

# SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1 Product identifier

Product name Ca Powder

Product number CAP-0500, CAP-1000, CAP-2500N

Brand ReefX®

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

For adjusting and maintaining calcium and strontium levels in aquaria.

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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1.4 Emergency telephone number

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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)

- Serious eye damage/eye irritation (chapter 3.3), Cat. 2, H319

For the full text corresponding to the "H"-codes displayed in this section, refer to Section 16.

# 2.2 Label elements

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

Hazard pictograms



Signal word Warning

**Hazard statement(s)** 

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Precautionary statement(s)

Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection. P280 P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove

contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P337+P313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

P102 Keep out of reach of children.

P310 Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor/physician.

# SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

#### 3.1 **Substances**

There are no additional ingredients present which, within the current knowledge of the supplier and in the concentrations applicable, are classified as hazardous to health or the environment and hence require reporting in this section.

#### Components

1. Calcium chloride

Concentration 95 - 100 % (weight)

Other names / synonyms Calcii chloridum; Calcium chloride (CaCl2); Calpus; Caltac; Dowflake;

Liquidow; Peladow; Snowmelt; Superflake anhydrous

EC no. 233-140-8 10043-52-4 CAS no. 017-013-00-2 Index no.

2. Strontium chloride

Concentration 1 - 1 % (weight)

Other names / synonyms Strontium chloride hexahydrate; Strontium chloride, hexahydrate

EC no. 233-971-6 CAS no. 10476-85-4

# **SECTION 4: First aid measures**

#### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

Following inhalation Move exposed individual to fresh air.

> If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. If not breathing give artificial respiration.

Seek medical advice if discomfort or irritation persists.

Following skin contact Take off contaminated clothing immediately.

Wash off with soap and plenty of water.

Seek medical advice if discomfort or irritation persists.

Following eye contact In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water for at

> least 15 minutes. Seek medical advice.

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Following ingestion Rinse mouth thoroughly.

Do not induce vomiting.

Do not induce vomiting. If victim is conscious, wash mouth thoroughly

with plenty of water.

Seek medical attention if irritation, discomfort or vomiting persists.

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

Irritation, Nausea.

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

Not available.

# **SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

#### 5.1 Extinguishing media

Use extinguishing media suitable to the surroundings such as, dry chemical powder, chemical foam, water spray and carbon dioxide.

## 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Not combustible.

When heated sufficiently, product may decompose to form smoke and toxic fumes, gases or vapours that may cause dizziness.

Toxic fumes such as hydrogen chloride, calcium oxides may be evolved on thermal decomposition.

# 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Fire fighters should wear full protective clothing and self-contained breathing apparatus in positive pressure mode.

# **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

## 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Use personal protective equipment.

Avoid inhalation of dusts or aerosols.

Ensure adequate ventilation.

Ventilate area of spill.

#### 6.2 Environmental precautions

Prevent entry into waterways, sewers, basements or confined areas.

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

Pick up and place in a suitable container for reclamation or disposal, using a method that does not generate dust.

# **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

#### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

Avoid inhalation of dusts or aerosols.

Wash thoroughly after handling.

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Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

Eating, drinking and smoking should be prohibited in areas where this material is handled, stored and processed.

Workers should wash hands and face before eating, drinking and smoking.

Remove contaminated clothing and protective equipment before entering eating areas.

## 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep only in original container.

Avoid large temperature changes and store in a cool, dry, well ventilated environment and away from direct sunlight.

Keep containers closed when not in use.

Keep away from strong acids and strong oxidizing compounds.

# **SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

#### 8.1 Control parameters

#### 1. Ca Powder

Parameter TWA
Route of exposure Inhalation
Value 10 mg/m3

# 8.2 Exposure controls

# Appropriate engineering controls

Use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or others engineering controls to keep airborne levels below recommend exposure limits.

If user operations generate dust, fume or mist, use ventilation to keep exposure to airborne contaminants below the exposure limit.

# Personal protection equipment

### **Pictograms**





#### Eye and face protection

Wear protective safety glasses.

# Skin protection

Wear protective gloves to prevent skin exposure.

#### **Body protection**

Wear appropriate long-sleeved clothing to minimize skin contact.

During normal non-professional use of the preparation no personal protective equipment is required.

However, in case of manufacture or spillage, use as appropriate to the size of the spill.

#### Respiratory protection

Normal use: none.

If user operations generate dust, fume or mist: wear mask or respirator with filter type P2.

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# **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

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

Appearance White powder Odour None

Odour threshold No data available

8-10 Melting point / freezing point 782 °C

Initial boiling point and boiling range > 1600°C @ 760 mmHg No data available

Flash point Evaporation rate No data available Flammability (solid, gas) Non flammable

Upper/lower flammability limits Non flammable Vapour pressure No data available

Vapour density No data available 1.850 g/cm3 Relative density

Soluble in water: 740g/l @ 20 °C Solubilit(ies)

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water No data available

Auto-ignition temperature Non flammable Decomposition temperature No data available

Viscosity No data available Non explosive Explosive properties Oxidising properties Non oxidising

#### Other information 9.2

Hygroscopic.

# **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

# 10.1 Reactivity

Decomposes slowly on exposure to water.

#### 10.2 Chemical stability

The product is stable under normal handling and storage conditions. Hydroscopic.

# 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous reactions are not expected, under normal conditions of storage and use.

#### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Long term exposure to heat and direct sunlight.

Exposure to moisture.

#### 10.5 Incompatible materials

Strong acids, strong oxidizing compounds.

#### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Hydrogen chloride gas. Chlorine



# **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

#### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

#### **Acute toxicity**

Calcium chloride, LD50, Rat, > 2000 mg/kg bw (oral) Strontium chloride, LD50, Rat, 1796 mg/kg bw (oral)

#### Skin corrosion/irritation

No data available.

#### Serious eye damage/irritation

The preparation contains a reasonable amount of Calcium chloride as well as a small amount of Strontium chloride which in combination can cause irritating effects when in contact with tissue of the eyes and possibly the skin.

Inhalation of dust may also irritate the respiratory system and ingestion may damage the linings of the mouth, throat and gastro-intestinal tract.

#### Respiratory or skin sensitization

Considered not to have any sensitising properties, based on the physiological properties of both its constituent ions and the lack of any reported issues.

#### Germ cell mutagenicity

Is considered not to be genotoxic.

#### Carcinogenicity

No evidence of carcinogenic effects.

#### Reproductive toxicity

No compounds present in the preparation have been identified as having reproductive toxicity properties.

#### STOT-single exposure

No data available.

#### STOT-repeated exposure

No data available.

#### **Aspiration hazard**

No data available.

# SECTION 12: Ecological information

#### 12.1 Toxicity

Calcium chloride: LC50: (Lepomis macrochirus) 10650 mg/L/96h Strontium chloride: LC50/96h (Morone saxatilis) >92.8 mg/L Strontium chloride: LC50/48h (Daphnia hyalina) 75 mg/L

#### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

Not all of the compounds present in the preparation would be readily biodegradable in the environment.

#### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

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Not applicable.

#### 12.4 Mobility in soil

Though there is no specific information on the mobility of compounds in the preparation, they are soluble under normal environmental conditions in water so would also be expected to be highly mobile in soil.

#### 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Not applicable.

# **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

#### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

#### Waste treatment

If recycling spilled product is not practicable, dispose of in compliance with local or national regulations.

· Do not dispose of directly with acids.

#### Packaging:

- Where possible, recycling is preferred to disposal or incineration.
- Clean container with water, dispose of rinse water in accordance with local or national regulations.

# **SECTION 14: Transport information**

14.2 UN Proper Shipping Name Nor	ne
14.3 Transport hazard class(es) Nor	ne
14.4 Packing group Nor	ne
14.5 Environmental hazards Nor	ne
14.6 Special precautions for user Nor	ne

14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code None

# **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

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

# California Prop. 65 Components

This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.

# **Massachusetts Right To Know Components**

No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

#### **New Jersey Right To Know Components**

Calcium chloride CAS-No. 10043-52-4

## Pennsylvania Right To Know Components

Calcium chloride CAS-No. 10043-52-4



## **SARA 302 Components**

No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302

#### SARA 311/312 Hazards

Acute Health Hazard

### **SARA 313 Components**

This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

#### **TSCA Inventory**

All components are listed or expempted

#### Water Classification

WGK1

#### 15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment

Not available.

### **HMIS Rating**



#### **NFPA Rating**



# **SECTION 16: Other information**

### Full text of hazard statements referenced in Section 2

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# Further information/disclaimer

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