

1. IDENTIFICATION

Product Name	Cellulose
Other Names	Cellulose crystalline; Cellulose gel; Hydroxycellulose; Microcrystalline cellulose; Plastics, cellulosic; Sulfite cellulose
Uses	Industrial use with the inclusion in a matrix or on a matrix. Stabiliser for cosmetic formulations.
Chemical Family	No Data Available
Chemical Formula	No Data Available
Chemical Name	Cellulose
Product Description	No Data Available

Contact Details of the Supplier of this Safety Data Sheet

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Emergency Contact Details

For emergencies only; DO NOT contact these companies for general product advice.

Organisation	Location	Telephone
Poisons Information Centre	Westmead NSW	1800-251525 131126
Chemcall	Australia	1800-127406 +64-4-9179888
Chemcall	Malaysia	+64-4-9179888
Chemcall	New Zealand	0800-243622 +64-4-9179888
National Poisons Centre	New Zealand	0800-764766
CHEMTREC	USA & Canada	1-800-424-9300 CN723420 +1-703-527-3887

2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

Poisons Schedule (Aust) Not scheduled

Globally Harmonised System

Hazard Classification NOT hazardous according to the criteria of the Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (GHS)

Signal Word None

National Transport Commission (Australia)

Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road & Rail (ADG Code)

Dangerous Goods Classification NOT Dangerous Goods according to the criteria of the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road & Rail (ADG Code)

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Ingredients

Chemical Entity	Formula	CAS Number	Proportion
Cellulose	No Data Available	9004-34-6	<=100 %

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Description of necessary measures according to routes of exposure

Swallowed	If major quantities of dust are swallowed or inhaled, immediately drink: Water. Do NOT induce vomiting. If symptoms develop, seek medical attention.
Eye	Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for 15 minutes, holding eyelids open. In all cases of eye contamination, it is a sensible precaution to seek medical advice.
Skin	Wash with soap and water. If irritation develops seek medical advice.
Inhaled	Remove victim from exposure to fresh air. If not breathing, apply artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Seek medical attention if irritation develops or persists.
Advice to Doctor	Treat symptomatically based on judgement of doctor and individual reactions of patient.
Medical Conditions Aggravated by Exposure	No information available on medical conditions aggravated by exposure to this product.

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

General Measures	Clear fire area of all non-emergency personnel. Stay upwind. Keep out of low areas. Eliminate ignition sources. Move fire exposed containers from fire area if it can be done without risk.
Flammability Conditions	Product is a combustible solid. Fire class A (Fires of solids, mainly organic nature, which normally burn down under glow forming).
Extinguishing Media	Suitable Extinguishing Media : Water, Carbon dioxide (CO ₂). Foam. Dry extinguishing powder. Unsuitable Extinguishing Media : High power water jet.
Fire and Explosion Hazard	Danger of dust explosion.
Hazardous Products of Combustion	Can be released in case of fire: Carbon monoxide. Carbon dioxide
Special Fire Fighting Instructions	Do NOT allow fire fighting water to reach waterways, drains or sewers. Store fire fighting water for treatment.
Personal Protective Equipment	Fire fighters should wear a positive-pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) and protective fire fighting clothing (includes fire fighting helmet, coat, trousers, boots and gloves).
Flash Point	No Data Available
Lower Explosion Limit	30 g/m ³ 11000 g/m ³

Upper Explosion Limit**Auto Ignition Temperature** No Data Available**Hazchem Code** No Data Available**6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

General Response Procedure	Avoid accidents, clean up immediately. Slippery when spilt. Eliminate all sources of ignition. Increase ventilation. Avoid generating dust. Use clean, non-sparking tools and equipment.
Clean Up Procedures	Take up mechanically. Avoid generation of dust. Do not use a dry brush as dust clouds or static can be created.
Containment	Stop leak if safe to do so. Isolate the danger area.
Environmental Precautionary Measures	Do NOT let product reach drains or waterways. If product does enter a waterway, advise the Environmental Protection Authority or your local Waste Management.
Evacuation Criteria	Evacuate all unnecessary personnel.
Personal Precautionary Measures	Personnel involved in the clean up should wear full protective clothing as listed in section 8.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling	In case of open handling, use devices with built-in suction where possible. It is recommended to organize all working processes in order to exclude the following: Inhalation of dust/particles. Ensure an eye bath and safety shower are available and ready for use. Observe good personal hygiene practices and recommended procedures. Wash thoroughly after handling. Take precautionary measures against static discharges by bonding and grounding equipment. Avoid handling which leads to dust formation. There must be an effective ventilation during bagging and openly handling. Use measures for prevention of aerosol- and dust development. Use closed machinery if possible. Aspirate greater amounts of dust at the leak point. Dust should be vacuumed up immediately at the place it occurs. Do not use compressed air for cleaning. Before opening the container prepare fire extinguisher.
Storage	Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area. Keep containers tightly closed when not in use. Inspect regularly for deficiencies such as damage or leaks. Protect against physical damage. Keep away from hot surfaces. Explosive dust-air mixtures may form. Store away from incompatible materials as listed in section 10. This product is not classified dangerous for transport according to The Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods By Road and Rail.
Container	Store in original packaging as approved by manufacturer.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

General	Components with occupational exposure limits resp. Biological occupational exposure limits requiring monitoring: 9004-34-6 Cellulose 100%		
	Occupational exposure limits. Air limit values:		
	Cellulose CAS: 9004-34-6		
	Limit value	Occupational	Peak
	type (country	Exposure limit value	limitation
	of origin)	Long term	Short term
	AGW(DE)		
	General	3 mg/m ³ A	2 (I) TRGS900
	Dust limit	10 mg/m ³	
	OEL(B)	10 mg/m ³	GESTIS
	OEL (CAN)	10 mg/m ³	GESTIS
	OEL (F)	10 mg/m ³ Inhalable Aerosol	GESTIS
	OEL (E)	10 mg/m ³ Inhalable Aerosol	GESTIS
	OEL (CH)	3 mg/m ³ Breathable Aerosol	GESTIS
	OEL (USA)	15 mg/m ³ Total dust	
		5 mg/3 Breathable dust	GESTIS
	OEL (BG)	10 mg/m ³ Inhalable Aerosol	20 mg/m ³ Inhalable Aerosol
		4 mg/m ³ Breathable Aerosol	GESTIS

The following exposure standard has been established by The Australian Safety and Compensation Council (ASCC);

Cellulose CAS: 9004-34-6 TWA = 10 mg/m³

NOTE: The exposure value at the TWA is the average airborne concentration of a particular substance when calculated over a normal 8 hour working day for a 5 day working week.

These exposure standards are guides to be used in the control of occupational health hazards. All atmospheric contamination should be kept to as low a level as is workable. These exposure standards should not be used as fine dividing lines between safe and dangerous concentrations of chemicals. They are not a measure of relative toxicity.

Exposure Limits

No Data Available

Biological Limits

No information available on biological limit values for this product.

Engineering Measures

A system of local and/or general exhaust is recommended to keep employee exposures as low as possible. Local exhaust ventilation is generally preferred because it can control the emissions of the contaminant at its source, preventing dispersion of it into the general work area. Adequate ventilation should be provided so that exposure limits are not exceeded.

Personal Protection Equipment

RESPIRATOR: Particle filter P2 or P3. Use at concentrations exceeding the limit of particle masks, at oxygen contents lower than 17 Vol. % or at unclear conditions (AS1715/1716).

EYES: Dust shield eyeglasses (AS1336/1337).

HANDS: Wear impervious gloves (AS2161).

CLOTHING: Long-sleeved protective clothing and safety footwear (AS3765/2210).

Work Hygienic Practices

No Data Available

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical State

Solid

Appearance

Powder

Odour

Odourless

Colour

White

pH

No Data Available

Vapour Pressure

No Data Available

Relative Vapour Density

No Data Available

Boiling Point

No Data Available

Melting Point

No Data Available

Freezing Point

No Data Available

Solubility

Insoluble 20°C

Specific Gravity

No Data Available

Flash Point

No Data Available

Auto Ignition Temp

No Data Available

Evaporation Rate

No Data Available

Bulk Density

No Data Available

Corrosion Rate

No Data Available

Decomposition Temperature

approx 200 °C

Density

approx 1.5 g/cm³

Specific Heat

No Data Available

Molecular Weight

No Data Available

Net Propellant Weight

No Data Available

Octanol Water Coefficient

No Data Available

Particle Size

No Data Available

Partition Coefficient

No Data Available

Saturated Vapour Concentration No Data Available

Vapour Temperature No Data Available

Viscosity No Data Available

Volatile Percent No Data Available

VOC Volume No Data Available

Additional Characteristics

Ignition temperature (deg C): approx. 500 deg C (Godbert-Greenwald)

Potential for Dust Explosion	Dust explosion category: St 1 Minimum ignition energy in mJ: 30 Minimum ignition temperature of a dust cloud in °C:400 Flammability and burning behaviour of dust layers: burning number (BZ) 5 Minimum ignition temperature of a 5 mm dust layer (glowing temperature): >= 330 °C Maximum explosion pressure in bar: < 9.5 KSt-value (bar x m/s): < 200 The product has not been tested. The statement is derived from products of similar composition.
Fast or Intensely Burning Characteristics	No Data Available
Flame Propagation or Burning Rate of Solid Materials	No Data Available
Non-Flammables That Could Contribute Unusual Hazards to a Fire	No Data Available
Properties That May Initiate or Contribute to Fire Intensity	No Data Available
Reactions That Release Gases or Vapours	No Data Available
Release of Invisible Flammable Vapours and Gases	No Data Available

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

General Information	Combustible Solid. Decomposition takes place from temperatures above: approx. 200 °C
Chemical Stability	Product is stable under normal conditions of use, storage and temperature.
Conditions to Avoid	This material is combustible and can be ignited by heat, sparks, flames, or other sources of ignition (e.g. static electricity, pilot lights, or mechanical/electrical equipment).
Materials to Avoid	No Data Available
Hazardous Decomposition Products	In the event of fire the following may be released: Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide
Hazardous Polymerisation	No Data Available

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

General Information	Acute oral toxicity Rat LD50 : > 3000 mg/kg
Eyelirritant	No danger of sensitization Mechanical irritation of eye mucous membrane.
Inhalation	A mechanical irritation of the respiratory tract and of the pharyngeal cavity possible.
Carcinogen Category	No Data Available

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity	According to the present state of knowledge negative ecological effects are not expected.
Persistence/Degradability	Not persistent.
Mobility	Insoluble in water.
Environmental Fate	Do NOT let product reach waterways, drains and sewers.
Bioaccumulation Potential	No indication of bio-accumulation potential.
Environmental Impact	No Data Available

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

General Information	Dispose of in accordance with all local, state and federal regulations. All empty packaging should be disposed of in accordance with Local, State, and Federal Regulations or recycled/reconditioned at an approved facility.
Special Precautions for Land Fill	Contact a specialist disposal company or the local waste regulator for advice. Cleaned packaging material can be disposed or recycled without danger.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Land Transport (Australia)

ADG Code

Proper Shipping Name	Cellulose
Class	No Data Available
Subsidiary Risk(s)	No Data Available
	No Data Available
UN Number	No Data Available
Hazchem	No Data Available
Pack Group	No Data Available
Special Provision	No Data Available
Comments	NON-DANGEROUS GOODS: Not regulated for LAND transport.

Land Transport (Malaysia)

ADR Code

Proper Shipping Name	Cellulose
Class	No Data Available
Subsidiary Risk(s)	No Data Available
	No Data Available
UN Number	No Data Available
Hazchem	No Data Available
Pack Group	No Data Available
Special Provision	No Data Available
Comments	NON-DANGEROUS GOODS: Not regulated for LAND transport.

Land Transport (New Zealand)

NZS5433

Proper Shipping Name	Cellulose
Class	No Data Available
Subsidiary Risk(s)	No Data Available
	No Data Available
UN Number	No Data Available
Hazchem	No Data Available
Pack Group	No Data Available
Special Provision	No Data Available
Comments	NON-DANGEROUS GOODS: Not regulated for LAND transport.

Land Transport (United States of America)

US DOT

Proper Shipping Name	Cellulose
Class	No Data Available
Subsidiary Risk(s)	No Data Available
	No Data Available
UN Number	No Data Available
Hazchem	No Data Available
Pack Group	No Data Available
Special Provision	No Data Available
Comments	NON-DANGEROUS GOODS: Not regulated for LAND transport.

Sea Transport

IMDG Code

Proper Shipping Name	Cellulose
Class	No Data Available
Subsidiary Risk(s)	No Data Available
UN Number	No Data Available
Hazchem	No Data Available
Pack Group	No Data Available
Special Provision	No Data Available
EMS	No Data Available
Marine Pollutant	No
Comments	NON-DANGEROUS GOODS: Not regulated for SEA transport.

Air Transport

IATA DGR

Proper Shipping Name	Cellulose
Class	No Data Available
Subsidiary Risk(s)	No Data Available
UN Number	No Data Available
Hazchem	No Data Available
Pack Group	No Data Available
Special Provision	No Data Available
Comments	NON-DANGEROUS GOODS: Not regulated for AIR transport.

National Transport Commission (Australia)

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15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

General Information	No Data Available
Poisons Schedule (Aust)	Not scheduled

Environmental Protection Authority (New Zealand)

Hazardous Substances and New Organisms Amendment Act 2015

Approval Code Not Hazardous

National/Regional Inventories

Australia (AICS)	Listed
Canada (DSL)	Not Determined
Canada (NDSL)	Not Determined
China (IECSC)	Not Determined
Europe (EINECS)	232-674-9
Europe (REACH)	Not Determined
Japan (ENCS/METI)	Not Determined
Korea (KECI)	Not Determined
Malaysia (EHS Register)	Not Determined
New Zealand (NZIoC)	Listed
Philippines (PICCS)	Not Determined
Switzerland (Giftliste 1)	Not Determined
Switzerland (Inventory of Notified Substances)	Not Determined
Taiwan (NCSR)	Not Determined
USA (TSCA)	Not Determined

16. OTHER INFORMATION

Related Product Codes CELLUL1000, CELLUL1650, CELLUL1660, CELLUL2200, CELLUL3000, CELLUL3500, CELLUL4000, CELLUL4400, CELLUL5000, CELLUL5001, CELLUL5100, CELLUL5200, CELLUL5500, CELLUL6000, MICELL9000, MICELL9001, MICELL9002, MICELL9003, MICELL9005, MICELL9010

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Reason for Issue Updated SDS

Key/Legend

< Less Than

> Greater Than

AICS Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

atm Atmosphere

CAS Chemical Abstracts Service (Registry Number)

cm² Square Centimetres

CO₂ Carbon Dioxide

COD Chemical Oxygen Demand

deg C (°C) Degrees Celcius

EPA (New Zealand) Environmental Protection Authority of New Zealand

deg F (°F) Degrees Fahrenheit

g Grams

g/cm³ Grams per Cubic Centimetre

g/l Grams per Litre

HSNO Hazardous Substance and New Organism

IDLH Immediately Dangerous to Life and Health

immiscible Liquids are insoluble in each other.

inHg Inch of Mercury

inH₂O Inch of Water

K Kelvin

kg Kilogram

kg/m³ Kilograms per Cubic Metre

lb Pound

LC₅₀ LC stands for lethal concentration. LC₅₀ is the concentration of a material in air which causes the death of 50% (one half) of a group of test animals. The material is inhaled over a set period of time, usually 1 or 4 hours.

LD₅₀ LD stands for Lethal Dose. LD₅₀ is the amount of a material, given all at once, which causes the death of 50% (one half) of a group of test animals.

ltr or **L** Litre

m³ Cubic Metre

mbar Millibar

mg Milligram

mg/24H Milligrams per 24 Hours

mg/kg Milligrams per Kilogram

mg/m³ Milligrams per Cubic Metre

Misc or **Miscible** Liquids form one homogeneous liquid phase regardless of the amount of either component present.

mm Millimetre

mmH₂O Millimetres of Water

mPa.s Millipascals per Second

N/A Not Applicable

NIOSH National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health

NOHSC National Occupational Health and Safety Commission

OECD Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

Oz Ounce

PEL Permissible Exposure Limit

Pa Pascal

ppb Parts per Billion

ppm Parts per Million

ppm/2h Parts per Million per 2 Hours

ppm/6h Parts per Million per 6 Hours

psi Pounds per Square Inch

R Rankine

RCP Reciprocal Calculation Procedure

STEL Short Term Exposure Limit

TLV Threshold Limit Value

tne Tonne

TWA Time Weighted Average

ug/24H Micrograms per 24 Hours

UN United Nations

wt Weight