

SAFETY DATA SHEET

according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006

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SECTION 1. Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1 Product identifier

Catalogue No.	113126
Product name	Silicon dioxide colloidal, highly dispersed EMPROVE® ESSENTIAL Ph Eur,NF,JP,E 551
REACH Registration Number	01-2119379499-16-XXXX
CAS-No.	7631-86-9

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

Identified uses	Pharmaceutical production, Reagent for development and research For additional information on uses please refer to the Merck Chemicals portal (www.merckgroup.com).
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1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company	Merck KGaA * 64271 Darmstadt * Germany * Phone:+49 6151 72-0
Responsible Department	LS-QHC * e-mail: prodsafe@merckgroup.com

1.4 Emergency telephone number	Please contact the regional company representation in your country.
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SECTION 2. Hazards identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

This substance is not classified as dangerous according to European Union legislation.

2.2 Label elements

Labelling (REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008)

Precautionary statements

Prevention

P260 Do not breathe dust.

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2.3 Other hazards

None known.

SECTION 3. Composition/information on ingredients

Chemical nature silicon dioxide amorphous, Mesoporous silica gel.

3.1 Substance

Formula SiO_2 O_2Si (Hill)

EC-No. 231-545-4

Molar mass 60,08 g/mol

Remarks No disclosure requirement according to Regulation (EC) No.
1907/2006.

3.2 Mixture

Not applicable

SECTION 4. First aid measures

4.1 Description of first aid measures

After inhalation: fresh air.

In case of skin contact: Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/
shower.

After eye contact: rinse out with plenty of water.

After swallowing: make victim drink water (two glasses at most). Consult doctor if feeling unwell.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

We have no description of any symptoms of toxicity.

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4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No information available.

SECTION 5. Firefighting measures

5.1 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.

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Not combustible.

5.3 Advice for firefighters

Special protective equipment for firefighters

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

SECTION 6. Accidental release measures

6.1 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.

6.2 Environmental precautions

No special precautionary measures necessary.

6.3 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.

6.4 Reference to other sections

Indications about waste treatment see section 13.

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SECTION 7. Handling and storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling

Observe label precautions.

Hygiene measures

Change contaminated clothing. Wash hands after working with substance.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage conditions

Tightly closed. Dry.

Recommended storage temperature see product label.

7.3 Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated.

SECTION 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1 Control parameters

8.2 Exposure controls

Engineering measures

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

See section 7.1.

Individual protection measures

Protective clothing needs to be selected specifically for the workplace, depending on concentrations and quantities of the hazardous substances handled. The chemical resistance of the protective equipment should be enquired at the respective supplier.

Eye/face protection

Safety glasses

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Hand protection

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

The protective gloves to be used must comply with the specifications of EC Directive 89/686/EEC and the related standard EN374, for example KCL 741 Dermatril® L (full contact), KCL 741 Dermatril® L (splash contact).

The breakthrough times stated above were determined by KCL in laboratory tests acc. to EN374 with samples of the recommended glove types.

This recommendation applies only to the product stated in the safety data sheet<(>,<)> supplied by us and for the designated use. When dissolving in or mixing with other substances and under conditions deviating from those stated in EN374 please contact the supplier of CE-approved gloves (e.g. KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, Internet: www.kcl.de).

Respiratory protection

required when dusts are generated.

Recommended Filter type: Filter P 1 (acc. to DIN 3181) for solid particles of inert substances

The entrepreneur has to ensure that maintenance, cleaning and testing of respiratory protective devices are carried out according to the instructions of the producer. These measures have to be properly documented.

SECTION 9. Physical and chemical properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Form	solid
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Colour	white
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Odour	odourless
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Odour Threshold	Not applicable
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pH	ca. 7 at 100 g/l 20 °C (slurry)
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Melting point	1.710 °C
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Boiling point/boiling range	2.230 °C at 1.013 hPa
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Flash point	Not applicable
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Evaporation rate	No information available.
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Flammability (solid, gas)	The product is not flammable.
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Lower explosion limit	Not applicable
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Upper explosion limit	Not applicable
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Vapour pressure	No information available.
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Relative vapour density	No information available.
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Density	No information available.
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Relative density	No information available.
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Water solubility	at 20 °C insoluble
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	No information available.
Auto-ignition temperature	No information available.
Decomposition temperature	No information available.
Viscosity, dynamic	No information available.
Explosive properties	Not classified as explosive.
Oxidizing properties	none

9.2 Other data

Ignition temperature	not combustible
Bulk density	ca.200 - 1.430 kg/m3
Particle size	Particle size < 0,5 mm

SECTION 10. Stability and reactivity

10.1 Reactivity

See section 10.3

10.2 Chemical stability

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

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Exothermic reaction with:

Hydrogen halides, halogen oxides, alkali hydroxides, sodium, xenon hexafluoride

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10.4 Conditions to avoid

no information available

10.5 Incompatible materials

no information available

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

no information available

SECTION 11. Toxicological information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute oral toxicity

This information is not available.

Acute inhalation toxicity

This information is not available.

Acute dermal toxicity

Rabbit: > 5.000 mg/kg

(IUCLID)

Skin irritation

Rabbit

Result: No irritation

OECD Test Guideline 404

Eye irritation

Rabbit

Result: No eye irritation

OECD Test Guideline 405

Sensitisation

Sensitisation test: Guinea pig

Result: negative

(IUCLID)

Germ cell mutagenicity

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Genotoxicity in vitro

Ames test

Salmonella typhimurium

Result: negative

(IUCLID)

Mutagenicity (mammal cell test): chromosome aberration.

Result: negative

(IUCLID)

Carcinogenicity

This information is not available.

Reproductive toxicity

This information is not available.

Teratogenicity

This information is not available.

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

This information is not available.

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

This information is not available.

Aspiration hazard

This information is not available.

11.2 Further information

This is a generally physiologically inert substance that displays no hazardous properties after oral intake and skin contact and after inhalation of its dusts as long as the total dust limit for silicic acid is adhered to. Intensive contact with the eye may lead to irritation symptoms.

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

SECTION 12. Ecological information

12.1 Toxicity

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Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates

EC0 Daphnia magna (Water flea): ≥ 10.000 mg/l; 24 h

OECD Test Guideline 202

Toxicity to algae

IC50 Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae): 440 mg/l; 72 h

(IUCLID)

NOEC Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae): 60 mg/l; 72 h

(IUCLID)

12.2 Persistence and degradability

No information available.

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No information available.

12.4 Mobility in soil

No information available.

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

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

12.6 Other adverse effects

Additional ecological information

No ecological problems are to be expected when the product is handled and used with due care and attention.

SECTION 13. Disposal considerations

Waste treatment methods

See www.retrologistik.com for processes regarding the return of chemicals and containers, or contact us there if you have further questions.

SECTION 14. Transport information

Land transport (ADR/RID)

14.1 - 14.6

Not classified as dangerous in the meaning of transport regulations.

Inland waterway transport (ADN)

Not relevant

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Air transport (IATA)

14.1 - 14.6	Not classified as dangerous in the meaning of transport regulations.
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Sea transport (IMDG)

14.1 - 14.6	Not classified as dangerous in the meaning of transport regulations.
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14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not relevant

SECTION 15. Regulatory information

15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

EU regulations

Major Accident Hazard	SEVESO III
Legislation	Not applicable

Regulation (EC) No 1005/2009 on substances that deplete the ozone layer	not regulated
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Regulation (EC) No 850/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 29 April 2004 on persistent organic pollutants and amending Directive 79/117/EEC	not regulated
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Substances of very high concern (SVHC)	This product does not contain substances of very high concern according to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH), Article 57 above the respective regulatory concentration limit of ≥ 0.1 % (w/w).
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National legislation

Storage class	10 - 13
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15.2 Chemical safety assessment

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For this product a chemical safety assessment was not carried out.

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.

Regional representation

This information is given on the authorised Safety Data Sheet for your country.

The information contained herein is based on the present state of our knowledge. It characterises the product with regard to the appropriate safety precautions. It does not represent a guarantee of any properties of the product.