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### 1. Identification

GHS Product

STRONTIUM CARBONATE

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Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use Catalyst, in radiation-resistant glass for colour tevelision tubes, ceramic

ferrites, pyrotechnics, refining sugar and laboratory reagent.

Other Names Name Product Code

STRONIUM CARBONATE LR SL059

**Other Information** 

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## 2. Hazard Identification

GHS classification of

the

substance/mixture

Classified as non-Hazardous according to the Globally Harmonised System of classification and labelling of Chemicals (GHS) including Work, Health and Safety regulations, Australia. Not classified as dangerous goods according to

3. Composition/information on ingredients

the ADG Code.

Ingredients

Name

CAS

Proportion

Strontium Carbonate

1633-05-2

100 %

## 4. First-aid measures

Inhalation If inhaled, remove from contaminated area to fresh air immediately. Apply

artificial respiration if not breathing. If breathing is difficult, give

oxygen. Get medical aid if cough or other symptoms appear.

Ingestion
Rinse mouth thoroughly with water immediately, repeat until all traces of

product have been removed. DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING. Seek medical advice if

effects persist.

Skin Wash skin with water using soap if available. Seek medical advice if effects

persist.

Eye contact Wash with large amounts of water for approximately 15 minutes, holding eyelids

open. Seek medical attention if irritation develops or persist. Remove

contact lenses.

 $\textbf{First Aid Facilities} \qquad \texttt{Maintain eyewash fountain and safety shower in work area.}$ 

Advice to Doctor Treat symptomatically based on judgement of doctor and individual reactions of

the patient.

Other Information For advice, contact a Poisons Information Centre (Phone eg Australia 13 1126;

New Zealand 0800 764 766) or a doctor.

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## 5. Fire-fighting measures

Hazards from Combustion

May liberate toxic fumes in fire such as metal and carbon oxides.

**Products** 

Use extinguishing media most appropriate for the surrounding fire. No **Specific Methods** 

limitations to the type of extinguishing media.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

May burn but do not ignite readily. Containers may explode when heated. Runoff may pollute waterways/ Fire or heat may product irritating, poisonous and/or corrosive gases. Find dust dispersed in the air in sufficient concentrations, and in the presence of an ignition source is a potential dust explosion

hazard.

Precautions in connection with Fire

Wear SCBA and structural firefighter's uniform.

### 6. Accidental release measures

Stop leak if safe to do so. Prevent dust cloud. Use clean non-sparking tools Spills & Disposal

to collect material and place it into loosly-covered plastic containers for

later disposal.

Avoid substance contact. Avoid generation of dusts: do not inhale dusts. **Personal Precautions** 

Ensure supply of fresh air in enclosed rooms.

Wear protective clothing specified for normal operations (see Section 8) **Personal Protection** 

Clean-up Methods -**Small Spillages** 

Sweep up (avoid generating dust) and using clean non-sparking tools transfer to a clean, suitable, clearly labelled container for disposal in accordance with local regulations.

### 7. Handling and storage

**Precautions for Safe** Handling

Avoid generation or accumulation of dusts. Use in well ventilated areas away from all ignition sources. Wash hands and face thoroughly after working with

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities Keep container tightly closed and dry Store away from oxidizing agents.

# 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Other Exposure **Information** 

No exposure standards have been established for this product by Safe Work Australia, however, the TWA exposure standard for dusts/mists not otherwise specified is 10 mg/m3. All atmospheric contamination should be kept to as low

**Appropriate** engineering controls Maintain the concentrations values below the TWA. This may be achieved by process modification, use of local exhaust ventilation, capturing substances at the source, or other methods.

Respiratory

Usually is not required.

a level as is workable.

**Protection** 

Where protection is required from nuisance levels of dust or mists select respiratory protection that complies with AS 1716 - Respiratory Protective Devices and select in accordance with AS 1715 - Selection, Use and Maintenance of Respiratory Protective Devices. Filter capacity and respirator type depends on exposure levels.

**Eye Protection** 

The use of a face shield, chemical goggles or safety glasses with side shield protection as appropriate. Must comply with Australian Standards AS 1337 and be selected and used in accordance with AS 1336.

**Hand Protection** 

Wear gloves of impervious material conforming to AS/NZS 2161: Occupational protective gloves - Selection, use and maintenance. Final choice of

appropriate glove type will vary according to individual circumstances. This can include methods of handling, and engineering controls as determined by

appropriate risk assessments.

**Personal Protective Equipment** 

Personal protective equipment should not solely be relied upon to control risk and should only be used when all other reasonably practicable control measures do not eliminate or sufficiently minimise risk. Guidance in selecting personal protective equipment can be obtained from Australian, Australian/New Zealand or other approved standards.

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Safety boots in industrial situations is advisory, foot protection should Footwear

comply with AS 2210, Occupational protective footwear - Guide to selection,

care and use.

Clean impervious clothing should be worn. Clothing for protection against **Body Protection** 

chemicals should comply with AS 3765 Clothing for Protection Against Hazardous

Always wash hands before smoking, eating or using the toilet. Wash **Hygiene Measures** 

contaminated clothing and other protective equipment before storing or

re-using.

9. Physical and chemical properties

**Appearance** White to light grey powder.

Odourless. Odour 1340 °C **Melting Point** 

Insoluble in water. Solubility in Water

Solubility in Organic

Soluble in acids, carbonated water and solutions of ammonium salts.

**Solvents** 

**Specific Gravity** 

Flammability Non combustible material.

Molecular Weight 147.64

**Other Information** Taste: Tasteless.

10. Stability and reactivity

Stable under normal use conditons. **Chemical Stability** 

**Incompatible** Strong oxidising agents, acids, acid chlorides, acid anhydrides and

chloroformates. Materials Hazardous Metal oxides.

**Decomposition Products** 

Possibility of Metals and their oxides or salts may react violnetly with chlorine trifluoride

and bromide trifluoride. These trifluorides are hypergolic oxiders. They hazardous reactions ignite on contact (without external source of heat or ignition) with recognised fuels. Contact with these materials, following an ambient or slightly elevated temperature, is often violent and may produce ignition.

Will not occur. Hazardous

**Polymerization** 

11. Toxicological Information

Expected to be a low ingestion hazard. Ingestion

Strontium salts induce vomiting and diarrhoea when swallowed in large

quantity.

No adverse effects due to inhalation are expected. Inhalation No adverse effects due to skin contact are expected. Skin

Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation. Eye

Respiratory sensitisation

Not classified based on available information.

Not classified based on available information. Skin Sensitisation Not classified based on available information. Germ cell

mutagenicity

Not classified based on available information. Carcinogenicity Reproductive

**Toxicity** 

Not classified based on available information.

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STOT-single exposure

Not classified based on available information.

STOT-repeated

Not classified based on available information.

exposure **Chronic Effects** 

Substance accumulation, in the human body, may occur and may cause some

concern following repeated or long-term occupational exposure.

Long-term exposure to high dust concentrations may cause changes in lung function i.e. pneumoconiosis; caused by particles less than 0.5 micron penetrating and remaining in the lungs. Prime symptom is breathlessness; lung

shadows show on X-ray.

Not classified based on available information. Mutagenicity

### 12. Ecological information

Quantitative data on the ecological effect of this product are not available. **Ecotoxicity** 

Strontium exists almost exclusively in the environment as a +2 cation, and will form different species, some of which are more soluble than others. Because the different species have different solubilities, they will have different motilities in the environment and different exposure potentials.

Persistence and degradability

Strontium is not degradable by environmental processes such as hydrolysis or biodegradation. However, radioactive strontium will be subject to radioactive

decay and transformation to other elements.

Strontium is relatively mobile in water, however, the formation of insoluble Mobility complexes or sorption of strontium to soils can reduce its mobility in water.

Strontium sorbs to soils by ion exchange, and tends to be more mobile in soils with a high concentration of exchangeable ions or in soils with low cation

exchange capacities.

Bioaccumulative

No appreciable bioaccumulation is to be expected (log P(o/w) 1-3).

**Potential** 

### 13. Disposal considerations

Disposal Considerations

Whatever cannot be saved for recovery or recycling should be disposed of according to relevant local, state and federal government regulations.

## 14. Transport information

Transport Information Not classified as a Dangerous Good according to the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail.

### 15. Regulatory information

Regulatory Information All the constituents of this product are listed on the Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances ( AICS ), or exempted.

# 16. Other Information

Literature References

'Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons .', Commonwealth of Australia.

National Road Transport Commission, 'Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail 7th. Ed.'.

Safe Work Australia, 'National Code of Practice for the Preparation of Safety

Data Sheets for Hazardous Chemicals'. Standards Australia, 'SAA/SNZ HB 76:2010 Dangerous Goods - Initial Emergency

Response Guide', Standards Australia/Standards New Zealand.

Safe Work Australia, 'Hazardous Chemical Information System'. Safe Work Australia, 'National Code of Practice for the Labelling of Safe

Work Hazardous Substances'.

Safe Work Australia, 'National Exposure Standards for Atmospheric Contaminants in the Occupational Environment'.

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