

Revision date : 2013/05/16 Page: 1/7
Version: 1.0 (30593812/SDS\_GEN\_US/EN)

# 1. Product and Company Identification

Company BASF CORPORATION 100 Park Avenue Florham Park, NJ 07932, USA 24 Hour Emergency Response Information CHEMTREC: 1-800-424-9300 BASF HOTLINE: 1-800-832-HELP (4357)

# 2. Hazards Identification

## **Emergency overview**

WARNING:

MAY CAUSE EYE IRRITATION.
MAY CAUSE SKIN IRRITATION.
CONTAINS MATERIAL WHICH MAY CAUSE CANCER.
May be harmful if swallowed in large quantities.
Keep out of the reach of children.
Avoid contact with the skin, eyes and clothing.
Wash thoroughly after handling.
Keep container tightly closed.

State of matter: solid Colour: tan Odour: faint odour

# Potential health effects

### Primary routes of exposure:

Routes of entry for solids and liquids include eye and skin contact, ingestion and inhalation. Routes of entry for gases include inhalation and eye contact. Skin contact may be a route of entry for liquified gases.

### Acute toxicity:

Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal disturbances. The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

### Irritation / corrosion:

May cause slight irritation to the eyes. May cause slight irritation to the skin. May cause slight irritation to the respiratory tract. The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from substances/products of a similar structure or composition.

## Chronic toxicity:

**Carcinogenicity:** The chemical structure does not suggest a specific alert for such an effect. Based on available Data, the classification criteria are not met.

Revision date: 2013/05/16 Page: 2/7 Version: 1.0 (30593812/SDS GEN US/EN)

**Repeated dose toxicity:** No reliable data was available concerning repeated dose toxicity. Based on available Data, the classification criteria are not met.

**Reproductive toxicity:** The chemical structure does not suggest a specific alert for such an effect. Based on available Data, the classification criteria are not met.

**Teratogenicity:** The chemical structure does not suggest a specific alert for such an effect. Based on available Data, the classification criteria are not met.

**Genotoxicity:** The chemical structure does not suggest a specific alert for such an effect. Based on available Data, the classification criteria are not met.

## Signs and symptoms of overexposure:

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2) and/or in section 11.

# Potential environmental effects

#### Aquatic toxicity:

Based on available Data, the classification criteria are not met. There is a high probability that the product is not acutely harmful to aquatic organisms.

## Degradation / environmental fate:

The polymer component of the product is poorly biodegradable.

## Bioaccumulation / bioconcentration:

Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

# 3. Composition / Information on Ingredients

CAS Number	Content (W/W)	Chemical name
1317-65-3	>= 15.0 - <= 40.0 %	Limestone
471-34-1	>= 10.0 - <= 30.0 %	Calcium carbonate
28553-12-0	>= 7.0 - <= 13.0 %	Di-isononylphthalate
53306-54-0	>= 3.0 - <= 7.0 %	bis(2-propylheptyl) phthalate
13463-67-7	>= 3.0 - <= 7.0 %	Titanium dioxide
57-11-4	>= 1.0 - <= 5.0 %	Stearic acid
14808-60-7	>= 0.1 - <= 1.0 %	crystalline silica

# 4. First-Aid Measures

## General advice:

First aid personnel should pay attention to their own safety. Remove contaminated clothing.

### If on skin

Wash thoroughly with soap and water. Under no circumstances should organic solvent be used. If irritation develops, seek medical attention.

### If in eyes:

Wash affected eyes for at least 15 minutes under running water with eyelids held open, consult an eye specialist.

## If swallowed:

Rinse mouth and then drink plenty of water. Do not induce vomiting unless told to by a poison control center or doctor.

Revision date: 2013/05/16 Page: 3/7 Version: 1.0 (30593812/SDS GEN US/EN)

Note to physician

Treatment: Treat according to symptoms (decontamination, vital functions), no known

specific antidote.

# 5. Fire-Fighting Measures

Flash point: > 253 °F (ASTM D3278) Non-flammable.

## Suitable extinguishing media:

foam, water spray, dry powder, carbon dioxide

# Unsuitable extinguishing media for safety reasons:

water jet

# Hazards during fire-fighting:

carbon dioxide, carbon monoxide, harmful vapours, nitrogen oxides, fumes/smoke, carbon black

## Protective equipment for fire-fighting:

Wear a self-contained breathing apparatus.

#### Further information:

The degree of risk is governed by the burning substance and the fire conditions. Contaminated extinguishing water must be disposed of in accordance with official regulations.

# 6. Accidental release measures

## Personal precautions:

Use personal protective clothing. Handle in accordance with good building materials hygiene and safety practice.

### **Environmental precautions:**

Contain contaminated water/firefighting water. Do not discharge into drains/surface waters/groundwater.

## Cleanup:

For small amounts: Sweep/shovel up. Dispose of absorbed material in accordance with regulations. For large amounts: Sweep/shovel up. Dispose of absorbed material in accordance with regulations.

# 7. Handling and Storage

### Handling

### General advice:

Avoid contact with the skin, eyes and clothing.

## Protection against fire and explosion:

Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking. The relevant fire protection measures should be noted.

## **Storage**

# General advice:

Keep only in the original container in a cool, well-ventilated place. Protect from direct sunlight. Store protected against freezing.

# 8. Exposure Controls and Personal Protection

## Components with occupational exposure limits

Revision date: 2013/05/16 Page: 4/7 Version: 1.0 (30593812/SDS GEN US/EN)

crystalline silica **OSHA** TWA value 2.4 millions of particles per cubic foot of air

Respirable;

The value is calculated from a specified equation using a value of 100%. Lower values of % will give higher exposure limits. See regulation for specific equation.

TWA value 0.1 mg/m3 Respirable

The value is calculated from a specified equation using a value of 100%. Lower values of % will give higher exposure limits. See regulation for specific equation.

TWA value 0.3 mg/m3 Total dust;

The value is calculated from a specified equation using a value of 100%. Lower values of % will give higher exposure limits. See regulation for specific equation.

**ACGIH** TWA value 0.025 mg/m3 Respirable fraction;

Stearic acid

Titanium dioxide

**ACGIH** TWA value 10 mg/m3 PEL 15 mg/m3 Total dust; OSHA **ACGIH** TWA value 10 mg/m3;

**OSHA** PEL 5 mg/m3 Respirable fraction; PEL 15 mg/m3 Calcium carbonate

Total dust;

**OSHA** Limestone PEL 5 mg/m3 Respirable fraction; PEL 15 mg/m3

Total dust ;

## Personal protective equipment

## Hand protection:

Wear chemical resistant protective gloves.

## Eye protection:

Safety glasses with side-shields.

### **Body protection:**

Body protection must be chosen based on level of activity and exposure.

# General safety and hygiene measures:

Avoid contact with the skin, eyes and clothing. No special measures necessary if stored and handled correctly. Handle in accordance with good building materials hygiene and safety practice. Wearing of closed work clothing is recommended. When using, do not eat, drink or smoke. Hands and/or face should be washed before breaks and at the end of the shift. At the end of the shift the skin should be cleaned and skin-care agents applied. Gloves must be inspected regularly and prior to each use. Replace if necessary (e.g. pinhole leaks).

# 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Form: paste Odour: faint odour Colour: tan

11.65 lb/USg Density: (73 - 77 °F)

Solubility in water: (15 °C) not soluble

Miscibility with water: immiscible (15°C)

Other Information: If necessary, information on other physical and chemical parameters is

indicated in this section.

# 10. Stability and Reactivity

### Conditions to avoid:

See MSDS section 7 - Handling and storage.

Revision date: 2013/05/16 Page: 5/7
Version: 1.0 (30593812/SDS GEN US/EN)

### Substances to avoid:

strong acids, strong bases, strong oxidizing agents, strong reducing agents

#### **Hazardous reactions:**

The product is stable if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

#### **Decomposition products:**

No hazardous decomposition products if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

#### Thermal decomposition:

No decomposition if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

## Oxidizing properties:

Not an oxidizer.

# 11. Toxicological information

## Repeated dose toxicity

Information on: Di-isononylphthalate Assessment of repeated dose toxicity:

Repeated exposure to high doses of the substance causes reversible liver changes in rodents. According to present knowledge, these effects do not occur in man. Effects on the kidney of male rats were detected after repeated exposure. These effects are specific for the male rat and are known to be of no relevance to humans.

Information on: bis(2-propylheptyl) phthalate

Assessment of repeated dose toxicity:

Repeated exposure to high doses of the substance causes reversible liver changes in rodents. According to present knowledge, these effects do not occur in man.

-----

## Carcinogenicity

Information on: Di-isononylphthalate

In long-term studies in rodents exposed to high doses, a tumorigenic effect was found; however, these results are thought to be due to a rodent-specific liver effect that is not relevant to humans.

Information on: Titanium dioxide

In long-term studies in rats in which the substance was given by inhalation, a carcinogenic effect was observed. Due to the species specific mode of action, the effects are not expected to occur in humans. IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer) has classified this substance as group 2B (The agent is possibly carcinogenic to humans). In long-term studies in rats and mice in which the substance was given by feed, a carcinogenic effect was not observed.

Information on: crystalline silica

In long-term studies in rats and mice in which the substance was given by feed, a carcinogenic effect was not observed. In long-term animal studies in which the substance was given by inhalation in high doses, a carcinogenic effect was observed. The substance and its compounds in the form of respirable dusts/aerosolsis classified by the German MAK commision as a category 1 carcinogen (substances that cause cancer to humans). A carcinogenic effect cannot safely be ruled out. The inhalation uptake of the alveolar fraction of the fine dust may cause damage to the lungs. The International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) has classified this substance as a Group 1 (known) human carcinogen.

The International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) has classified this substance as a Group 1 (known) human carcinogen.

NTP listed carcinogen

-----

## **Experiences in humans:**

According to experience, the product is considered to be harmless to health if used in the correct manner.

## Other Information:

Revision date: 2013/05/16 Page: 6/7 Version: 1.0 (30593812/SDS GEN US/EN)

Based on our experience and the information available, no adverse health effects are expected if handled as recommended with suitable precautions for designated uses. The product has not been tested. The statements on toxicology have been derived from the properties of the individual components.

# 12. Ecological Information

Degradability / Persistence Biological / Abiological Degradation

Evaluation: Inherently biodegradable.

The insoluble fraction can be removed by mechanical means in suitable waste

water treatment plants.

Other adverse effects:

Ecological data are not available. Do not allow to enter soil, waterways or waste water channels.

# 13. Disposal considerations

## Waste disposal of substance:

Dispose of in accordance with local authority regulations. Do not discharge into drains/surface waters/groundwater.

# 14. Transport Information

Land transport

**USDOT** 

Not classified as a dangerous good under transport regulations

Sea transport

**IMDG** 

Not classified as a dangerous good under transport regulations

Air transport IATA/ICAO

Not classified as a dangerous good under transport regulations

# 15. Regulatory Information

# Federal Regulations

Registration status:

Chemical TSCA, US released / listed

OSHA hazard category: IARC 1, 2A or 2B carcinogen; NTP listed carcinogen; Chronic target organ

effects reported; ACGIH TLV established

EPCRA 311/312 (Hazard categories): Acute; Chronic

Revision date: 2013/05/16 Page: 7/7 Version: 1.0 (30593812/SDS GEN US/EN)

**CERCLA RQ CAS Number Chemical name** 67-56-1; 107-15-3 5000 LBS

Methanol; ethylenediamine 1000 LBS 98-88-4 benzoyl chloride 100 LBS 100-44-7 alpha-chlorotoluene **10 LBS** Benzene, (trichloromethyl)-98-07-7

## State regulations

State RTK	CAS Number	Chemical name
MA, NJ, PA	471-34-1	Calcium carbonate
NJ, PA	28553-12-0	Di-isononylphthalate
NJ, PA	53306-54-0	bis(2-propylheptyl) phthalate
MA, NJ, PA	13463-67-7	Titanium dioxide
MA, NJ, PA	14808-60-7	crystalline silica

#### CA Prop. 65:

THIS PRODUCT CONTAINS A CHEMICAL(S) KNOWN TO THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA TO CAUSE CANCER AND BIRTH DEFECTS OR OTHER REPRODUCTIVE HARM.

## 16. Other Information

# **HMIS III rating**

Flammability: 0 Physical hazard: 0 Health: 2¤

NFPA and HMIS use a numbering scale ranging from 0 to 4 to indicate the degree of hazard. A value of zero means that the substance possesses essentially no hazard; a rating of four indicates extreme danger. Although similar, the two rating systems are intended for different purposes, and use different criteria. The NFPA system was developed to provide an onthe-spot alert to the hazards of a material, and their severity, to emergency responders. The HMIS system was designed to communicate workplace hazard information to employees who handle hazardous chemicals.

We support worldwide Responsible Care® initiatives. We value the health and safety of our employees, customers, suppliers and neighbors, and the protection of the environment. Our commitment to Responsible Care is integral to conducting our business and operating our facilities in a safe and environmentally responsible fashion, supporting our customers and suppliers in ensuring the safe and environmentally sound handling of our products, and minimizing the impact of our operations on society and the environment during production, storage, transport, use and disposal of our products.

## SDS Prepared by:

**BASF NA Product Regulations** msds@basf.com SDS Prepared on: 2013/05/16

IMPORTANT: WHILE THE DESCRIPTIONS, DESIGNS, DATA AND INFORMATION CONTAINED HEREIN ARE PRESENTED IN GOOD FAITH AND BELIEVED TO BE ACCURATE, IT IS PROVIDED FOR YOUR GUIDANCE ONLY. BECAUSE MANY FACTORS MAY AFFECT PROCESSING OR APPLICATION/USE, WE RECOMMEND THAT YOU MAKE TESTS TO DETERMINE THE SUITABILITY OF A PRODUCT FOR YOUR PARTICULAR PURPOSE PRIOR TO USE. NO WARRANTIES OF ANY KIND, EITHER EXPRESSED OR IMPLIED, INCLUDING WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE, ARE MADE REGARDING PRODUCTS DESCRIBED OR DESIGNS, DATA OR INFORMATION SET FORTH, OR THAT THE PRODUCTS, DESIGNS, DATA OR INFORMATION MAY BE USED WITHOUT INFRINGING THE INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS OF OTHERS. IN NO CASE SHALL THE DESCRIPTIONS, INFORMATION, DATA OR DESIGNS PROVIDED BE CONSIDERED A PART OF OUR TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE. FURTHER, YOU EXPRESSLY UNDERSTAND AND AGREE THAT THE DESCRIPTIONS, DESIGNS, DATA, AND INFORMATION FURNISHED BY OUR COMPANY HEREUNDER ARE GIVEN GRATIS AND WE ASSUME NO OBLIGATION OR LIABILITY FOR THE DESCRIPTION, DESIGNS, DATA AND INFORMATION GIVEN OR RESULTS OBTAINED, ALL SUCH BEING GIVEN AND ACCEPTED AT YOUR RISK. **END OF DATA SHEET**