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# SAFETY DATA SHEET

# 1. Identification

Product identifier Snow White Filler

Other means of identification

**SDS number** 52000000114

Synonyms Filler

Recommended use Anhydrous Filler.
Recommended restrictions None known.

Manufacturer/Importer/Supplier/Distributor information

Company name United States Gypsum Company

Address 550 West Adams Street

Chicago, Illinois 60661-3637

 Telephone
 1-800-874-4968

 Website
 www.usg.com

 Emergency phone number
 1-800-507-8899

2. Hazard(s) identification

Physical hazards Not classified.

Health hazards Not classified.

OSHA defined hazards Not classified.

Label elements

Hazard symbol None.
Signal word None.

**Hazard statement** The mixture does not meet the criteria for classification.

Precautionary statement

**Prevention** Observe good industrial hygiene practices.

**Response** Wash hands after handling.

**Storage** Store away from incompatible materials.

**Disposal** Dispose of waste and residues in accordance with local authority requirements.

Hazard(s) not otherwise

classified (HNOC)

None known.

Supplemental information None.

## 3. Composition/information on ingredients

### **Mixtures**

Chemical name	CAS number	%
Calcium sulfate, anhydrous	7778-18-9	> 95

**Composition comments** All concentrations are in percent by weight.

4. First-aid measures

**Inhalation** Dust irritates the respiratory system, and may cause coughing and difficulties in breathing. Move

injured person into fresh air and keep person calm under observation. Get medical attention if

symptoms persist.

**Skin contact**Contact with dust: Rinse area with plenty of water. Get medical attention if irritation develops or

persists.

Eye contact Dust in the eyes: Do not rub eyes. Flush thoroughly with water. If irritation occurs, get medical

assistance.

**Ingestion** Rinse mouth. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

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Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed

Under normal conditions of intended use, this product is not expected to be a health risk. Dust may irritate throat and respiratory system and cause coughing.

Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Provide general supportive measures and treat symptomatically.

General information

Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved.

# 5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable extinguishing media Unsuitable extinguishing media Use fire-extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding materials.

Not applicable.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Not a fire hazard.

Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

Selection of respiratory protection for firefighting: follow the general fire precautions indicated in the workplace. Self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.

Fire fighting

Use standard firefighting procedures and consider the hazards of other involved materials.

equipment/instructions Specific methods

Cool material exposed to heat with water spray and remove it if no risk is involved.

General fire hazards No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted.

#### 6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Keep unnecessary personnel away. Wear appropriate protective equipment and clothing during clean-up. Use a NIOSH/MSHA approved respirator if there is a risk of exposure to dust/fume at levels exceeding the exposure limits. For personal protection, see section 8 of the SDS.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Avoid the generation of dusts during clean-up. Collect dust using a vacuum cleaner equipped with HEPA filter. Stop the flow of material, if this is without risk.

Large Spills: Wet down with water and dike for later disposal. Shovel the material into waste container. Following product recovery, flush area with water.

Small Spills: Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal. For waste disposal, see section 13 of the SDS.

**Environmental precautions** 

Avoid discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground.

## 7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling

Minimize dust production when mixing, or opening and closing bags. Avoid inhalation of dust. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment. Wash hands after handling. Observe good industrial hygiene practices and use appropriate lifting techniques.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated place. Store away from incompatible materials. Avoid contact with acids, water, and moisture.

## 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

## Occupational exposure limits

US. OSHA Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants (29 CFR 1910.1000)

Value	Form
5 mg/m3	Respirable fraction.
15 mg/m3	Total dust.
Value	Form
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5 mg/m3	Respirable fraction.
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**US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values Form** Value Components Type Calcium sulfate, anhydrous TWA 10 mg/m3 Inhalable fraction. (CAS 7778-18-9) **US. NIOSH: Pocket Guide to Chemical Hazards** Components Value **Form** Type TWA Calcium sulfate, anhydrous 5 mg/m3 Respirable. (CAS 7778-18-9)

Biological limit values No biological exposure limits noted for the ingredient(s).

Appropriate engineering Provide sufficient ventilation for operations causing dust formation. Observe occupational

**controls** exposure limits and minimize the risk of exposure.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eve/face protection measures, such as personal protective equipment was personal protective equipment.

Skin protection

Hand protection It is a good industrial hygiene practice to minimize skin contact. For prolonged or repeated skin

contact use suitable protective gloves.

Skin protection

Other Normal work clothing (long sleeved shirts and long pants) is recommended.

**Respiratory protection** If engineering controls do not maintain airborne concentrations below recommended exposure

limits (where applicable) or to an acceptable level (in countries where exposure limits have not been established), an approved respirator must be worn. Use a NIOSH/MSHA approved respirator

10 mg/m3

Total

if there is a risk of exposure to dust/fume at levels exceeding the exposure limits.

Thermal hazards None

**General hygiene** Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing after handling the material and before eating, drinking, and/or smoking. Routinely wash work clothing and protective

equipment separately from regular wash. Observe any medical surveillance requirements.

# 9. Physical and chemical properties

**Appearance** 

Physical state Solid.
Form Powder.

Color White to off-white.

Odor Low to no odor.

Odor threshold Not applicable.

**pH** 10.4

Melting point/freezing point Not applicable.

Not applicable.

Initial boiling point and boiling

range

Not applicable.

2.96 (H2O=1)

Flash point Not applicable.

Evaporation rate Not applicable.

Flammability (solid, gas) Not applicable.

Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits

Explosive limit - lower (%) Not applicable.

Explosive limit - upper (%) Not applicable.

Vapor pressure Not applicable.

Vapor density Not applicable.

Relative density Solubility(ies)

**Solubility (water)** 0.15 - 0.4 g/100 g (H2O)

Partition coefficient Not applicable.

(n-octanol/water)

Auto-ignition temperature Not applicable.

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**Decomposition temperature** 2642 °F (1450 °C) **Viscosity** Not applicable.

Other information

**Bulk density** 55 - 70 lb/ft3 Not explosive. **Explosive properties** Not oxidizing. **Oxidizing properties** 

Particle size Varies.

VOC Not applicable.

# 10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity The product is stable and non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.

Material is stable under normal conditions. **Chemical stability** Possibility of hazardous Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

reactions

Contact with incompatible materials. Exposure to moisture. Conditions to avoid

Incompatible materials Strong oxidizing agents. Strong acids.

**Hazardous decomposition** 

products

No hazardous decomposition products are known.

# 11. Toxicological information

#### Information on likely routes of exposure

Inhalation Dust may irritate respiratory system. Prolonged inhalation may be harmful.

Skin contact Dust or powder may irritate the skin.

Eye contact Dust may irritate the eyes.

May cause discomfort if swallowed. Ingestion

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics Dusts may irritate the respiratory tract, skin and eyes.

#### Information on toxicological effects

Not expected to be acutely toxic. **Acute toxicity** 

Test Results Components **Species** 

Calcium sulfate, anhydrous (CAS 7778-18-9)

Acute Inhalation

Rat LC50 > 3.26 mg/l, 4 Hours

Oral

LD50 Rat > 1581 mg/kg

Skin corrosion/irritation Prolonged skin contact may cause temporary irritation. Serious eye damage/eye Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.

irritation

Respiratory or skin sensitization Respiratory sensitization Not a respiratory sensitizer.

This product is not expected to cause skin sensitization. Skin sensitization

No data available to indicate product or any components present at greater than 0.1% are Germ cell mutagenicity

mutagenic or genotoxic.

Carcinogenicity Not classifiable as to carcinogenicity to humans.

#### IARC Monographs. Overall Evaluation of Carcinogenicity

#### NTP Report on Carcinogens

#### OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1053)

Not listed.

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Reproductive toxicity This product is not expected to cause reproductive or developmental effects.

920367 Version #: 03 Revision date: 07-July-2022 Issue date: 06-August-2014 Specific target organ toxicity -

single exposure

Not classified.

Specific target organ toxicity -

repeated exposure

Not classified.

**Aspiration hazard** Not an aspiration hazard.

**Chronic effects** Prolonged inhalation may be harmful.

## 12. Ecological information

**Ecotoxicity**The product components are not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does not

exclude the possibility that large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging effect on the

environment.

Persistence and degradability Calcium sulfate dissolves in water forming calcium and sulfate ions.

**Bioaccumulative potential** Bioaccumulation is not expected.

Mobility in soilNo data available.Other adverse effectsNone expected.

## 13. Disposal considerations

**Disposal instructions**Dispose in accordance with applicable federal, state, and local regulations. Recycle responsibly.

**Local disposal regulations** Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

Hazardous waste code

The waste code should be assigned in discussion between the user, the producer and the waste

disposal company.

Waste from residues / unused

products

Dispose in accordance with local regulations.

**Contaminated packaging** Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

## 14. Transport information

DOT

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

IATA

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

**IMDG** 

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

Transport in bulk according to Not applicable.

Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and

the IBC Code

#### 15. Regulatory information

**US federal regulations**This product is not known to be a "Hazardous Chemical" as defined by the OSHA Hazard

Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200.

TSCA Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpt. D)

Not regulated.

**CERCLA Hazardous Substance List (40 CFR 302.4)** 

Not listed.

SARA 304 Emergency release notification

Not regulated.

OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1053)

Not listed.

Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA)

All components of the mixture on the TSCA 8(b) inventory are designated

"active".

Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)

SARA 302 Extremely hazardous substance

Not listed.

SARA 311/312 Hazardous

No

chemical

SARA 313 (TRI reporting)

Not regulated.

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#### Other federal regulations

#### Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) List

Not regulated.

## Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112(r) Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130)

Not regulated.

Safe Drinking Water Act

Not regulated.

(SDWA)

#### US state regulations

#### **US. Massachusetts RTK - Substance List**

Calcium sulfate, anhydrous (CAS 7778-18-9)

#### US. New Jersey Worker and Community Right-to-Know Act

Calcium sulfate, anhydrous (CAS 7778-18-9)

#### US. Pennsylvania Worker and Community Right-to-Know Law

Calcium sulfate, anhydrous (CAS 7778-18-9)

#### **US. Rhode Island RTK**

Calcium sulfate, anhydrous (CAS 7778-18-9)

#### **California Proposition 65**



WARNING: This product can expose you to Crystalline silica (Quartz), which is known to the State of California

to cause cancer. For more information go to www.P65Warnings.ca.gov.

## California Proposition 65 - CRT: Listed date/Carcinogenic substance

Inventory name

Crystalline silica (Quartz) (CAS 14808-60-7) Listed: October 1, 1988

#### **International Inventories**

**Philippines** 

Country(s) or region

Australia	Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals (AICIS)	Yes
Canada	Domestic Substances List (DSL)	Yes
Canada	Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)	No
China	Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China (IECSC)	Yes
Europe	European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS)	Yes
Europe	European List of Notified Chemical Substances (ELINCS)	No
Japan	Inventory of Existing and New Chemical Substances (ENCS)	Yes
Korea	Existing Chemicals List (ECL)	Yes
New Zealand	New Zealand Inventory	Yes

(PICCS)

Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory (TCSI)

United States & Puerto Rico

Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory

Yes

Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

#### 16. Other information, including date of preparation or last revision

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Further information NFPA Ratings:

Health: 1 Flammability: 0 Physical hazard: 0

Hazard Scale: 0 = Minimal 1 = Slight 2 = Moderate 3 = Serious 4 = Severe

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information should be used to make an independent determination of the methods to safeguard

workers and the environment.

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Yes

On inventory (yes/no)\*

<sup>\*</sup>A "Yes" indicates that all components of this product comply with the inventory requirements administered by the governing country(s)

A "No" indicates that one or more components of the product are not listed or exempt from listing on the inventory administered by the governing country(s).