

SAFETY DATA SHEET

Section 1: Identification

Product name: Lead(II) carbonate
Product use: For laboratory research purposes.
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Section 2: Hazard(s) Identification

2.1 GHS Classification

Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 4), H302
Acute toxicity, Inhalation (Category 4), H332
Reproductive toxicity (Category 1A), H360
Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure (Category 2), Blood, Central nervous system, Immune system, Kidney, H373
Short-term (acute) aquatic hazard (Category 1), H400
Long-term (chronic) aquatic hazard (Category 1), H410

2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram



Signal word

Danger

Hazard statement(s):

H302 + H332 Harmful if swallowed or if inhaled
H360 May damage fertility or the unborn child.
H373 May cause damage to organs (Blood, Central nervous system, Immune system, Kidney) through prolonged or repeated exposure.
H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary statement(s):

P201 Obtain special instructions before use.
P202 Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.
P260 Do not breathe dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapours/ spray.
P264 Wash skin thoroughly after handling.
P270 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
P271 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.
P273 Avoid release to the environment.
P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.
P301 + P312 + P330 IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell. Rinse mouth.
P304 + P340 + P312 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell.
P308 + P313 IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention.
P391 Collect spillage.
P405 Store locked up.
P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

Section 3: Composition/ Information on Ingredients

Formula : PbCO₃
Molecular Weight : 267.21 g/mol

Material	CAS-No.	EC-No.	Index-No.	Concentration
Lead Carbonate	598-63-0	209-943-4	082-001-00-6	<=100%

Section 4: First-Aid Measures

4.1 Description of first aid measures

General advice

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Move person out of dangerous area if safe to do so.

If inhaled

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.

In case of skin contact

Take off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately. Wash off with soap and plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Use chemical shower if available. Consult a physician.

In case of eye contact

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician. Remove contacts if possible.

If swallowed

After swallowing: immediately make victim drink water (two glasses at most). Consult a physician.

Section 5: Fire-Fighting Measures

5.1 Conditions of flammability

No data available

5.2 Suitable extinguishing media

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

5.3 Hazardous combustion products

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions: Lead oxides

5.4 Special protective equipment for firefighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

5.5 Further information

No data available

Section 6: Accidental Release Measures

6.1 Personal precautions

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Avoid breathing dust.

6.2 Environmental precautions

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains.

6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Sweep up and shovel. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

Section 7: Handling and Storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.

Section 8: Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

8.1 Components with workplace control parameters

Components	CAS-No.	Value	Control parameters	Basis
Lead(II) carbonate	598-63-0	TWA	0.05 mg/m ³	Canada. Alberta, Occupational Health and Safety Code (table 2: OEL)
		TWAEV	0.05 mg/m ³	Québec. Regulation respecting occupational health and safety, Schedule 1, Part 1: Permissible exposure values for airborne contaminants
		TWA	0.05 mg/m ³	Canada. British Columbia OEL
		TWA	0.05 mg/m ³	Ontario Table of Occupational Exposure Limits made under the Occupational Health and Safety Act.

Remarks

Carcinogenic effect detected in animals. Results of studies relating to the carcinogenicity of these substances in animals are not necessarily applicable to humans.

8.2 Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face particle respirator type N100 (US) or type P3 (EN 143) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. If the respirator is the sole means of protection, use a full-face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

Hand protection

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

Eye protection

Safety glasses with side-shields conforming to EN166. Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

Skin and body protection

Complete suit protecting against chemicals. The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

Hygiene measures

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

Specific engineering controls

Use mechanical exhaust or laboratory fume hood to avoid exposure.

Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance

Form	Powder
Colour	White

Safety Data

pH	ca.5.8 at 50 g/l at 20 °C (68 °F)
Melting point/freezing point	315 °C (599 °F)
Boiling point	No data available
Flash point	Not applicable
Flammability (solid, gas)	No data available
Ignition temperature	No data available
Auto-ignition temperature	No data available
Lower explosion limit	No data available
Upper explosion limit	No data available
Vapour pressure	No data available
Density	6.6 g/cm ³ at 20 °C (68 °F)
Water solubility	No data available
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	No data available
Relative vapour density	No data available
Odour	No data available
Odour Threshold	No data available
Evaporation rate	No data available

Section 10: Stability and Reactivity

10.1 Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions

10.2 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Risk of ignition or formation of inflammable gases or vapours with:
Fluorine

Generates dangerous gases or fumes in contact with:
Nitric acid

10.3 Conditions to avoid

No data available

10.4 Materials to avoid

Strong acids, strong oxidizing agents

10.5 Hazardous decomposition products

See section 5

Section 11: Toxicological Information

Acute toxicity

Oral

LDLo Oral - Human - 571 mg/kg

Remarks: (RTECS)

Acute toxicity estimate Oral - 500.1 mg/kg

(Expert judgment)

Inhalation

Acute toxicity estimate Inhalation - 1.6 mg/l - dust/mist

(Expert judgment)

Dermal

No data available

Other information on acute toxicity

No data available

Skin corrosion/irritation

No data available

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

No data available

Respiratory or skin sensitization

No data available

Germ cell mutagenicity

No data available

Carcinogenicity

IARC: 3 - Group 3: Not classifiable as to its carcinogenicity to humans (Lead(II) carbonate)
2A - Group 2A: Probably carcinogenic to humans (Lead(II) carbonate)

Reproductive toxicity

May damage the unborn child. Positive evidence from human epidemiological studies.

Suspected of damaging fertility.

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure (Globally Harmonized System)

No data available

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure (Globally Harmonized System)

May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure. - Blood, central nervous system, immune system, kidney

Aspiration hazard

No data available

Signs and Symptoms of Exposure

Lead salts have been reported to cross the placenta and to induce embryo- and feto- mortality. They also have teratogenic effect in some animal species. No teratogenic effects have been reported with exposure to organometallic lead compounds. Adverse effects of lead on human reproduction, embryonic and fetal development, and postnatal (e.g., mental) development have been reported. Excessive exposure can affect blood, nervous, and digestive systems. The synthesis of hemoglobin is inhibited and results in anemia. If left untreated, neuromuscular dysfunction, possible paralysis, and encephalopathy can result. Additional symptoms of overexposure include: joint and muscle pain, weakness of the extensor muscles (frequently the hand and wrist), headache, dizziness, abdominal pain, diarrhea, constipation, nausea, vomiting, blue line on the gums, insomnia, and metallic taste. High body levels produce increased cerebrospinal pressure, brain damage, and stupor leading to coma and often death.

The following applies to lead compounds in general: Due to the poor absorbability via the gastrointestinal tract, only very high doses lead to acute cases of intoxication. After a latency period of several hours, metallic taste, nausea, vomiting, and colics occur, in many instances followed by shock. Chronic uptake causes peripheral muscular weakness ("drop-wrist"), anaemia, and central-nervous disorders. Women of child-bearing age should not be exposed to the substance over longer periods of time (observe critical threshold).

Additional Information

RTECS: Not available

Section 12: Ecological Information

12.1 Toxicity

No data available

12.2 Persistence and degradability

No data available

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

12.4 Mobility in soil

No data available

12.5 PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted

12.6 Other adverse effects

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Section 13: Disposal Considerations

Product

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company. Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material. Dissolve or mix the material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber.

Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

Section 14: Transport Information

IATA

UN number: UN3077 Class: 9 Packing group: III
Proper shipping name: Environmentally hazardous substance, solid, n.o.s. (Lead carbonate)

Section 15: Regulatory Information

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Hazardous Products Regulations (HPR) and the SDS contains all the information required by the HPR

Section 16: Other Information

Further information

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