

SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. Identification

Product identifier

Product code: C1186
Product Name: CARBOMER 941, THICKENING AGENT

Other means of identification

Synonyms: Acrylic acid homopolymerpoly(acrylic acid)polymer
Propenoic acid homopolymer
Carboxypolymethylene
Carboxy vinyl polymer
Poly(acrylic acid)
Polymer, carboxy vinyl

CAS #: 9003-01-4
RTECS # AT4680000
Cl#: 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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Gardena, CA 90248
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Emergency telephone number Chemtrec 1-800-424-9300
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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification

This chemical is not considered hazardous by 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

Component	CAS No	Weight-%
Carbomer 941	9003-01-4	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.
- Skin Contact:** Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water removing all contaminated clothing and shoes. Get medical attention if irritation develops. Consult a physician if necessary.
- Eye Contact:** Flush eyes with water for 15 minutes. Get medical attention if irritation occurs. If symptoms persist, call a physician.
- 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 Health injuries are not known or expected under normal use

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: Carbon dioxide (CO₂). Dry chemical. Water spray mist or foam.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media: No information available.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Hazardous combustion products Carbon monoxide. Carbon dioxide (CO₂).

Specific hazards May be combustible at high temperatures.

Special Protective Actions for Firefighters

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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. Use personal protective equipment. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Remove all sources of ignition.

Environmental precautions

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Prevent product from entering drains.

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. 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. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition. 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:Strong oxidizing agents
Strong bases
Alkalis**8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION****Control parameters****National occupational exposure limits****United States**

Component	CAS No	OSHA	NIOSH	ACGIH	AIHA WEEL
Carbomer 941	9003-01-4	None	None	None	None

Canada

Component	CAS No	Canada - Alberta	Canada - British Columbia	Canada - Ontario	Canada - Quebec
Carbomer 941	9003-01-4	None	None	None	None

Australia and Mexico

Component	CAS No	Australia	Mexico
Carbomer 941	9003-01-4	None	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:** Goggles or Safety glasses with side-shields.
- Skin and body protection:** Chemical resistant apron
Gloves
Long sleeved clothing
- Respiratory protection:** Effective dust mask. Use a dust respirator under conditions where exposure to the substance is apparent (e.g. generation of high concentration of dust (dust clouds) , inadequate ventilation, development of respiratory tract irritation), and engineering controls are not feasible. Be sure to use an approved/certified respirator or equivalent.
- 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: Powder.	Color: White.
Odor: No information available.	Taste No information available.	Formula (C3-H4-O2)x-
Molecular/Formula weight (g/mole): No information available	Flammability (solid, gas) no data available	Flashpoint (°C/°F): No information available
Flash Point Tested according to: Not available	Autoignition Temperature (°C/°F): 480°C/ 896°F	Lower Explosion Limit (%): No information available
Upper Explosion Limit (%): No information available	Melting point/range(°C/°F): No information available	Decomposition temperature(°C/°F): No information available
Boiling point/range(°C/°F):		

No information available

Bulk density:
No information available

Density (g/cm³):
1.4

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:
No information available

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity

No information available

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: Strong oxidizing agents
Strong bases
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Hazardous decomposition products: Carbon 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:
Skin. Inhalation. Ingestion. Eyes.

Acute Toxicity

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LD50/oral/rat = 2500 mg/kg Oral LD50 Rat

LD50/oral/mouse = 4600 mg/kg LD50

LD50/dermal/rabbit = No information available

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LD50/dermal/rat = No information available
 LC50/inhalation/rat = 1.71 mg/L Inhalation LC50
 LC50/inhalation/mouse = No information available
 Other LD50 or LC50 information = Oral Guinea pig: 2 gm/kg LD50

Product Information

LD50/oral/rat =
 Value - Acute Tox = 2500 mg/kg

LD50/oral/mouse =
 Value - Acute Tox Oral = 4600 mg/kg

LD50/dermal/rabbit
 Value - Acute Tox = 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 = 1.71 mg/L

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

Symptoms

Skin Contact: May cause skin irritation.
Eye Contact: May cause eye irritation.
Inhalation May cause irritation of respiratory tract.
Ingestion May cause digestive (gastrointestinal) tract irritation. Health injuries are not known or expected under normal use.
Aspiration hazard No information available.

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

Chronic Toxicity No information available.
Sensitization: No information available.
Mutagenic Effects: No information available
Carcinogenic effects: Not considered carcinogenic.

Component	CAS No	IARC	ACGIH - Carcinogens	NTP	OSHA HCS - Carcinogens	Australia - Notifiable Carcinogenic Substances	Australia - Prohibited Carcinogenic Substances

Carbomer 941	9003-01-4	Supplement 7 [1987] Monograph 19 [1979]	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed
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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.

Target Organs: No information available.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

Ecotoxicity effects: Aquatic environment.

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Fish LC50: =580mg/L (96h, Lepomis macrochirus)

Crustacea EC50: =168mg/L (96h, water flea)

Persistence and degradability: No information available

Bioaccumulative potential: No information available.

Mobility in soil No information available

Other adverse effects 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

Component	CAS No	RCRA - F Series Wastes	RCRA - K Series Wastes	RCRA - P Series Wastes	RCRA - U Series Wastes
Carbomer 941	9003-01-4	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 Number	Not regulated
Proper Shipping Name:	No information available
Transport hazard class(es)	No information available
Packing group	No information available
Subsidiary Risk:	No information available

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 Number	Not Regulated
Proper Shipping Name:	No information available
Transport hazard class(es)	No information available
Subsidiary Risk:	No information available
Packing group	No information available

ICAO (air)

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 Number	Not Regulated
Proper Shipping Name:	No information available
Transport hazard class(es)	No information available
Subsidiary Risk:	No information available

Packing group No information available
Precautionary Statements - Response IF exposed or concerned
Special Provisions No information available

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

International Inventories

Component	CAS No	U.S. TSCA	KOREA KECL	Philippines (PICCS)	Japan ENCS	China IECSC	Australia AICS	EINECS-No.
Carbomer 941	9003-01-4	PresentACTIVE	Present KE-28833	Present	Present (6)-898	Present	Present	Not present

U.S. Regulations

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)

Component	CAS No	Carcinogen	Developmental Toxicity	Male Reproductive Toxicity	Female Reproductive Toxicity:
Carbomer 941	9003-01-4	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed

CERCLA/SARA

Component	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
Carbomer 941	9003-01-4	None	None	None	None	None

U.S. TSCA

Component	CAS No	TSCA Section 5(a)2 - Chemicals With Significant New Use Rules (SNURS)	TSCA 8(d) -Health and Safety Reporting
Carbomer 941	9003-01-4	Not Applicable	Not Applicable

Canada

WHIMIS 2015 - GHS Classifications

WHMIS 2015 Hazard Classification Information: 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

DSL/NDSL

Component	CAS No	Canada (DSL)	Canada (NDSL)
Carbomer 941	9003-01-4	Present	Not Listed

Component	CAS No	CEPA Schedule I - Toxic Substances
Carbomer 941	9003-01-4	Not listed
Component	CAS No	CEPA - 2010 Greenhouse Gases Subject to Mandatory Reporting
Carbomer 941	9003-01-4	Not listed

EU Classification**EU GHS - SV - CLP 1272/2008**

Component	CAS No	EU GHS - SV - CLP (1272/2008)
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EU - CLP (1272/2008)**R-phrase(s)**

not determined (not applicable)

S -phrase(s)

none

Component	CAS No	Classification	Concentration Limits:	Safety Phrases
Carbomer 941	9003-01-4		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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