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Section 1 - Chemical Product and Company Identification

1.1 MSDS Name: Zinc Acetate Dihydrate

1.2 **Product Code**: ZAD9600 1.3 **Company Identification**:

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Section 2 - Hazards Identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 4), H302

Eye irritation (Category 2), H319

Acute aquatic toxicity (Category 1) H400

Chronic aquatic toxicity (Category 1), H410

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

Classification according to EU Directives 67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC

Xn, N Harmful, Dangerous for the environment R22, R36, R50/53

For the full text of the R-phrases mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

2.2 Label elements

Labelling according Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Pictogram:





Signal word Warning





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Hazard statement(s)

H302 Harmful if swallowed.

H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary statement(s)

P273 Avoid release to the environment.

P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact

lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

Supplemental Hazard Statements: none

2.3 Other hazards - none

Section 3 - Composition / Information on Ingredients

Chemical Name : Zinc Acetate Dihydrate

 $\mbox{Molecular Formula} \qquad \qquad : \qquad \qquad C_4 H_6 O_4 Z n \cdot 2 H_2 O$

 Molecular Weight
 :
 219,51 g/mol

 CAS Number
 :
 5970-45-6

 EC Number
 209-170-2

Hazardous ingredients according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Component		Classification	Concentration
CAS-No.	5970-45-6	Acute Tox. 4; Eye Irrit.	<= 100 %
EC-No.	209-170-2	2; Aquatic Acute 1;	
		Aquatic Chronic 1;	
		H302, H319, H410	

Hazardous in	gredients as per Directive 1999/45/EC		
Component		Classification	Concentration
CAS-No.	5970-45-6	Xn, N, R22 - R36	<= 100 %
EC-No.	209-170-2	- R50/53	

For the full text of the H-Statements and R-Phrases mentioned in this Section, see Section 16





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Section 4 - First Aid Measures

4.1 Description of first aid measures

General advice

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

If inhaled

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.

In case of skin contact

Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

In case of eye contact

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician.

If swallowed

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed no data available

Section 5 - Fire-Fighting Measures

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Carbon oxides, Zinc/zinc oxides

5.3 Advice for firefighters

Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary.

5.4 Further information

no data available





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Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid breathing dust.

For personal protection see section 8.

6.2 Environmental precautions

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. Sweep up and shovel. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

Section 7 - Handling and Storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols.

Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed.

For precautions see section 2.2.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store in dry place. Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.

Section 8 - Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

8.1 Control parameters

Components with workplace control parameters

8.2 Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.





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Personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection

Safety glasses with side-shields conforming to EN166 Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

Skin protection

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (Without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

The selected protective gloves have to satisfy the specifications of EU Directive 89/686/EEC and the standard EN 374 derived from it.

Body Protection

Complete suit protecting against chemicals, The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

Respiratory protection

For nuisance exposures use type P95 (US) or type P1 (EU EN 143) particle respirator. For higher level protection use type OV/AG/P99 (US) or type ABEK-P2 (EU EN 143) respirator cartridges.

Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

Control of environmental exposure

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

Section 9 - Physical and Chemical Properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance Form

Form : Crystalline or Granules

Color : White

Odour : Slight acetous Odour

pH (5% w/v) : 6.00 - 8.0 Melting point/freezing point : 237 °C

Initial boiling point and boiling range : no data available
Sublimation Temperature: : no data available
Density: : no data available
Vapour pressure : no data available
Vapour density : no data available
no data available



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Refractive density : 1,840 g/cm³

Water solubility : Freely soluble in water
Decomposition temperature : no data available
Viscosity : no data available

9.2 Other safety information

no data available

Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

10.1 Reactivity no data available

10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

no data available

10.4 Conditions to avoid

no data available

10.5 Incompatible materials

Oxidizing agents

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Other decomposition products - no data available

In the event of fire: see section 5

Section 11 - Toxicological Information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity

LD50 Oral - rat - 794 mg/kg

Remarks: Sense Organs and Special Senses (Nose, Eye, Ear, and Taste): Eye: Miosis (pupillary constriction). Vascular: BP elevation not characterized in autonomic section. Nutritional and Gross

Metabolic: Weight loss or decreased weight gain.

Skin corrosion/irritation

Skin - rabbit





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Result: Mild skin irritation - 24 h

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Eyes - rabbit

Result: Moderate eye irritation - 24 h

Respiratory or skin sensitization

no data available

Germ cell mutagenicity Human lymphocyte Cytogenetic analysis

Carcinogenicity

<u>IARC</u>: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

Reproductive toxicity no data available

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure no data available

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure no data available

Aspiration hazard no data available

Section 12 - Ecological Information

12.1 Toxicity

Toxicity to fish LC50 - Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) -0.55 mg/l - 96.0 h

12.2 Persistence and degradability no data available

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential





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no data available

12.4 Mobility in soil no data available

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

 $PBT/vPvB\ assessment\ not\ available\ as\ chemical\ safety\ assessment\ not\ required/not\ conducted$

12.6 Other adverse effects

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Section 13 - Disposal Considerations

13.1 Waste treatment methods

Product

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company. Dissolve or mix the material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber.

Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

Section 14 - Transport Information

14.1 UN number

ADR/RID: - 3077 IMDG: - 3077 IATA: - 3077

14.2 UN proper shipping name

ADR/RID: ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE IMDG: ENVIRONMENTALLY

HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE

IATA: Environmentally hazardous substance, solid, n.o.s. (Zinc di(acetate))

14.3 Transport hazard

class(es)

14.4 Packaging group

ADR/RID: - III IMDG: - III IATA: - III





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14.5 Environmental hazards

ADR/RID: - Yes IMDG: -Marine pollutant: Yes IATA: -Yes

14.6 Special precautions for

user

no data available

Section 15 - Regulatory Information

This safety datasheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006.

15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture no data available

15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment

For this product a chemical safety assessment was not carried out

Section 16 - Other Information

Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3. Acute Tox.

Acute toxicity

Aquatic Acute Acute Acute aquatic toxicity

Aquatic Chronic Chronic aquatic Chronic Acute aquatic

toxicity Eye Irrit. Eye irritation H302 Harmful if swallowed.

H319 Causes serious eye irritation. H400 Very toxic to aquatic life.

Full text of R-phrases referred to under sections 2 and 3

N Dangerous for the environment

Xn Harmful R22 Harmful if

swallowed. R36 Irritating

to eyes.

R50/53 Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term

adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

Disclaimer: This material safety data sheet is provided as an information resource only.

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