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### **SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION**

Product name : DOW CORNING(R) 340 HEAT SINK COMPOUND

Product code : 00000000001015443

Manufacturer or supplier's details

Company name of supplier : Dow Corning Corporation

Address : South Saginaw Road

Midland Michigan 48686

Telephone : (989) 496-6000

Emergency telephone : 24 Hour Emergency Telephone : (989) 496-5900

CHEMTREC: (800) 424-9300

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use : Heat transfer agents

#### **SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

#### **GHS Classification**

Not a hazardous substance or mixture.

### **GHS** label elements

Not a hazardous substance or mixture.

Other hazards

None known.

# **SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Substance / Mixture : Mixture

Chemical nature : Silicone compound

# **Hazardous ingredients**

Chemical name	CAS-No.	Concentration (% w/w)
Zinc oxide	1314-13-2	>= 50 - < 70

# **SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES**

If inhaled : If inhaled, remove to fresh air.

Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

In case of skin contact : Wash with water and soap as a precaution.

Get medical attention if symptoms occur.



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In case of eye contact : Flush eyes with water as a precaution.

Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

If swallowed, DO NOT induce vomiting.

Get medical attention if symptoms occur. Rinse mouth thoroughly with water.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and

delayed

: None known.

Protection of first-aiders : No special precautions are necessary for first aid responders.

Notes to physician : Treat symptomatically and supportively.

#### **SECTION 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

Suitable extinguishing media : Water spray

Alcohol-resistant foam Carbon dioxide (CO2)

Dry chemical

Unsuitable extinguishing

media

: None known.

Specific hazards during fire

fighting

: Exposure to combustion products may be a hazard to health.

Hazardous combustion prod-

ucts

: Metal oxides Carbon oxides

Silicon oxides Formaldehyde

Specific extinguishing meth-

ods

: Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local cir-

cumstances and the surrounding environment. Use water spray to cool unopened containers.

Remove undamaged containers from fire area if it is safe to do

SO.

Evacuate area.

Special protective equipment

for fire-fighters

: Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if nec-

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Use personal protective equipment.

# **SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emer-

gency procedures

: Follow safe handling advice and personal protective equip-

ment recommendations.

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Environmental precautions : Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Retain and dispose of contaminated wash water.

Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages

cannot be contained.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

: Soak up with inert absorbent material.

For large spills, provide diking or other appropriate containment to keep material from spreading. If diked material can be pumped, store recovered material in appropriate container. Clean up remaining materials from spill with suitable absor-

bent.

Local or national regulations may apply to releases and disposal of this material, as well as those materials and items employed in the cleanup of releases. You will need to deter-

mine which regulations are applicable.

Sections 13 and 15 of this SDS provide information regarding

certain local or national requirements.

### **SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

Technical measures : See Engineering measures under EXPOSURE

CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION section.

Local/Total ventilation : Use only with adequate ventilation.

Advice on safe handling : Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety

practice.

Take care to prevent spills, waste and minimize release to the

environment.

Conditions for safe storage : Keep in properly labeled containers.

Store in accordance with the particular national regulations.

Materials to avoid : Do not store with the following product types:

Strong oxidizing agents

# **SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

### Ingredients with workplace control parameters

Ingredients	CAS-No.	Value type (Form of exposure)	Control parameters / Permissible concentration	Basis
Zinc oxide	1314-13-2	TWA (Respirable fraction)	2 mg/m3	ACGIH
		STEL (Res- pirable frac- tion)	10 mg/m3	ACGIH
		TWA (Dust)	5 mg/m3	NIOSH REL

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TWA	5 mg/m3	NIOSH REL
(Fumes)		
ST (Fumes)	10 mg/m3	NIOSH REL
C (Dust)	15 mg/m3	NIOSH REL
TWA (total	15 mg/m3	OSHA Z-1
dust)		
TWA (respir-	5 mg/m3	OSHA Z-1
able fraction)		
TWA	5 mg/m3	OSHA Z-1
(Fumes)		

**Engineering measures** : Processing may form hazardous compounds (see section

10).

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

Minimize workplace exposure concentrations.

### Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection : General and local exhaust ventilation is recommended to

maintain vapor exposures below recommended limits. Where concentrations are above recommended limits or are unknown, appropriate respiratory protection should be worn. Follow OSHA respirator regulations (29 CFR 1910.134) and use NIOSH/MSHA approved respirators. Protection provided

by air purifying respirators against exposure to any

hazardous chemical is limited. Use a positive pressure air supplied respirator if there is any potential for uncontrolled release, exposure levels are unknown, or any other

circumstance where air purifying respirators may not provide

adequate protection.

Hand protection

Remarks : Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

Eye protection : Wear the following personal protective equipment:

Safety glasses

Skin and body protection : Skin should be washed after contact.

Hygiene measures : Ensure that eye flushing systems and safety showers are

located close to the working place. When using do not eat, drink or smoke. Wash contaminated clothing before re-use.

These precautions are for room temperature handling. Use at elevated temperature or aerosol/spray applications may re-

quire added precautions.

# **SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

Appearance : paste

Color : white



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Odor : none

Odor Threshold : No data available

pH : Not applicable

Melting point/freezing point : No data available

Initial boiling point and boiling

range

: Not applicable

Flash point : Not applicable

Evaporation rate : Not applicable

Flammability (solid, gas) : Not classified as a flammability hazard

Upper explosion limit : No data available

Lower explosion limit : No data available

Vapor pressure : Not applicable

Relative vapor density : No data available

Relative density : 2.0

Solubility(ies)

Water solubility : No data available

Partition coefficient: n-

octanol/water

: No data available

Autoignition temperature : No data available

Decomposition temperature : No data available

Viscosity

Viscosity, dynamic : Not applicable

Explosive properties : Not explosive

Oxidizing properties : The substance or mixture is not classified as oxidizing.

Molecular weight : No data available

### **SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Reactivity : Not classified as a reactivity hazard.

Chemical stability : Stable under normal conditions.



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Possibility of hazardous reac-

ions

: Use at elevated temperatures may form highly hazardous

compounds.

Can react with strong oxidizing agents.

Hazardous decomposition products will be formed at elevated

temperatures.

Conditions to avoid : None known.

Incompatible materials : Oxidizing agents

Hazardous decomposition products

Thermal decomposition : Formaldehyde

#### SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

# Information on likely routes of exposure

Skin contact Ingestion Eye contact

#### **Acute toxicity**

Not classified based on available information.

# Ingredients:

Zinc oxide:

Acute oral toxicity : LD50 (Rat): > 5,000 mg/kg

Method: OECD Test Guideline 401

Acute inhalation toxicity : LC50 (Rat): > 5.7 mg/l

Exposure time: 4 h

Test atmosphere: dust/mist

Method: OECD Test Guideline 403

Assessment: The substance or mixture has no acute inhala-

tion toxicity

# Skin corrosion/irritation

Not classified based on available information.

# **Ingredients:**

Zinc oxide:

Species: Rabbit

Method: OECD Test Guideline 404

Result: No skin irritation

# Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Not classified based on available information.

# **Ingredients:**

Zinc oxide:

Species: Rabbit

Result: No eye irritation



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Method: OECD Test Guideline 405

### Respiratory or skin sensitization

Skin sensitization: Not classified based on available information. Respiratory sensitization: Not classified based on available information.

# Ingredients:

# Zinc oxide:

Test Type: Maximization Test Routes of exposure: Skin contact

Species: Guinea pig

Method: OECD Test Guideline 406

Result: negative

# Germ cell mutagenicity

Not classified based on available information.

# Ingredients:

# Zinc oxide:

Genotoxicity in vitro : Test Type: Bacterial reverse mutation assay (AMES)

Method: OECD Test Guideline 471

Result: negative

Genotoxicity in vivo : Test Type: Mammalian erythrocyte micronucleus test (in vivo

cytogenetic assay)

Species: Rat

Application Route: Inhalation Method: OECD Test Guideline 474

Result: negative

# Carcinogenicity

Not classified based on available information.

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 carcino-

gen 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.

# Reproductive toxicity

Not classified based on available information.

### **Ingredients:**

Zinc oxide:

Effects on fertility : Test Type: Two-generation reproduction toxicity study

Species: Rat



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Application Route: Ingestion Method: OECD Test Guideline 416

Result: negative

Effects on fetal development : Test Type: Embryo-fetal development

Species: Hamster

Application Route: Ingestion

Result: negative

Remarks: Based on data from similar materials

# STOT-single exposure

Not classified based on available information.

### STOT-repeated exposure

Not classified based on available information.

#### Ingredients:

# Zinc oxide:

Routes of exposure: inhalation (dust/mist/fume)

Assessment: No significant health effects observed in animals at concentrations of 0.2 mg/l/6h/d or less.

# Repeated dose toxicity

# Ingredients:

# Zinc oxide:

Species: Rat NOAEL: 1.5 mg/m3

Application Route: inhalation (dust/mist/fume)

Exposure time: 3 Months

Method: OECD Test Guideline 413

### Aspiration toxicity

Not classified based on available information.

#### **SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

# **Ecotoxicity**

### Ingredients:

Zinc oxide:

Toxicity to fish : LC50 (Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout)):  $330 - 780 \mu g/l$ 

Exposure time: 96 h

Remarks: Based on data from similar materials

Toxicity to daphnia and other

aquatic invertebrates

: EC50 (Daphnia magna (Water flea)): 6.9 - 16.2 mg/l

Exposure time: 48 h

Method: OECD Test Guideline 202

Toxicity to algae : EC50 (Selenastrum capricornutum (green algae)): 136 μg/l

Exposure time: 72 h



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Method: OECD Test Guideline 201

NOEC (Selenastrum capricornutum (green algae)): 24 µg/l

Exposure time: 72 h

Method: OECD Test Guideline 201

M-Factor (Acute aquatic tox-

icity)

: 1

Toxicity to fish (Chronic tox-

icity)

: NOEC (Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout)): 199  $\mu$ g/l

Exposure time: 30 d

Remarks: Based on data from similar materials

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates (Chron-

ic toxicity)

: NOEC (Daphnia magna (Water flea)): 37 μg/l

Exposure time: 21 d

Remarks: Based on data from similar materials

M-Factor (Chronic aquatic

toxicity)

: 1

Toxicity to bacteria : EC50: 5.2 mg/l

Exposure time: 3 h

Method: OECD Test Guideline 209

Remarks: Based on data from similar materials

# Persistence and degradability

No data available

**Bioaccumulative potential** 

Ingredients:

Zinc oxide:

Bioaccumulation : Species: Fish

Bioconcentration factor (BCF): 177

Mobility in soil

No data available

Other adverse effects

No data available

# **SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

Disposal methods

Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA)

: This product has been evaluated for RCRA characteristics and does not meet the criteria of hazardous waste if discarded

in its purchased form.

Waste from residues : Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

Contaminated packaging : Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste han-

dling site for recycling or disposal.



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If not otherwise specified: Dispose of as unused product.

#### **SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

# **International Regulation**

**UNRTDG** 

UN number : UN 3077

Proper shipping name : ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID,

N.O.S.

(Zinc oxide)

Class : 9
Packing group : III
Labels : 9

IATA-DGR

UN/ID No. : UN 3077

Proper shipping name : Environmentally hazardous substance, solid, n.o.s.

(Zinc oxide)

Class : 9
Packing group : III

Labels : Miscellaneous

Packing instruction (cargo : 956

aircraft)

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ger aircraft)

**IMDG-Code** 

UN number : UN 3077

Proper shipping name : ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID,

N.O.S.

(Zinc oxide)

Class : 9
Packing group : III
Labels : 9
EmS Code : F-A, S-F
Marine pollutant : yes

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable for product as supplied.

# **Domestic regulation**

**49 CFR** 

UN/ID/NA number : UN 3077

Proper shipping name : ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID,

N.O.S.

(Zinc oxide)

Class : 9
Packing group : III

Labels : CLASS 9



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ERG Code : 171

Marine pollutant : yes (Zinc oxide)

Remarks : Above applies only to containers over 119 gallons or 450 li-

ters., Shipment by ground under DOT is non-regulated; however it may be shipped per the applicable hazard classification to facilitate multi-modal transport involving ICAO (IATA) or

IMO.

#### **SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

# **EPCRA - Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know**

# **CERCLA Reportable Quantity**

This material does not contain any components with a CERCLA RQ.

# SARA 304 Extremely Hazardous Substances Reportable Quantity

This material does not contain any components with a section 304 EHS RQ.

SARA 311/312 Hazards : No SARA Hazards

SARA 302 : No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting re-

quirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

SARA 313 : The following components are subject to reporting levels es-

tablished by SARA Title III, Section 313:

Zinc oxide 1314-13-2 69 %

#### **US State Regulations**

Pennsylvania Right To Know

Zinc oxide 1314-13-2 50 - 70 % Dimethyl siloxane, trimethylsiloxy-terminated 63148-62-9 30 - 50 %

**New Jersey Right To Know** 

Zinc oxide 1314-13-2 50 - 70 % Dimethyl siloxane, trimethylsiloxy-terminated 63148-62-9 30 - 50 %

California Prop. 65 This product does not contain any chemicals known to the

State of California to cause cancer, birth, or any other repro-

ductive defects.

The ingredients of this product are reported in the following inventories:

NZIoC : All ingredients listed or exempt.

TSCA : All chemical substances in this material are included on or

exempted from listing on the TSCA Inventory of Chemical

Substances.

AICS : All ingredients listed or exempt.

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IECSC : All ingredients listed or exempt.

ENCS/ISHL : All components are listed on ENCS/ISHL or exempted from

inventory listing.

KECI : All ingredients listed, exempt or notified.

PICCS : All ingredients listed or exempt.

DSL : All chemical substances in this product comply with the CEPA

1999 and NSNR and are on or exempt from listing on the

Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL).

REACH : For purchases from Dow Corning EU legal entities, all

ingredients are currently pre/registered or exempt under REACH. For purchases from non-EU Dow Corning legal entities with the intention to export into EEA please contact

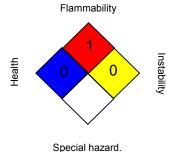
your DC representative/local office.

TCSI : All ingredients listed or exempt.

#### **SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION**

### **Further information**

# NFPA:



### HMIS III:

HEALTH	0
FLAMMABILITY	1
PHYSICAL HAZARD	0

0 = not significant, 1 =Slight,

2 = Moderate, 3 = High

4 = Extreme, \* = Chronic

# Full text of other abbreviations

ACGIH : USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)
NIOSH REL : USA. NIOSH Recommended Exposure Limits

OSHA Z-1 : USA. Occupational Exposure Limits (OSHA) - Table Z-1 Lim-

its for Air Contaminants

ACGIH / TWA : 8-hour, time-weighted average ACGIH / STEL : Short-term exposure limit

NIOSH REL / TWA : Time-weighted average concentration for up to a 10-hour

workday during a 40-hour workweek

NIOSH REL / ST : STEL - 15-minute TWA exposure that should not be exceeded

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at any time during a workday

NIOSH REL / C Ceiling value not be exceeded at any time.

OSHA Z-1 / TWA : 8-hour time weighted average

AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances; ASTM - American Society for the Testing of Materials; bw - Body weight; CERCLA - Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act; CMR - Carcinogen, Mutagen or Reproductive Toxicant; DIN - Standard of the German Institute for Standardisation; DOT - Department of Transportation; DSL - Domestic Substances List (Canada); ECx - Concentration associated with x% response; EHS - Extremely Hazardous Substance; ELx - Loading rate associated with x% response; EmS - Emergency Schedule; ENCS - Existing and New Chemical Substances (Japan); ErCx - Concentration associated with x% growth rate response; ERG - Emergency Response Guide; GHS - Globally Harmonized System; GLP - Good Laboratory Practice; HMIS - Hazardous Materials Identification System; IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer; IATA - International Air Transport Association; IBC - International Code for the Construction and Equipment of Ships carrying Dangerous Chemicals in Bulk; IC50 - Half maximal inhibitory concentration; ICAO - International Civil Aviation Organization; IECSC - Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China; IMDG - International Maritime Dangerous Goods; IMO - International Maritime Organization; ISHL - Industrial Safety and Health Law (Japan); ISO - International Organisation for Standardization; KECI - Korea Existing Chemicals Inventory; LC50 - Lethal Concentration to 50 % of a test population; LD50 - Lethal Dose to 50% of a test population (Median Lethal Dose); MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships; MSHA - Mine Safety and Health Administration; n.o.s. - Not Otherwise Specified; NFPA - National Fire Protection Association; NO(A)EC - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Concentration; NO(A)EL - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Level; NOELR -No Observable Effect Loading Rate; NTP - National Toxicology Program; NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals; OECD - Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development; OPPTS - Office of Chemical Safety and Pollution Prevention; PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic substance; PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances; (Q)SAR - (Quantitative) Structure Activity Relationship; RCRA - Resource Conservation and Recovery Act; REACH - Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals; RQ -Reportable Quantity; SADT - Self-Accelerating Decomposition Temperature; SARA - Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act; SDS - Safety Data Sheet; TCSI - Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory; TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act (United States); UN - United Nations; UNRTDG - United Nations Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods: vPvB -Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative

Sources of key data used to compile the Material Safety

**Data Sheet** 

: Internal technical data, data from raw material SDSs, OECD eChem Portal search results and European Chemicals Agen-

cy, http://echa.europa.eu/

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