# CHEMICALS®

### SAFETY DATA SHEET

#### 1. Identification

Product identifier DRIERITE®, 8 MESH

Other means of identification

Product code 2625 CAS number 7778-18-9

**Recommended use** professional, scientific and technical activities: other professional, scientific and technical activities

**Recommended restrictions** None known.

Manufacturer/Importer/Supplier/Distributor information

**Manufacturer** 

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Emergency phone Emergency Assistance

number

2. Hazard(s) identification

Physical hazards Not classified.

**Health hazards** Serious eye damage/eye irritation Category 2B

**Environmental hazards**Not classified. **OSHA defined hazards**Not classified.

No hazards resulting from the material as supplied.

**Label elements** 

Hazard symbol None.

Signal word Warning

**Hazard statement** Causes eye irritation.

**Precautionary statement** 

**Prevention** Wash thoroughly after handling.

**Response** If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and

easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

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**Storage** Store away from incompatible materials.

**Disposal** Dispose of waste and residues in accordance with local authority requirements.

Hazard(s) not otherwise

classified (HNOC)

None known.

**Supplemental information** None.

#### 3. Composition/information on ingredients

#### **Substances**

Chemical name	Common name and synonyms	CAS number	<u>%</u>	
CALCIUM SULFATE		7778-18-9	100	

<sup>\*</sup>Designates that a specific chemical identity and/or percentage of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

#### 4. First-aid measures

**Inhalation** Move to fresh air. Call a physician if symptoms develop or persist.

**Skin contact** Wash off with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

**Eye contact** Do not rub eyes. Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove

contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get medical attention if irritation

develops and persists.

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**Ingestion** Rinse mouth. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

**Most important** symptoms/effects, acute and

delayed

Irritation of eyes. Exposed individuals may experience eye tearing, redness, and discomfort. Dusts may irritate the respiratory tract, skin and eyes.

Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Provide general supportive measures and treat symptomatically. Keep victim under observation. Symptoms may be delayed.

**General information** Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to protect themselves.

#### 5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable extinguishing media

Unsuitable extinguishing media

Specific hazards arising from

the chemical Special protective equipment

and precautions for firefighters

Fire fighting equipment/instructions

**Specific methods General fire hazards**  Self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.

Water fog. Foam. Dry chemical powder. Carbon dioxide (CO2). Do not use water jet as an extinguisher, as this will spread the fire.

During fire, gases hazardous to health may be formed.

Use water spray to cool unopened containers.

Use standard firefighting procedures and consider the hazards of other involved materials.

No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted.

#### 6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Keep unnecessary personnel away. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Wear appropriate protective equipment and clothing during clean-up. Use a NIOSH/MSHA approved respirator if there is a risk of exposure to dust/fume at levels exceeding the exposure limits. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing. Ensure adequate ventilation. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained. For personal protection, see section 8 of the SDS.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Avoid the generation of dusts during clean-up. Collect dust using a vacuum cleaner equipped with HEPA filter. Stop the flow of material, if this is without risk.

Large Spills: Wet down with water and dike for later disposal. Shovel the material into waste container. Following product recovery, flush area with water.

Small Spills: Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal. Wipe up with absorbent material (e.g. cloth, fleece). Clean surface thoroughly to remove residual contamination.

Never return spills to original containers for re-use. For waste disposal, see section 13 of the SDS.

**Environmental precautions** 

Avoid discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground.

#### 7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling

Minimize dust generation and accumulation. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. Avoid contact with eyes. Avoid prolonged exposure. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment. Observe good industrial hygiene practices.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store in tightly closed container. Store in a well-ventilated place. Store away from incompatible materials (see Section 10 of the SDS).

#### 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

#### **Occupational exposure limits**

The following constituents are the only constituents of the product which have a PEL, TLV or other recommended exposure limit. At this time, the other constituents have no known exposure limits.

#### US. OSHA Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants (29 CFR 1910.1000) **Material Form Type** Value CALCIUM SULFATE (CAS PEL 5 mg/m3 Respirable fraction. 7778-18-9) 15 mg/m3 Total dust.

Material name: DRIERITE®, 8 MESH 2625 Version #: 02 Revision date: June-28-2018 Issue date: May-22-2014 2/6 **US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values Value** Form Material **Type** CALCIUM SULFATE (CAS Inhalable fraction. TWA 10 mg/m3 7778-18-9) **US. NIOSH: Pocket Guide to Chemical Hazards Material** Value **Form Type** CALCIUM SULFATE (CAS TWA 5 mg/m3 Respirable. 7778-18-9) 10 mg/m3 Total

**Biological limit values** 

**Appropriate engineering** 

controls

No biological exposure limits noted for the ingredient(s). Good general ventilation (typically 10 air changes per hour) should be used. Ventilation rates should

be matched to conditions. If applicable, use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to maintain airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If exposure limits have not been established, maintain airborne levels to an acceptable level. If engineering measures are not sufficient to maintain concentrations of dust particulates below the Occupational Exposure Limit (OEL), suitable respiratory protection must be worn. If material is ground, cut, or used in any operation which may generate dusts, use appropriate local exhaust ventilation to keep

exposures below the recommended exposure limits. Provide eyewash station.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

**Eye/face protection** Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles).

Skin protection

Hand protection Wear appropriate chemical resistant gloves. Other Wear appropriate chemical resistant clothing.

**Respiratory protection** Use a NIOSH/MSHA approved respirator if there is a risk of exposure to dust/fume at levels

exceeding the exposure limits. Wear respirator if there is dust formation.

Thermal hazards Wear appropriate thermal protective clothing, when necessary.

**General hygiene** considerations

Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing after handling the material and before eating, drinking, and/or smoking. Routinely wash work clothing and protective equipment to

remove contaminants.

#### 9. Physical and chemical properties

**Appearance** 

**Physical state** Solid. **Form** Granular. Color White. Odorless. Odor **Odor threshold** Not available. Not available. pН 2642 °F (1450 °C) Melting point/freezing point Initial boiling point and Not available.

boiling range

Flash point Not available. Not available. **Evaporation rate** Flammability (solid, gas) Not available. Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits

Flammability limit - lower

Not available.

(%)

Flammability limit -

upper (%)

Not available.

**Explosive limit - lower** 

(%)

Not available.

**Explosive limit - upper** 

(%)

Not available.

Not available. Vapor pressure Not available. Vapor density **Relative density** Not available.

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Solubility (water) 3 q/l

**Partition coefficient** Not available.

(n-octanol/water)

**Auto-ignition temperature** Not available. **Decomposition temperature** Not available. Not available. **Viscosity** 

Other information

**Density** 2.96 g/cm3 estimated

**Explosive properties** Not explosive.

CaSO4 Molecular formula

Molecular weight 136.14 g/mol **Oxidizing properties** Not oxidizing.

Specific gravity 2.96

#### 10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity The product is stable and non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.

**Chemical stability** Material is stable under normal conditions.

**Possibility of hazardous** 

reactions

No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.

**Conditions to avoid** Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. Contact with

incompatible materials.

**Incompatible materials** Aluminum. Phosphorus.

**Hazardous decomposition** 

products

No hazardous decomposition products are known.

#### 11. Toxicological information

#### Information on likely routes of exposure

**Inhalation** Dust may irritate respiratory system. Prolonged inhalation may be harmful.

Skin contact Dust or powder may irritate the skin.

Eye contact Causes eye irritation.

**Ingestion** Expected to be a low ingestion hazard.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics Irritation of eyes. Exposed individuals may experience eye tearing, redness, and discomfort. Dusts

may irritate the respiratory tract, skin and eyes.

#### Information on toxicological effects

**Acute toxicity** Not known.

Skin corrosion/irritation Prolonged skin contact may cause temporary irritation.

Serious eye damage/eye

irritation

Causes eye irritation.

#### Respiratory or skin sensitization

**Respiratory sensitization** Not a respiratory sensitizer.

Skin sensitization This product is not expected to cause skin sensitization.

No data available to indicate product or any components present at greater than 0.1% are Germ cell mutagenicity

mutagenic or genotoxic.

Carcinogenicity Not classifiable as to carcinogenicity to humans.

#### IARC Monographs. Overall Evaluation of Carcinogenicity

#### OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1052)

Not regulated.

#### **US. National Toxicology Program (NTP) Report on Carcinogens**

Not listed.

Reproductive toxicity This product is not expected to cause reproductive or developmental effects.

Specific target organ toxicity

- single exposure

Not classified.

Specific target organ toxicity

Not classified.

- repeated exposure

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**Aspiration hazard** Not an aspiration hazard.

**Chronic effects** Prolonged inhalation may be harmful.

#### 12. Ecological information

**Ecotoxicity** The product is not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does not exclude the

possibility that large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging effect on the environment.

**Product Species Test Results** 

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**Aquatic** 

Fish LC50 Fathead minnow (Pimephales promelas) > 1970 mg/l, 96 hours

Persistence and degradability No data is available on the degradability of this substance.

**Bioaccumulative potential** No data available. Mobility in soil No data available.

Other adverse effects No other adverse environmental effects (e.g. ozone depletion, photochemical ozone creation

potential, endocrine disruption, global warming potential) are expected from this component.

#### 13. Disposal considerations

**Disposal instructions** Collect and reclaim or dispose in sealed containers at licensed waste disposal site. Dispose of

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

Local disposal regulations Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.

Hazardous waste code The waste code should be assigned in discussion between the user, the producer and the waste

disposal company.

Waste from residues /

unused products

Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Empty containers or liners may retain some product

residues. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe manner (see: Disposal

instructions).

Since emptied containers may retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is Contaminated packaging

emptied. Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or

disposal.

#### 14. Transport information

DOT

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

**IATA** 

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

**IMDG** 

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

Transport in bulk according to Not applicable.

Annex II of MARPOL 73/78

and the IBC Code

#### 15. Regulatory information

**US federal regulations** This product is a "Hazardous Chemical" as defined by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard,

29 CFR 1910.1200.

TSCA Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpt. D)

Not regulated.

**CERCLA Hazardous Substance List (40 CFR 302.4)** 

Not listed.

SARA 304 Emergency release notification

Not regulated.

OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1052)

Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)

**SARA 302 Extremely hazardous substance** 

Not listed.

**SARA 311/312** 

**Hazardous chemical** 

Yes

Classified hazard categories

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SARA 313 (TRI reporting)

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#### Other federal regulations

#### Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) List

Not regulated.

#### Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112(r) Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130)

Not regulated.

**Safe Drinking Water Act** 

(SDWA)

Not regulated.

Inventory name

Food and Drug

Administration (FDA)

Total food additive
Direct food additive
GRAS food additive

#### **US state regulations**

#### **California Proposition 65**

California Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 2016 (Proposition 65): This material is not known to contain any chemicals currently listed as carcinogens or reproductive toxins. For more information go to www.P65Warnings.ca.gov.

## International Inventories Country(s) or region

country(s) or region	inventory name	On inventory (yes/no)
Australia	Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS)	Yes
Canada	Domestic Substances List (DSL)	Yes
Canada	Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)	No
China	Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China (IECSC)	Yes
Europe	European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS)	Yes
Europe	European List of Notified Chemical Substances (ELINCS)	No
Japan	Inventory of Existing and New Chemical Substances (ENCS)	Yes
Korea	Existing Chemicals List (ECL)	Yes
New Zealand	New Zealand Inventory	Yes
Philippines	Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances (PICCS)	Yes
Taiwan	Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory (TCSI)	Yes
United States & Puerto Rico	Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory	Yes

<sup>\*</sup>A "Yes" indicates that all components of this product comply with the inventory requirements administered by the governing country(s)

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#### 16. Other information, including date of preparation or last revision

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On inventory (yes/no)\*

the sheet was written based on the best knowledge and experience currently available.

**Revision information**This document has undergone significant changes and should be reviewed in its entirety.

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