

Safety Data Sheet Canada – According to the Hazardous Products Regulations (WHMIS 2015)

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Trade name: Artic Volcano

SECTION 1: Identification

Product identifier:
Synonyms:
Other means of identification:
SDS Number:
Recommended use:
Artic Volcano
Not applicable
Not applicable
Superior ice melter.

Recommended restrictions: Uses other than as recommended above.

Manufacturer/Importer/Supplier/Distributor information:

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Fri. (Eastern Time)

Emergency phone number: 1-613-996-6666 (CANUTEC) 24 hours

SECTION 2: Hazard(s) identification

Classification of the chemical in accordance with the Hazardous Products Regulations (2015) (Canada) Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (WHMIS 2015):

Classification of the Substance or Mixture (GHS-CA)

Not classified

Label Elements (GHS-CA):

Pictograms (GHS-CA) : Not applicable
Signal Word (GHS-CA) : Not applicable
Hazard Phrases (GHS-CA) : Not applicable
Precautionary Phrases (GHS-CA) : Not applicable

Health and Physical Hazard(s) not otherwise Classified (HNOC): Not applicable.

Percentage of ingredient(s) of unknown acute toxicity:

Not applicable

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SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

Mixture:

This product is not classified as hazardous; therefore disclosure of the composition is not required.

SECTION 4: First-aid Measures

Description of necessary measures:

Inhalation: In case of symptoms, move the victim outside and keep comfortable for breathing. Call a doctor is symptoms occur.

Skin contact: Remove contaminated clothing. Remove as much powder as possible. Wash skin with lots of water. Call a doctor if irritation persists.

Eye contact: In case of contact with the eyes, immediately flush eyes with lots of water. If easy to do, remove contact lenses, if worn. Continue rinsing. Call a doctor if irritation persists.

Ingestion: If the victim is conscious and lucid, rinse mouth with water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. DO NOT induce vomiting. If vomiting occurs spontaneously lean victim forward to reduce the risk of aspiration. Call a POISON CENTRE or a doctor if the person is unwell.

Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed: No symptoms are anticipated following usual exposures to the product. Prolonged or repeated skin contact may cause dryness, defatting and dermatitis.

Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed: No additional information available.

SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures

Suitable extinguishing media: This product is not flammable. Use extinguishing media suitable for the surrounding materials.

Unsuitable extinguishing media: None known.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical:

Not anticipated to pose a fire or explosion hazard under normal conditions of use. Thermal decomposition generates: chlorine, sodium oxide, potassium oxide, magnesium oxide and hydrogen chloride.

Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters: Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire. Wear complete protective clothing including self-contained breathing apparatus.

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SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures: Wear appropriate Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) (See information provided in Section 8). Avoid inhalation of dusts of the product and avoid all contact with eyes and skin. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled product unless wearing appropriate protective equipment. Keep people away from the spill and upwind.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up: Clean up with a broom or vacuum in order to adequately clean up spill, but without raising dust.

Avoid discharge to sewers, drains, terrestrial environments and water courses. Contact local authorities in case of spills to sewers or aquatic environments.

After cleaning up the product, rinse the area with water. Wash the surface thoroughly to eliminate any residual contamination. Do not release rinse water to sewers.

SECTION 7: Handling and Storage

Precautions for safe handling: Wear appropriate personal protective equipment (See Section 8). Do not inhale dusts of the product. Wash hands, forearms and face thoroughly after handling the product. Employ good industrial hygiene measures. Avoid handling methods which create dusts. Avoid contact with the eyes.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibles: Keep in a cool, dry area, protect from sunlight and keep away from incompatible materials (See Section 10). Keep container tightly closed. Inspect regularly for damage or leaks. Keep out of reach of children.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

Occupational exposure limits:

Occupational exposure limits are not applicable to the components in the product. Although the product is soluble in water, the absence of any other exposure limits we have provided the limits from OSHA and ACGIH for Particulates Not Otherwise Regulated (PNOR) and Particulates Not Otherwise Specified (PNOS).

Material	NIOSH REL-TWA	OSHA PEL-TWA	ACGIH TLV-TWA
Particulates Not			
Otherwise Regulated			10 ~/ 3 (Inh.)
(OSHA), Particulates	Not available	15 mg/m ³ (tot.)	10 mg/m ³ (Inh.) 3 mg/m ³ (Resp.)
Not Otherwise Specified			
(ACGIH			

Tot : total Inh : Inhalable

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Resp: Respirable

Appropriate engineering controls: General ventilation should be adequate. However, ventilation rates should be matched to conditions. In case of generation of dust, fumes or mist during handling, use appropriate ventilation to maintain levels below exposure limits.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment:

Eye/face protection: Wear protective safety glasses with side shields. Do not wear

contact lenses.

Skin and Hand protection: Avoid skin contact. Wear protective clothing and gloves made of

rubber.

Respiratory protection: If dusts are released and local ventilation cannot keep exposure

levels below relevant exposure limits, wear an appropriate respirator

with a dust cartridge.

Thermal hazards: Not applicable based on recommended uses.

General provisions: Minimize exposure. Ensure appropriate personal protective

equipment is available in the workplace. Respect all appropriate legislation regarding health and safety in the workplace and follow all recommendations from your health and safety committee. Contact a health and safety professional or personal protective

equipment manufacturer for more information

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

Appearance: Blue opaque crystals

Odor/odour:
Odourless
Odor/odour threshold:
Not applicable
pH:
6-8 (neutral)
Melting point/freezing point:
Not available

Initial Boiling Point and

boiling range:Not availableFlash point:Not applicableEvaporation rate:Not availableFlammability (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. Vapor/Vapour pressure: Not available Vapor/Vapour density (air=1): Not available Relative density (water = 1): 2.17-2.20 **Solubility(ies):** Not available

Partition coefficient

(n-octanol/water): Not available

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Auto-ignition temperature:Not availableDecomposition temperature:Not availableViscosity:Not applicable

SECTION 10: Stability and Reactivity

Reactivity: Stable under normal anticipated conditions of use. **Chemical stability:** Stable under normal anticipated conditions of use.

Possibility of hazardous reactions: Hazardous reactions are not anticipated.

Conditions to avoid: Incompatible materials: Do not mix this product with other chemical products. May react with strong acids, oxidizing agents, boron trifluoride, bromine trifluoride, calcium oxide and boron oxide, sodium, methyl vinyl ether, furan-2-peroxycarboxylic acid, nitrogen compounds, peracetic acid with acetic acid and

lithium.

Hazardous decomposition products: Thermal decomposition generates: chlorine, sodium oxide,

magnesium oxide and hydrogen chloride.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

Information on likely routes of exposure: Ingestion, inhalation (dusts), contact with skin and eyes.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical, and toxicological characteristics: No symptoms are anticipated following usual exposures to the product. Prolonged or repeated skin contact may cause dryness, defatting and dermatitis.

Delayed and immediate effects and chronic effects from short or long-term exposure:

Skin Irritation and Corrosion: Not classified as a skin irritant based on information

available on the known components of this product.

Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation: Not classified as an eye irritant, based on information

available on the known components of this product.

Respiratory Sensitization: Not anticipated to cause respiratory sensitization based on

information available on the product.

Skin Sensitization: Not anticipated to cause skin sensitization based on

information available on the product.

Germ Cell Mutagenicity: Not anticipated to cause heritable genetic effects based upon

information available on the components and the product.

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Carcinogenicity: Not anticipated to cause cancer based on information

available on the product. None of the ingredients are listed

on the ACGIH or IARC carcinogen lists.

Reproductive Toxicity: Not anticipated to damage fertility or the unborn child based

on information available on the product.

Specific Target-Organ Toxicity

- Single Exposure: Not anticipated to cause specific target-organ toxicity after

single exposure. Not classified as a respiratory irritant based on information available on the known components of the

product.

Specific Target-Organ Toxicity

- Repeated Exposure: Not anticipated to cause specific target-organ toxicity after

repeated or prolonged exposure. Repeated or prolonged

contact with the skin may cause dermatitis.

Aspiration Hazard: Not anticipated to be an aspiration hazard.

Numerical measures of toxicity:

Not applicable

Acute Toxicity Estimate (ATE) of the product:

Acute toxicity (oral): 2830 mg/kg Acute toxicity (dermal): >5000 mg/kg Acute toxicity (inhalation): > 160 mg/m³/4H

Further information: Not available

SECTION 12: Ecological information

Ecotoxicity:

Product data: Not determined

Persistence and Degradability:
Bioaccumulative Potential:
Mobility in Soil:
Other adverse effects:
Not determined
Not determined

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SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

Disposal instructions:

Product - Dispose in accordance with applicable federal, provincial/territorial, and local regulations.

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

SECTION 14: Transport Information

Not regulated for transport according to the TDG (Transportation of Dangerous Goods) (Canada), IMO-IMDG (International Maritime Organisation – International Maritime Dangerous Goods) and the US DOT (Department of Transport).

SECTION 15: Regulatory Information

Canada:

Classification according to the Hazardous Products Regulations (WHMIS 2015):

See Section 2

This SDS complies with the Hazardous Products Regulations (WHMIS 2015).

New Substance Notification Regulations (NSNR):

All of the ingredients of this product are on the DSL (Domestic Substances List) of the Canadian Environmental Protection Act.

Priority Substances List (PSL): Listed on the PSL2 (road salts)

USA:

HMIS® III Classification:

Health:	1
Flammability:	
Physical Hazard	
Personal Protection :	X

(4 = Severe, 3 = Serious, 2 = Moderate, 1 = Light, 0 = Minimal)

NFPA® Classification:

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NFPA Health Hazards : 1 - Materials that, under emergency conditions, can cause

significant irritation.

NFPA Flammability : 0 - Materials that will not burn under typical fire conditions, Hazards including intrinsically non-combustible materials such as

concrete, stone, and sand.

NFPA Instability Hazards : 0 - Materials that in themselves are normally stable, even

under fire conditions.



SECTION 16: Other Information

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Contact the supplier (listed in Section 1) for all information concerning this SDS or questions regarding this product.

Other acronyms used in this SDS (not defined elsewhere):

ACGIH TLV-TWA American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

Threshold Limit Value -Time-Weighted Average

AIHA American Industrial Hygiene Association

EC50 Effective Concentration, 50%

GHS – CA
Globally Harmonised System - Canada
HMIS
Hazardous Materials Information System (US)

IARC International Agency for Research on Cancer

IMO International Maritime Organisation LC50 Lethal Concentration, 50%

Letial Concentration, 50%

LD50 Lethal Dose, 50%

MSHA Mine Safety and Health Administration (US)
NFPA National Fire Protection Association (US)

NIOSH-REL National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (US)

Recommended Exposure Limit

OSHA-PEL Occupational Safety and Health Administration

Permissible Exposure Limit

PNOR Particulates Not Otherwise Regulated (OSHA)
PNOS Particulates Not Otherwise Specified (ACGIH)

STEL Short-Term Exposure Limit
TSCA Toxic Substances Control Act (US)

US-DOT US Department of Transport

WHMIS Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System

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