

according to the Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

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#### **SECTION 1. Identification**

### **Product identifier**

Product number 102102

Product name Calcium lactate pentahydrate suitable for use as excipient

EMPROVE® exp Ph Eur, BP, USP, E 327

# Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Identified uses Pharmaceutical production, Cosmetic raw material

# Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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### SECTION 2. Hazards identification

#### **GHS-Labeling**

Not a dangerous substance according to GHS.

#### **OSHA Hazards**

This material is considered hazardous by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200).

## Other hazards

None known.

### SECTION 3. Composition/information on ingredients

Formula  $C_6H_{10}CaO_6*5H_2O$  (Hill)

Molar mass 308.32 g/mol

Remarks No hazardous ingredients according to the OSHA Hazard

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#### SECTION 4. First aid measures

# Description of first-aid measures

Inhalation

After inhalation: fresh air.

Skin contact

After skin contact: wash off with plenty of water. Remove contaminated clothing.

Eye contact

After eye contact: rinse out with plenty of water.

Ingestion

After swallowing: immediately make victim drink water (two glasses at most). Consult doctor in the event of any complaints.

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

# Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

We have no description of any toxic symptoms.

# Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No information available.

#### SECTION 5. Fire-fighting measures

# Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

Unsuitable extinguishing media

For this substance/mixture no limitations of extinguishing agents are given.

# Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Combustible material, Development of hazardous combustion gases or vapors possible in the event of fire.

Risk of dust explosion.

#### Advice for firefighters

Special protective equipment for fire-fighters

In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

Further information

Prevent fire extinguishing water from contaminating surface water or the ground water system.

#### SECTION 6. Accidental release measures

# Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Advice for non-emergency personnel: Avoid inhalation of dusts. Evacuate the danger area, observe emergency procedures, consult an expert.

Advice for emergency responders: Protective equipment see section 8.

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#### **Environmental precautions**

Do not let product enter drains.

# Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Observe possible material restrictions (see sections 7 and 10).

Take up dry. Dispose of properly. Clean up affected area. Avoid generation of dusts.

# SECTION 7. Handling and storage

### Precautions for safe handling

Observe label precautions.

# Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Tightly closed. Dry.

Store at +15°C to +25°C (+59°F to +77°F).

# SECTION 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

# Exposure limit(s)

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

#### **Engineering measures**

Technical measures and appropriate working operations should be given priority over the use of personal protective equipment.

### Individual protection measures

Protective clothing should be selected specifically for the workplace, depending on concentration and quantity of the hazardous substances handled. The chemical resistance of the protective equipment should be inquired at the respective supplier.

### Hygiene measures

Change contaminated clothing. Wash hands after working with substance.

### Eye/face protection

Safety glasses

# Hand protection

Chemical-resistant, impervious gloves complying with an approved standard should be worn at all times when handling chemical products if a risk assessment indicates this is necessary.

#### Recommended:

full contact:

Glove material: Nitrile rubber Glove thickness: 0.11 mm Break through time: > 480 min

splash contact:

Glove material: Nitrile rubber
Glove thickness: 0.11 mm
Break through time: > 480 min

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### Respiratory protection

required when dusts are generated.

Use a properly fitted, air-purifying or air-fed respirator complying with an approved standard if a risk assessment indicates this is necessary. Respirator selection must be based on known or anticipated exposure levels, the hazards of the product and the safe working limits of the selected respirator.

# SECTION 9. Physical and chemical properties

Physical state solid

white Color

Odor odorless

Odor Threshold No information available.

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at 50 g/l 68 °F ( 20 °C)

464 °F ( 240 °C) Melting point

**Boiling point** No information available.

Flash point not applicable

Evaporation rate No information available.

Flammability (solid, gas) No information available.

No information available. Lower explosion limit

Upper explosion limit No information available.

Vapor pressure low

Relative vapor density No information available.

Relative density No information available.

Water solubility 50 g/l

at 68 °F (20 °C)

Partition coefficient: n-

log Pow: -0.62

octanol/water OECD Test Guideline 117

Bioaccumulation is not expected (log Pow <1).

Autoignition temperature No information available.

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Decomposition temperature > 392 °F ( > 200 °C)

Viscosity, dynamic No information available.

Ignition temperature 1130 °F ( 610 °C)

Bulk density 300 - 500 kg/m<sup>3</sup>

## SECTION 10. Stability and reactivity

## Reactivity

Risk of dust explosion.

#### Chemical stability

The product is chemically stable under standard ambient conditions (room temperature) .

# Possibility of hazardous reactions

no information available

#### Conditions to avoid

no information available

# Incompatible materials

no information available

# Hazardous decomposition products

no information available

# **SECTION 11. Toxicological information**

# Information on toxicological effects

Likely route of exposure

Eye contact, Skin contact, Ingestion

Acute oral toxicity

LD50 rat: 3,730 mg/kg

OECD Test Guideline 401 (calculated on the free acid)

Acute dermal toxicity

LD50 rabbit: > 2,000 mg/kg OECD Test Guideline 402 (calculated on the free acid)

Skin irritation

Result: No irritation (External MSDS)

Eye irritation

Result: No irritation (External MSDS)

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Sensitization
Human experience
Result: negative
(External MSDS)

Specific target organ systemic toxicity - single exposure

The substance or mixture is not classified as specific target organ toxicant, single exposure.

Specific target organ systemic toxicity - repeated exposure

The substance or mixture is not classified as specific target organ toxicant, repeated exposure.

Aspiration hazard

Regarding the available data the classification criteria are not fulfilled.

Carcinogenicity

IARC No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or

equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed

human carcinogen by IARC.

OSHA No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or

equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential

carcinogen by OSHA.

NTP No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or

equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen

by NTP.

ACGIH No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or

equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential

carcinogen by ACGIH.

#### **Further information**

Hazardous properties are relatively improbable.

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

# **SECTION 12. Ecological information**

# **Ecotoxicity**

Toxicity to fish

LC50 Danio rerio (zebra fish): 320 mg/l; 96 h

OECD Test Guideline 203 (calculated on the free acid)

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates EC50 Daphnia magna (Water flea): 240 mg/l; 48 h

OECD Test Guideline 202 (calculated on the free acid) OECD Test Guideline 402

#### Persistence and degradability

Biodegradability

50 %; 5 d

(calculated on the free acid) (IUCLID)

## Bioaccumulative potential

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Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water

log Pow: -0.62

**OECD Test Guideline 117** 

Bioaccumulation is not expected (log Pow <1).

### Mobility in soil

No information available.

#### Other adverse effects

## **SECTION 13. Disposal considerations**

The information presented only applies to the material as supplied. The identification based on characteristic(s) or listing may not apply if the material has been used or otherwise contaminated. It is the responsibility of the waste generator to determine the toxicity and physical properties of the material generated to determine the proper waste identification and disposal methods in compliance with applicable regulations. Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.

# SECTION 14. Transport information

### Land transport (DOT)

Not classified as dangerous in the meaning of transport regulations.

#### Air transport (IATA)

Not classified as dangerous in the meaning of transport regulations.

# Sea transport (IMDG)

Not classified as dangerous in the meaning of transport regulations.

## **SECTION 15. Regulatory information**

### **United States of America**

#### **OSHA Hazards**

Combustible dust

This information is based on 29 CFR 1910.1200 criteria prior to adoption of the GHS, and may deviate from the GHS information on the label and in section 2.

# **TSCA list**

Not relevant

#### SARA 311/312 Hazards

No SARA Hazards

#### Clean Water Act

This product does not contain any Hazardous Substances listed under the U.S. CleanWater Act, Section 311,

This product does not contain any Hazardous Chemicals listed under the U.S. CleanWater Act, Section 311, Table 117.3.

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# **US State Regulations**

# Massachusetts Right To Know

Remarks

No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

# Pennsylvania Right To Know

Ingredients
calcium L-lactate
water of crystallization

# New Jersey Right To Know

Ingredients
calcium L-lactate
water of crystallization

# California Prop 65 Components

This product does not contain any chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth, or any other reproductive defects.

#### **Notification status**

TSCA: On TSCA Inventory

DSL: This product contains one or several components listed in the

Canadian NDSL.

## SECTION 16. Other information

# Training advice

Provide adequate information, instruction and training for operators.

#### Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet

Used abbreviations and acronyms can be looked up at www.wikipedia.org.

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