

Material Safety Data Sheet

Calcium Chloride

ACC# 03900

Section 1 - Chemical Product and Company Identification

MSDS Name: Calcium Chloride

Catalog Numbers: S71923, S71924, S79942-1, S79942-2, S79942-3, S799421, S799422, S799423, C614 10, C614 3, C614 500, C614-10, C614-3, C614-500, C61410, C6143, C614500, C77 212, C77 500, C77-212, C77-3, C77-500, C77212, C773, C77500, C77500LC, NC9538916, NC9747663, NC9818597, NC9865903, S79942, XXC7713KG, XXCALCHL250L, XXXCALCHL250, ZZC772504, ZZC77256

Synonyms: Calpus; Caltac; Dowflake; Liquidow; Peladow; Snowmelt; Superflake Anhydrous.

Company Identification:

Fisher Scientific
1 Reagent Lane
Fair Lawn, NJ 07410

For information, call: 201-796-7100

Emergency Number: 201-796-7100

For CHEMTREC assistance, call: 800-424-9300

For International CHEMTREC assistance, call: 703-527-3887

Section 2 - Composition, Information on Ingredients

| CAS# | Chemical Name | Percent | EINECS/ELINCS |
|------------|--------------------------|---------|---------------|
| 10043-52-4 | Calcium chloride (cacl2) | 100 | 233-140-8 |

Hazard Symbols: XI

Risk Phrases: 36

Section 3 - Hazards Identification

EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

Appearance: white solid. May be harmful if swallowed. May cause severe respiratory and digestive tract irritation with possible burns. May cause severe eye and skin irritation with possible burns. May cause cardiac disturbances. Hygroscopic (absorbs moisture from the air). **Warning!**

Target Organs: Heart.

Potential Health Effects

Eye: Contact with eyes may cause severe irritation, and possible eye burns.

Skin: Contact with skin causes irritation and possible burns, especially if the skin is wet or moist.

Ingestion: May cause severe gastrointestinal tract irritation with nausea, vomiting and possible burns. May cause cardiac disturbances. May be harmful if swallowed. In very severe cases, seizures, rapid respiration, slow heartbeat, or death, may result.

Inhalation: May cause severe irritation of the upper respiratory tract with pain, burns, and inflammation.

Chronic: Effects may be delayed.

Section 4 - First Aid Measures

Eyes: Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, occasionally lifting the upper and lower eyelids. Get medical aid.

Skin: Get medical aid. Immediately flush skin with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. Wash clothing before reuse.

Ingestion: Do not induce vomiting. If victim is conscious and alert, give 2-4 cupfuls of milk or water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical aid.

Inhalation: Remove from exposure and move to fresh air immediately. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical aid. Do NOT use mouth-to-mouth resuscitation.

Notes to Physician: Treat symptomatically and supportively.

Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures

General Information: Wear appropriate protective clothing to prevent contact with skin and eyes. Wear a self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) to prevent contact with thermal decomposition products.

Extinguishing Media: Use extinguishing media most appropriate for the surrounding fire.

Flash Point: Not applicable.

Autoignition Temperature: Not applicable.

Explosion Limits, Lower: Not available.

Upper: Not available.

NFPA Rating: (estimated) Health: 2; Flammability: 0; Instability: 0

Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

General Information: Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8.

Spills/Leaks: Vacuum or sweep up material and place into a suitable disposal container. Clean up spills immediately, observing precautions in the Protective Equipment section. Avoid generating dusty conditions. Provide ventilation.

Section 7 - Handling and Storage

Handling: Wash thoroughly after handling. Use with adequate ventilation. Minimize dust generation and accumulation. Keep container tightly closed. Do not get on skin or in eyes. Do not ingest or inhale. Wash clothing before reuse. Always use cool water when dissolving calcium chloride. Heat evolved is significant.

Storage: Store in a tightly closed container. Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area away from incompatible substances. Store protected from moisture. Store below melting point.

Section 8 - Exposure Controls, Personal Protection

Engineering Controls: Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash facility and a safety shower. Use adequate ventilation to keep airborne concentrations low.

Exposure Limits

| Chemical Name | ACGIH | NIOSH | OSHA - Final PELs |
|--------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------------|
| Calcium chloride (cacl2) | none listed | none listed | none listed |

OSHA Vacated PELs: Calcium chloride (cacl2): No OSHA Vacated PELs are listed for this chemical.

Personal Protective Equipment

Eyes: Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by OSHA's eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard EN166.

Skin: Wear impervious gloves.

Clothing: Wear appropriate protective clothing to minimize contact with skin.

Respirators: Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard EN 149. Always use a NIOSH or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator when necessary.

Section 9 - Physical and Chemical Properties

Physical State: Solid

Appearance: white

Odor: odorless

pH: Not available.

Vapor Pressure: Not available.

Vapor Density: Not available.

Evaporation Rate: Not available.

Viscosity: Not available.

Boiling Point: > 1600 deg C @ 760.00mm Hg

Freezing/Melting Point: 782 deg C

Decomposition Temperature: Not available.

Solubility: freely soluble in alcohol

Specific Gravity/Density: 2.1500g/cm³

Molecular Formula: CaCl₂

Molecular Weight: 110.99

Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

Chemical Stability: Stable.

Conditions to Avoid: Dust generation, excess heat, exposure to moist air or water.

Incompatibilities with Other Materials: Bromine trifluoride, 2-Furanpercarboxylic Acid, Solutions attack some metals.

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Hydrogen chloride, calcium oxide.

Hazardous Polymerization: Has not been reported.

Section 11 - Toxicological Information

RTECS#:

CAS# 10043-52-4: EV9800000

LD50/LC50:

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Oral, mouse: LD50 = 1940 mg/kg;

Oral, rabbit: LD50 = 1384 mg/kg;

Oral, rat: LD50 = 1 gm/kg;

Carcinogenicity:

CAS# 10043-52-4: Not listed by ACGIH, IARC, NIOSH, NTP, or OSHA.

Epidemiology: No information found.**Teratogenicity:** No information found.**Reproductive Effects:** No information found.**Neurotoxicity:** No information found.**Mutagenicity:** Mutagenic effects have occurred in experimental animals.**Other Studies:** See actual entry in RTECS for complete information.

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| Section 12 - Ecological Information |
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No information available.

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| Section 13 - Disposal Considerations |
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Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. US EPA guidelines for the classification determination are listed in 40 CFR Parts 261.3.

Additionally, waste generators must consult state and local hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.

RCRA P-Series: None listed.**RCRA U-Series:** None listed.

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| Section 14 - Transport Information |
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| | US DOT | IATA | RID/ADR | IMO | Canada TDG |
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| Shipping Name: | No information available. | | | | No information available. |
| Hazard Class: | | | | | |
| UN Number: | | | | | |
| Packing Group: | | | | | |

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| Section 15 - Regulatory Information |
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US FEDERAL**TSCA**

CAS# 10043-52-4 is listed on the TSCA inventory.

Health & Safety Reporting List

None of the chemicals are on the Health & Safety Reporting List.

Chemical Test Rules

None of the chemicals in this product are under a Chemical Test Rule.

Section 12b

None of the chemicals are listed under TSCA Section 12b.

TSCA Significant New Use Rule

None of the chemicals in this material have a SNUR under TSCA.

SARA

CERCLA Hazardous Substances and corresponding RQs

None of the chemicals in this material have an RQ.

SARA Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances

None of the chemicals in this product have a TPQ.

SARA Codes

CAS # 10043-52-4: acute, chronic, reactive.

Section 313

No chemicals are reportable under Section 313.

Clean Air Act:

This material does not contain any hazardous air pollutants. This material does not contain any Class 1 Ozone depleters. This material does not contain any Class 2 Ozone depleters.

Clean Water Act:

None of the chemicals in this product are listed as Hazardous Substances under the CWA. None of the chemicals in this product are listed as Priority Pollutants under the CWA. None of the chemicals in this product are listed as Toxic Pollutants under the CWA.

OSHA:

None of the chemicals in this product are considered highly hazardous by OSHA.

STATE

CAS# 10043-52-4 is not present on state lists from CA, PA, MN, MA, FL, or NJ.

California No Significant Risk Level: None of the chemicals in this product are listed.

European/International Regulations**European Labeling in Accordance with EC Directives****Hazard Symbols:**

XI

Risk Phrases:

R 36 Irritating to eyes.

Safety Phrases:

S 22 Do not breathe dust.

S 24 Avoid contact with skin.

WGK (Water Danger/Protection)

CAS# 10043-52-4: 0

Canada - DSL/NDSL

CAS# 10043-52-4 is listed on Canada's DSL List.

Canada - WHMIS

This product has a WHMIS classification of D2B.

Canadian Ingredient Disclosure List**Exposure Limits**

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| Section 16 - Additional Information |
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