

# **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

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# 1. Chemical and company identification

Name of chemical (Product

name)

**Tronox® Titanium Dioxide, All Grades** 

Manufacturer/Supplier

Company name Tronox LLC

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number

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Product code 77891, Pigment White #6

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

**Intended use** White pigment for applications in coatings, inks, fibers, plastics, paper.

Reference number B-5017

### 2. Hazards identification

#### **GHS** classification

The product is not classified according to GHS.

## **GHS** label elements

Symbols None.
Signal words None.

Hazard statement The product does not meet the criteria for classification.

**Precautionary statements** 

**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.

# 3. Composition/information on ingredients

Substance or mixture Mixture

Components	<b>CAS Number</b>	ENCS No.	ISHL No.	Concentration (%)
Titanium dioxide	13463-67-7	(1)-558	(1)-558	80 - 97
Silicon dioxide	7631-86-9	(1)-548	(1)-548	0 - 15
Aluminium hydroxide	21645-51-2	(1)-17	(1)-17	0 - 10
Zirconium dioxide	1314-23-4	(1)-563	(1)-563	0 - 2

**Synonym(s)** 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.

Chemical formula O2-Ti (13463-67-7), O2Si (7631-86-9), Al-H3-O3 (21645-51-2), O2Zr (1314-23-4)

in finished product as amorphous silica.

4. First aid measures

If inhaled Move to fresh air. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.

**IF ON SKIN** Flush skin thoroughly with water. Get medical attention if irritation develops or persists.

**IF IN EYES**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.

If swallowed 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.

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Most important

symptoms/effects, acute and

delayed

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.

Protection of first-aid

responders

Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to

protect themselves.

Notes to physician Treat symptomatically.

# 5. Fire-fighting measures

**Extinguishing media** 

Use fire-extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding materials.

Extinguishing media to avoid

No restrictions known.

Specific hazards

None known

Protection of 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.

General fire hazards

The product is not flammable.

### 6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions. protective equipment and emergency measures

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.

**Environmental precautions** 

Methods or materials for containment and cleaning up Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not contaminate water.

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. For waste disposal, see section 13 of the SDS.

Prevention of secondary hazards

Avoid release to the environment.

# 7. Handling and storage

#### Handling

Technical measures (e.g. Local and general

ventilation)

Avoid dust formation. Provide adequate ventilation.

Safe handling advice

Avoid inhalation of dust and contact with skin and eyes. Use personal protection recommended in

Section 8 of the SDS. Wash thoroughly after handling.

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.

Storage

Safe storage conditions

Store in a well-ventilated place. 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 effecting 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.

Safe packaging materials

Keep in original container.

# 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

#### Occupational exposure limits

Japan. OELs - JSOH (Japan Society of Occupational Health: Recommendation of Occupational Exposure Limits)

Components	Туре	Value	Form
Titanium dioxide (CAS 13463-67-7)	TWA	4 mg/m3	Total dust.
,		1 mg/m3	Respirable dust.

# **US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values**

Components	Туре	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	

## **Engineering measures**

Ventilate as needed to control airborne dust. Provide adequate ventilation. Observe Occupational Exposure Limits and minimise the risk of inhalation of dust.

Personal protective equipment

In case of inadequate ventilation or risk of inhalation of dust, use suitable respiratory equipment Respiratory protection

with particle filter. Seek advice from local supervisor.

Hand protection Wear suitable gloves. Suitable gloves can be recommended by the glove supplier.

Wear dust-resistant safety goggles where there is risk of eye contact. Eye protection Skin and body protection Wear appropriate clothing to prevent repeated or prolonged skin contact.

# 9. Physical and chemical properties

White powder. **Appearance** 

Solid. **Physical state** Powder. Form Colour White. Odour Odourless. **Odour threshold** Not applicable. Not applicable.

Melting point/freezing point 1830 - 1850 °C (3326 - 3362 °F) 2500 - 3000 °C (4532 - 5432 °F) Boiling point, initial boiling

point, and boiling range

Flash point **Combustion characteristics**  Not available. Not applicable.

(solid, gas)

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. Vapour pressure Not available. Vapour density

Specific gravity 4.1 Approx. (@ 20°C)

Solubility(ies)

Solubility (water) Insoluble in water. **Partition coefficient** Not applicable.

(n-octanol/water)

Not available. **Auto-ignition temperature** Not available. **Decomposition temperature** Viscosity (Coefficient of

viscosity)

Not applicable.

Other information

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

Not explosive. **Explosive properties** Not oxidizing. **Oxidizing properties** 

# 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. Hazardous polymerisation does not occur. Possibility of hazardous

reactions

Conditions to avoid Avoid dust formation.

Incompatible materials None known.

Hazardous decomposition

products

No hazardous decomposition products are known.

# 11. Toxicological information

**Acute toxicity** May cause discomfort if swallowed. Components Species Test results

Aluminium hydroxide (CAS 21645-51-2)

Acute Oral

LD50 Rat > 5000 mg/kg

**Skin corrosion/irritation**Dust may irritate skin. Skin irritation occurs on contact with moist or wet skin.

Serious eye damage/eye Dust may irritate the eyes. Dust in the eyes: Exposed may experience eye tearing, redness, and

irritation discomfort.

Respiratory or skin sensitisation

Respiratory sensitisation None known.

**Skin sensitisation** Not a skin sensitiser.

**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)

Al Not classifiable as a human carcinogen.

IARC Monographs. Overall Evaluation of Carcinogenicity

Silicon dioxide (CAS 7631-86-9) 3 Not classifiable as to carcinogenicity to humans.

Titanium dioxide (CAS 13463-67-7) 2B Possibly carcinogenic to humans.

Reproductive toxicity None known.

Specific target organ toxicity - None known.

single exposure

Specific target organ toxicity -

None known.

repeated exposure

Aspiration hazard Not classified.

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.

**Bioaccumulation** Bioaccumulation is unlikely to be significant because of the low water solubility of this product.

Mobility in soilNot available.Hazardous to the ozone layerNot available.Other hazardous effectsNot established.

13. Disposal considerations

Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

**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.

**Local disposal regulations**Do not allow this material to drain into sewers/water supplies.

14. Transport information

**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

# **Industrial Safety and Health Act**

Notifiable substances

Silica 5.0 - 15
TITANIUM DIOXIDE 87 - 97
Zirconium compounds 0 - 2.0

Labeling substances
Not regulated.

#### **Poisonous and Deleterious Substances Control Act**

Specified poisonous substances

Not regulated.

Poisonous substances

Not regulated.

**Deleterious substances** 

Not regulated.

### Act on the Evaluation of Chemical Substances and Regulation of Their Manufacture, etc.

Class I specified chemical substances

Not regulated.

Class II specified chemical substances

Not regulated.

Monitoring chemical substances

Not regulated.

**Priority Assessment Chemical Substances (PACs)** 

Not regulated.

**Reporting Exempted Substances** 

Silicon dioxide

TITANIUM DIOXIDE

# Law concerning Pollutant Release and Transfer Register

Specified class 1 substances (substance name, ordinance number and content)

Not regulated.

Class 1 substances (substance name, ordinance number and content)

Not regulated.

Class 2 substances (substance name, ordinance number and content)

Not regulated.

Fire Service Act Not dangerous goods under Fire Service Law

Not regulated.

**Ship Safety Law, Dangerous** 

**Goods Marine Transport and** 

Storage Rule

Air Law, Enforcement Rule Not regulated.

**Explosives Control Act** 

Not regulated.

# Act on Prevention of Marine Pollution and Maritime Disaster

TITANIUMOXIDE Category: Z

MICROSILICA SLURY Category: Other Substances

# 16. Other information

Bibliography HSDB® - Hazardous Substances Data Bank

IARC Monographs. Overall Evaluation of Carcinogenicity

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

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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