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# 1. Product and Company Identification

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# 2. Hazards Identification

### **Emergency overview**

WARNING:

MODERATELY TO SEVERELY IRRITATING TO THE EYE.

MAY CAUSE SKIN IRRITATION.

Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal disturbances. Avoid contact with the skin, eyes and clothing.

Wash thoroughly after handling. Keep container tightly closed.

State of matter: solid Colour: various colours Odour: slight odour

# Potential health effects

### Primary routes of exposure:

Routes of entry for solids and liquids include eye and skin contact, ingestion and inhalation. Routes of entry for gases include inhalation and eye contact. Skin contact may be a route of entry for liquified gases.

### Acute toxicity:

Virtually nontoxic after a single ingestion.

### Irritation / corrosion:

Severely irritating to the eyes. Irritating to skin.

### Sensitization:

There is no evidence of a skin-sensitizing potential.

### Potential environmental effects

### Aquatic toxicity:

No data available concerning aquatic toxicity.

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# 3. Composition / Information on Ingredients

<b>CAS Number</b>	Content (W/W)	Chemical name
13463-67-7	>= 0.7 - <= 50.0 %	Titanium dioxide
25791-96-2	>= 0.7 - <= 40.0 %	Poly[oxy(methyl-1,2-ethanediyl)], .alpha.,.alpha.',.alpha."-1,2,3-propanetriyltris[.omegahydroxy-
1328-53-6	>= 0.1 - <= 70.0 %	C.I. Pigment Green 7
147-14-8	>= 0.1 - <= 65.0 %	C.I. Pigment Blue 15
	>= 0.1 - <= 45.0 %	Proprietary polymer 23EB
1333-86-4	>= 0.1 - <= 12.0 %	carbon black
7631-86-9	>= 0.0 - <= 6.0 %	Silicon dioxide
21645-51-2	>= 0.0 - <= 5.0 %	aluminium hydroxide

### 4. First-Aid Measures

### General advice:

First aid personnel should pay attention to their own safety. Remove contaminated clothing.

#### If inhaled:

If difficulties occur after vapour/aerosol has been inhaled, remove to fresh air and seek medical attention.

#### If on skin

After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of water and soap. Under no circumstances should organic solvent be used. If irritation develops, seek medical attention.

### If in eyes:

Wash affected eyes for at least 15 minutes under running water with eyelids held open, consult an eye specialist.

### If swallowed:

Rinse mouth immediately with water. Seek medical attention if necessary. Do not induce vomiting unless told to by a poison control center or doctor.

# 5. Fire-Fighting Measures

Flash point: 193.33 °C (ASTM D93)
Autoignition: No data available.
Lower explosion limit: No data available.
Upper explosion limit: No data available.
Self-ignition temperature: not self-igniting

### Suitable extinguishing media:

foam, water spray, dry powder, carbon dioxide

### Unsuitable extinguishing media for safety reasons:

water jet

### Hazards during fire-fighting:

carbon dioxide, carbon monoxide, harmful vapours, nitrogen oxides, fumes/smoke, carbon black

### Protective equipment for fire-fighting:

Wear a self-contained breathing apparatus.

### Further information:

The degree of risk is governed by the burning substance and the fire conditions. Contaminated extinguishing water must be disposed of in accordance with official regulations.

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### 6. Accidental release measures

### Personal precautions:

Use personal protective clothing. Avoid contact with the skin, eyes and clothing. Handle in accordance with good building materials hygiene and safety practice.

### **Environmental precautions:**

Contain contaminated water/firefighting water. Do not discharge into drains/surface waters/groundwater.

### Cleanup:

For small amounts: Sweep/shovel up. Dispose of absorbed material in accordance with regulations. For large amounts: Sweep/shovel up. Dispose of absorbed material in accordance with regulations.

# 7. Handling and Storage

### **Handling**

### General advice:

Avoid contact with the skin, eyes and clothing.

### Protection against fire and explosion:

The substance/product is non-combustible. The product does not contribute to the spreading of flames, nor is it self combustible, not explosive.

### **Storage**

### General advice:

Keep only in the original container in a cool, well-ventilated place. Protect from direct sunlight. Store protected against freezing.

# 8. Exposure Controls and Personal Protection

### Components with workplace control parameters

Titanium dioxide	OSHA	PEL 15 mg/m3 Total dust;
	ACGIH	TWA value 10 mg/m3;
carbon black	OSHA	PEL 3.5 mg/m3 ;
	ACGIH	TWA value 3.5 mg/m3;
aluminium hydroxide		

**ACGIH** TWA value 1 mg/m3 Respirable fraction;

Silicon dioxide OSHA TWA value 20 millions of particles per cubic foot of air ;

TWA value 0.8 mg/m3;

The value is calculated from a specified equation using a value of 100%. Lower values of % will give higher exposure limits. See regulation for specific equation.

### Personal protective equipment

### Hand protection:

Wear chemical resistant protective gloves.

### Eye protection:

Safety glasses with side-shields.

### **Body protection:**

Body protection must be chosen based on level of activity and exposure.

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### General safety and hygiene measures:

Avoid contact with the skin, eyes and clothing. In order to prevent contamination while handling, closed working clothes and working gloves should be used. Handle in accordance with good building materials hygiene and safety practice. When using, do not eat, drink or smoke. Hands and/or face should be washed before breaks and at the end of the shift. At the end of the shift the skin should be cleaned and skin-care agents applied. Gloves must be inspected regularly and prior to each use. Replace if necessary (e.g. pinhole leaks).

# 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Form: paste
Odour: slight odour
Colour: various colours

pH value: not applicable Melting point: not applicable

Density: > 1 g/cm3
Bulk density: 1,800 - 2,400

kg/m3

Vapour density: Heavier than air.
Partitioning coefficient not applicable octanol/water (log Pow):

Other Information: If necessary, information on other physical and chemical parameters is

indicated in this section.

# 10. Stability and Reactivity

### Conditions to avoid:

See MSDS section 7 - Handling and storage.

Avoid extreme temperatures.

### Substances to avoid:

strong acids, strong bases, strong oxidizing agents

### Hazardous reactions:

The product is stable if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

### **Decomposition products:**

Hazardous decomposition products: irritant gases/vapours, carbon oxides

### Thermal decomposition:

No decomposition if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

### Oxidizing properties:

Based on its structural properties the product is not classified as oxidizing.

# 11. Toxicological information

### **Acute toxicity**

### Oral:

Information on: Oxirane, methyl-, polymer with oxirane, ether with 2-ethyl-2-(hydroxymethyl)-1,3-propanediol

(3:1)

Type of value: LD50 Species: rat (male)

Value: > 5,000 mg/kg (other)

### Dermal:

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Information on: Oxirane, methyl-, polymer with oxirane, ether with 2-ethyl-2-(hydroxymethyl)-1,3-propanediol

(3:1)

Type of value: LD50

Species: rabbit (male/female) Value: > 2,000 mg/kg (other)

#### Irritation / corrosion

Information on: Proprietary polymer 23EB

Assessment of irritating effects:

Not irritating to the skin. May cause severe damage to the eyes. The product has not been tested. The

statement has been derived from substances/products of a similar structure or composition.

Information on: Poly[oxy(methyl-1,2-ethanediyl)], .alpha.,.alpha.'.-1,2,3- propanetriyltris[.omega.-

hydroxy-

Assessment of irritating effects:

Not irritating to the skin. Not irritating to the eyes.

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### Carcinogenicity

Information on: Titanium dioxide

IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer) has classified this substance as group 2B (The agent is possibly carcinogenic to humans). In long-term studies in rats in which the substance was given by inhalation, a carcinogenic effect was observed. Tumors were only observed in rats after chronic inhalative exposure to high concentrations which caused sustained lung inflammation. In long-term studies in rats and mice in which the substance was given by feed, a carcinogenic effect was not observed. Dermal exposure is not expected to be carcinogenic.

Information on: carbon black

IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer) has classified this substance as group 2B (The agent is possibly carcinogenic to humans). In long-term animal studies in which the substance was given by inhalation in high concentrations, a carcinogenic effect was observed. A clear indication of an increased risk of cancer in humans has so far not been shown. No carcinogenic potential can be deduced from other studies with rats and mice.

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### **Experiences in humans:**

According to experience, the product is considered to be harmless to health if used in the correct manner.

### Other Information:

The product may cause irreversible damage to eyes. Based on our experience and the information available, no adverse health effects are expected if handled as recommended with suitable precautions for designated uses. The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

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# 12. Ecological Information

### Fish

Information on: C.I. Pigment Green 7

Acute: static

Oncorhynchus mykiss/LC50 (96 h): 355.6 mg/l

Tested above maximum solubility. The details of the toxic effect relate to the nominal concentration.

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### **Aquatic invertebrates**

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Information on: C.I. Pigment Green 7

Acute.

Directive 84/449/EEC, C.2 static

Daphnia magna/EC50 (48 h): > 500 mg/l

The details of the toxic effect relate to the nominal concentration. Tested above maximum solubility.

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#### **Aquatic plants**

Information on: C.I. Pigment Green 7

Toxicity to aquatic plants: OECD Guideline 201 static

green algae/EC50 (72 h): > 100 mg/l

The product has low solubility in the test medium. An eluate has been tested. The details of the toxic effect

relate to the nominal concentration.

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### Other adverse effects:

The product has not been tested. Do not allow to enter soil, waterways or waste water channels.

# 13. Disposal considerations

### Waste disposal of substance:

Observe national and local legal requirements. Residues should be disposed of in the same manner as the substance/product.

# 14. Transport Information

Land transport

**USDOT** 

Not classified as a dangerous good under transport regulations

Sea transport

MDG

Not classified as a dangerous good under transport regulations

Air transport IATA/ICAO

Not classified as a dangerous good under transport regulations

# 15. Regulatory Information

### **Federal Regulations**

Registration status:

Chemical TSCA, US released / listed

## State regulations

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MA, NJ, PA	7631-86-9	Silicon dioxide

### **CA Prop. 65:**

THIS PRODUCT CONTAINS A CHEMICAL(S) KNOWN TO THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA TO CAUSE CANCER AND BIRTH DEFECTS OR OTHER REPRODUCTIVE HARM.

### 16. Other Information

### **HMIS III rating**

Health: 1 Flammability: 0 Physical hazard: 0

NFPA and HMIS use a numbering scale ranging from 0 to 4 to indicate the degree of hazard. A value of zero means that the substance possesses essentially no hazard; a rating of four indicates extreme danger. Although similar, the two rating systems are intended for different purposes, and use different criteria. The NFPA system was developed to provide an onthe-spot alert to the hazards of a material, and their severity, to emergency responders. The HMIS system was designed to communicate workplace hazard information to employees who handle hazardous chemicals.

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