

## Safety Data Sheet

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

**Product identifier:**

Product name: Zinc Stearate

Reference number(SDS):40036jis\_E-1

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

Uses advised against: This product conform to JSQI(Japanese Standards of Quasi-drug Ingredients).

Do not use for other purposes.

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

Manufacturer/Supplier: JUNSEI CHEMICAL CO., LTD.

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### 2. Hazards identification

**GHS classification and label elements of the product****Classification of the substance or mixture****Label elements**

No GHS label element

No Signal word

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### 3. Composition/information on ingredients

**Mixture/Substance selection:**

Substance

**Chemical identification: This product is mainly zinc salt of stearic acid.**

Ingredient name: Zinc stearate

Content (%):(as Zn) 10.0-12.5

Chemical formula: Approx. C<sub>36</sub>H<sub>70</sub>O<sub>4</sub>Zn

Chemicals No, Japan: 2-615

CAS No.: 557-05-1

ECNO: 209-151-9

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### 4. First-aid measures

**Descriptions of first-aid measures****IF INHALED**

Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

Call a POISON CENTER/doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

**IF ON SKIN (or hair)**

Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water or shower.

If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

**IF IN EYES**

Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

**IF SWALLOWED**

Rinse mouth.

If victim is conscious, give 1 – 2 glasses of water.

Call a POISON CENTER/doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed  
(Symptoms when inhalation or ingestion)

Cough

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**5. Fire-fighting measures****Extinguishing media****Suitable extinguishing media**

In case of fire, use water mist, foam, dry powder, CO2 to extinguish.

**Unsuitable extinguishing media**

Unsuitable extinguishing media data is not available.

**Specific hazards arising from the substance or mixture**

Containers may explode when heated.

Fire may produce irritating, corrosive and/or toxic gases.

**Advice for firefighters****Specific fire-fighting measures**

Evacuate non-essential personnel to safe area.

**Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters**

Wear fire resistant or flame retardant clothing.

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus with full face piece operated positive pressure mode.

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**6. Accidental release measures****Personnel precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Ventilate area until material pick up is complete.

Wear proper protective equipment.

**Environmental precautions**

Avoid release to headsprings, rivers, lakes, ocean and groundwater.

**Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up**

Sweep up, place in a bag and hold for waste disposal.

If appropriate, moisten first to prevent dusting.

**Preventive measures for secondary accident**

Collect spillage.

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**7. Handling and storage****Precautions for safe handling****Preventive measures**

(Exposure Control for handling personnel)

Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.

(Protective measures against fire and explosion)

Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.

(Exhaust/ventilator)

Exhaust/ventilator should be available.

(Safety treatments)

Avoid contact with skin.

Avoid contact with eyes.

**Safety Measures**

- Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
- Use personal protective equipment as required.
- When using do not eat, drink or smoke.

**Any incompatibilities**

- Acids, Oxidizing agents should not be mixed with the chemicals.

**Storage****Conditions for safe storage**

- Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.
- Keep cool. Protect from sunlight.
- Store in accordance with local/national regulation.

Container and packaging materials for safe handling data is not available.

**Specific end use(s)**

- See information in Section 7.1 and 7.2 for handling and storage recommendations. See Section 8 for exposure controls and personal protection recommendations.

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**8. Exposure controls/personal protection****Control parameters**

Control value in MHLW is not available.

**Adopted value**

- Adopted value in JSOH is not available.
- ACGIH(2017) TWA: 10mg/m<sup>3</sup>(I), 3mg/m<sup>3</sup>(R) (LRT irr)

**Exposure controls****Appropriate engineering controls**

- Do not use in areas without adequate ventilation.
- Eye wash station should be available.
- Washing facilities should be available.

**Individual protection measures****Respiratory protection**

- Wear respiratory protection.

**Hand protection**

- Wear protective gloves.
- Consult with your glove and/or personnel equipment manufacturer for selection of appropriate compatible materials.

**Eye protection**

- Wear safety glasses with side-shields.
- Wear eye/face protection.

**Skin and body protection**

- Wear impervious clothing and boots in case of repeated or prolonged treatment.

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**9. Physical and Chemical Properties****Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

Physical state: Powder

Color: White

Odor: None or slightly characteristic odor

Odor threshold data is not available.

Melting point/Freezing point: 120~126°C

Boiling point or initial boiling point data is not available.

Boiling range data is not available.

Flammability (gases, liquids and solids) data is not available.

Lower and upper explosion limit/flammability limit:

- Lower explosion limit: 20vol %

Upper explosion limit: ? vol %  
Flash point: (O.C.) 277°C  
Auto-ignition temperature: 420°C  
Decomposition temperature data is not available.  
Self-Accelerating Decomposition Temperature/SADT data is not available.  
pH data is not available.  
Dynamic viscosity data is not available.  
Kinematic viscosity data is not available.  
Solubility:  
    Solubility in water: 0.97mg/L (25°C)  
    Solubility in solvent: Soluble in benzene; insoluble in alcohol and ether.  
n-Octanol/water partition coefficient: log Pow 1.2  
Vapor pressure data is not available.  
Vapor density data is not available.  
VOC data is not available.  
Evaporation rate data is not available.  
Density and/or relative density: 1.1g/cm<sup>3</sup>  
Relative vapor density (Air=1) data is not available.  
Relative density of the Vapor/air – mixture at 20°C (Air = 1) data is not available.  
Critical temperature data is not available.  
Particle characteristics data is not available.

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## 10. Stability and Reactivity

### Reactivity

Runaway polymerization will not occur.

### Chemical stability

Stable under normal storage/handling conditions.

### Possibility of hazardous reactions

Dust explosion possible if in powder or granular form, mixed with air.

If dry, it can be charged electrostatically by swirling, pneumatic transport, pouring, etc.

Decomposes on burning. This produces irritating and toxic fumes.

### Conditions to avoid

Contact with incompatible materials.

Open flames. Heat.

### Incompatible materials

Acids, Oxidizing agents

### Hazardous decomposition products

Carbon oxides, Zinc oxides.

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## 11. Toxicological Information

### Information on toxicological effects

#### Acute toxicity

##### Acute toxicity (Oral)

[GHS Cat. Japan, base data]

rat LD<sub>50</sub> >5000 mg/kg (EU-RAR, 2009)

##### Acute toxicity (Dermal)

[GHS Cat. Japan, base data]

rabbit LD<sub>50</sub> >2000mg/kg (EU-RAR, 2009)

##### Acute toxicity (Inhalation)

[GHS Cat. Japan, base data]

mist : rat LC<sub>50</sub> >200000mg/m<sup>3</sup>/1hr (converted value:> 50 mg/L/4hr) (EU-RAR, 2009 et al.)

**Irritant properties**

Skin corrosion/irritation

[GHS Cat. Japan, base data]

human/rabbit/rat: no irritation (EU-RAR, 2009 et al.)

Serious eye damage/irritation

[GHS Cat. Japan, base data]

rabbit: no irritation (EU-RAR, 2009 )

Allergenic and sensitizing effects data is not available.

Mutagenic effects data is not available.

**Carcinogenicity**

[ACGIH]

A4(2017) : Not Classifiable as a Human Carcinogen

Reproductive toxicity data is not available.

**STOT**

STOT-single exposure data is not available.

STOT-repeated exposure data is not available.

Aspiration hazard data is not available.

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**12. Ecological Information****Ecotoxicity****Aquatic toxicity**

Hazardous to the aquatic environment (Acute)

[GHS Cat. Japan, base data]

Crustacea (Daphnia magna) EC50 &gt;100mg/L/48hr (EU-RAR, 2008)

**Water solubility**

0.97mg/L(25°C) (EU-RAR, 2008)

**Persistence and degradability**

Not degrade rapidly [OECD TG 301D Degradation: 5%/28 days (EU-RAR, 2008)]

**Bioaccumulative potential**

log Pow=1.2 (ICSC, 2000)

**Mobility in soil**

Mobility in soil data is not available.

**Other adverse effects**

Ozone depleting chemical data is not available.

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**13. Disposal considerations**

Description of waste residues and information on their safe handling and methods of disposal, including the disposal of any contaminated packaging

**Waste treatment methods**

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/national regulation.

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**14. Transport Information****UN No., UN CLASS**

UN No. or ID No.: Not applicable

UN Proper Shipping Name : Not applicable

Class or division (Transport hazard class) : Not applicable

Packing group : Not applicable

Not applicable to IMDG Code

Not applicable to IATA Dangerous Goods Regulations

## Environmental hazards

MARPOL Annex III – Prevention of pollution by harmful substances

Marine pollutants (yes/no) : no

## Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

Not applicable to Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

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**15. Regulatory Information**

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

Chemicals listed in TSCA Inventory

Zinc stearate

## Other regulatory information

We are not able to check up the regulatory information with regard to the substances in your country or region, therefore, we request this matter would be filled by your responsibility.

Regulatory information with regard to this substance in your country or in your region should be examined by your own responsibility.

Ensure this material in compliance with federal requirements and ensure conformity to local regulations.

Regulatory information in this section are limited to intentional ingredient(s), but does not contain information on non-intentional ingredients or impurities which are not informed by supplier(s).

## Chemical safety assessment

Advice on safe handling for this product can be found in sections 7 and 8 of this SDS.

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**16. Other information**

## Reference Book

Globally Harmonized System of classification and labelling of chemicals, UN

Recommendations on the TRANSPORT OF DANGEROUS GOODS 21th edit., 2019 UN

IMDG Code, 2018 Edition (Incorporating Amendment 39-18)

IATA Dangerous Goods Regulations (62nd Edition) 2021

2020 EMERGENCY RESPONSE GUIDEBOOK (US DOT)

2021 TLVs and BEIs. (ACGIH)

JIS Z 7252 : 2019

JIS Z 7253 : 2019

2021 Recommendation on TLVs (JSOH)

Supplier's data/information

Chemicals safety data management system "GHS Assistant" Version 4.16 (<https://www.asahi-ghs.com/>)

NITE Chemical Risk Information Platform "NITE-CHRIP"

([https://www.nite.go.jp/en/chem/chrip/chrip\\_search/systemTop](https://www.nite.go.jp/en/chem/chrip/chrip_search/systemTop))

GHS Classification Guidance for Enterprises 2019 Revised Edition (Ver. 2.0) (Mar. 2020, METI)

## Definitions and Abbreviations

SDS (Safety Data Sheet)

LD50 (Lethal Dose, 50%)

LC50 (Lethal Concentration, 50%)

IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)

ACGIH (American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists)

EPA (US Environmental Protection Agency)

NTP (US National Toxicology Program)

JSOH (Japan Society for Occupational Health)

EU (European Union)

EC50 (Effective Concentration, 50%)

NOEC (No Observed Effect Concentration)

BOD (Biochemical Oxygen Demand)

COD (Chemical Oxygen Demand)

BCF (Bioconcentration Factor)

anh (anhydride)

#### General Disclaimer

This data sheet was created based on the information we currently have and may be revised according to new information. In addition, the precautions apply only to normal handling, and in the case of special handling, please make adequate countermeasure to maintain your safety.

The data given here is based on current knowledge and experience. The purpose of this Safety Data Sheet is to describe the products in terms of their safety requirements. The data does not signify any warranty with regard to the products' properties.

The GHS classification data given here is based on current Japan official data (NITE published in 2020).