ADVANCED MATERIALS

Safety Data Sheet

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GHS (Globally Harmonized System)

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1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

1.1. Product identifier

Product Name: SB-432

Pure substance/mixture Substance

Aluminum Hydroxide
CAS Number 21645-51-2
Weight-% --

1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Recommended Use Flame retardant

Uses advised against None known.

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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1.4. Emergency telephone number CHEMTREC: +1 800 424 9300 or International +1 703 527 3887

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

GHS Classification This product is not classified as hazardous according to the UN GHS guideline and labeling is not required

Hazards identification

Physical Hazard Not classified

Health Hazards Not classified

Environmental Hazard Not classified

2.2. Label elements

Symbols/Pictograms None

Signal Word None

Precautionary Statements

Prevention Employ good industrial hygiene practice
Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood
Do not breathe dust
Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

Response IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water

Storage Store away from incompatible materials.

Disposal Dispose of contents/containers in accordance with local regulations.

Additional Information: None.

2.3. Other hazards No information available.

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Pure substance/mixture Substance

Chemical Name	CAS Number	TSCA: United States	EU REACH registration number	Weight-%
Aluminum Hydroxide	21645-51-2	A	01-2119529246-39	--

Legend X / Y: Complies ; A: Active ; - / N: Exempt Not Listed

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

4.1. Description of first aid measures

General Advice When in doubt or if symptoms are observed, get medical advice. Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved and take precautions to protect themselves.

Eye Contact In case of eye contact, remove contact lens and rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes.

Skin Contact Wash with plenty of soap and water.

Ingestion Rinse mouth thoroughly with water.

Inhalation If breathing is difficult, remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.

Aspiration hazard Not an expected route of exposure.

Notes to Physician	Treat symptomatically.
4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed	Signs and symptoms may include coughing, gasping, choking and difficulty breathing.
4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed	Treatment should be symptomatic and supportive.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable Extinguishing Media
Water spray (fog). Foam. Dry chemical. Carbon dioxide (CO2).

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media
None known.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture
None known.

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Special protective equipment for firefighters
Wear a self-contained breathing apparatus and chemical protective clothing.

Fire-fighting measures
In case of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures	Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protection recommended in Section 8. Avoid dust formation. Keep unauthorized personnel away.
For non-emergency personnel	Keep unauthorized personnel away.
For emergency responders	Keep unauthorized personnel away. Use personal protection recommended in Section 8.
6.2. Environmental precautions	Avoid runoff to waterways and sewers.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up Large Spill: Do not dry sweep dust. Wet dust with water before sweeping or use a vacuum to collect dust Small Spill: Vacuum or sweep material and place in a disposal container

6.4. Reference to other sections Section 8: Exposure controls and personal protection. See Section 13 for additional waste treatment information.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

7.1. Precautions for safe handling Minimize dust generation and accumulation. Provide local exhaust ventilation. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities Store away from incompatible materials. Keep container tightly closed and dry.

7.3. Specific end use(s) Flame retardant.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

8.1. Control parameters

Occupational exposure limits

Aluminum Hydroxide

NIOSH	TWA: 5 mg/m^3 (respirable dust); 10 mg/m^3 TWA (total dust)
ACGIH	TLV/TWA 8-hr: 1 mg/m^3 (respirable fraction)
OSHA	TWA: 15 mg/m^3 Total Dust 5 mg/m^3 Respirable Dust

Biological Limit Values None

Recommended monitoring procedures Refer also to national guidance documents for information on currently recommended monitoring procedures

8.2. Exposure controls

Engineering Measures Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas
Provide a good standard of controlled ventilation (10 to 15 air changes per hour)

Personal protective equipment

Eye/Face Protection Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles)

Skin and Body Protection Wear suitable protective clothing.

Hand Protection Wear suitable gloves.

Respiratory Protection In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection.

Thermal hazards None known.

Hygiene Measures Follow general hygiene considerations recognized as common good workplace

practices. The worker should wash daily at the end of each work shift, and prior to eating, drinking, smoking, etc.

Environmental Exposure Controls Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance:	
Physical State	Solid Powder
Odor	Odorless
Odor Threshold	No information available
pH:	8.4 - 10.2 5% Water suspension
Melting point / Freezing point	ca 300 °C / 572 °F (101.3 kPa)
Initial boiling point	5396 °F (2980 °C) 101.3 kPa
Flash Point	Not applicable.
Evaporation Rate	Not applicable.
Flammability (solid, gas)	Not applicable
Upper flammability limit:	
Lower flammability limit:	
Vapor Pressure	Not applicable
Vapor Density	Not applicable
Relative Density	2.4 g/cm3, 20° C
Water Solubility	0.00009 g/l at 20 °C
Solubility in other solvents	No information available
Partition coefficient	Not applicable
Autoignition Temperature	Not applicable
Decomposition Temperature	392 °F (200 °C)
Viscosity	Not applicable.
Explosive Properties	None
Oxidizing Properties	Not applicable

VOC Content (%) Not applicable

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

10.1. Reactivity None

10.2. Chemical stability Stable under normal conditions

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions None under normal processing

10.4. Conditions to avoid Incompatible materials

10.5. Incompatible materials Strong acids

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products None known

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

General Information Users are advised to consider national Occupational Exposure Limits or other equivalent values.

Information on Likely Routes of Exposure

Inhalation Avoid inhalation of the product
Inhalation of dust may cause irritation of the respiratory system

Skin Avoid prolonged or repeated contact with skin

Eyes Avoid contact with eyes
Dust contact with the eyes can lead to mechanical irritation

Ingestion Ingestion is not a likely route of exposure

Aspiration hazard Not an expected route of exposure.

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Aluminum Hydroxide

Oral LD50	> 2000 mg/kg Rat
Inhalation LC50	Rat > 2.3 mg/l (Al2O3) Aerosol Maximum attainable concentration
IARC	Not Listed

Acute Toxicity Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

Chronic Toxicity Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Chronic Effects Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Respiratory Sensitization No information available

Serious eye damage/eye irritation Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

Skin Corrosion/Irritation Prolonged or repeated contact may dry skin and cause irritation

Skin Sensitization Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met Not a skin sensitizer Guinea pig

Mutagenicity in vitro Not genotoxic in bacteria and mammalian cell systems.
in vivo Mutagenicity (micronucleus test) Rat Negative (weight of evidence approach)

Germ cell mutagenicity No information available.

Reproductive Effects	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Reproductive Toxicity	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Carcinogenicity	This product does not contain any carcinogens or potential carcinogens as listed by OSHA, IARC or NTP.
Specific target organ toxicity - Single exposure	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Specific target organ toxicity - Repeated exposure	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Mixture versus substance information	No information available

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Aluminum Hydroxide

WGK Classification (AwSV)	5220 WGK: nwg

12.2. Persistence and degradability	The methods for determining biodegradability are not applicable to inorganic substances.
12.3. Bioaccumulative potential	Not likely to bioaccumulate.
Partition coefficient	Not applicable
Bioconcentration factor (BCF)	Not available.
12.4. Mobility in soil	No information available.
12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment	This substance does not meet the criteria for classification as PBT or vPvB.
12.6. Other adverse effects	No information available

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Disposal Methods	Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.
Contaminated Packaging	Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling

or disposal.

Waste codes Waste codes should be assigned by the user based on the application for which the product was used

Aluminum Hydroxide

European Waste Catalog 060299
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14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Mode of Transportation (Road, Water, Air, Rail)

TDG -Canada	Not regulated
DOT	Not regulated
ADR	Not regulated
RID	Not regulated
ADN	Not regulated
IATA	Not regulated
IMDG/IMO	Not regulated
ICAO	Not regulated

14.1. UN number None

14.2. UN proper shipping name None

14.3. Transport hazard class(es) None

14.4. Packing group None

14.5. Environmental hazards No

14.6. Special precautions for user Not applicable

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

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

Global Inventories

Chemical Name	CAS Number	EC No	EU REACH registration number	Australia (AIIC)	Canada (DSL)	China (IECSC)	Japan	S. Korea (KECL)	Mexico	New Zealand	Philippines (PICCS)	Taiwan	TSCA: United States
Aluminum	21645-51-	244-492-7	01-211952924	Y	Y	Y	(1)-17	KE-00980	Y	Y	Y	Y	A

Hydroxide	2		6-39				(ENCS); ISHL						

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16. OTHER INFORMATION

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Labeling

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Training Advice Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.

Abbreviations and acronyms

IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)
IATA (International Air Transport Association)
IMDG (International Maritime Dangerous Goods)
IUCLID (International Uniform Chemical Information Database)
WHMIS (Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System)
DOT (Department of Transportation)
OSHA (Occupational Safety and Health Administration of the US Department of Labor)
TWA (Time-Weighted Average)
CLP (The Classification, Labeling and Packaging of Substances and Mixtures Regulation (EC 1272/2008))
PPE (Personal Protection Equipment)
NIOSH (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)
TDG (Transport of Dangerous Goods) Canada
CERCLA (Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act)
RQ (Reportable Quantity) (RQ/% in mixture)
STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit)
TLV® (Threshold Limit Value)
DNEL (Derived No Effect Level)
SVHC (Substances of Very High Concern)
BOD (Biochemical oxygen demand)
COD (Chemical oxygen demand)
ICAO (International Civil Aviation Organization)
IMDG (International Maritime Dangerous Goods)
ADR (European Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)
RID (Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail)
SCBA (Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus) Positive Pressure
PNEC (Predicted No Effect Concentration)
GHS (Globally Harmonized System)
TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act)

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