



SAFETY DATA SHEET

1. Identification

Product identifier	Tronox® Titanium Dioxide, All Grades
Other means of identification	
Synonyms	CR-470, CR-800E, CR-813, CR-822, CR-826, CR-828, CR-834, 8120, CR-880, 8300, 8400, 8410, 8670, 8800, 8870, 8140, 41J, CR-8, CR-828E.
Product code	77891, Pigment White #6
SDS No.	B-5017
Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use	
Recommended use	White pigment for applications in coatings, inks, fibers, plastics, paper.
Restrictions on use	Not available.
Details of manufacturer or importer	
Company name	Tronox Western Australia Pty. Ltd. P.O. Box 305 Kwinana, Western Australia 6966
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2. Hazard(s) identification

Classification of the hazardous chemical	
Physical hazards	Not classified.
Health hazards	Not classified.
Environmental hazards	Not classified.
Label elements, including precautionary statements	
Hazard symbol(s)	None.
Signal word	None.
Hazard Statement(s)	The product does not meet the criteria for classification.
Precautionary Statement(s)	
Prevention	Observe good industrial hygiene practices.
Response	Flush skin thoroughly with water.
Storage	Store in a sealed container.
Disposal	Dispose of waste and residues in accordance with local authority requirements.
Other hazards which do not result in classification	Dusts or powder may irritate the respiratory tract, skin and eyes. Frequent inhalation of fume/dust over a long period of time may increase the risk of developing lung diseases although epidemiological studies among titanium dioxide workers could not demonstrate this.
Supplemental information	None.

3. Composition/information on ingredients

Mixture

Identity of chemical ingredients	CAS number and other unique identifiers	Concentration of ingredients
Titanium dioxide	13463-67-7	80 - 97
Silicon dioxide	7631-86-9	0 - 15
Aluminium hydroxide	21645-51-2	0 - 10
Zirconium dioxide	1314-23-4	0 - 2

Composition comments	Components listed make up an inseparable chemically reacted pigment. Silicon dioxide is present in finished product as amorphous silica.
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4. First-aid measures

Description of necessary first aid measures

Inhalation	Move to fresh air. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.
Skin contact	Flush skin thoroughly with water. Get medical attention if irritation develops or persists.
Eye contact	Do not rub eyes. Immediately rinse eyes with water. Remove any contact lenses, and continue flushing eyes with running water for at least 15 minutes. Hold eyelids apart to ensure rinsing of the entire surface of the eye and lids with water. Get immediate medical attention.
Ingestion	Rinse mouth thoroughly. Do not induce vomiting without advice from poison control center. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If ingestion of a large amount does occur, call a poison control centre immediately.
Personal protection for first-aid responders	Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to protect themselves.
Symptoms caused by exposure	Dusts may irritate the respiratory tract, skin and eyes. Coughing. Frequent inhalation of dust over a long period of time increases the risk of developing lung diseases.
Medical attention and special treatment	Treat symptomatically.

5. Fire-fighting measures

Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media	Use fire-extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding materials.
Unsuitable extinguishing media	No restrictions known.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical	None known.
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Special protective equipment and precautions for fire fighters	Selection of respiratory protection for firefighting: follow the general fire precautions indicated in the workplace. Self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.
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Fire fighting equipment/instructions	Move containers from fire area if you can do so without risk. Prevent runoff from fire control or dilution from entering streams, sewers or drinking water supply.
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Hazchem Code	None.
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General fire hazards	The product is not flammable.
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6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

For non-emergency personnel	Avoid inhalation of dust and contact with skin and eyes. Wear appropriate protective equipment and clothing during clean-up. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained.
For emergency responders	Keep unnecessary personnel away. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment.
Environmental precautions	Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not contaminate water.
Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up	Avoid dust formation. Collect powder using special dust vacuum cleaner with particle filter or carefully sweep into closed container. Prevent entry into waterways, sewer, basements or confined areas.
Other issues relating to spills and releases	Clean up in accordance with all applicable regulations.

7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling	Avoid inhalation of dust and contact with skin and eyes. Use only with adequate ventilation. Use Personal Protective Equipment recommended in section 8 of the SDS. Wash thoroughly after handling. Observe good industrial hygiene practices.
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Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities	Titanium dioxide is a stable chemical compound that does not decompose during storage but can pick up moisture from the environment if not stored properly affecting product performance. Store indoors in a dry place, away from rain and wet floors. Use on a first-in first-out basis from receipt of the shipment.
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8. Exposure controls and personal protection

Control parameters	Follow standard monitoring procedures.
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Occupational exposure limits

Australia. National Workplace OELs (Workplace Exposure Standards for Airborne Contaminants, Appendix A)

Components	Type	Value	Form
Titanium dioxide (CAS 13463-67-7)	TWA	10 mg/m3	Inhalable dust.
Zirconium dioxide (CAS 1314-23-4)	STEL	10 mg/m3	
	TWA	5 mg/m3	

Australia. OELs. (Adopted National Exposure Standards for Atmospheric Contaminants in the Occupational Environment)

Components	Type	Value	Form
Titanium dioxide (CAS 13463-67-7)	TWA	10 mg/m3	Inspirable dust.
Zirconium dioxide (CAS 1314-23-4)	STEL	10 mg/m3	
	TWA	5 mg/m3	

US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values

Components	Type	Value	Form
Aluminium hydroxide (CAS 21645-51-2)	TWA	1 mg/m3	Respirable fraction.
Titanium dioxide (CAS 13463-67-7)	TWA	10 mg/m3	
Zirconium dioxide (CAS 1314-23-4)	STEL	10 mg/m3	
	TWA	5 mg/m3	

UK. EH40 Workplace Exposure Limits (WELs)

Components	Type	Value	Form
Titanium dioxide (CAS 13463-67-7)	TWA	4 mg/m3	Respirable.
		10 mg/m3	Inhalable
Zirconium dioxide (CAS 1314-23-4)	STEL	10 mg/m3	
	TWA	5 mg/m3	

Germany. DFG MAK List (advisory OELs). Commission for the Investigation of Health Hazards of Chemical Compounds in the Work Area (DFG)

Components	Type	Value	Form
Aluminium hydroxide (CAS 21645-51-2)	TWA	4 mg/m3	Inhalable fraction.
		1.5 mg/m3	Respirable fraction.

Biological limit values	No biological exposure limits noted for the ingredient(s).
Exposure guidelines	No exposure standards allocated.
Appropriate engineering controls	Ventilate as needed to control airborne dust. Provide adequate ventilation. Observe Occupational Exposure Limits and minimise the risk of inhalation of dust.
Individual protection measures, for example personal protective equipment (PPE)	
Eyeface protection	Wear dust-resistant safety goggles where there is risk of eye contact.
Skin protection	
Hand protection	Wear suitable gloves. Suitable gloves can be recommended by the glove supplier.
Other	Wear appropriate clothing to prevent repeated or prolonged skin contact.
Respiratory protection	In case of inadequate ventilation or risk of inhalation of dust, use suitable respiratory equipment with particle filter. Seek advice from local supervisor.
Thermal hazards	Wear appropriate thermal protective clothing, when necessary.
Hygiene measures	Do not breathe dust. 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	Powder.
Colour	White.

Odour Odourless.

Odour threshold Not applicable.

pH Not applicable.

Melting point/freezing point 1830 - 1850 °C (3326 - 3362 °F)

Initial boiling point and boiling range 2500 - 3000 °C (4532 - 5432 °F)

Flash point Not available.

Evaporation rate Not available.

Flammability (solid, gas) Not applicable.

Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits

Flammability limit - lower (%) Not available.

Flammability limit - upper (%) Not available.

Vapour pressure Not available.

Vapour density Not available.

Relative density 4.1 Approx. (@ 20°C)

Solubility(ies)

Solubility (water) Insoluble in water.

Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water) Not applicable.

Auto-ignition temperature Not available.

Decomposition temperature Not available.

Viscosity Not applicable.

Other physical and chemical parameters

Bulk density 600 kg/m³ Approx. (@ 20°C)

Explosive properties Not explosive.

Oxidising properties Not oxidising.

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 Hazardous polymerisation does not occur.

Conditions to avoid Avoid dust formation.

Incompatible materials None known.

Hazardous decomposition products No hazardous decomposition products are known.

11. Toxicological information

Information on possible routes of exposure

Inhalation Dust may irritate respiratory system.

Skin contact Dust may irritate skin.

Eye contact Dust may irritate the eyes.

Ingestion Ingestion may cause irritation and malaise.

Symptoms related to exposure Dusts or powder may irritate the respiratory tract, skin and eyes. Coughing. Frequent inhalation of dust over a long period of time increases the risk of developing lung diseases.

Acute toxicity	May cause discomfort if swallowed.	
Components	Species	Test results
Aluminium hydroxide (CAS 21645-51-2)		
Acute		
<i>Oral</i>		
LD50	Rat	> 5000 mg/kg
Titanium dioxide (CAS 13463-67-7)		
Acute		
<i>Inhalation</i>		
LC50	Rat	> 2.28 mg/l, 4 Hours
<i>Oral</i>		
LD50	Rat	> 11000 mg/kg
Skin corrosion/irritation	Dust may irritate skin. Skin irritation occurs on contact with moist or wet skin.	
Serious eye damage/irritation	Dust may irritate the eyes. Dust in the eyes: Exposed individuals may experience eye tearing, redness, and discomfort.	
Respiratory or skin sensitisation		
Respiratory sensitisation	None known.	
Skin sensitisation	Not a skin sensitiser.	
Germ cell mutagenicity	No data available to indicate product or any components present at greater than 0.1% are mutagenic or genotoxic.	
Carcinogenicity	Suspected of causing cancer. IARC has classified TIO2 as 2B Possibly carcinogenic to humans. However, the only evidence of carcinogenicity is in rats exposed to very high concentrations. Two major epidemiology studies among titanium dioxide workers in the US and in EUROPE could not demonstrate an elevated lung cancer risk. Boffetta et. al. Mortality among workers employed in the titanium dioxide production industry in Europe. Cancer Causes Control. 2004 Sep;15(7):697-706. Fryzek et. al. A cohort mortality study among titanium dioxide manufacturing workers in the United States. J Occup Environ Med. 2003 Apr;45(4):400-9. IARC Monographs on the Evaluation of Carcinogenic Risks to Humans. IARC Monographs, Volume 93 (Summary)	
ACGIH Carcinogens		
Aluminium hydroxide (CAS 21645-51-2)	A4 Not classifiable as a human carcinogen.	
Titanium dioxide (CAS 13463-67-7)	A4 Not classifiable as a human carcinogen.	
Zirconium dioxide (CAS 1314-23-4)	A4 Not classifiable as a human carcinogen.	
IARC Monographs. Overall Evaluation of Carcinogenicity		
Titanium dioxide (CAS 13463-67-7)	2B Possibly carcinogenic to humans.	
Reproductive toxicity	None known.	
Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure	None known.	
Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure	None known.	
Aspiration hazard	Not classified.	
Chronic effects	Frequent inhalation of dust over a long period of time may increase the risk of developing chronic lung diseases and skin irritation.	
Other information	No other specific acute or chronic health impact noted.	

12. Ecological information

Ecotoxicity	The product is not expected to be hazardous to the environment.
Persistence and degradability	The degradability of the product has not been stated.
Bioaccumulative potential	Bioaccumulation is unlikely to be significant because of the low water solubility of this product.
Mobility in soil	The product is insoluble in water and will sediment in water systems.
Mobility in general	The product is insoluble in water and will sediment in water systems.
Other adverse effects	Not established.

13. Disposal considerations

Disposal methods	Disposal recommendations are based on material as supplied. Disposal must be in accordance with current applicable laws and regulations, and material characteristics at time of disposal. Dispose of this material and its container to hazardous or special waste collection point. Do not allow this material to drain into sewers/water supplies.
Residual waste	Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.
Contaminated packaging	Since emptied containers may retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is emptied.

14. Transport information

ADG

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

RID

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

IATA

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

IMDG

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code Not applicable.

15. Regulatory information

Safety, health and environmental regulations

National regulations

High Volume Industrial Chemicals (HVIC)

Aluminium hydroxide (CAS 21645-51-2)

1000 - 9999 TONNES See the regulation for additional information.

Titanium dioxide (CAS 13463-67-7)

100000 - 999999 TONNES See the regulation for additional information.

Importation of Ozone Deleting Substances (Customs(Prohibited imports) Regulations 1956, Schedule 10)

Not listed.

National Pollutant Inventory (NPI) substance reporting list

Not listed.

Prohibited Carcinogenic Substances

Not regulated.

Prohibited Substances (National Model Regulation for the control of Workplace Hazardous Substances, Schedule 2 NOHSC:1005 (1994) as amended)

Not listed.

Restricted Importation of Organochlorine Chemicals (Customs(Prohibited Imports) Regulations 1956, Schedule 9)

Not listed.

Restricted Carcinogenic Substances

Not regulated.

International regulations

Stockholm Convention

Not applicable.

Rotterdam Convention

Not applicable.

Kyoto protocol

Not applicable.

Montreal Protocol

Not applicable.

Basel Convention

Not applicable.

International Inventories

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
United States & Puerto Rico	Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory	Yes

*A "Yes" indicates this product complies with the inventory requirements administered by the governing country(s).

A "No" indicates that one or more components of the product are not listed or exempt from listing on the inventory administered by the governing country(s).

16. Other information

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Further information Nanoparticle Statement- The average primary particle size of this product is larger than the nanoparticle size range as described by ISO/TC 229 and should not be considered as manufactured nanoparticles or nanomaterials. As with other particulate materials there will be a distribution of particle sizes around the average and a small portion of these may be covered by the nanoparticle definition. In this product, the primary particle size is in the 200-300 nm range. However, the primary particle size does not represent the size of particles in this product as supplied since these tend to aggregate or agglomerate into larger particles.

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Key abbreviations or acronyms used

GHS: Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals.

LD50: Lethal Dose, 50%.

LC50: Lethal Concentration, 50%.

NIOSH: National Institute for Occupational Safety & Health.

References

HSDB® - Hazardous Substances Data Bank

IARC Monographs. Overall Evaluation of Carcinogenicity

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