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1 Identification

Product identifier Trade name: <u>DCI</u> SDS ID Number: 1475

Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture, and uses advised against:

Specialty construction product. Not intended for other uses.

Identified uses advised against:

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Manufacturer/Supplier:

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Transport Emergency: Chemtrec: +1-800-424-9300 (24 hours)

2 Hazard(s) identification

Classification of the substance or mixture

Harmful if swallowed.

Causes serious eye irritation.

Label elements: The product is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS)

Hazard pictograms



Warning

Hazard statements

Harmful if swallowed.

Causes serious eye irritation.

Precautionary statements

Wash thoroughly after handling.

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

Wear eye protection / face protection.

If swallowed: Call a poison center/doctor if you feel unwell.

If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Rinse mouth.

If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

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Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

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Hazard description:

NFPA ratings (scale 0 - 4)



Health = 2 Fire = 1 Reactivity = 0

HMIS-ratings (scale 0 - 4)



Health = 2 Flammability = 1 Reactivity = 0

Other hazards

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT: Not applicable. **vPvB:** Not applicable.

3 Composition/information on ingredients

Chemical characterization: Mixture

Description: Mixture of the hazardous substance(s) listed below with additional nonhazardous ingredients.

Hazardous components:			
13780-06-8	Calcium nitrite	30-<40%	
10124-37-5	Calcium nitrate	1-<3%	

Additional information: Non-hazardous ingredients may be listed in Section 15; Right-To-Know disclosure.

4 First-aid measures

Description of first aid measures

After inhalation:

IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

IF INHALED: Call a doctor if you feel unwell.

After skin contact:

Immediately wash contaminated skin with soap or mild detergent and water. If this chemical soaks clothing, immediately remove clothing and wash skin.

After eye contact: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes.

After swallowing:

Rinse mouth.

Do NOT induce vomiting.

Information for doctor:

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Harmful if swallowed.

Irritating to eyes.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed No further relevant information available.

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5 Fire-fighting measures

Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing agents:

This material, if dried to a solid powder-like form, will become an oxidizer, which may provide oxygen to combustible materials.

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Combustion products can include toxic gases such as carbon monoxide and smoke.

Advice for firefighters

Protective equipment: Wear personal protective equipment.

Additional information Collect contaminated fire fighting water separately. It must not enter the sewage system.

6 Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.

Avoid contact with eyes.

Environmental precautions: Inform respective authorities in case of seepage into water course or sewage system.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:

Contain and/or absorb spill with inert material (i.e. sand, vermiculite) then place in a suitable container.

Reference to other sections

See Section 7 for information on safe handling.

See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.

See Section 13 for disposal information.

7 Handling and storage

Handling:

Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing.

Do not take internally.

Practice good personal hygiene to avoid ingestion.

Use only with adequate ventilation.

Wash clothing before reuse.

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Ensure good interior ventilation.

Do not mix directly with acidic materials. Do not mix directly with other admixtures. Hazardous gas may form.

Store in original containers.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage:

Information about storage in one common storage facility: No special measures required.

Further information about storage conditions:

Keep receptacle tightly sealed.

Protect from frost.

Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed original receptacles.

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Specific end use(s) No further relevant information available.

8 Exposure controls/personal protection

Additional information about design of technical systems: No further data; see section 7.

Control parameters

Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:

The product does not contain any relevant quantities of materials with critical values that have to be monitored at the workplace.

Additional information:

The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.

Canadian employers must consult the exposure limits in their province.

Exposure controls

Personal protective equipment:

General protective and hygienic measures:

The usual precautionary measures for handling chemicals should be followed.

Do not add amines to this product. Cancer-causing nitrosamines may be formed. Direct contact with other admixtures, washwater and any other material causing the pH to fall below specification can result in the formation of NOx gas creating a hazardous situation. Nitric oxide (NO) is a colorless, orderless gas. Nitrogen dioxide (NO2) is a reddish-brown gas with a highly pungent, bleach-like odor. Exposure can cause irritation to eyes and respiratory system and effect the central nervous and cardiovascular systems. Severe overexposure can be fatal. This hazard does not exist when mixed with other admixtures in concrete.

Breathing equipment:

Control exposure to ingredients with workplace control parameters if mentioned above. If no ingredients are listed, respiratory protection is generally not required.

If exposure limits are listed and may be exceeded, use approved respiratory protective equipment and filter type appropriate for the listed ingredients. (NIOSH, CEN, etc.).

Protection of hands: Gloves should be worn to prevent skin contact and should be impermeable and resistant to the product.

Material of gloves Rubber or other impervious gloves should be worn to prevent skin contact.

Eye protection:



Safety glasses with side shield protection.



A face shield should also be worn if there is potential exposure to splash or spray.

Body protection:

Use personal protective equipment as required.

Take off contaminated clothing.

9 Physical and chemical properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

General Information

Appearance:

Form: Liquid

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Color: Odor:	Colorless to light yellow Odorless	
Odor: Odor threshold:	Not applicable.	
pH-value (~) at 20 °C (68 °F): Not determined.	9	
Change in condition Melting point/Melting range: Boiling point/Boiling range: Flash point:	Undetermined. Undetermined. Not applicable.	
Flammability (solid, gaseous):	Not applicable.	
Auto igniting:	Undetermined.	
Decomposition temperature: Ignition temperature: Danger of explosion: Lower: Upper:	Not applicable under normal storage conditions. Product is not self-igniting. Product does not present an explosion hazard. Not applicable. Not applicable.	
Vapor pressure: Density: (~) at 20 °C (68 °F) Vapor density Evaporation rate	Not determined. 1.3 g/cm³ (10.8 lbs/gal) Not determined. Not applicable.	
Solubility in / Miscibility with Water:	Fully miscible.	
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water	er): Not determined.	
Viscosity: Dynamic: Kinematic: Molecular weight	Not determined. Not determined. Not determined.	
Other information	No further relevant information available.	

10 Stability and reactivity

Reactivity

Stable under normal conditions.

No further relevant information available.

Chemical stability

Thermal decomposition: No decomposition if used according to specifications.

Possibility of hazardous reactions

No dangerous reactions known.

No further relevant information available.

Conditions to avoid No further relevant information available.

Incompatible materials: No further relevant information available.

Hazardous decomposition products:

Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide

Nitrogen oxides

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11 Toxicological information

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity:

LD/LC50 values relevant for classification:

13780-06-8 Calcium nitrite

Oral LD50 283 mg/kg (rat)

10124-37-5 Calcium nitrate

Oral LD50 302 mg/kg (rat)

Primary irritant effect:

on the skin: Does not cause irritation. on the eye: Causes serious eye irritation. inhalation: No irritating effect expected Ingestion: Harmful if swallowed.

Additional toxicological information:

Carcinogenic categories

IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer) Human Carcinogenicity:

Group 1- Positive, Group 2A- Probable, Group 2B- Possible, Group 3- Not Classifiable

None of the ingredients are listed.

NTP (National Toxicology Program)

K-Known to be carcinogenic, R-May reasonably be anticipated to be carcinogenic

None of the ingredients are listed.

OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety & Health Administration)

None of the ingredients are listed.

12 Ecological information

Toxicity

Aquatic toxicity: No further relevant information available.

Persistence and degradability No further relevant information available.

Behavior in environmental systems:

Bioaccumulative potential No further relevant information available.

Mobility in soil No further relevant information available.

Additional ecological information:

General notes: Not known to be hazardous to water.

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT: Not applicable. **vPvB:** Not applicable.

13 Disposal considerations

Disposal methods:

Consult all regulations (federal, state, provincial, local) or a qualified waste disposal firm when characterizing product for disposal. Dispose of waste in accordance with all applicable regulations.

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Recommendation:



Must not be disposed of together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.

Uncleaned packagings:

Recommendation: Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

14 Transport information

UN-Number DOT, IMDG, IATA Not applicable.

UN proper shipping name

DOT, IMDG, IATA Not applicable.

Transport hazard class(es)

DOT, IMDG, IATA

Class Not applicable.

Packing group

DOT, IMDG, IATA Not applicable.

Environmental hazards: Not applicable.

Special precautions for user Not applicable.

Transport/Additional information:

DOT

Remarks: Not Regulated.

15 Regulatory information

Other regulations in domestic and foreign countries

SARA (Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act)

Section 302/304 (extremely hazardous substances):

None of the ingredients is listed.

Section 313 Reportable Ingredients (Chemicals present below reporting threshold are exempt):

10124-37-5 Calcium nitrate

SARA Section 312/Tier I & II Hazard Categories:

Health Hazard - Acute toxicity (any route of exposure)

Health Hazard - Serious eye damage or eye irritation

North America Chemical Inventory Status

TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act - United States):

All ingredients are listed or exempt from listing unless otherwise noted below.

CEPA (Canadian DSL):

All ingredients are listed or exempt from listing unless otherwise noted below.

Right to Know Ingredient Disclosure:

7732-18-5 Water

California Proposition 65: (Substances <0.1% unless noted in Section 3)

Chemicals known to cause cancer:

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Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for females:

None of the ingredients are listed.

Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for males:

None of the ingredients are listed.

Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity:

None of the ingredients are listed.

Carcinogenicity Categories

TLV-ACGIH (THE American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists)

Human Carcinogen - A1 Confirmed, A2 Suspected, A3 Unknown Relevance, A4 Not Classifiable

None of the ingredients are listed.

NIOSH-Cancer (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)

None of the ingredients are listed.

Volatile Organic Compounds (VOC) reported per the Emission Standards.

If no g/L value is provided this product is not subject to above standard.

16 Other information

The data included herein are presented in accordance with various environment, health and safety regulations. It is the responsibility of a recipient of the data to remain currently informed on chemical hazard information, to design and update its own program and to comply with all national, federal, state and local laws and regulations applicable to safety, occupational health, right-to-know and environmental protection.

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