

SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. IDENTIFICATION

Product identifier

Product code: C1073
Product Name: CALCIUM CARBONATE, CHIPS

Other means of identification

Synonyms: Carbonic acid, calcium salt (1:1)
Calcium Monocarbonate
Aglime
Aragonite
Atomite
Calcite
Chalk
Limestone
Carbonate de calcium (French)
Carbonato de calico (Spanish)

CAS #: 471-34-1
RTECS # FF9335000
CI#: Not available

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use: No information available.
Uses advised against No information available

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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification

This chemical is not considered hazardous according to the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Not a dangerous substance or mixture according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS)

Label elements

Not classified

Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Not Applicable

Other hazards

Not available

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Components	CAS-No.	Weight %
Calcium Carbonate, chips	471-34-1	100

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

First aid measures

General Advice: National Capital Poison Center in the United States can provide assistance if you have a poison emergency and need to talk to a poison specialist. Call 1-800-222-1222. First aider needs to protect himself. Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved and take precautions to protect themselves.

Skin Contact: Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water removing all contaminated clothing and shoes. Get medical attention if irritation develops.

Eye Contact: Flush eyes with water for 15 minutes. Get medical attention if irritation occurs.

Inhalation: Move to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.

Ingestion: Do not induce vomiting without medical advice. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Consult a physician if necessary.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms
May cause gastrointestinal disturbances
May cause anorexia
Nausea
Vomiting
Dryness of mouth
Thirst
May cause constipation
Drowsiness
Weakness
Confusion
Difficult/painful and/or frequent urination
High blood pressure
Fast or slow heartbeat
It may affect the urinary system
May cause calcium deposits in the kidneys (kidney stones)

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Notes to Physician: Treat symptomatically.

Protection of first-aiders

First-Aid Providers: Avoid exposure to blood or body fluids. Wear gloves and other necessary protective clothing. Dispose of contaminated clothing and equipment as bio-hazardous waste.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Extinguishing Media

Suitable Extinguishing Media:

The product is not flammable. If it is involved in a fire, extinguish the fire using an agent suitable for the type of surrounding fire.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media:

No information available.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Hazardous Combustion Products:

If it is involved in a fire the following can be released:
Calcium oxides. Carbon Monoxide, Carbon Dioxide.

Specific hazards:

The substance itself does not burn, but may decompose upon heating. When heated to decomposition it emits acrid smoke and irritating fumes. Will ignite and burn fiercely in contact with fluorine.

Special Protective Actions for Firefighters

Specific Methods:

No information available.

Special Protective Equipment for Firefighters:

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal Precautions:

Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Use personal protective equipment.

Environmental precautions

No information available.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for containment

Stop leak if you can do it without risk. Cover with plastic sheet to prevent spreading.

Methods for cleaning up

Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. Avoid creating dust. Clean contaminated surface thoroughly.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

Technical Measures/Precautions:

Provide sufficient air exchange and/or exhaust in work rooms. Keep away from incompatible materials.

Safe Handling Advice

Wear personal protective equipment. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Do not ingest. Do not breathe dust. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Technical Measures/Storage Conditions:

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Store at room temperature in the original container. Store away from incompatible materials.

Incompatible Materials:

Acids
 Fluorine
 Aluminum powder
 Ammonium salts
 Magnesium sulfate
 Mercury + Hydrogen
 Magnesium

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control parameters**National occupational exposure limits****United States**

Components	CAS-No.	OSHA	NIOSH	ACGIH	AIHA WEEL
Calcium Carbonate, chips	471-34-1	None	10 mg/m ³ TWA 5 mg/m ³ TWA	None	None

Canada

Components	CAS-No.	Canada - Alberta	Canada - British Columbia	Canada - Ontario	Canada - Quebec
Calcium Carbonate, chips	471-34-1	10 mg/m ³ TWA	None	None	None

Australia and Mexico

Components	CAS-No.	Australia	Mexico
Calcium Carbonate, chips	471-34-1	10 mg/m ³ TWA	None

Appropriate engineering controls**Engineering measures to reduce exposure:**

Ensure adequate ventilation. Use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to keep airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If user operations generate dust, fume or mist, use ventilation to keep exposure to airborne contaminants below the exposure limit.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment**Personal Protective Equipment**

Eye protection: Safety glasses

Skin and body protection: Long sleeved clothing
 Chemical resistant apron
 Gloves

Respiratory protection: This product is in the form of chips. No personal respiratory protective equipment normally required.

Hygiene measures: Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product. When using, do not eat, drink or smoke.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical state: Solid	Appearance: Chips.	Color: White.
Odor: None. Odorless.	Taste Chalky.	Formula: CaCO ₃
Molecular/Formula weight (g/mole): 100.09	Flammability: No information available	Flashpoint (°C/°F): No information available.
Flash Point Tested according to: Not applicable	Autoignition Temperature (°C/°F): No information available	Lower Explosion Limit (%): No information available
Upper Explosion Limit (%): No information available	Melting point/range(°C/°F): No information available	Decomposition temperature(°C/°F): 825 °C/1517 °F
Boiling point/range(°C/°F): No information available	Bulk density: No information available	Density (g/cm³): 2.7-2.9 @ 20 °C
Specific gravity: No information available	pH: No information available	Vapor pressure @ 20°C (kPa): No information available
Evaporation rate: No information available	Vapor density: No information available	VOC content (g/L): No information available
Odor threshold (ppm): No information available	Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water): No information available	Viscosity: No information available
Miscibility: No information available	Solubility: Practically insoluble in water Insoluble in Alcohol Soluble in dilute acids with effervescence	

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity

Reactive with acids

Reacts with acids to yield Carbon dioxide

When a mixture of calcium carbonate and magnesium is heated in a current of hydrogen, a violent explosion occurs

Will ignite and burn fiercely in contact with fluorine

At about 825 deg. C, it decomposes into calcium oxide and carbon dioxide

Chemical stability

Stability: Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions: Hazardous polymerization does not occur

Conditions to avoid: Heat. Avoid dust formation. Incompatible materials.

Incompatible Materials: Acids
Fluorine
Aluminum powder

Ammonium salts
Magnesium sulfate
Mercury + Hydrogen
Magnesium

Hazardous decomposition products:

When heated to decomposition it emits acrid smoke and irritating fumes. Carbon dioxide. Calcium oxides.

Other Information

Corrosivity: No information available

Special Remarks on Corrosivity: No information available

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on likely routes of exposure

Principal Routes of Exposure:

Ingestion. Inhalation.

Acute Toxicity

Component Information

Calcium Carbonate, chips

CAS-No. 471-34-1

LD50/oral/rat = 6450 mg/kg Oral LD50 Rat
LD50/oral/mouse = No information available
LD50/dermal/rabbit = No information available
LD50/dermal/rat = No information available
LC50/inhalation/rat = No information available
LC50/inhalation/mouse = No information available
Other LD50 or LC50 information = No information available

Product Information

LD50/oral/rat =
VALUE- Acute Tox Oral = 6450 mg/kg

LD50/oral/mouse =
Value - Acute Tox Oral = No information available

LD50/dermal/rabbit
VALUE-Acute Tox Dermal = No information available

LD50/dermal/rat
VALUE -Acute Tox Dermal = No information available

LC50/inhalation/rat
VALUE-Vapor = No information available
VALUE-Gas = No information available
VALUE-Dust/Mist = No information available

LC50/Inhalation/mouse
VALUE-Vapor = No information available
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VALUE - Dust/Mist = No information available

Symptoms

- Skin Contact:** Not likely to cause skin irritation. May cause skin irritation in sensitive individuals.
- Eye Contact:** Not likely to cause eye irritation. When Calcium carbonate is in the form of chips, it is not considered an eye irritation hazard.
- Inhalation** This material in the form of chips is unlikely to cause respiratory tract irritation and is not expected to be an inhalation hazard.
- Ingestion** Low hazard. May cause gastrointestinal disturbances. Ingestion may cause nausea, vomiting. May cause constipation.
- Aspiration hazard** No information available.

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Chronic Toxicity Chronic ingestion of large amounts may cause hypercalcemia, which is characterized by nausea, vomiting, constipation, anorexia (loss of appetite), fatigue, severe dryness of the mouth, acute drowsiness, fatigue, irritability, headache, confusion, mental depression, excessive/frequent and painful urination, high blood pressure (hypertension), fast or slow heartbeat. It may also cause hypophosphatemia, hypokalemia, metabolic alkalosis, leukocytosis. It may also affect the urinary system (kidneys) and cause hypercalcuria, alkaluria, kidney stones, and renal impairment. When larger doses of Calcium Carbonate are administered with milk or cream for the management of peptic ulcer, "milk-alkali syndrome" can occur. It is characterized by hypercalcemia and calcium deposits in the kidneys (kidney stones).

Sensitization: No information available.

Mutagenic Effects: No information available

Carcinogenic effects: Not considered carcinogenic.

Components	CAS-No.	IARC	ACGIH - Carcinogens	NTP	OSHA HCS - Carcinogens	Australia - Notifiable Carcinogenic Substances	Australia - Prohibited Carcinogenic Substances
Calcium Carbonate, chips	471-34-1	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed

ACGIH (American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists)

IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)

NTP (National Toxicology Program)

OSHA (Occupational Safety and Health Administration of the US Department of Labor)

Reproductive toxicity No data is available

Reproductive Effects: No information available

Developmental Effects: No information available

Teratogenic Effects: No information available

Specific Target Organ Toxicity

STOT - single exposure No information available.

STOT - repeated exposure No information available.

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Target Organs: No information available.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

Ecotoxicity effects: No data available.

Persistence and degradability: No information available

Bioaccumulative potential: No information available.

Mobility: No information available.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal Methods

Waste from residues / unused products:

Waste must be disposed of in accordance with Federal, State and Local regulation.

Contaminated packaging:

Empty containers should be taken for local recycling, recovery or waste disposal

Components	CAS-No.	RCRA - F Series Wastes	RCRA - K Series Wastes	RCRA - P Series Wastes	RCRA - U Series Wastes
Calcium Carbonate, chips	471-34-1	None	None	None	None

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT

UN-No: Not Regulated
Proper Shipping Name: No information available
Hazard Class: No information available
Subsidiary Class: No information available
Packing group: No information available
Emergency Response Guide Number: No information available
Marine Pollutant: No data available
DOT RQ (lbs): No information available
Special Provisions: No Information available
Symbol(s): No information available
Description: No information available

TDG (Canada)

UN-No: Not Regulated
Proper Shipping Name: No information available
Hazard Class: No information available
Subsidiary Risk: No information available
Packing Group: No information available
Marine Pollutant: No Information available
Description: No information available

ADR

UN-No: Not Regulated

Proper Shipping Name: No information available
Hazard Class: No information available
Packing Group: No information available
Subsidiary Risk: No information available

IMO / IMDG

UN-No: Not Regulated
Proper Shipping Name: No information available
Hazard Class: No information available
Subsidiary Risk: No information available
Packing Group: No information available
Marine Pollutant: No information available

RID

UN-No: Not Regulated
Proper Shipping Name: No information available
Hazard Class: No information available
Subsidiary Risk: No information available
Packing Group: No information available

ICAO

UN-No: Not Regulated
Proper Shipping Name: No information available
Hazard Class: No information available
Subsidiary Risk: No information available
Packing Group: No information available

IATA

UN-No: Not Regulated
Proper Shipping Name: No information available
Hazard Class: No information available
Subsidiary Risk: No information available
Packing Group: No information available
ERG Code: No information available
Special Provisions: No information available

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

International Inventories

Components	CAS-No.	U.S. TSCA	KOREA KECL	Philippines (PICCS)	Japan ENCS	CHINA	Australia (AICS)	EINECS-No.
Calcium Carbonate, chips	471-34-1	PresentACTIVE	Present KE-04487	Present	Present (1)-122	Present	Present	Present 207-439-9

U.S. Regulations

Calcium Carbonate, chips

FDA - Food Additives Generally Recognized as Safe (GRAS): 21 CFR 184.1191

FDA - 21 CFR - Total Food Additives 137.105, 137.350, 169.115, 175.300, 176.170, 177.1600, 177.1680, 177.2260, 178.3297, - List Sourced from EAFUS 181.29, 182.5191, 184.1191, 73.1070

California Prop. 65: Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986.

Chemicals Known to the State of California to Cause Cancer:

This product does not contain a chemical requiring a warning under California Prop. 65. (See table below)

Chemicals Known to the State of California to Cause Reproductive Toxicity:

This product does not contain a chemical requiring a warning under California Prop. 65. (See table below)

Components	CAS-No.	Carcinogen	Developmental Toxicity	Male Reproductive Toxicity	Female Reproductive Toxicity:
Calcium Carbonate, chips	471-34-1	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed

CERCLA/SARA

Components	CAS-No.	CERCLA - Hazardous Substances and their Reportable Quantities	Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances and TPQs	Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances and RQs	Section 313 - Chemical Category	Section 313 - Reporting de minimis
Calcium Carbonate, chips	471-34-1	None	None	None	None	None

U.S. TSCA

Components	CAS-No.	TSCA Section 5(a)2 - Chemicals With Significant New Use Rules (SNURS)	TSCA 8(d) -Health and Safety Reporting
Calcium Carbonate, chips	471-34-1	Not Applicable	Not Applicable

Canada

WHMIS 2015 - GHS Classifications

WHMIS 2015 Hazard Classification Information: Not a dangerous product according to HPR classification criteria.

Component
Calcium Carbonate, chips
471-34-1 (100)

WHMIS 2015 Hazard Classification
Not a dangerous product according to HPR classification criteria

Canada Hazardous Products Regulation This product has been classified according to the hazard criteria of the HPR (Hazardous Products Regulation) and the SDS contains all of the information required by the HPR

Inventory

Components	CAS-No.	Canada (DSL)	Canada (NDSL)
Calcium Carbonate, chips	471-34-1	Present	Not Listed

Components	CAS-No.	CEPA Schedule I - Toxic Substances
Calcium Carbonate, chips	471-34-1	Not listed
Components	CAS-No.	CEPA - 2010 Greenhouse Gases Subject to Mandatory Reporting
Calcium Carbonate, chips	471-34-1	Not listed

EU Classification

EU GHS - SV - CLP 1272/2008

Components	CAS-No.	EU GHS - SV - CLP (1272/2008)
Calcium Carbonate, chips	471-34-1	

EU - CLP (1272/2008)

R-phrases(s)

not determined (not applicable)

S -phrase(s)

none

Components	CAS-No.	Classification	Concentration Limits:	Safety Phrases
Calcium Carbonate, chips	471-34-1		No information	

The product is classified in accordance with Annex VI to Directive 67/548/EEC

Indication of danger:

None.

16. OTHER INFORMATION

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Disclaimer:

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