

W R GRACE & CO. DAVISON CHEMICAL DIVISION -- SILICA GEL -- 6850-01-036-9625

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Product Identification  
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Product ID:SILICA GEL

MSDS Date:06/15/1995

FSC:6850

NIIN:01-036-9625

MSDS Number: CFKSC

=== Responsible Party ===

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Composition/Information on Ingredients  
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Ingred Name:AMORPHOUS SILICA GEL (FORMERLY CAS # 63231-67-4)  
CAS:112926-00-8  
RTECS #:VV7322000  
Fraction by Wt: 99.0%  
Other REC Limits:NONE RECOMMENDED

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Hazards Identification  
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LD50 LC50 Mixture:LD50 (ORAL, RAT) IS UNKNOWN.  
Routes of Entry: Inhalation:YES Skin:NO Ingestion:NO  
Reports of Carcinogenicity:NTP:NO IARC:NO OSH  
A:NO  
Health Hazards Acute and Chronic:TARGET ORGANS:EYE, SKIN, RESPIRATORY  
TRACT. ACUTE- CONSIDERED TO BE A NUISSANCE DUST. HAS LOW POTENTIAL  
FOR ADVERSE HEALTH EFFECTS. EYES/SKIN:MAY CAUSE MECHANICAL  
IRRITATION. INHALE:DUSTS MAY CAUSE RE SPIRATORY TRACT IRRITATION.  
ORAL:LOW TOXICITY. CHRONIC- UNKNOWN.  
Explanation of Carcinogenicity:NONE  
Effects of Overexposure:IRRITATION, COUGH, TEARING, REDNESS  
Medical Cond Aggravated by Exposure:NONE

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First Aid Measure  
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First Aid:GET MEDICAL HELP IF SYMPTOMS PERSIST. INHALED:MOVE TO FRESH  
AIR. EYES:FLUSH WITH WATER FOR 15 MINUTES. HOLD EYELIDS OPEN.  
SKIN:FLUSH WITH PLENTY OF WATER. ORAL:RINSE OUT MOUTH WITH WATER.  
MATERIAL WIL L PASS THROUGH BODY NORMALLY.

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Fire Fighting Measures  
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Flash Point:NONE  
Lower Limits:NOT RELEVANT  
Upper Limits:NOT RELEVANT  
Extinguishing Media:WATER SPRAY, CARBON DIOXIDE, FOAM OR DRY CHEMICAL  
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URROUNDING FIRE. USE WATER SPRAY TO COOL FIRE EXPOSED  
CONTAINERS.

Fire Fighting Procedures:WEAR PROTECTIVE CLOTHING AND NIOSH-APPROVED  
SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS.

Unusual Fire/Explosion Hazard:NONE

===== Accidental Release Measures =====

Spill Release Procedures:WEAR PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT. CAREFULLY SWEEP OR  
VACUUM THE SPILL AREA. COLLECT AND PLACE THE SPILLED MATERIAL IN A  
WASTE DISPOSAL CONTAINER. AVOID DUSTING.

Neutralizing Agent:NOT RELEVANT

===== Handling and Storage =====

Handling and Storage Precautions:STORE IN DRY PLACE, IN TIGHTLY CLOSED  
CONTAINER, AWAY FROM HYDROFLUORIC ACID. KEEP OUT OF REACH OF  
CHILDREN.

Other Precautions:WEAR GOGGLES IF DUST CAUSES EYE DISCOMFORT. WEAR A  
PROPERLY FITTED NIOSH-APPROVED DUST RESPIRATOR FOR DUSTY  
CONDITIONS. USE WITH ADEQUATE VENTILATION. WASH THOROUGHLY AFTER  
HANDLING. AVOID CONTACT WITH EYES AND SKIN. AVOID INHALING DUST.

===== Exposure Controls/Personal Protection =====

Respiratory Protection:IF ENGINEERING CONTROLS ARE INADEQUATE TO  
CONTROL DUST CONCENTRATIONS TO AN ACCEPTABLE LEVEL, A  
NIOSH-APPROVED DUST RESPIRATOR SHOULD BE WORN. IF RESPIRATORS ARE  
USED, A PROGRAM SHOULD BE INSTITUTED TO COMPLY WITH OSHA 29CFR  
1910.134.

Ventilation:USE GENERAL OR LOCAL EXHAUST VENTILATION TO KEEP DUST  
LEVELS AS LOW AS POSSIBLE.

Protective Gloves:COTTON/RUBBER/LATEX RECOMMENDED

Eye Protection:SAFETY GOGGLES FOR DUSTY CONDITIONS

Other Protective Equipment:LONG SLEEVE WORK CLOTHING, EYE WASH FOUNTAIN

Work Hygienic Practices:OBSERVE GOOD INDUSTRIAL HYGIENE PRACTICES AND  
RECOMMENDED PROCEDURES. WASH THOROUGHLY BEFORE EATING,  
DRINKING/SMOKING.

Supplemental Safety and Health

PERCENTAGE DIFFERENT. PH IN 5% SLURRY: 3.5 - 8.5, PER MSDS.

===== Physical/Chemical Properties =====

HCC:V7

NRC/State Lic Num:NOT RELEVANT

Spec Gravity:2.1

Viscosity:NOT RELEVANT

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aporation Rate & Reference:NOT RELEVANT

Solubility in Water:INSOLUBLE

Appearance and Odor:DRY WHITE GRANULES, POWDER OR BEADS

===== Stability and Reactivity Data =====

Stability Indicator/Materials to Avoid:YES

HYDROFLUORIC ACID

Stability Condition to Avoid:NONE

===== Disposal Considerations =====

Waste Disposal Methods:LANDFILL IN ACCEPTABLE MANNER, IN FULL  
COMPLIANCE WITH LOCAL, STATE AND FEDERAL REGULATIONS. REUSING OR

RECYCLING IS RECOMMENDED.

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