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SAFETY DATA SHEET

TITANIUM DIOXIDE

HOMBITAN AFDC, AFDC200

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Ref. 00864/2.2/REG_EU/EN

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Product information

Commercial Product Name HOMBITAN AFDC, AFDC200

Use of the Substance/Preparation

Recommended use of substance/ preparation as opacifying white anatase pigment powder in food, pharmaceutical and cosmetics applications.

Company/Undertaking Identification

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The product contains no substances classified as hazardous to health or environment in concentrations, which should be taken into account according to directive 67/548/EEC.

Hazardous components

Chemical name of the

 CAS/EU number
 substance
 Concer

 13463-67-7 / 236-675-5
 Titanium dioxide
 ≥ 99 %

No dangerous ingredients according to Directive 2001/58/EC

Concentration Warning symbol, R-phrases and other information

General advice

No hazards which require special first aid measures.

Inhalation

Move to fresh air. Consult a physician after significant exposure.

Skin contact

Wash off with soap and plenty of water.

Eye contact

Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids.

Ingestion

Do NOT induce vomiting. Drink water as a precaution. Consult a physician if necessary.

Suitable extinguishing media

No special requirements.

Extinguishing media which shall not be used for safety reasons

No special requirements.

Specific hazards during fire fighting

No special requirements.



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Special protective equipment for fire-fighters

No special requirements.

Specific methods

The product itself does not burn. Product is inert, uninflammable and incombustible.

Personal precautions

Avoid dust formation. Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment. For personal protection see section 8.

Environmental precautions

Avoid dust dispersion to the environment. Dust may cause the surroundings to become white. Prevent leakages from entering drains and ditches that lead to natural waterways.

Methods for cleaning up

Use any suitable mechanical means (e.g. vacuum, sweeping), but avoid dusting during clean-up.

Handling

Avoid dust formation during handling.

Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at machinery and at places where dust can be generated. In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment.

Storage

Keep in a dry place. Materials to avoid: none

Exposure Limit Values

For particle size definitions see standard EN 481.

Dust concentration can be determined by collecting a sample into a filter (total amount of dust) or by using a cyclone and a filter (respirable fraction).

Limit values in other countries

FI: Titanium dioxide

 $TWA = 10 \text{ mg/m}^3$

SE: Titanium dioxide

NGV = 5 mg/m³, total fraction

DE: Titanium dioxide

 $MAK = 3 \text{ mg/m}^3$, 2 $MAK = 10 \text{ mg/m}^3$, 2

AT: Titanium dioxide

AMV = 6 mg/m³, respirable dust fraction

BE: Titanium dioxide

 $TWA = 10 \text{ mg/m}^3$

CH: Titanium dioxide

TWA = 3 mg/m³, alveolar dust, : not temporary

DK: Titanium dioxide

TWA = 6 mg/m³, calculated as Ti



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ES: Titanium dioxide

 $VLA-ED = 10 \text{ mg/m}^3$

FR: Titanium dioxide

VME = 10 mg/m³, calculated as Ti, : orientative exposure limits

GB: Titanium dioxide

TWA = 10 mg/m³, inhalable fraction TWA = 4 mg/m³, respirable dust fraction

GR: Titanium dioxide

TWA = 10 mg/m³, inhalable fraction TWA = 5 mg/m³, respirable dust fraction

IE: Titanium dioxide

TWA = 10 mg/m³, inhalable fraction TWA = 4 mg/m³, respirable dust fraction

IT: Titanium dioxide

NL: Titanium dioxide

TWA = 10 mg/m³, : administrative

NO: Titanium dioxide

 $TWA = 5 \text{ mg/m}^3$

PT: Titanium dioxide

TWA = 10 mg/m^3

Exposure controls

Occupational exposure controls

Respiratory protection

Use filtering half mask (according to EN149) equipped with dust filter according to EN143 (P2 or P3).

Hand protection

Glove material: Use protective gloves according to EN374 to prevent skin contact with dust.

Break through time: > 60 min

Eye protection

Wear dust-proof goggles, (protection class 5) according to EN 166.

Skin and body protection

Protective suit

Environmental exposure controls

It is recommended that the exhaust air of the air conditioning is filtered off in bag filters.

General Information (appearance, odour)

Physical state solid, powder Colour white

Odour none

Important health safety and environmental information

pH neutral

Boiling point/boiling range not applicable Flash point not applicable



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Explosive properties:

Lower explosion limit not applicable
Upper explosion limit not applicable
Oxidizing properties not applicable
Vapour pressure not applicable
Density 3,9 g/cm³

Solubility:

Water solubility practically insoluble

Fat solubility

(solvent - oil to be specified) insoluble

Partition coefficient:

n-octanol/water not applicable

Viscosity:

Viscosity, dynamic not applicable Viscosity, kinematic not applicable Relative vapour density not applicable Evaporation rate not applicable

Other data

Melting point/range > 1.800 °C

Conditions to avoid

none

Materials to avoid

none

Hazardous decomposition products

none

Acute toxicity

There is no data available for this product.

Titanium dioxide:

LD50/Oral/rat: > 10.000 mg/kg

Irritation and corrosion

Skin: No skin irritation. Prolonged skin contact may de-fat the skin and produce dermatitis.

Eyes: Slight physical irritation.

Respiratory system: Effects of breathing high concentration of respirable particles may include: cough

Sensitisation

There is no data available for this product.

Long term toxicity

Repeated dose toxicity

Material is not genotoxic.

Human experience

General Information

Health injuries are not known or expected under normal use. Tumours produced in rats on inhalation of very high concentrations are believed to be the result of prolonged "lung overload" and are not considered relevant to man.

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Ecotoxicity effects

Aquatic toxicity

There is no data available for this product.

Titanium dioxide:

LC0/48 h/Leuciscus idus (Golden orfe): > 1.000 mg/l

Toxicity to other organisms

There is no data available for this product.

Mobility

Water solubility: practically insoluble

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Persistence and degradability

Biological degradability:

Pigments are practically not biodegradable.

Bioaccumulative potential

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water: not applicable

Other adverse effects

Additional ecological information: There is no data available for this product.

Contaminated packaging

Must be disposed of in accordance with local and national regulations. Not a hazardous waste under 2000/532/EC.

UN-Number

Packing group

Land transport

Not classified as dangerous in the meaning of transport regulations.

Sea transport

Not classified as dangerous in the meaning of transport regulations.

Air transport

Not classified as dangerous in the meaning of transport regulations.

Information on the warning label

Symbol(s)

none

Hazardous components which must be listed on the label

R-phrase(s)

none



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Other information

Titanium dioxide is listed on AICS, DSL, MITI, TSCA

Not a hazardous substance or preparation according to EC-directives 67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC.

The product does not need to be labelled in accordance with EC directives or respective national laws.

Text of R phrases mentioned in Section 2

Training advice

Read the safety data sheet before using the product.

Recommended restrictions on use

none

Further information

Carcinogenicity: In February 2006 IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer) concluded "there is inadequate evidence in humans for the carcinogenicity of titanium dioxide". Based on rat inhalation studies, IARC concluded that there is "sufficient evidence in experimental animals for the carcinogenicity of titanium dioxide". IARC's overall evaluation was that "titanium dioxide is possibly carcinogenic to humans (Group 2B)". This conclusion was based on IARC's guidelines which require such a classification if two or more independent studies in one species carried out at different times or in different laboratories or under different protocols show evidence of tumors. Sachtleben Pigments Oy disclaims any liability for loss or damage resulting from the use of these data, information or suggestions.

Sources of key data used to compile the Safety Data Sheet

Additions, Deletions, Revisions

This safety datasheet complies with the requirements of Directive 2001/58/EC.