# **Material Safety Data Sheet**

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## 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product name : Zinc sulfide

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Product Safety - Americas Region

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### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### **Emergency Overview**

#### **OSHA Hazards**

No known OSHA hazards

#### **GHS Classification**

Acute toxicity, Dermal (Category 5)
Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 5)

### GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram none
Signal word Warning

Hazard statement(s)

H303 + H313 May be harmful if swallowed or in contact with skin.

Precautionary statement(s)

P312 Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician if you feel unwell.

**HMIS Classification** 

Health hazard: 1
Flammability: 0
Physical hazards: 0

**NFPA Rating** 

Health hazard: 0 Fire: 0 Reactivity Hazard: 0

#### **Potential Health Effects**

Inhalation May be harmful if inhaled. May cause respiratory tract irritation.Skin May be harmful if absorbed through skin. May cause skin irritation.

**Eyes** May cause eye irritation. **Ingestion** May be harmful if swallowed.

#### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Formula : SZn

Molecular Weight : 97.46 g/mol

No ingredients are hazardous according to OHSA criteria.

#### 4. 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

Flush eyes with water as a precaution.

#### If swallowed

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

#### 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

#### Conditions of flammability

Not flammable or combustible.

#### Suitable extinguishing media

Dry powder

## Special protective equipment for firefighters

Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary.

#### **Hazardous combustion products**

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Sulphur oxides, Zinc/zinc oxides

### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

#### Personal precautions

Wear respiratory protection. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapors, mist or gas. Avoid breathing dust.

### **Environmental precautions**

No special environmental precautions required.

## Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. Sweep up and shovel. Do not flush with water. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

#### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### Precautions for safe handling

Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed.

## Conditions for safe storage

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.

Never allow product to get in contact with water during storage. Do not store near acids.

Air and moisture sensitive. Keep in a dry place.

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#### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

#### Personal protective equipment

## **Respiratory protection**

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face particle respirator type N100 (US) or type P3 (EN 143) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. If the respirator is the sole means of protection, use a full-face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

#### **Hand 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.

#### Eye protection

Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

## Skin and 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.

### Hygiene measures

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

#### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

#### **Appearance**

Form powder Colour beige

#### Safety data

pH no data available

Melting no data available

point/freezing point

Boiling point no data available
Flash point not applicable
Ignition temperature no data available
Autoignition no data available

temperature

Lower explosion limit no data available
Upper explosion limit no data available
Vapour pressure no data available

Density 4.1 g/cm3 at 25 °C (77 °F)

Water solubility no data available Partition coefficient: no data available

n-octanol/water Relative vapour

no data available

density

Odour no data available
Odour Threshold no data available

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### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

#### **Chemical stability**

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

#### Possibility of hazardous reactions

no data available

#### Conditions to avoid

Air sensitive.

#### Materials to avoid

Strong oxidizing agents, Strong acids

### Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Sulphur oxides, Zinc/zinc oxides Other decomposition products - no data available

### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### **Acute toxicity**

#### Oral LD50

LD50 Oral - rat - > 2,000 mg/kg

#### Inhalation LC50

no data available

#### **Dermal LD50**

LD50 Dermal - rat - > 2,000 mg/kg

#### Other information on acute toxicity

no data available

#### Skin corrosion/irritation

no data available

## Serious eye damage/eye irritation

no data available

## Respiratory or skin sensitization

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

### Teratogenicity

no data available

### Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure (Globally Harmonized System)

no data available

#### Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure (Globally Harmonized System)

no data available

### Aspiration hazard

no data available

#### Potential health effects

**Inhalation** May be harmful if inhaled. May cause respiratory tract irritation.

**Ingestion** May be harmful if swallowed.

**Skin** May be harmful if absorbed through skin. May cause skin irritation.

**Eyes** May cause eye irritation.

### Signs and Symptoms of Exposure

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

### Synergistic effects

no data available

#### **Additional Information**

RTECS: ZH5400000

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

## **Toxicity**

Toxicity to fish LC50 - Pimephales promelas (fathead minnow) - 1,826 mg/l - 96 h

### Persistence and degradability

no data available

#### Bioaccumulative potential

no data available

### Mobility in soil

no data available

## PBT and vPvB assessment

no data available

## Other adverse effects

no data available

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

#### **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

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#### **OSHA Hazards**

No known OSHA hazards

### **SARA 302 Components**

SARA 302: No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

#### **SARA 313 Components**

The following components are subject to reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313:

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#### 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.

### **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

#### **Further information**

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