergency response plan and<br>contact proper authorities if needed.<br>Keep unprotected persons away. |
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| Environmental Protection: | Keep spills out of sewers and bodies of water. Dike and contain the spill  |

<u>Environmental Protection:</u> with inert material. Absorb on sand, vermiculite or diatomite. Transfer material to a container for disposal or recovery. Ventilate area and wash spill site after material pickup is complete.

# **SECTION 7: HANDLING and STORAGE**

| Handling and Storage: | Avoid breathing dust, vapor, mist or gas. Avoid contact with skin and<br>eyes. Avoid prolonged or repeated exposure. Use only in a chemical<br>fume hood. Open and handle container with care. Keep ignition sources<br>away.<br>Store in a tightly closed container in a dry, well-ventilated place. |
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| Sensitivities:        | Not Available   |

Storage Temperature (°C): 15 to 30

# **SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

| Engineering Controls:   | lab equipmen  | t while handl | ing this produ | under a fume hood. Use proper<br>lct. Keep away from<br>of hazardous reaction. |
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| Eye Protection:         | Wear appropriate protective eyeglass or chemical safety goggles. Make sure that there is an eyewash station in your vicinity. |               |                |  |
| Skin Protection:        | Wear impervi  | ous gloves ai | nd protective  | clothing.  |
| Respiratory Protection: | Use a NIOSH if irritation or  | ••            | •              | exposure limits are exceeded or rienced.                                       |
| Exposure Limits:        | <u>Country</u>  | <u>Source</u> | <u>Type</u>    | Value  |
|                         | USA   | ACGIH         | TWA            | Not Available  |
|                         | USA   | OSHA          | STEL           | Not Available  |
|                         | USA   | OSHA          | PEL            | Not Available  |
|                         |   |               |                |  |

# **SECTION 9: PHYSICAL and CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

| Appearance:                        | White to yellowish white powder |
|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| <u>Odor:</u>                       | Not Available                   |
| Odor Threshold:                    | Not Available                   |
| <u>Flash Point (°C):</u>           | Not Available                   |
| Auto Ignition<br>Temperature (°C): | Not Available                   |
| UEL % by Volume:                   | Not Available                   |
| LEL % by Volume:                   | Not Available                   |
| Melting Point (°C):                | Not Available                   |
| Boiling Point (°C):                | Not Available                   |
| Evaporation Rate:                  | Not Available                   |
| <u>pH Value:</u>                   | Not Available                   |
| <u>Density (g/cm<sup>3</sup>):</u> | Not Available                   |

| Refractive Index (n <sup>20</sup> D): | Not Available |
|---------------------------------------|---------------|
| Viscosity:                            | Not Available |
| Solubility in Water:                  | Not Available |
| Solubility in Other:                  | Not Available |
| Vapor Pressure (mmHg):                | Not Available |
| Vapor Density (Air=1):                | Not Available |

# **SECTION 10: STABILITY and REACTIVITY**

| <u>Stability:</u>                           | Stable under normal temperatures and pressures.                                      |
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| Incompatibility:                            | Oxidizing agents   |
| Reactivity:                                 | Product may react with incompatible materials to release other hazardous substances. |
| Conditions to Avoid:                        | Heat, flame, sparks, other ignition sources.   |
| <u>Hazardous</u><br>Decomposition Products: | Not Available  |

# **SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

| RTECS Reference: | Not Available |
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Target Organs: Not Available

Toxicity Data: Not Available

Carcinogenicity: National Toxicology Program (NTP) listed: Not Available International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) listed: Not Available

Potential Symptoms: Not Available

# **SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

<u>Toxicity:</u>

Not Available

# **SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service. Dispose in a manner consistent with federal, state and local environmental regulations.

# **SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

DOT Shipping Name: Not D.O.T.-Regulated

IMDG Shipping Name: Not Regulated

Marine Pollutant: No

IATA Shipping Name: Not Regulated

# **SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION**

#### United States

Toxic Substance Control Act (TSCA) listed: Yes

Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA 302) listed: No

Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA 311/312) listed: No

Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA 313) listed: No

European Union

European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances (EINECS): Not Available

GHS Classification in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008: Yes

<u>Canada</u>

Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL) listed: No

Canadian Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL) listed: Yes

### **SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION**

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