

Material Safety Data Sheet

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SECTION 1

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SECTION 2 - HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS/IDENTITY INFORMATION

HAZARDOUS COMPONENTS (SPECIFIC CHEMICAL IDENTITY, COMMON NAME(S))	CAS #	OSHA PEL	ACGIH TLV	OTHER LIMITS RECOMMENDED	% (OPTIONAL)
None					

SECTION 3 - PHYSICAL/CHEMICAL CHARACTERISTICS

BOILING POINT: > 200°C	SP GRAVITY (WATER=1): 0.85
VAPOR PRESSURE (MM HG): N/A	MELTING POINT: N/A
VAPOR DENSITY (AIR=1): N/A	EVAPORATION RATE(BUTYL ACETATE=1): N/A
SOLUBILITY IN WATER: Insoluble	% VOLATILE BY VOLUME: 0.85%
APPEARANCE AND ODOR: A pale yellow ointment with little or no odor.	

SECTION 4 - FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA

FLASH POINT(METHOD USED): N/A
FLAMMABLE LIMITS: N/A LEL: N/A UEL: N/A
EXTINGUISHING MEDIA: Alcohol foam, dry chemical and CO₂
SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES: Wear full protective clothing.
UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSIVE HAZARDS: May emit toxic fumes.

SECTION 5 - REACTIVITY DATA

STABILITY: Stable
CONDITIONS TO AVOID: N/A
INCOMPATIBILITY (MATERIALS TO AVOID): Extreme heat, sparks, open flame and oxidizers.
HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION OR BYPRODUCTS: May give off fumes of carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide.
HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION: Will not Occur
CONDITIONS TO AVOID: N/A

SECTION 6 - HEALTH HAZARD DATA

ROUTE(S) OF ENTRY:

INHALATION: Not likely

SKIN: Yes

INGESTION: Not likely

HEALTH HAZARDS(ACUTE AND CHRONIC):

Overexposure Effects: May induce a dermal reaction in sensitive individuals.

Chronic Effects: May cause allergic reaction in susceptible individuals.

CARCINOGENICITY? N/A

NTP? N/A

IARC? N/A

OSHA REGULATED? N/A

SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE: Eyes: May cause irritation.

Inhalation: Not likely due to the physical state of the product.

Skin: Not toxic under normal conditions of use.

Ingestion: In large quantities, may produce a mild laxative effect.

MEDICAL CONDITIONS GENERALLY AGGRAVATED BY EXPOSURE: May cause hypersensitivity.

EMERGENCY AND FIRST AID PROCEDURES: Call a physician and contact a Poison Control Center.

Eye Contact: Flush with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes.

Skin Contact: Wash with soap and water.

Ingestion: Induce vomiting. Do not give anything to an unconscious person.

Inhalation: Move to fresh air. Give artificial respiration if necessary.

SECTION 7 - SPILL, LEAK, AND WASTE DISPOSAL PROCEDURES

STEPS TO BE TAKEN IN CASE MATERIAL IS RELEASED OR SPILLED: Assure that slippery conditions are nullified. Add sand or dirt. Scoop up and remove. Wash area with soap and water.

WASTE DISPOSAL METHOD: Assure conformity with applicable local, state and federal regulations. Dispose of absorbed material at approved incineration or chemical landfill waste disposal site.

PRECAUTIONS TO BE TAKEN IN HANDLING AND STORING: Keep containers closed when not in use. Do not handle or store near heat, sparks, flame or oxidizers.

OTHER PRECAUTIONS: Wash thoroughly after handling. Use normal hygiene to protect hands, eyes and skin. Use general ventilation to protect your lungs. Do not wear contaminated clothing until thoroughly laundered.

SECTION 8 - CONTROL MEASURES

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION(SPECIFY TYPE): General ventilation

VENTILATION:

LOCAL EXHAUST: N.A.

SPECIAL: N/A

MECHANICAL (GENERAL): Yes

OTHER: N/A

PROTECTIVE GLOVES: Normal hygiene

EYE PROTECTION: Normal hygiene

OTHER PROTECTIVE CLOTHING OR EQUIPMENT: As needed to prevent repeated/prolonged contact.

WORK/HYGIENIC PRACTICES: N/A

SECTION 9 - SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS

Protect the container by avoiding physical damage and heat. Container should be handled in an area with cool, dry conditions. The empty container is not reusable.

SECTION 10 - ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Safety and Hazard Ratings: (Minimal = 0; Slight = 1; Moderate = 2; Severe = 3; Extreme = 4)

Health (Acute-Chronic): 1-0

Flammability: 1

Reactivity: 0

Environment (air-Water-Soil): 0-0-3

Special Hazards: None

Protective Equipment: General ventilation, eye and hand wash.

Bacitracin Zinc Ointment, USP is an antibiotic in a saturated hydrocarbon base (500 units of Bacitracin Zinc in Petrolatum).

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