

Material Safety Data Sheet

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SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

1.1 Product identifier

Product name: Talc
Talcum
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N° CAS: 14807-96-6
N° EC: 238-877-9

1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance/mixture and uses advised against

Identified uses: Active Pharmaceutical Ingredient or Excipient.

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company: FAC SECUNDUM ARTEM NV
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1.4 Emergency telephone number

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Telephone:	(+32) (0)70 245 245	(Service 24/7)
Web page:	www.antigifcentrum.be	www.centreantipoisons.be

SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

2.1 Classification of the substance/mixture

Classification according to (EC) n° 1272/2008

The substance is not classified according to Regulation (EC) 1272/2008 (CLP).

2.2 Label elements

Labelling according to (EC) n° 1272/2008

Hazard pictogram(s): Not applicable.
Signal word(s): Not applicable.
Hazard statements: Not applicable.
Precautionary statements: Not applicable.
Additional applicable label elements: Not applicable.

2.3 Other hazards

None.

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SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

3.1 Substances

Product name:	Talc
IUPAC name:	Dioxosilane;oxomagnesium;hydrate
Synonyms:	Pulvistalci Magnesium silicate, hydrous Talc powder Magnesium silicate monohydrate (talc)
N° CAS:	14807-96-6
N° EC:	238-877-9
Molecular Formula:	$Mg_3Si_4O_{10}(OH)_2$
Content:	Powdered, selected, natural, hydrated magnesium silicate. It may contain variable amounts of associated minerals among which chlorites (hydrated aluminium and magnesium silicates), magnesite (magnesium carbonate), calcite (calcium carbonate) and dolomite (calcium and magnesium carbonate) are predominant.

3.2 Mixtures

Not applicable.

SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

4.1 Description of first aid measures

General notes:	Consult a doctor. Show the safety data sheet to the doctor on duty.
After inhalation:	Take to fresh air. If breathing is irregular, call a doctor immediately. Only give artificial respiration if breathing stops or under medical supervision.
After skin contact:	Wash immediately with plenty of soap and water for at least 15 minutes. Remove all contaminated clothing immediately. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.
After eye contact:	Remove contact lenses and rinse immediately with plenty of water, including under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention.
After ingestion:	If conscious, give the victim plenty of water to drink. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Call a doctor immediately.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

There are no known acute or delayed effects from exposure to the product.

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Not available.

SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media:	Foam, dry powder, carbon dioxide, sand, water mist. Neighbouring fires (containers exposed to fire): Water spray or fog.
Unsuitable extinguishing media:	Direct water jet.

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5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance/mixture

Avoid breathing combustion product.

The product is combustible and when dust is dispersed in air in sufficient concentrations and in the presence of an ignition source, may give rise to explosive reactions.

Fire may develop or be driven by the solid, possibly escaping from the container, when it reaches high temperatures or by contact with ignition sources.

5.3 Advice for firefighters

Surrounding fires:

Cool containers with water to prevent decomposition of product and development of potential health hazards. Always use full fire protection. Collect water from which must not enter sewage system. Dispose of contaminated water used for extinguishing and residues in accordance with current regulations.

Protection against fire:

Helmet with visor, flame retardant clothing (jacket and trousers with straps around the arms, legs and waist, EN 469), gloves (fireproof and dielectric, EN 659), a mask with face mask covering the whole face of the operator or the car (self protective) in case of large amounts of smoke, a self-contained breathing apparatus (EN 137).

Hazardous combustion products:

Not available.

SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

For non-emergency personnel

Not available.

For emergency responders

If vapours from breathing or dust are released into the air, wear respiratory protection. These guidelines are only valid only for emergency workers and emergency actions.

6.2 Environmental precautions

Avoid penetration of products into sewers, surface water, ground water.

6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Soffocate with soil or inert material. Collect most of the material and remove the residue with water jets, follow the recommendations in section 13.

6.4 Reference to other sections

For exposure control and personal protective measures, see section 8.

For waste disposal, follow the recommendations in section 13.

SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling:

Avoid dispersal of the product in the environment. Smoking, eating and drinking must be prohibited in the application area. Comply with occupational health and safety legislation. Keep the product in containers made of material identical to the original one.

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Personal protection:	Not available.
Technical protective measures:	Not available.
Handling:	Comply with occupational health and safety legislation.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage:	Not available.
Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities:	The product does not require special storage measures. Store containers in a cool, dry place.
Storage – away from:	Not available.

7.3 Specific end use(s)

Active Pharmaceutical Ingredient or Excipient

SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

8.1 Control parameters

It is recommended to take into account the exposure limit values determined by ACGIH for unclassified inert dusts (respiratory fraction PNOC: 3 mg/m³, inhalable fraction PNOC: 10 mg/m³) in the risk assessment process, according to the risk assessment (EN 149).

8.2 Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering control

Since the use of appropriate technical measures should always take precedence over personal protective equipment, ensure good ventilation at the workplace by effective local suction. When choosing personal protective equipment, ask your chemical suppliers if this is necessary. Personal protective equipment must be CE-marked for compliance with applicable regulations. Provide an emergency shower with a viscoelastic tray.

Hygiene measures: Handle with proper industrial hygiene precautions, and observe safety practices. Wash hands before breaks and after finishing work.

Individual protection measures

Eye/face protection:	Protective face shields and safety goggles according to EN166.
Skin protection:	No protection is required for this product.
Hand protection:	No protection is required for this product.
Respiratory protection:	Where risk assessment shows that air-purifying respirators are appropriate, use dust mask type N95 (USA) or type P1 (EN 143). Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate governmental standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).
Thermal hazards:	Not determined.

Environmental exposure control

Not available.

SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance:	Light, homogeneous, white or almost white powder, greasy to the touch (non abrasive).
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Odour:	Odourless.
Odour threshold:	Not available.
pH:	(10%): 9 – 9.5
Melting/freezing point:	> 998 °C
Initial boiling point:	Not available.
Boiling range:	Not available.
Flash point:	Not available.
Evaporation rate:	Not available.
Flammability (solid/gas):	Not available.
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits:	Not available.
Vapour pressure:	Not available.
Vapour density:	Not available.
Relative density:	Not available.
Solubility:	Practically insoluble in ethanol (96 per cent) and in dilute solutions of acids and alkali hydroxides.
Solubility in water:	Practically insoluble in water. < 10 g/l (20 °C)
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):	Not available.
Auto-ignition temperature:	Not available.
Decomposition temperature:	Not available.
Viscosity:	Not available.
Explosive properties:	Not available.
Oxidising properties:	Not available.

9.2 Other information

Density (20 °C): 0.478 g/ml
Dry residue: 100.00 %
VOC (Directive 1999/13/EC): 0
VOC (volatile carbon): 0

SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

10.1 Reactivity

No special conditions.

10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under recommended handling and storage conditions (see section 7).

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

The product does not present the possibility of hazardous reactions.

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10.4 Conditions to avoid

None in particular.

10.5 Incompatible materials

Not available.

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Not available.

SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity: Not available.

Skin corrosion/irritation: Not available.

Serious eye damage/irritation: Not available.

Respiratory/skin sensitisation: Not available.

Germ cell mutagenicity: Not available.

Carcinogenicity: The IARC working group evaluated the biological effects of talc and concluded, due to in vivo and in vitro studies, that there is insufficient evidence of carcinogenicity or genetic toxicity in both animal and human experiments.

Reproductive toxicity: Not available.

Summary of evaluation of the CMR properties: Not available.

STOT-single exposure: Not available.

STOT-repeated exposure: Not available.

Aspiration Hazard: Not available.

Other: There are no known health related events due to exposure to the product. In any case, it is recommended to comply with the rules of good industrial hygiene.

11.2 Additional information on potential adverse human health effects and symptoms

Eye contact: Not available.

Skin contact: Not available.

Inhalation: Not available.

Ingestion: Not available.

Aspiration: Not available.

SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

12.1 Toxicity

Not available.

12.2 Persistence and degradability

Not available.

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

Not available.

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12.4 Mobility in soil

Not available.

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

According to available data, the product does not contain PBT or vPvB substances in concentrations above 0.10 %.

12.6 Other adverse effects

Use in accordance with good laboratory practice, avoid dispersal into the environment. Inform the competent authorities if the product contaminates ground water, sewage, soil or vegetation.

SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

13.1 Waste treatment methods

Product: Consider all federal, state and local environmental regulations. Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service for disposal of this material. Dissolve or mix material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber.

Contaminated packaging: Dispose of as unused product.

SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Transport information according to ADR/RID/IMDG/ICAO/IATA

14.1 UN Number

ADR/ RID(Land),IMDG(Sea),
IATA/ICAO (Air) : It is not dangerous in transport.

14.2 UN proper shipping name

ADR/ RID(Land),IMDG(Sea),
IATA/ICAO (Air) : It is not dangerous in transport.

14.3 Transport hazard class(es)

ADR/ RID(Land),IMDG(Sea),
IATA/ICAO (Air) : It is not dangerous in transport.

14.4 Packing group

ADR/ RID(Land),IMDG(Sea),
IATA/ICAO (Air) : It is not dangerous in transport.

14.5 Environmental hazards

ADR/ RID(Land),IMDG(Sea),
IATA/ICAO (Air) : It is not dangerous in transport.

14.6 Special precautions for user

It is not dangerous in transport.

14.7 Transport in bulk according to annex II of Marpol and the IBC Code

Not available.

14.8 Additional transport information

The product is not to be considered dangerous according to the applicable regulations on the transport of dangerous goods by road (ADR), rail (RID), sea (IMDG Code) and air (IATA).

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SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance/mixture

Hazard symbol: Not applicable.

Risk phrases: Not applicable.

Safety phrases: Not applicable.

15.2 Chemical safety assessment

A chemical safety assessment of the product has not been carried out.

SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

16.1 Changes since the previous version

Not applicable.

16.2 Abbreviations and acronyms used

ADR:	European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road
CAS:	Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)
EC (number):	European Community (number)
IATA:	International Air Transport Association
ICAO:	International Civil Aviation Organization
IMDG:	International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods
IUPAC:	International Union of Pure and Applied Chemistry
PBT:	Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic substance
RID:	Regulations Concerning the International Transport of Dangerous Goods by Rail
STOT:	Specific Target Organ Toxicity
UN (number):	United Nations (number)
vPvB:	very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative

16.3 Key literature references/sources for data

European Chemicals Agency.

<https://www.echa.europa.eu/web/guest/information-on-chemicals/cl-inventory-database/>

16.4 Method of classification in case of mixture

Not applicable.

16.5 Relevant Hazard statements and/or precautionary statements

For information on hazard and/or precautionary statements refer to section 2 up to and including section 15.

16.6 Training advisement

Not available.

16.7 Notice for user(s)

The information provided in this MSDS has been established in accordance with Commission Regulation (EU) 2015/830 of 28 May 2015, amending Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council, on the Registration, Evaluation, Authorization and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH), establishing the European Chemicals Agency, amending Directive 1999/45/EC and repealing Council Regulation (EEC) No 793/93 and Commission Regulation

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