# SIGMA-ALDRICH

# **Material Safety Data Sheet**

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#### 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product name : Magnesium peroxide light

Product Number : 63130

Brand : Sigma-Aldrich

Company : Sigma-Aldrich

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#### 2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Formula : MgO2

CAS-No.	EC-No.	Index-No.	Concentration
Magnesium dioxide			
14452-57-4	238-438-1	-	-

# 3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

# **Emergency Overview**

**OSHA Hazards** Oxidizer, Corrosive

**HMIS Classification** 

Health Hazard: 3 Flammability: 0 Physical hazards: 2

NFPA Rating

Health Hazard: 3
Fire: 0
Reactivity Hazard: 2
Special hazard.: OX

# **Potential Health Effects**

**Inhalation** May be harmful if inhaled. Material is extremely destructive to the tissue of the

mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract.

**Skin** May be harmful if absorbed through skin. Causes skin burns.

**Eyes** Causes eye burns.

**Ingestion** May be harmful if swallowed. Causes burns.

#### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

#### General advice

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Move out of dangerous area.

#### lf inhaled

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing give artificial respiration Consult a physician.

#### In case of skin contact

Take off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately. Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

#### In case of eye contact

Continue rinsing eyes during transport to hospital. Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician.

#### If swallowed

Do NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

#### 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

### Flammable properties

Flash point not applicable

Ignition temperature no data available

#### Suitable extinguishing media

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

# Special protective equipment for fire-fighters

Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary.

#### **Further information**

Use water spray to cool unopened containers. The product itself does not burn.

#### **6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

#### **Personal precautions**

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing dust. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas.

#### **Environmental precautions**

Do not let product enter drains.

# Methods for cleaning up

Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

# Handling

Avoid formation of dust and aerosols.

Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking. Keep away from combustible material.

#### Storage

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.

Keep in a dry place.

#### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

### Personal protective equipment

### Respiratory protection

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face particle respirator type N100 (US) or type P3 (EN 143) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. If the respirator is the sole means of protection, use a full-face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

# Hand protection

Handle with gloves.

# **Eye protection**

Safety glasses

### Skin and body protection

Choose body protection according to the amount and concentration of the dangerous substance at the work place.

# Hygiene measures

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

#### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### **Appearance**

Form powder
Colour light yellow

### Safety data

pH no data available

Melting point no data available

Boiling point no data available

Flash point not applicable
Ignition temperature no data available
Lower explosion limit no data available
Upper explosion limit no data available
Water solubility no data available

#### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

#### Storage stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

#### Materials to avoid

Organic materials, Powdered metals, acids

# **Hazardous decomposition products**

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Magnesium oxide

# 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### **Acute toxicity**

no data available

#### Irritation and corrosion

no data available

#### Sensitisation

no data available

#### Chronic exposure

IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as

probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

ACGIH: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as

a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH.

NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as

a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as

a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

## Signs and Symptoms of Exposure

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

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### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Elimination information (persistence and degradability)

no data available

### **Ecotoxicity effects**

no data available

### Further information on ecology

no data available

#### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

#### **Product**

Observe all federal, state, and local environmental regulations. Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material.

### Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT (US)

UN-Number: 1476 Class: 5.1 Packing group: II

Proper shipping name: Magnesium peroxide

Marine pollutant: No

Poison Inhalation Hazard: No

**IMDG** 

UN-Number: 1476 Class: 5.1 Packing group: II EMS-No: F-G, S-Q

Proper shipping name: MAGNESIUM PEROXIDE

Marine pollutant: No

**IATA** 

UN-Number: 1476 Class: 5.1 Packing group: II

Proper shipping name: Magnesium peroxide

#### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

#### **OSHA Hazards**

Oxidizer, Corrosive

#### **DSL Status**

This product contains the following components listed on the Canadian NDSL list. All other components are on the Canadian DSL list.

CAS-No. Magnesium dioxide 14452-57-4

# **SARA 302 Components**

SARA 302: No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

### **SARA 313 Components**

SARA 313: This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

#### SARA 311/312 Hazards

Reactivity Hazard, Acute Health Hazard

### **Massachusetts Right To Know Components**

No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

### **Pennsylvania Right To Know Components**

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**New Jersey Right To Know Components** 

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### California Prop. 65 Components

This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth, or any other reproductive defects.

# **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

# **Further information**

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