

# **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

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# SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

#### 1.1 Product identifiers

Product name : Sodium hexametaphosphate

Product Number : 305553
Brand : Aldrich
CAS-No. : 68915-31-1

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

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Synthesis of substances

# 1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company : Sigma-Aldrich Inc.

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**UNITED STATES** 

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#### 1.4 Emergency telephone number

Emergency Phone # : +1-703-527-3887

#### 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

Synonyms : Polyphosphatesodium salt

Calgon

Sodium polyphosphate

Phosphate glass, water soluble

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No components need to be disclosed according to the applicable regulations.

#### **SECTION 4: First aid measures**

#### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

#### **General advice**

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

#### If inhaled

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.

#### In case of skin contact

Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

## In case of eye contact

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician.

#### If swallowed

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

## 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

#### Suitable extinguishing media

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

# 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Nature of decomposition products not known.

#### **5.3** Advice for firefighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

#### 5.4 Further information

No data available

# **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

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

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid breathing dust. For personal protection see section 8.

# **6.2 Environmental precautions**

Do not let product enter drains.

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# 6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. 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**

# 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols. 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): 13: 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**

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

# Personal protective equipment

#### **Eye/face protection**

Safety glasses with side-shields conforming to EN166 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

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Material: Nitrile rubber

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

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

data source: KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, phone +49 (0)6659 87300, e-mail

sales@kcl.de, test method: 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**

Impervious clothing, The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

# **Respiratory protection**

For nuisance exposures use type P95 (US) or type P1 (EU EN 143) particle respirator. For higher level protection use type OV/AG/P99 (US) or type ABEK-P2 (EU EN 143) respirator cartridges. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

## Control of environmental exposure

Do not let product enter drains.

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

# Information on basic physical and chemical properties

a) Appearance Form: crystalline b) Odour No data available c) Odour Threshold No data available d) pH No data available e) Melting 628 °C (1162 °F) point/freezing point

Initial boiling point No data available and boiling range

g) Flash point ()No data available No data available h) Evaporation rate Flammability (solid, No data available

gas)

Upper/lower No data available j)

flammability or explosive limits

No data available k) Vapour pressure Vapour density No data available m) Relative density No data available

n) Water solubility soluble

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o) Partition coefficient: No data available

n-octanol/water

p) Auto-ignition No data available

temperature

q) Decomposition No data available

temperature

r) Viscosity No data available

s) Explosive properties No data available

t) Oxidizing properties No data available

# 9.2 Other safety information

Bulk density 780 - 840 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

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Nature of decomposition products not known.

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**

LD50 Oral - Rat - 6,600 mg/kg LD50 Oral - Rat - 3,053 mg/kg

Remarks: Gastrointestinal:Ulceration or bleeding from stomach. Gastrointestinal:Ulceration or bleeding from duodenum. Gastrointestinal:Ulceration or bleeding from small intestine.

Inhalation: No data available

LD50 Dermal - Rabbit - > 7,940 mg/kg

No data available

## Skin corrosion/irritation

Skin - Rabbit

Result: No skin irritation - 24 h

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# Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Eyes - Rabbit

Result: Mild eye irritation

# Respiratory or skin sensitisation

No data available

# Germ cell mutagenicity

## Carcinogenicity

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

on OSHA's list of regulated carcinogens.

# **Reproductive toxicity**

No data available No data available

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

**Aspiration hazard** 

**Additional Information** 

RTECS: TR4950250

# **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

#### **12.1 Toxicity**

No data available

## 12.2 Persistence and degradability

No data available

#### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

# 12.4 Mobility in soil

# 12.5 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

No SARA Hazards

## **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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# **New Jersey 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.

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#### **SECTION 16: Other information**

#### **Further information**

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