1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

1.1 Product identifiers

Product name: Magnesium sulfate heptahydrate
Product Number: 230391
Brand: Sigma-Aldrich
CAS-No.: 10034-99-8

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

Identified uses: Laboratory chemicals, Manufacture of substances

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company: Sigma-Aldrich
3050 Spruce Street
SAINT LOUIS MO  63103
USA
Telephone: +1 800-325-5832
Fax: +1 800-325-5052

1.4 Emergency telephone number

Emergency Phone #: (314) 776-6555

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

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

3.1 Substances

Synonyms: Epsom salts
Formula: MgO₄S · 7H₂O
Molecular weight: 246.47 g/mol
CAS-No.: 10034-99-8
EC-No.: 231-298-2

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4. FIRST AID MEASURES

4.1 Description of first aid measures

**General advice**
Move out of dangerous area.

**If inhaled**
If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration.

**In case of skin contact**
Wash off with soap and plenty of water.

**In case of eye contact**
Flush eyes with water as a precaution.

**If swallowed**
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

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

Sulphur oxides, Magnesium oxide

5.3 Advice for firefighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

5.4 Further information
No data available

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. For personal protection see section 8.

6.2 Environmental precautions

No special environmental precautions required.

6.3 Methods and materials 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.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

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.

8. **EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSO NAL 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.

**Personal protective equipment**

**Eye/face 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)

  *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**
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).

**Control of environmental exposure**
No special environmental precautions required.

9. **PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

9.1 **Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

- **Appearance**
  - Form: Fine crystals and fragments
  - Colour: white

- **Odour**
  - No data available

- **Odour Threshold**
  - No data available

- **pH**
  - 5.0 - 8.0 at 50 g/l
e) Melting point/freezing point  No data available
f) Initial boiling point and boiling range  No data available
g) Flash point  No data available
h) Evaporation rate  No data available
i) Flammability (solid, gas)  No data available
j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits  No data available
k) Vapour pressure  < 0.133 hPa (< 0.100 mmHg) at 20 °C (68 °F)
l) Vapour density  No data available
m) Relative density  1.67 g/cm³
n) Water solubility  246.48 g/l at 20 °C (68 °F) - completely soluble
o) Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water  No data available
p) Auto-ignition temperature  No data available
q) Decomposition temperature  No data available
r) Viscosity  No data available
s) Explosive properties  No data available
t) Oxidizing properties  No data available

9.2 Other safety information
  Bulk density  0.009 kg/m³

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

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION
11.1 Information on toxicological effects
    Acute toxicity  No data available
    Inhalation: No data available
    Dermal: No data available
No data available

**Skin corrosion/irritation**
No data available

**Serious eye damage/eye irritation**
No data available

**Respiratory or skin sensitisation**
No data available

**Germ cell mutagenicity**
No data available

**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 identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

**Reproductive toxicity**
No data available

**Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure**
No data available

**Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure**
No data available

**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
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### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### 12.1 Toxicity
No data available

#### 12.2 Persistence and degradability
No data available

#### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential
No data available

#### 12.4 Mobility in soil
No data available

#### 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
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.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT (US)
Not dangerous goods

IMDG
Not dangerous goods

IATA
Not dangerous goods

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.

16. OTHER INFORMATION

HMIS Rating
Health hazard: 0
Chronic Health Hazard: *
Flammability: 0
Physical Hazard 0

NFPA Rating
Health hazard: 0
Fire Hazard: 0
Reactivity Hazard: 0
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