

**SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking****1.1. Product identifier**

Product form : Mixture  
 Product name : Soapstone  
 Synonyms : Soapstone - Flat, Round, Square

**1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against****1.2.1. Relevant identified uses**

Use of the substance/mixture : Marking

**1.2.2. Uses advised against**

No additional information available

**1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**

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**1.4. Emergency telephone number**

Emergency number : 24-hour emergency: CHEMTREC- U.S. : 1-800-424-9300 International: +1-703-527-3887

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### SECTION 2: Hazards identification

#### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

Not classified

#### Adverse physicochemical, human health and environmental effects

No additional information available

#### 2.2. Label elements

Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

No labelling applicable

#### 2.3. Other hazards

PBT: not yet assessed

vPvB: not yet assessed

### SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

#### 3.1. Substance

Not applicable

#### 3.2. Mixture

Name	Product identifier	%	Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]
Talc	(CAS No) 14807-96-6 (EC no) 238-877-9	40 - 50	Not classified
Magnesium carbonate	(CAS No) 546-93-0 (EC no) 208-915-9	0 - 15	Not classified

Full text of H-statements: see section 16

### SECTION 4: First aid measures

#### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures general : Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

First-aid measures after inhalation : Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

First-aid measures after skin contact : Gently wash with plenty of soap and water.

First-aid measures after eye contact : In case of contact, immediately flush eyes with plenty of water.

First-aid measures after ingestion : Do NOT induce vomiting. Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

#### 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms/injuries : None known.

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### 4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treat symptomatically.

## SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

### 5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media : Use extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding fire.

Unsuitable extinguishing media : None known.

### 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Fire hazard : No particular fire or explosion hazard.

### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

Firefighting instructions : Cool adjacent structures and containers with water spray to protect and prevent ignition.

Protection during firefighting : Wear a self contained breathing apparatus. Wear fire/flame resistant/retardant clothing. EN469.

## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

### 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

General measures : Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing.

#### 6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Protective equipment : Wear suitable gloves.

Emergency procedures : Evacuate unnecessary personnel.

#### 6.1.2. For emergency responders

Protective equipment : Wear suitable gloves.

Emergency procedures : Ventilate area.

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Avoid release to the environment.

### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

For containment : Contain and collect as any solid.

Methods for cleaning up : Sweep spilled substance into containers; if appropriate, moisten first to prevent dusting.

### 6.4. Reference to other sections

Section 7: safe handling. Section 8: personal protective equipment.

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling : Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing.

Hygiene measures : Always wash your hands immediately after handling this product, and once again before leaving the workplace.

### 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage conditions : Keep container closed when not in use.

Incompatible products : Strong oxidizers.

Prohibitions on mixed storage : Incompatible materials.

Storage area : Store in dry, cool, well-ventilated area.

### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

Marking.

## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1. Control parameters

Talc (14807-96-6)		
Austria	Remark (AT)	(alveolengängige Fraktion)
Belgium	Remark (BE)	(sans fibre d'amiante)
Finland	HTP-arvo (8h) (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (Talkki, rakeinen; hengittävää pöly) 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (Talkki, rakeinen; alveolijae) 0.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (Talkki, kuitumainen)
Hungary	AK-érték	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Hungary	Megjegyzések (HU)	respirable aerosol
Ireland	OEL (8 hours ref) (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> total inhalable dust 0.8 mg/m <sup>3</sup> respirable dust

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Talc (14807-96-6)		
Lithuania	IPRV (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (ikvepiamoji frakcija) 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (alveolinė frakcija)
Netherlands	Remark (MAC)	respirable aerosol
Sweden	nivågränsvärde (NVG) (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup> total dust, 1 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> respirable dust, 1
United Kingdom	Local name	Talc
United Kingdom	WEL TWA (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
United Kingdom	Remark (WEL)	respirable aerosol
Norway	Grenseverdier (AN) (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	3 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (respirabelt støv) 6 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (totalstøv)
Switzerland	Remark (CH)	(respirable aerosol)
Magnesium carbonate (546-93-0)		
Belgium	Limit value (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
France	VME (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
France	Note (FR)	respirable aerosol
Ireland	OEL (8 hours ref) (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> total inhalable dust 4 mg/m <sup>3</sup> respirable dust
Lithuania	IPRV (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Lithuania	Remark (LT)	F
United Kingdom	WEL TWA (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> inhalable aerosol 4 mg/m <sup>3</sup> respirable aerosol
Switzerland	VME (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	3 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Switzerland	Remark (CH)	(respirable aerosol)

### 8.2. Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls	: Ensure good ventilation of the work station.
Personal protective equipment	: Avoid all unnecessary exposure.
Hand protection	: None under normal use.
Eye protection	: None under normal use.
Respiratory protection	: None under normal use.
Other information	: Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	: Solid
Appearance	: A solid crayon-like marker.
Colour	: white.
Odour	: odourless.
Odour threshold	: No data available
pH	: No data available
Relative evaporation rate (butyl acetate=1)	: No data available
Melting point	: No data available
Freezing point	: No data available
Boiling point	: No data available
Flash point	: No data available
Auto-ignition temperature	: No data available
Decomposition temperature	: No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	: No data available
Vapour pressure	: No data available
Relative vapour density at 20 °C	: No data available
Relative density	: > 1
Solubility	: insoluble in water.
Log Pow	: 1
Viscosity, kinematic	: No data available
Viscosity, dynamic	: No data available
Explosive properties	: No data available
Oxidising properties	: No data available

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Explosive limits : No data available

### 9.2. Other information

VOC content : 0 %

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1. Reactivity

No dangerous reactions known.

### 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous polymerization will not occur.

### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

Heat.

### 10.5. Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizers.

### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

None known.

## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity : Not classified

#### Magnesium carbonate (546-93-0)

LD50 oral rat	> 2000 mg/kg
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Skin corrosion/irritation : Not classified

Serious eye damage/irritation : Not classified

Respiratory or skin sensitisation : Not classified

Germ cell mutagenicity : Not classified

Carcinogenicity : Not classified

Reproductive toxicity : Not classified

Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) : Not classified

Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure) : Not classified

Aspiration hazard : Not classified

## SECTION 12: Ecological information

### 12.1. Toxicity

#### Magnesium carbonate (546-93-0)

LC50 fish 1	2120 - 2802 mg/l
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LC50 other aquatic organisms 1	> 140 mg/l
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### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

No additional information available

### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

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Log Pow	1
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### 12.4. Mobility in soil

No additional information available

### 12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

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PBT: not yet assessed

vPvB: not yet assessed

### 12.6. Other adverse effects

No additional information available

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### SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

#### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

Waste disposal recommendations : Dispose in a safe manner in accordance with local/national regulations.  
European List of Waste (LoW) code : For disposal within the EC, the appropriate code according to the European Waste Catalogue (EWC) should be used

### SECTION 14: Transport information

In accordance with ADR / RID / IMDG / IATA / ADN

#### 14.1. UN number

Not considered a dangerous good for transport regulations

#### 14.2. UN proper shipping name

Proper Shipping Name (ADR) :

#### 14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

Not applicable

#### 14.4. Packing group

Not applicable

#### 14.5. Environmental hazards

Other information : No supplementary information available.

#### 14.6. Special precautions for user

##### 14.6.1. Overland transport

No additional information available

##### 14.6.2. Transport by sea

No additional information available

##### 14.6.3. Inland waterway transport

Carriage prohibited (ADN) : No

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

Not applicable

### SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

##### 15.1.1. EU-Regulations

Contains no REACH substances with Annex XVII restrictions

Contains no substance on the REACH candidate list

Contains no REACH Annex XIV substances

VOC content : 0 %

##### 15.1.2. National regulations

###### Germany

Water hazard class (WGK) : 3 - severe hazard to waters

#### 15.2. Chemical safety assessment

No chemical safety assessment has been carried out

### SECTION 16: Other information

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Abbreviations and acronyms:

	ATE: Acute Toxicity Estimate
	CAS (Chemical Abstracts Service) number
	CLP: Classification, Labelling, Packaging.
	EC50: Environmental Concentration associated with a response by 50% of the test population.
	GHS: Globally Harmonized System (of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals).
	LD50: Lethal Dose for 50% of the test population
	OSHA: Occupational Safety & Health Administration
	PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative, Toxic
	TWA: Time Weighted Average

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	TSCA: Toxic Substances Control Act
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Data sources : ESIS (European chemical Substances Information System; accessed at: <http://esis.jrc.ec.europa.eu/index.php?PGM=cla>.  
European Chemicals Agency (ECHA) C&L Inventory database. Accessed at <http://echa.europa.eu/web/guest/information-on-chemicals/cl-inventory-database>.  
Krister Forsberg and S.Z. Mansdorf, "Quick Selection Guide to Chemical Protective Clothing", Fifth Edition.  
National Fire Protection Association. Fire Protection Guide to Hazardous Materials; 10th edition.  
REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008 OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL of 16 December 2008 on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures, amending and repealing Directives 67/548/EEC and 1999/45/EC, and amending Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006.

Other information : None.

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