

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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SECTION 1 PRODUCT AND COMPANY INFORMATION

PRODUCT NAME: Cesium carbonate

PRODUCT NUMBER: 1435 CAS NUMBER: 534-17-8

SYNONYMS: Carbonic acid, Dicesium salt, Dicesium carbonate, Caesium carbonate

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# SECTION 2 HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### **CLASSIFICATION OF SUBSTANCE OR MIXTURE**

Pictogram



Signal Word Warning

#### **Hazard Statements**

H315	Causes skin irritation.
H319	Causes serious eye irritation.
H335	May cause respiratory irritation.

#### **Precautionary Phrases**

P261	Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.	
P273	Avoid release to the environment.	
P280	Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.	
P302+P352	IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.	
P304+P340	IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.	
P305+P351+P338+P310	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy	
	to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.	
P403+P233	Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.	

**HMIS CLASSIFICATION:** 

Health: 1 Flammability: 1 Reactivity: 1

**NFPA RATING:** 

Health: 3 Fire: 0 Instability: 1

# SECTION 2 HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION (Cont.)

EYE CONTACT: May cause severe irritation of the eyes resulting in redness, chemical burns, and watering.

**SKIN CONTACT:** Prolonged contact with moist skin may cause irritation or chemical burns.

INHALATION: May cause difficulty breathing and irritate the mucous membranes and respiratory tract

**INGESTION:** Ingestion of large amounts may cause stomach cramps, vomiting, and ulceration.

**ACUTE HEALTH EFFECTS:** Severely irritating to skin, eyes and respiratory tract.

# SECTION 3 COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Formula: Cs<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub> Molecular Weight: 325.82

CHEMICAL NAME	CAS#	%
Cesium carbonate	534-17-8	100

# SECTION 4 FIRST AID MEASURES

EYE EXPOSURE: Immediately flush the eyes with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. Assure flushing under eyelids.

A victim may need assistance in keeping their eyelids open. Get immediate competent medical attention.

**SKIN EXPOSURE**: Wash affected area with water. Remove contaminated clothes if necessary. Seek medical assistance if irritation persists.

**INHALATION:** Remove the victim to fresh air. Closely monitor the victim for signs of respiratory problems, such as difficulty in breathing, coughing, wheezing, or pain. In such cases, seek immediate medical assistance.

**INGESTION:** Seek medical assistance immediately. Keep the victim calm. Give the victim water (only if conscious). Induce vomiting only if directed by medical personnel.

# **SECTION 5** FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

FLASH POINT: Product is not flammable.
AUTO IGNITION TEMPERATURE: None

**EXPLOSION LIMITS: None** 

**EXTINGUISHING MEDIUM:** Use fire fighting measures that suit the surrounding fire.

SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES: If involved in a fire, fire fighters should be equipped with a NIOSH approved

positive self-contained breathing apparatus, flame and chemical resistant clothing, hats, boots, and gloves.

HAZARDOUS COMBUSTION AND DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS: Carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, and cesium oxide.

# SECTION 6 ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**PERSONAL PRECAUTIONS:** Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapors, mist, or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation.

**ENVIRONMENTAL PRECAUTIONS:** Do not let product enter drains or be released into the environment. **METHODS AND MATERIALS FOR CONTAINMENT AND CLEANING UP:** Small spills can be swept up.

#### SECTION 7 HANDLING AND STORAGE

**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.

**CONDITIONS FOR SAFE STORAGE:** Store in a tightly sealed container away from moisture. Material is hygroscopic. Protect from humidity and water. Store under an inert atmosphere.

#### SECTION 8 EXPOSURE CONTROLS AND PERSONAL PROTECTION

**EYE PROTECTION**: Always wear approved safety glasses with side shields, or safety goggles, face shield when handling a chemical substance in the laboratory.

**SKIN PROTECTION**: Chemical resistant gloves.

**VENTILATION:** Handle in an efficient chemical fume hood.

**RESPIRATOR:** If in form of fine dust and ventilation is not available a respirator should be worn. The use of respirators requires a Respirator Protection Program to be in compliance with 29 CFR 19-10.134.

# SECTION 9 PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

COLOR AND FORM: White powder MOLECULAR WEIGHT: 325.82 BOILING POINT: No data available MELTING POINT: 610° C (dec.) SPECIFIC GRAVITY: 4.072

VAPOR PRESSURE: No data available SOLUBILITY IN WATER: Soluble

# SECTION 10 STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**STABILITY:** Hygroscopic

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION: No hazardous polymerization

**CONDITIONS TO AVOID:** Exposure to moisture

**INCOMPATIBILITY:** Water, moisture, mineral acids, strong oxidizing agents, strong acids **DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS**: Carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, and cesium oxide.

#### SECTION 11 TOXICOLOGICAL DATA

ACUTE TOXICITY: LD50 Oral - rat - 2,333 mg/kg

CARCINOGENIC EFFECTS: Components of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a confirmed

carcinogen by IARC, ACGIH, NTP, and OSHA.

MUTAGENIC EFFECTS: Not available

TETRATOGENIC EFFECTS: Not available

RTECS: FK9400000

To the best of our knowledge the toxicological effects of this compound have not been fully investigated.

# SECTION 12 ECOLOGICAL DATA

#### **TOXICITY:**

Toxicity to fish static test LC50 - Danio rerio (zebra fish) - 97 mg/l - 96 h

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates static test EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 94.44 mg/l -48h

Toxicity to algae static test EC50 - Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae) - 130mg/l - 72 h.

#### SECTION 13 DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Dispose of in according to local, state, and federal regulations.

#### SECTION 14 TRANSPORTATION DATA

Non-hazardous material

# SECTION 15 REGULATORY INFORMATION

**TSCA:** Listed in the TSCA inventory

**SARA 313 COMPONENTS:** No components of this product have known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

SARA 311/312 HAZARDS: Acute health hazard

MASSACHUSETTS RIGHT TO KNOW COMPONENTS: No components listed PENNSYLVANIA RIGHT TO KNOW COMPONENTS: Cesium carbonate

# SECTION 15 REGULATORY INFORMATION (Cont.)

NEW JERSEY RIGHT TO KNOW COMPONENTS: Cesium carbonate

**CALIFORNIA PROP. 65 COMPONENTS:** This product does not contain any chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.

# **SECTION 16 OTHER INFORMATION**

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