

SAFETY DATA SHEET **HYDRATED LIME**

OSHA Hazard Communication Standard 29 CFR 1910.1200. Prepared to GHS Rev03.

SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION

Product Name	Hydrated Lime
Chemical Name	Calcium Hydroxide
Synonyms	Chemical Hydrate, Commercial Hydrate, Industrial Hydrate, Hydrate Lime, Hydrate Tailings
Uses	Soil Stabilization, Fixation, Neutralization, Desulphurization, Agriculture, Water Treatment
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Emergency Contact	VelocityEHS: (800) 255-3924 (MIS8507735)

SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification of the substance or mixture



GHS08 Health Hazard



GHS05 Corrosion

Signal Word	Danger
Hazard-Determining Components of Labeling	Calcium Oxide, Calcium Carbonate, Calcium Hydroxide
Hazard Statements	H303 May be harmful if swallowed. H335 May cause respiratory irritation. H373 May Cause damage to organs (lungs) through repeated or prolonged exposure.
Precautionary Statements	P101 If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand. P102 Keep out of reach of children. P260 Do not breathe dust. P264 Wash hands thoroughly after handling. P270 Do not eat, drink when using this product. P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection. P284 Wear respiratory protection.
Response	P303 If on skin (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. P304 If inhaled: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. P305 If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes

SECTION 3. COMPOSITION

Component	Formula	% Wt.	CAS No.	PEL
Calcium Hydroxide	Ca(OH) ₂	>90	1305-62-0	5 mg/m ³
Silica-Crystalline Quartz	SiO ₂	<1%	14808-60-7	10 mg/m ³ respirable

SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Inhalation	<p>Acute: May cause respiratory irritation.</p> <p>Chronic: Respiratory tract irritation, coughing, burning sensation.</p>
Eyes	<p>Acute: Causes serious eye damage.</p> <p>Chronic: Pain, watering, redness.</p>
Skin	<p>Acute: Causes skin irritation.</p> <p>Chronic: Pain or irritation, redness, blistering may occur.</p>
Ingestion	<p>Acute: No known effects.</p> <p>Chronic: Burning sensation, abdominal cramps and pain, vomiting.</p>

Treatments

Inhalation	Move victim to fresh air. Seek medical attention if necessary. If breathing has stopped, give artificial respiration.
Eyes	Immediately flush eyes with large amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. Pull back the eyelid to make sure all the lime dust has been washed out. Seek medical attention immediately. Do not rub eyes.
Skin	Flush exposed area with large amounts of water. Seek medical attention immediately.
Ingestion	Give large quantities of water or fruit juice. Do not induce vomiting. Seek medical attention immediately. Never give anything by mouth if victim is rapidly losing consciousness or is unconscious or convulsing.

SECTION 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Flash Point	Non-flammable
Autoignition Temperature	Non-flammable
Inflammability Limits	None, Non-combustible solid, but will support combustion by liberation of oxygen.
Explosion Risk	None by itself, but heat produced by reaction with strong acids can generate steam and pressure.
Hazardous Combustion Products	Decomposes to produce calcium oxide (CaO), which can react with water to produce steam and pressure.
Extinguishing Media	Use dry chemical fire extinguisher. Do not use water or halogenated compounds, except that large amounts of water may be used to deluge small quantities of lime kiln dust. Use appropriate extinguishing media for surrounding fire conditions.
Fire Fighting Instructions	Keep personnel away from and upwind of fire. Wear full fire-fighting turn-out gear (full Bunker gear), and respiratory protection (self-contained breathing apparatus).

SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Individual and Collective Precautions	Avoid creating conditions which release dust – use mechanical vacuums to remove dust from workspaces.
Avoid inhalation of Dust	Wear respiratory protection – minimum NIOSH N-95 Dust Mask.
Cleaning Methods (Leaks & Spills)	Use personal protective equipment (eyes, skin, and inhalation, see Section 8). Use dry methods (vacuuming, sweeping) to collect spilled materials. Avoid generating dust. For large spills, evacuate area downwind of clean-up area operations to minimize dust exposure. For small spills, store spilled materials in dry, sealed plastic or metal containers. Dust residue on surfaces may be washed with water.
Precautions for the Protection of the Environment	May not be released into surface waters without controls (increases pH).
Waste Disposal	Dispose according to federal, provincial/state, and local environmental regulations.

SECTION 7. HANDLING & STORAGE

Handling	In open air or in ventilated places, avoid skin and eye contact, avoid creating airborne dust.
Storage	Store in dry places sheltered from humidity. Keep away from acids. Keep out of reach of children.

SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Occupational Exposure Limits

	OSHA PEL (mg/m ³)	ACGIH TLV (mg/m ³)	Ont. Reg. 833 TWAEV (mg/m ³)
Calcium Hydroxide	5	2	2
Silica - Crystalline Quartz	2.5 (total dust), 0.8 (respirable)	0.5 (respirable)	0.1

Engineering Controls	Use ventilation and dust collection to control exposure to below applicable limits.
Individual Protection Measures (Personal Protective Equipment):	
Respiratory Protection	Wear NIOSH N-95 Dust Mask.
Eye Protection	Eye protection (chemical goggles, safety glasses and/or face shield) should be worn where there is a risk of lime exposure. Contact lenses should not be worn when working with lime products.
Hand Protection	Use clean dry gloves.
Skin Protection	Cover body with suitable clothes (long sleeves shirts and trousers). Use over the ankle waterproof caustic resistant footwear.

SECTION 9. PHYSICAL & CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance	Solid, brown/white/tan/gray granular
Odor	Odorless
Odor Threshold	Not Applicable
pH	12.4 graduated solution at 25°C

Melting Point	1076°F (580°C)
Boiling Point	5162°F (2850°C)
Flash Point	Not Applicable
Evaporation Rate	Not Applicable
Flammability	Not Applicable
Upper/Lower Flammability	Not Applicable
Vapor Pressure (+t°)	Non-Volatile
Vapor Density (air=ml)	Non-Volatile
Relative Density	700-900 kg/ m ³
Solubility in Water	0.165g/100g
Partition Coefficient	Not Applicable
Auto-ignition Temperature	Not Applicable
Decomposition Temperature	Not Applicable
Viscosity	Not Applicable

SECTION 10. STABILITY & REACTIVITY

Stability	The product is stable.
Decomposition Temperature	None
Reactivity	No specific test data related to reactivity available for this product.
Conditions to Avoid	Vicinity of incompatible materials.
Incompatibility	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Acids • Reactive Fluoridated • Brominated or Phosphorous Compounds • Aluminum (may form hydrogen gas) • Reactive Powdered Metals • Organic Acid Anhydrides • Nitro-organic Compounds • Interhalogenated Compounds
Hazardous Decomposition Products	None

SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Toxicity	This product is not listed by MSA, OSHA, or IARC as a carcinogen, but this product may contain crystalline silica, which has been classified by IARC as (Group 1) carcinogenic to humans when inhaled in the form of quartz or cristobalite. No reported Carcinogenicity, Reproductive Effects, Teratogenicity or Mutagenicity.
Exposure Limits	Refer to Section 8
Irritancy	Can cause severe irritation of eyes, skin, respiratory tract, and gastrointestinal tract.
Chronic Exposure:	Inhalation of silica can cause a chronic lung disorder, silicosis.

SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Alkaline substance that increases pH to 12.4 in a saturated water solution at 25°C.

Calcium hydroxide gradually reacts with CO₂ in air to form calcium carbonate (CaCO₃).

Calcium carbonate is ecologically neutral.

Uncontrolled spillage in surface waters should be avoided since the increase pH could be detrimental to fish.

Harmful to aquatic life in high concentration.

SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Dispose according to federal, provincial/state, and local environmental regulations.

SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Classification

TDG: Not listed for ground transportation.

HMR: Not listed for ground transportation.

TDG: Transportation of Dangerous Goods Regulation (Canada)

HMR: Hazardous Materials Regulation (USA)

SECTION 15. Regulatory Information

Symbol

WHMIS RATING

D2A, E

NFPA RATING

HEALTH-3 SPECIFIC HAZARD – ALK FLASH POINTS-0 REACTIVITY-1

HMIS RATING

HEALTH-2 SPECIFIC HAZARD – ALK FLASH POINTS-0 REACTIVITY-1

SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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Calciment can be removed from vehicles using rags dampened with dilute vinegar. After applying dilute vinegar, vehicles (especially chrome surfaces) must be washed with water.

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