

SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. IDENTIFICATION

Product identifier

Product name Calcium Formate

Other means of identification

Product code 3104A
Synonyms Formic acid, calcium salt; Calcium diformate

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use [RU] No information available
Uses advised against None known

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification

OSHA Regulatory Status

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2024 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200).

Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 2
Combustible dust	-

EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

Physical state solid	Color off-white	Odor odorless
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GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements**WARNING****Hazard statements**

Causes serious eye irritation. May form combustible dust concentrations in air.

Precautionary Statements - Prevention

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling. Wear eye/face protection.

Precautionary Statements - Response

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

Other information

- May be harmful if swallowed

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical name	CAS No	Weight-%	TRADE SECRET
Calcium formate	544-17-2	> 98%	*
Trimethylolethane	77-85-0	< 2%	*

If CAS number is "proprietary", the specific chemical identity and percentage of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

*The exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret While some substances are claimed as trade secret in accordance with the provision of OSHA 29 CFR 1910.1200(i), all known hazards are clearly communicated within this document

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Description of first aid measures**Eye contact**

Remove contact lenses, if worn. Immediately flush with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, holding eyelids apart to ensure flushing of the entire surface. Washing within one minute is essential to achieve maximum effectiveness. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

Skin contact

Immediately flush skin with plenty of soap and water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

Ingestion

Do NOT induce vomiting. If vomiting should occur spontaneously, keep airway clear. Never give anything by mouth to an

unconscious person. Get medical attention.

Inhalation

Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Call a physician immediately.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**Acute effects**

Causes serious eye irritation. May be harmful if swallowed.

Chronic effects

None known.

Aggravated Medical Conditions

Existing skin, eye and lung conditions.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**Note to physicians**

Treat symptomatically.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Extinguishing media**Suitable extinguishing media**

Water fog, carbon dioxide, foam, dry chemical.

Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons

No information available.

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**Special Hazard**

Solutions extremely slippery when spilled.

Advice for firefighters**Firefighting measures**

Cool exposed containers with water spray after extinguishing fire.

Special protective equipment for firefighters

Full protective clothing and approved self-contained breathing apparatus required for firefighting personnel.

Explosion data**Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact**

None.

Sensitivity to Static Discharge

None.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**Personal precautions**

Wear suitable protective clothing and gloves.

Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions

Avoid runoff to waterways and sewers.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for containment

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

Methods for cleaning up

Clear spills immediately. Contain large spill and remove using a vacuum truck. Soak up small spills with inert absorbent material and place in a labeled waste container for disposal. Spills of solution are extremely slippery so all residue must be removed promptly. Remove all sources of ignition. Non-sparking tools should be used. Ventilate the area. Avoid generating dust; fine dust dispersed in air in sufficient concentrations, and in the presence of an ignition source is a potential dust explosion hazard. Wet the material with water to limit dust emission or explosion risk.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling

Keep container closed when not in use

Conveying and processing equipment should be spark proof, electrically bonded and grounded.

Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing

Wash thoroughly after handling

Avoid breathing dust

Use with adequate ventilation and employ respiratory protection where a dust atmosphere may be generated.

Do not take internally

FOR INDUSTRIAL USE ONLY.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Technical measures and storage conditions

Store in a cool, dry place away from ignition sources and open flame.

Calcium Formate is not hygroscopic.

Incompatible products

Oxidizing agents.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control parameters

Exposure Guidelines

This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies

Appropriate engineering controls

Engineering controls

Local exhaust ventilation as necessary to maintain exposures to within applicable limits. Please refer to the ACGIH document, "Industrial Ventilation, A Manual of Recommended Practices", most recent edition, for details. If there are no applicable or

established exposure limit requirements or guidelines, general ventilation should be sufficient.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face Protection

Wear safety glasses or goggles to protect against exposure to dust particles.

Hand Protection

Appropriate chemical resistant gloves should be worn

Skin and body protection

Standard work clothing and work shoes.

Respiratory protection

If exposures exceed the PEL or TLV, use NIOSH/MSHA approved respirator in accordance with OSHA Respiratory Protection Requirements under 29 CFR 1910.134. If there are no applicable or established exposure limit requirements or guidelines, general ventilation should be sufficient.

Other personal protection data

Eyewash fountains and safety showers must be easily accessible.

Hygiene measures

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	solid
Color	off-white
Appearance	free-flowing crystals
Odor	odorless
Odor threshold	No information available

<u>Property</u>	<u>Values</u>	<u>Remarks Method</u>
pH	7.5	aqueous solution (10%)
Melting / freezing point	Decomposes before melting	No information available
Boiling point / boiling range	No information available	No information available
Flash point	No information available	No information available
Evaporation rate	No information available	No information available
Flammability (solid, gas)	Not applicable	No information available
Flammability Limit in Air		
Upper flammability limit	No information available	No information available
Lower flammability limit	No information available	No information available
Vapor pressure	No information available	No information available
Relative vapor density	4.5	No information available
Specific gravity	No information available	No information available
Solubility (water)	Soluble	No information available

Solubility in other solvents	No information available	No information available
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	No information available	No information available
Autoignition temperature	Not Determined (Solid)	No information available
Decomposition temperature	No information available	No information available
Kinematic viscosity	No information available	No information available
Dynamic viscosity	No information available	No information available

Other information

Particle characteristics Not applicable

Density	72.6 lb/ft ³
Bulk Density	No information available
Molecular weight	130.12
Volatile Organic Compound (VOC) content, wt.%	No information available
Percent Volatile, wt.%	No information available

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity**Reactivity**

No data available.

Chemical stability**Chemical stability**

Stable under normal conditions of handling, use and transportation.

Possibility of hazardous reactions**Possibility of hazardous reactions**

None under normal processing.

Hazardous polymerization

Not anticipated under normal or recommended handling and storage conditions.

Conditions to avoid**Conditions to avoid**

None known.

Incompatible materials**Materials to avoid**

Oxidizing agents.

Hazardous decomposition products**Hazardous decomposition products**

May produce formaldehyde, oxides of carbon and calcium carbonate when heated to decomposition.

No information available

Specific target organ toxicity - Single exposure

No information available.

Specific target organ toxicity - Repeated exposure

No information available

Aspiration hazard

No information available.

Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information

The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document

ATEmix (oral) 2704 mg/kg

Interactive effects

No information available

Other information

In a study in rats, Calcium Formate added to drinking water at 0.2% for 3 years or 0.4% for 2 years did not affect growth, fertility or function in up to 5 generations.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

Acute aquatic toxicity - Product Information

Fish No information available

Crustacea No information available

Algae/aquatic plants -

Acute aquatic toxicity - Component Information

Chemical name	Weight-%	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Crustacea
Calcium formate 544-17-2	> 98%	--	LC50: >=1000mg/L (96h, Brachydanio rerio)	--
Trimethylolethane 77-85-0	< 2%	-	LC 50 (96 hrs) > 100 mg/L - analogous material	EC 50 (96 hrs) > 1,000 mg/L - analogous material

Persistence and degradability

Persistence and degradability

No information available

Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulative potential

No information available

Mobility

Mobility

No information available

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**PBT and vPvB assessment**

No information available

Other adverse effects**Other information**

No other ecological studies have been carried out on this product.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**Waste treatment methods****Disposal of wastes**

Do not put solutions containing this product into sewer systems. Dispose of product in an approved chemical waste landfill or incinerate in accordance with applicable Federal, state and local regulations.

Contaminated packaging

Since empty containers retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is emptied.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT Not regulated

ICAO/IATA Not regulated

IMDG Not regulated

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**International Inventories****United States (TSCA)**

All ingredients are on the inventory or exempt from listing

Australia (AICS)

All ingredients are on the inventory or exempt from listing

Canada (DSL)

All ingredients are on the inventory or exempt from listing

Canada (NDSL)

None of the ingredients are on the inventory.

China (IECSC)

All ingredients are on the inventory or exempt from listing

European Union (EINECS)

All ingredients are on the inventory or exempt from listing

European Union (ELINCS)

None of the ingredients are on the inventory.

Japan (ENCS)

All ingredients are on the inventory or exempt from listing

KECL

All ingredients are on the inventory or exempt from listing

Philippines (PICCS)

All ingredients are on the inventory or exempt from listing

Legend

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

AIIC - Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals

DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

IECSC - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances/EU List of Notified Chemical Substances

ENCS - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances

KECL - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

U.S. Federal Regulations**CERCLA**

This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355). There may be specific reporting requirements at the local, regional, or state level pertaining to releases of this material.

CWA (Clean Water Act)

This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42).

SARA 313

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372.

U.S. State Regulations**California Proposition 65**

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

This product does not contain any substances regulated under applicable state right-to-know regulations

16. OTHER INFORMATION

NFPA Rating	Health hazards - 1	Flammability - 1	Instability - 0	HMIS Rating
Health hazards - 1	Flammability - 1	Physical hazards - 0	Personal protection - B	

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Disclaimer

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