

**Section 1. Identification****1.1 Product Identifier**

CA1892

Product Name

CALCIUM OXIDE POWDER pure 500g.

CAS Number

1305-78-8

REACH Registration No

A registration number is not available as the substance or its uses are exempt, the annual tonnage does not require a registration or the registration is envisaged for a later date.

Molecular Formula

CaO =56.08

**1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture & uses advised against**

Uses of Material

Chemical for industrial and laboratory use. Not suitable for domestic use.

**1.3 Supplier**

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(Have this document to hand)**Section 2. Hazards Identification****2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture****Classification according to regulation 1272/2008/EC**

Skin corrosion/irritation, category 2

H315: Causes skin irritation.

Serious eye damage/irritation, category 1

H318: Causes serious eye damage.

Spec target organ tox - single, category 3

H335: May cause respiratory irritation.

**2.2 Label elements****Labelling according to regulation 1272/2008/EC**

Signal word

Danger

Hazard Pictograms



Hazard Statements

Causes skin irritation. Causes serious eye damage. May cause respiratory irritation.

Precautionary Statements    Wear protective gloves / protective clothing / eye protection. Wash thoroughly after handling. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower. IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do and continue rinsing.

## Section 3. Composition

### 3.1 Substances

Component	CAS No.	EEC No.	REACH No.	Conc w/w	CLP Classification (1272/2008/CE)
Calcium oxide	1305-78-8	215-138-9		>95%	Skin Irrit. 2, Eye Dam. 1, STOT SE 3 (I)

## Section 4. First Aid

### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

Eyes	Irrigate thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 10 minutes, holding the eye open. OBTAIN MEDICAL ATTENTION URGENTLY.
Skin	Wash off skin thoroughly with water. Remove contaminated clothing immediately and wash before re-use. If discomfort persists OBTAIN MEDICAL ATTENTION.
Inhalation	Remove from exposure.
Ingestion	If conscious give plenty of water to drink. If unconscious place in the recovery position. OBTAIN MEDICAL ATTENTION.
Personal protection for first aiders	Wear protective gloves / eye protection.

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

No further relevant information available.

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

No further relevant information available.

## Section 5. Fire Fighting

### 5.1 Extinguishing media

Extinguishing Media	Dry chemical powder.
Unsuitable Media	If water is used it should be in a large excess to minimise exothermic reactions.

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

Hazards	Presents no specific fire danger.
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### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Advice for firefighters	Consider all other materials in the vicinity.
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## Section 6. Accidental Release Measures

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

Personal Protection	Use approved personal protective equipment. Avoid breathing dust. Do not allow general use of area until it is safe to do so.
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### 6.2 Environmental precautions

Environmental	Presents no major environmental hazard.
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### 6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Major Spillage	Shovel/sweep up into container for removal Wash to drain with copious amounts of water.
Minor Spillage	Wash to drain with copious amounts of water.

## 6.4 Reference to other sections

See section 8.2 for information on protective equipment and section 13 for information on disposal.

## Section 7. Storage & Handling

### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not breath dust. Do not allow to contaminate clothing.

Ensure Local Exhaust Ventilation maintains dust concentrations below the recommended limits.

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

Well ventilated, cool, dry storage . Protect against ingress of moisture.

### 7.3 Specific end use(s)

See section 1.2.

## Section 8. Workplace Exposure & Personal Protection

### 8.1 Control parameters

Component	CAS No	Concentration	Workplace Exposure Limits			
			Long Term (8hr TWA)	Short Term 15min period		
Calcium oxide	1305-78-8	>95%	-	-	2.0 ppm	-

Exposure data source(s) IOELV: Indicative Occupational Exposure Limit Value.

### 8.2 Exposure controls

Respiratory Protection	Use L.E.V. or natural ventilation to maintain dust concentrations below exposure limits. If not, use a well maintained chemical cartridge respirator, or use self contained breathing apparatus.
Hand Protection	Use nitrile gloves or PVC gauntlets.
Eye Protection	Use tightly fitting chemical splash proof glasses or goggles.
Skin Protection	Avoid contact with skin. If skin contact or contamination of clothing is likely, protective clothing must be worn.
Special Hazards	No special precautions required.

## Section 9. Physical & Chemical Properties

### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	Fine dry white powder.
Odour	Odourless.
pH	12 @ 20 °C
Boiling Point	2850 °C
Melting Point	2600 °C
Flash Point	Not applicable
Upper Flammable Limit	Not applicable
Lower Flammable Limit	Not applicable
Auto Ignition	Not applicable
Explosive Properties	No.
Oxidising Properties	No.
Vapour Pressure	Not applicable
Relative Density	3.3100
Water Solubility	Contact with water will generate considerable heat.

### 9.2 Other information

No data available.

## Section 10. Stability & Reactivity

10.1 Reactivity No data available.

<b>10.2</b>	Chemical Stability	Stable under normal conditions
<b>10.3</b>	Possibility of hazardous reactions	No data available.
<b>10.4</b>	Conditions to Avoid	Avoid contact with water or water vapour.
<b>10.5</b>	Incompatible Materials	Reaction with water may generate sufficient heat to ignite combustible material.
<b>10.6</b>	Hazardous Decomposition Products	May produce hazardous fumes if involved in a fire.

## Section 11. Toxicological Information

### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Eyes	Contact with the solid or dust will be irritating to the eyes, and may cause burns and corneal opacification.
Skin	Contact with the solid or dust will be irritating to the skin. Repeated exposure may cause dermatitis.
LD50 Skin	Not available
Ingestion	Causes severe corrosion of the mouth, throat and gastro-intestinal tract.
LD50 Oral	Not available
Inhalation	Prolonged exposure to dust or fume concentrations above the occupational exposure limits will produce irritation of the eyes, nose, throat and respiratory tract.
LD50 Inhalation	Not available
TCLo	Not available
Carcinogenicity	No information is available.
Mutagenicity	No information is available.
Reproductive Effects	No information is available.

## Section 12. Ecological

<b>12.1</b>	Toxicity	Small amounts present no specific environmental hazard.
	LC50 Algal	Not available
	LC50 Crustacea	Not available
	LC50 Fish	Not available
<b>12.2</b>	Persistence and degradability	No data available.
<b>12.3</b>	Bioaccumulative potential	No data available.
<b>12.4</b>	Mobility in soil	No data available.
<b>12.5</b>	Results of PBT & vPvB assessment	Assessment not required.
<b>12.6</b>	Other adverse effects	None known at present.

## Section 13. Disposal Considerations

### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

Disposal Methods	Dilute in a large excess of water and carefully neutralise with an acid, then wash to drain with copious amounts of water
Contaminated Packaging	Wash out containers with water.

## Section 14. Transport Information

<b>14.1 UN Number</b>	Non-restricted
<b>14.2 Proper Shipping Name</b>	Non-restricted
<b>14.3 Transport classes</b>	
UN classification	None
Subsidiary hazard(s)	None
Transport category	None
ADR Hazard ID	Non-restricted
Tunnel Restriction Code	Non-restricted
<b>14.4 Packing Group</b>	None
<b>14.5 Environment hazards</b>	See section 12.
<b>14.6 Special precautions for user</b>	No special precautions required.
<b>14.7 Transport in bulk</b>	Not transported in bulk.

## Section 15. Regulatory Information

### 15.1 Safety, health and environment regulations specific for substance/mixture.

#### Classification, Labeling & Packaging of Substances & Mixtures Regulations (1272/2008/CE)

Classification Skin corrosion/irritation, category 2; Serious eye damage/irritation, category 1; Spec target organ tox - single, category 3

Signal word Danger

Hazard Pictograms



Hazard Statements H315, H318, H335  
Causes skin irritation. Causes serious eye damage. May cause respiratory irritation.

Precautionary Statements P280, P264, P363, P301+P330+P331, P303+P361+P353, P305+P351+P338  
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### 15.2 Chemical safety assessment

Assessment not required.

## Section 16. Other Information

The information contained in this document only covers the hazards presented by this material, it DOES NOT constitute a workplace risk assessment. See sections 11 for toxicological information and section 12 for ecological information.

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