

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

### 1.1 Product identifiers

Product name : Zinc carbonate basic

Product Number : 14419  
Brand : Sigma-Aldrich  
CAS-No. : 1228-34-8

### 1.2 Other means of identification

Zinc hydroxide carbonate

### 1.3 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Identified uses : For R&D use only. Not for pharmaceutical, household or other uses.

### 1.4 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company : SIGMA-ALDRICH NEW ZEALAND CO.  
PO Box 106-406  
1143 AUCKLAND  
NEW ZEALAND  
  
Telephone : 0800 936 666  
Fax : 0800 937 777

### 1.5 Emergency telephone number

Emergency Phone # : 0800 928 888 (NZ)  
+64 9 801 0034 (Int'l CHEMTREC)

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## SECTION 2: Hazards identification

### 2.1 GHS Classification

### 2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

### 2.3 Other hazards - none

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## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

Substance / Mixture : Substance

### 3.1 Substances

Synonyms : Zinc hydroxide carbonate

CAS-No. : 1228-34-8  
EC-No. : 226-076-7

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## **SECTION 4: First aid measures**

### **4.1 Description of first aid measures**

#### **If inhaled**

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

#### **In case of skin contact**

Wash off with soap and plenty of water.

#### **In case of eye contact**

Flush eyes with water as a precaution.

#### **If swallowed**

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water.

### **4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11

### **4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

No data available

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## **SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

### **5.1 Extinguishing media**

#### **Suitable extinguishing media**

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

### **5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**

Carbon oxides, Zinc/zinc oxides  
Combustible.

### **5.3 Advice for firefighters**

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

### **5.4 Further information**

No data available

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## **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

### **6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas.  
For personal protection see section 8.

### **6.2 Environmental precautions**

No special environmental precautions required.

### **6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up**

Sweep up and shovel. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

### **6.4 Reference to other sections**

For disposal see section 13.

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## **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

### **7.1 Precautions for safe handling**

Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed.

For precautions see section 2.2.

## **7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**

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

## **7.3 Specific end use(s)**

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

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# **SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

## **8.1 Control parameters**

### **Components with workplace control parameters**

## **8.2 Exposure controls**

### **Appropriate engineering controls**

General industrial hygiene practice.

### **Personal protective equipment**

#### **Eye/face protection**

Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

#### **Skin protection**

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

The selected protective gloves have to satisfy the specifications of Regulation (EU) 2016/425 and the standard EN 374 derived from it.

#### **Body Protection**

Choose body protection in relation to its type, to the concentration and amount of dangerous substances, and to the specific work-place., The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

#### **Respiratory protection**

Respiratory protection is not required. Where protection from nuisance levels of dusts are desired, use type N95 (US) or type P1 (EN 143) dust masks. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

#### **Control of environmental exposure**

No special environmental precautions required.

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# **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

## **9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

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|--------------------|-------------------|
| a) Appearance      | Form: solid       |
| b) Odour           | No data available |
| c) Odour Threshold | No data available |
| d) pH              | No data available |
| e) Melting         | No data available |

|    |  |                   |
|----|--|-------------------|
|    | point/freezing point                         |                   |
| f) | Initial boiling point and boiling range      | No data available |
| g) | Flash point                                  | No data available |
| h) | Evaporation rate                             | No data available |
| i) | Flammability (solid, gas)                    | No data available |
| j) | Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits | No data available |
| k) | Vapour pressure                              | No data available |
| l) | Vapour density                               | No data available |
| m) | Relative density                             | No data available |
| n) | Water solubility                             | No data available |
| o) | Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water       | No data available |
| p) | Auto-ignition temperature                    | No data available |
| q) | Decomposition temperature                    | No data available |
| r) | Viscosity                                    | No data available |
| s) | Explosive properties                         | No data available |
| t) | Oxidizing properties                         | No data available |

## 9.2 Other safety information

No data available

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## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1 Reactivity

No data available

### 10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

No data available

### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

No data available

### 10.5 Incompatible materials

No data available

### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Other decomposition products - No data available

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides, Zinc/zinc oxides

In the event of fire: see section 5

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## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

#### Acute toxicity

LD50 Oral - Rat - > 10,000 mg/kg

Remarks: (External MSDS)

#### Skin corrosion/irritation

Skin - Rabbit

Result: No skin irritation

Remarks: (External MSDS)

#### Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Eyes - Rabbit

Result: No eye irritation

Remarks: (External MSDS)

#### Respiratory or skin sensitisation

Human experience

Result: negative

Remarks: (Lit.)

#### Germ cell mutagenicity

#### Carcinogenicity

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.

#### Reproductive toxicity

#### Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

#### Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

#### Aspiration hazard

#### Additional Information

RTECS: Not available

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

The following applies to zinc compounds in general: only slightly absorbable via the gastrointestinal tract. Astringent effect on mucous membranes. Metal-fume fever after inhalation of large quantities.

However, when the product is handled appropriately, hazardous effects are unlikely to occur.

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

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**SECTION 12: Ecological information****12.1 Toxicity****12.2 Persistence and degradability****12.3 Bioaccumulative potential****12.4 Mobility in soil****12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted

**12.6 Other adverse effects**

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**SECTION 13: Disposal considerations****13.1 Waste treatment methods****Product**

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company.

**Contaminated packaging**

Dispose of as unused product.

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**SECTION 14: Transport information****14.1 UN number**

ADR/RID: -

IMDG: -

IATA-DGR: -

**14.2 UN proper shipping name**

ADR/RID: Not dangerous goods

IMDG: Not dangerous goods

IATA-DGR: Not dangerous goods

**14.3 Transport hazard class(es)**

ADR/RID: -

IMDG: -

IATA-DGR: -

**14.4 Packaging group**

ADR/RID: -

IMDG: -

IATA-DGR: -

**14.5 Environmental hazards**

ADR/RID: no

IMDG Marine pollutant: no

IATA-DGR: no

**14.6 Special precautions for user**

None

**14.7 Incompatible materials**

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**SECTION 15: Regulatory information****15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture****National regulatory information**

HSNO Approval Code: not required

HSNO Group Standard Approval: HSR002596 - Laboratory Chemicals and Reagent Kits

Group Standard 2006HSR002596 - Laboratory Chemicals and Reagent Kits Group Standard 2006

Tracking Required: not required, not required

Approved Handler Cert.: not required

**Notification status**

|               |   |
|---------------|---|
| <b>AICS:</b>  | Not in compliance with the inventory - Di[carbonato(2-)]hexahydroxypentazinc  |
| <b>DSL:</b>   | This product contains the following components that are not on the Canadian DSL nor NDSL. - Di[carbonato(2-)]hexahydroxypentazinc |
| <b>ENCS:</b>  | On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory   |
| <b>ISHL:</b>  | On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory   |
| <b>KECI:</b>  | Not in compliance with the inventory - Di[carbonato(2-)]hexahydroxypentazinc  |
| <b>NZIoC:</b> | Not in compliance with the inventory - Di[carbonato(2-)]hexahydroxypentazinc  |
| <b>PICCS:</b> | Not in compliance with the inventory - Di[carbonato(2-)]hexahydroxypentazinc  |

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**SECTION 16: Other information**

**Further information**

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