

# Safety Data Sheet Magnesium sulfate, heptahydrate Revision 4, Date 20 Aug 20

## 1. IDENTIFICATION

**Product Name** Magnesium sulfate, heptahydrate

**Other Names** Epsom Salt, Magnesium Sulfate; Magnesium sulphate - MAGRICULTURE; Sulfuric acid magnesium salt (1:1),

heptahydrate

Uses Pharmaceuticals, bath soak, purgative; Industrial use; for correcting magnesium deficiency in crops and for use in

animal feed.

**Chemical Family** No Data Available **Chemical Formula** MgSO4.7H2O

**Chemical Name** Sulfuric acid, magnesium salt, heptahydrate

**Product Description** No Data Available

# Contact Details of the Supplier of this Safety Data Sheet

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|----------------------------|--------------|--|
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| Chemcall                   | Australia    | 1800-127406<br>+64-4-9179888               |
| Chemcall                   | Malaysia     | +64-4-9179888                              |
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| National Poisons Centre    | New Zealand  | 0800-764766                                |
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# 2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

Poisons Schedule (Aust) Not Scheduled

**Globally Harmonised System** 

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**Hazard Classification** NOT hazardous according to the criteria of the Globally Harmonised System of Classification and

Labelling of Chemicals (GHS)

Signal Word None

## **National Transport Commission (Australia)**

Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road & Rail (ADG Code)

**Dangerous Goods Classification** NOT Dangerous Goods according to the criteria of the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous

Goods by Road & Rail (ADG Code)

#### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

# Ingredients

| Chemical Entity                 | Formula    | CAS Number | Proportion |
|---------------------------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Magnesium sulfate, heptahydrate | MgSO4.7H2O | 10034-99-8 | <=100 %    |

#### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

#### Description of necessary measures according to routes of exposure

**Swallowed** IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Get medical

advice/attention if large quantities of this material are swallowed or if you feel unwell. Never give anything by mouth to

an unconscious person.

Eye IF IN EYES: Immediately flush eyes with running water for several minutes, holding eyelids open and occasionally

lifting the upper and lower lids. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing for at least 15

minutes. If eye irritation occurs, get medical advice/attention.

Skin IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse. If skin

irritation occurs, get medical advice/attention.

Inhaled IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. If respiratory

symptoms persist, get medical advice/attention. Give artificial respiration if victim is not breathing. Administer oxygen

if breathing is difficult.

**Advice to Doctor** Treat symptomatically.

**Medical Conditions Aggravated** 

by Exposure

No information available.

#### 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

**General Measures** If safe to do so, move undamaged containers from fire area. Cool containers with water spray until well after fire is

**Flammability Conditions** Non-combustible; Material does not burn.

**Extinguishing Media** If material is involved in a fire, use dry chemical, Carbon dioxide (CO2), foam or water spray for extinction.

\*This material is compatible with all extinguishing media and standard firefighting techniques.

Fire and Explosion Hazard Oxides of sulfur may be generated during fire.

**Hazardous Products of** 

Combustion

Fire or heat will produce irritating and/or toxic fumes, including oxides of Sulfur, Magnesium oxide.

**Special Fire Fighting** 

Instructions

Contain runoff from fire control or dilution water - Runoff may pollute waterways.

**Personal Protective Equipment** Wear positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA). Structural firefighters' protective clothing will only

provide limited protection.

Flash Point

Lower Explosion Limit

Upper Explosion Limit

Auto Ignition Temperature

Hazchem Code

No Data Available

No Data Available

No Data Available

## **6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

General Response Procedure Ensure adequate ventilation. Do not touch or walk through spilled material - Spillages may be slippery! Promptly clean

up spills. Avoid generating dust. Avoid breathing dust and contact with eyes, skin and clothing.

Clean Up Procedures With clean shovel, place material into clean, dry container and cover loosely; move containers from spill area.

Use personal protective equipment as required (see SECTION 8).

**Containment** Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Prevent dust cloud.

**Decontamination** Flush residue with water.

**Environmental Precautionary** 

Measures

Avoid contaminating waterways.

**Evacuation Criteria** Spill or leak area should be isolated immediately. Keep unauthorised personnel away.

**Personal Precautionary** 

Measures

#### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling Safety showers and eyewash facilities should be provided within the immediate work area for emergency use. Ensure

adequate ventilation. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid generating dust. Avoid breathing dust and contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Do not ingest. Use personal protective equipment as

required (see SECTION 8).

Storage Store in a well-ventilated place, out of direct sunlight, protected from extremes of temperature and humidity. Keep

containers tightly closed when not in use - check regularly for spills. Keep away from incompatible materials (see

SECTION 10).

**Container** Keep in the original container.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

**General** No specific exposure standards are available for this product. For dusts from solid substances without specific

occupational exposure standards:

- Safe Work Australia Exposure Standard (Nuisance dusts): 8 hr TWA = 10 mg/m3 (measured as inhalable dust).

- New Zealand WES (Particulates not otherwise classified): TWA = 10 mg/m3 (total); TWA = 3 mg/m3 (respirable).

**Exposure Limits** No Data Available

**Biological Limits**No information available on biological limit values for this product.

Engineering Measures A system of local and/or general exhaust is recommended to keep employee exposures as low as possible. Local

exhaust ventilation is generally preferred because it can control the emissions of the contaminant at its source,

preventing dispersion of it into the general work area.

Personal Protection Equipment - Respiratory protection: In case of inadequate ventilation, wear respiratory protection. Recommended: Dust

mask/respirator. Use suitable respiratory protection based on the level of exposure incurred (refer to AS/NZS 1715 &

1716)

- Eye/face protection: Wear appropriate eye protection to avoid eye contact. Recommended: Wear safety glasses or

chemical goggles.

- Hand protection: Handle with gloves. Recommended: Wear gloves if abrasion or irritation occurs.

- Skin/body protection: Wear appropriate personal protective clothing to avoid skin contact. Recommended: Lab

coat or overalls, safety shoes,

Special Hazards Precaustions

**Work Hygienic Practices** 

No information available.

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Always wash hands before smoking, eating, drinking or using

the toilet. Wash contaminated clothing and other protective equipment before storage or re-use.

#### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical State Solid

**Appearance** Crystals, fine granular or powder

**Odour** Odourless

**Colour** White or transparent

**PH** Approx. 6 - 7 (5% w/w in water)

Vapour PressureNo Data AvailableRelative Vapour DensityNo Data AvailableBoiling PointNo Data Available

Melting Point 1,000 °C

Freezing Point No Data Available

**Solubility** Soluble in water (71 g/100 ml at 20 °C)

Specific Gravity1.76 g/cm3Flash PointNo Data AvailableAuto Ignition TempNo Data AvailableEvaporation RateNo Data AvailableBulk Density55 - 58 lb/ft3

Corrosion RateNo Data AvailableDecomposition TemperatureNo Data AvailableDensityNo Data AvailableSpecific HeatNo Data AvailableMolecular WeightNo Data Available

Net Propellant WeightNo Data AvailableOctanol Water CoefficientNo Data AvailableParticle SizeNo Data AvailablePartition CoefficientNo Data AvailableSaturated Vapour ConcentrationNo Data Available

Vapour TemperatureNo Data AvailableViscosityNo Data AvailableVolatile PercentNo Data AvailableVOC VolumeNo Data Available

Additional Characteristics

Potential for Dust Explosion

Fast or Intensely Burning

No information available.

No information available.

No information available.

Characteristics

lame Propagation or Burning No information available.

Flame Propagation or Burning Rate of Solid Materials

nate of Solid Materials

Non-Flammables That Could Contribute Unusual Hazards to a

No information available.

Properties That May Initiate or Contribute to Fire Intensity

Non-combustible; Material does not burn.

Reactions That Release Gases or Vapours

Fire or heat will produce irritating and/or toxic fumes, including oxides of Sulfur, Magnesium oxide.

Release of Invisible Flammable

Vapours and Gases

No information available.

#### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

General Information At very high temperatures, magnesium oxide, sulfur dioxide and sulfur trioxide may be generated.

**Chemical Stability** Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Conditions to Avoid Avoid generating dust. Avoid extremes of temperature and direct sunlight.

Materials to Avoid Incompatible/reactive with Metal hydrides and other water reactive materials.

**Hazardous Decomposition** 

**Products** 

Fire or heat will produce irritating and/or toxic fumes, including oxides of Sulfur, Magnesium oxide.

**Hazardous Polymerisation** No information available.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

General Information - Acute toxicity: Ingestion may cause abdominal cramps and diarrhoea. Produces a laxative effect. Swallowing large

amounts may lead to heart changes, flaccid paralysis and cyanosis. - Skin corrosion/irritation: Contact with skin may result in irritation.

- Eye damage/irritation: Dust may cause mild eye irritation. Exposure to the dust may cause discomfort due to

particulate nature. May cause physical irritation to the eyes. - Respiratory/skin sensitisation: No information available.

- Germ cell mutagenicity: No information available.

- Carcinogenicity: Not listed by IARC, NTP, or OSHA - Reproductive toxicity: No information available.

- STOT (single exposure): Not classified. Breathing in dust may result in respiratory irritation.

STOT (repeated exposure): Not classified.Aspiration toxicity: No information available.

Acute

**Ingestion** Acute toxicity (Oral):

- LDIo, Man: 428 mg/kg [RTECS; Supplier's SDS].- LDIo, Woman: 351 mg/kg [RTECS; Supplier's SDS].

Carcinogen Category None

# 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

EcotoxicityNo information available.Persistence/DegradabilityNo information available.MobilitySinks and mixes with water.Environmental FateAvoid contaminating waterways.Bioaccumulation PotentialMaterial does not bioaccumulate.

**Environmental Impact** No Data Available

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

**General Information** Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national regulations.

**Special Precautions for Land Fill** Contaminated packaging: Do not reuse container.

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

## Land Transport (Australia)

ADG Code

Proper Shipping Name Magnesium sulfate, heptahydrate

ClassNo Data AvailableSubsidiary Risk(s)No Data Available

No Data Available
No Data Available

UN NumberNo Data AvailableHazchemNo Data AvailablePack GroupNo Data AvailableSpecial ProvisionNo Data Available

**Comments** NON-DANGEROUS GOODS: Not regulated for LAND transport.

## **Land Transport (China)**

Proper Shipping Name Magnesium sulfate, heptahydrate

ClassNo Data AvailableSubsidiary Risk(s)No Data Available

No Data Available

UN NumberNo Data AvailableHazchemNo Data AvailablePack GroupNo Data AvailableSpecial ProvisionNo Data Available

**Comments** NON-DANGEROUS GOODS: Not regulated for LAND transport.

# Land Transport (Fiji)

Proper Shipping Name Magnesium sulfate, heptahydrate

Class No Data Available
Subsidiary Risk(s) No Data Available
No Data Available

UN Number No Data Available
Hazchem No Data Available
Pack Group No Data Available
Special Provision No Data Available

Comments NON-DANGEROUS GOODS: Not regulated for LAND transport.

#### Land Transport (Malaysia)

ADR Code

Proper Shipping Name Magnesium sulfate, heptahydrate

ClassNo Data AvailableSubsidiary Risk(s)No Data Available

No Data Available

UN NumberNo Data AvailableHazchemNo Data AvailablePack GroupNo Data AvailableSpecial ProvisionNo Data Available

**Comments** NON-DANGEROUS GOODS: Not regulated for LAND transport.

## Land Transport (New Zealand)

NZS5433

Proper Shipping Name Magnesium sulfate, heptahydrate

Class No Data Available
Subsidiary Risk(s) No Data Available
No Data Available

UN Number No Data Available
Hazchem No Data Available
Pack Group No Data Available
Special Provision No Data Available

Comments NON-DANGEROUS GOODS: Not regulated for LAND transport.

## Land Transport (United States of America)

US DOT

Proper Shipping Name Magnesium sulfate, heptahydrate

ClassNo Data AvailableSubsidiary Risk(s)No Data Available

No Data Available

UN Number No Data Available
Hazchem No Data Available
Pack Group No Data Available
Special Provision No Data Available

**Comments** NON-DANGEROUS GOODS: Not regulated for LAND transport.

# Sea Transport

**IMDG** Code

**Proper Shipping Name** Magnesium sulfate, heptahydrate

Class No Data Available
Subsidiary Risk(s) No Data Available
UN Number No Data Available
Hazchem No Data Available
Pack Group No Data Available
Special Provision No Data Available
EMS No Data Available

Marine Pollutant No

**Comments** NON-DANGEROUS GOODS: Not regulated for SEA transport.

#### Air Transport

IATA DGR

**Proper Shipping Name** Magnesium sulfate, heptahydrate

ClassNo Data AvailableSubsidiary Risk(s)No Data AvailableUN NumberNo Data AvailableHazchemNo Data AvailablePack GroupNo Data AvailableSpecial ProvisionNo Data Available

**Comments** NON-DANGEROUS GOODS: Not regulated for AIR transport.

## **National Transport Commission (Australia)**

Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road & Rail (ADG Code)

**Dangerous Goods Classification**NOT Dangerous Goods according to the criteria of the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous

Goods by Road & Rail (ADG Code)

#### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

General InformationNo Data AvailablePoisons Schedule (Aust)Not Scheduled

# **Environmental Protection Authority (New Zealand)**

Hazardous Substances and New Organisms Amendment Act 2015

Approval Code Not Hazardous

## National/Regional Inventories

Australia (AICS) Listed

Canada (DSL) Not Determined

Canada (NDSL) Not Determined

China (IECSC) Not Determined

**Europe (EINECS)** Not Determined

Europe (REACh) Not Determined

Japan (ENCS/METI) Not Determined

Korea (KECI) Not Determined

Malaysia (EHS Register) Not Determined

New Zealand (NZIoC) Listed

Philippines (PICCS) Not Determined

Switzerland (Giftliste 1) Not Determined

Switzerland (Inventory of Notified

Substances)

Not Determined

Taiwan (NCSR) Not Determined

**USA (TSCA)** Not Determined

## **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

Related Product Codes MASULP0300, MASULP0300, MASULP0310, MASULP0310, MASULP0300, MASULP0310,

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**AICS** Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

atm Atmosphere

CAS Chemical Abstracts Service (Registry Number)

cm² Square CentimetresCO2 Carbon Dioxide

**COD** Chemical Oxygen Demand **deg C (°C)** Degrees Celcius

EPA (New Zealand) Environmental Protection Authority of New Zealand

deg F (°F) Degrees Farenheit

**g** Grams

g/cm³ Grams per Cubic Centimetre

g/I Grams per Litre

**HSNO** Hazardous Substance and New Organism **IDLH** Immediately Dangerous to Life and Health **immiscible** Liquids are insoluable in each other.

inHg Inch of Mercury inH2O Inch of Water

**K** Kelvin

kg Kilogram

kg/m³ Kilograms per Cubic Metre

**Ib** Pound

**LC50** LC stands for lethal concentration. LC50 is the concentration of a material in air which causes the death of 50% (one half) of a group of test animals. The material is inhaled over a set period of time, usually 1 or 4 hours. **LD50** LD stands for Lethal Dose. LD50 is the amount of a material, given all at once, which causes the death of 50% (one half) of a group of test animals.

**Itr** or **L** Litre

m³ Cubic Metre mbar Millibar mg Milligram

mg/24H Milligrams per 24 Hours

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mg/kg Milligrams per Kilogram

mg/m³ Milligrams per Cubic Metre

Misc or Miscible Liquids form one homogeneous liquid phase regardless of the amount of either component present.

**mm** Millimetre

mmH2O Millimetres of Water

mPa.s Millipascals per Second

N/A Not Applicable

NIOSH National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health

NOHSC National Occupational Heath and Safety Commission

**OECD** Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

Oz Ounce

**PEL** Permissible Exposure Limit

Pa Pascal

**ppb** Parts per Billion **ppm** Parts per Million

ppm/2h Parts per Million per 2 Hours

ppm/6h Parts per Million per 6 Hours

psi Pounds per Square Inch

R Rankine

RCP Reciprocal Calculation Procedure

**STEL** Short Term Exposure Limit

**TLV** Threshold Limit Value

tne Tonne

TWA Time Weighted Average

ug/24H Micrograms per 24 Hours

**UN** United Nations

wt Weight