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SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

1.1	Product Identifier	Mag Chrome
	GHS Product Identifier	Mag Chrome
	Chemical Name	Magnesia Chrome
	Trade Name	See Product Identifier
	CAS No.	Not applicable
	EINECS No.	Not applicable
	REACH Registration No.	Not applicable
1.2	Relevant Identified Uses Of The Substance Or Mixture And Uses Advised Against	
	Application of the substance/the mixture	Product component
1.3	Details Of The Supplier Of The Safety Data Sheet	
	Company Identification	Washington Mills
	Address	1801 Buffalo Avenue Niagara Falls, NY 14302
	Telephone	1-800-828-1666
	E-Mail (Competent Person)	info@washingtonmills.com
1.4	Emergency Telephone Number – ChemTel	
	(800)255-3924 (USA/Canada), 813-248-0585 (International)	

SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

2.1	Classification Of The Substance Or Mixture		
2.1.1	Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 (CLP)		
	The product is not classified as hazardous according to OSHA GHS regulation within the United States. The product is not classified as hazardous according to the CLP regulation.		
	Additional information:		
	There are no other hazards not otherwise classified that have been identified. 0% of the mixture consists of component(s) of unknown toxicity.		
2.2	Label Elements		
2.2.1	Label Elements According to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 (CLP)		
	The product does not have a classification according to the CLP regulation. The product is not classified as hazardous according to OSHA GHS regulations within the United States.		
	Hazard Pictogram(s)	Not Regulated	Signal Word(s) Not Regulated
	Hazard-determining components of labelling:		None
	Hazard Statement(s)	Not Regulated	
	Precautionary Statement(s)	Not Regulated	
	Hazard description:		
	NFPA ratings (scale 0 - 4)		Health = 0 Fire = 0 Reactivity = 0
	HMIS-ratings (scale 0 - 4)		Health = 0 Fire = 0 Reactivity = 0
2.3	Other Hazards		
	Results of PBT and vPvB assessment	PBT: Not applicable. vPvB: Not applicable.	

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SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

3.2 Mixtures

Description: Mixture of substances listed below with nonhazardous additions.

Dangerous Components:

Hazardous Ingredient(s)	%W/W	CAS No.	EC No.	Index No.	Hazard Pictogram(s)	Hazard Statement(s) and Risk (R) Phrase(s)
magnesium dioxide	50-100	1309-48-4	215-171-9	025-199-09-0	None	substance with a Community workplace exposure limit
dichromium trioxide	2,5-10	1308-38-9	215-160-9	NA	None	substance with a Community workplace exposure limit
aluminium oxide	2,5-10	1344-28-1	215-691-6	NA	None	substance with a Community workplace exposure limit
Silica, fused	≤ 2,5	60676-86-0	262-373-8	NA	None	substance with a Community workplace exposure limit

Impurities and stabilizing agents: The following elements are present in a non-reactive matrix and are not hazardous as part of the matrix: calcium.

Additional information: For the wording of the listed risk phrases refer to section 16.

SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

4.1 Description of First Aid Measures

General Information: No special measures required.

After Inhalation: Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of complaints.

After Skin Contact: Brush off loose particles from skin. Wash with soap and water. If skin irritation is experienced, consult a doctor.

After Eye Contact: Remove contact lenses if worn. Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. If symptoms persist, consult a doctor.

After Swallowing: Rinse out mouth and then drink plenty of water. Do not induce vomiting; call for medical help immediately.

4.2 Most Important Symptoms And Effects, Both Acute And Delayed

Slight irritant effect on eyes.

Hazards

No further relevant information available.

4.3 Indication Of The Immediate Medical Attention And Special Treatment Needed

No further relevant information available.

SECTION 5: FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

5.1 Extinguishing Media

Suitable Extinguishing Media Use fire extinguishing methods suitable to surrounding conditions.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media None.

5.2 Special Hazards Arising From The Substance Or Mixture

No further relevant information available.

5.3 Advice for Fire-Fighters

Wear self-contained respiratory protective device. Wear fully protective suit.

Additional Information

No further relevant information available.

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SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

6.1 Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment And Emergency Procedures	Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid formation of dust. For large spills, wear protective clothing. For large spills, use respiratory protective device against the effects of fumes/dust/aerosol.
6.2 Environmental Precautions	No special measures required.
6.3 Methods And Material For Containment And Cleaning Up	Pick up mechanically. Ensure adequate ventilation. Dispose contaminated material as waste according to item 13.
6.4 Reference To Other Sections	See Section 7 for information on safe handling. See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment. See Section 13 for disposal information.

SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

7.1 Precautions For Safe Handling	Prevent formation of dust. Do not dry clean dust covered objects and floors. Wash thoroughly with plenty of water. Any unavoidable deposit of dust must be regularly removed. Use only in well ventilated areas.
Information About Fire – and explosion protection	No special measures required.
7.2 Conditions For Safe Storage, Including Any Incompatibilities: Requirements to be Met by Storerooms and Receptacles: Information About Storage in One Common Storage Facility: Further information about storage conditions:	Store in a cool location. Store away from oxidizing agents. Store away from foodstuffs. Do not store together with acids.
7.3 Specific End Use(s)	None. No further relevant information available.

SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Additional information about design of technical facilities: No further data; see item 7.

8.1 Control Parameters

Ingredients with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:

Ingredient	Product Code	Limit Value	Notes
magnesium oxide	1309-48-4	PEL (USA)	Long-term value: 15* mg/m ³ fume; *total particulate
		TLV (USA)	Long-term value: 10* mg/m ³ *as inhalable fraction
		EL (Canada)	Short-term value: 10** mg/m ³ Long-term value: 10* 3** mg/m ³ *inhalable fume; **respirable dust and fume
		EV (Canada)	Long-term value: 10 mg/m ³ inhalable
dichromium trioxide	1308-38-9	PEL (USA)	Long-term value: 0,5 mg/m ³ as Cr
		REL (USA)	Long-term value: 0,5 mg/m ³ as Cr; See Pocket Guide App. C
		TLV (USA)	Long-term value: 0,5 mg/m ³ as Cr
		EL (Canada)	Long-term value: 0,5 mg/m ³ as Cr
		IOELV (Canada)	Long-term value: 2 mg/m ³

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			as Cr
aluminium oxide	1344-28-1	PEL (USA)	Long-term value: 15*; 15** mg/m ³ *Total dust; ** Respirable fraction
		REL (USA)	Long-term value: 10* 5** mg/m ³ as Al*Total dust**Respirable/pyro powd./welding f.
		TLV (USA)	Long-term value: 1* mg/m ³ as Al; *as respirable fraction
		EL (Canada)	Long-term value: 1,0 mg/m ³ respirable, as Al
		EV (Canada)	Long-term value: 10 mg/m ³ total dust
Silica, fused	60676-86-0	PEL (USA)	see Quartz listing
		TLV (USA)	TLV withdrawn
		EV (Canada)	Long-term value: 0,1 mg/m ³ respirable
<p>DNELs No further relevant information available.</p> <p>PNECs No further relevant information available.</p>			

8.2	Exposure Controls	
8.2.2	Personal Protective Equipment:	
	General protective and hygienic measures:	The usual precautionary measures are to be adhered to when handling chemicals. Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed. Do not inhale dust / smoke / mist. Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work. Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.
	Respiratory Protection	Not required under normal conditions of use. Use suitable respiratory protective device when high concentrations are present. For spills, respiratory protection may be advisable.
	Eye Protection	Wear safety glasses.
	Protection of Hands	Wear protective gloves.
	Body Protection	Protective work clothing
	Risk Management Measures	See Section 7 for additional information. No further relevant information available.

SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

9.1	Information On Basic Physical And Chemical Properties		
Appearance	Granulate	Color	Dark green
Odor	Odourless	Odor Threshold (ppm)	Not available
Melting Point (°C) / Freezing Point (°C)	Not available.	Boiling Point/Boiling Range (°C)	Not available
Flash Point (°C)	No Data	Explosive Limit Ranges	Not available
Auto Ignition Temperature (°C)	Not available	Decomposition Temperature (°C)	Not available
Explosive Properties	None	Oxidizing Properties	Not available
Flammability (Solid, Gas)	Not available	Ph (Value)	Not available
Evaporation Rate	N/A	Vapor Pressure (mm Hg)	Not available
Vapor Density (Air=1)	N/A	Density (g/ml)	Not available
Solubility (Water)	Insoluble	Solubility (Other)	Not available
Partition Coefficient (N-Octanol/Water)	Not available	Viscosity (mPa.s)	Not available
9.2	Other Information Volatile Organic Chemical (VOC) Content – Not Available.		

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SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

10.1	Reactivity	
10.2	Chemical Stability	
	Thermal Decomposition / conditions to be avoided:	No decomposition if used according to specifications.
10.3	Possibility of Hazardous Reactions	Reacts with strong acids and alkali. Reacts with strong oxidising agents.
10.4	Conditions To Avoid	No further relevant information available.
10.5	Incompatible Materials	No further relevant information available.
10.6	Hazardous Decomposition Product(s)	No dangerous decomposition products known.

SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

11.1 Information on Toxicological Effects

Acute toxicity:

Primary Irritant Effect:

On the skin:

Slight irritant effect on skin and mucous membranes.

On the eye:

Slight irritant effect on eyes.

Sensitisation:

No sensitizing effects known.

Additional toxicological information:

The product is not subject to classification according to the calculation method of the General EU Classification Guidelines for Preparations as issued in the latest version.

CMR effects (carcinogenicity, mutagenicity, and toxicity for reproduction):

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

12.1	Toxicity	
	Aquatic toxicity:	No further relevant information available.
12.2	Persistence and Degradability	No further relevant information available.
12.3	Bioaccumulative Potential	No further relevant information available.
12.4	Mobility in Soil	No further relevant information available.
	Additional ecological information:	
	General notes:	The product contains heavy metals. Avoid transfer into the environment. Specific preliminary treatments are necessary.
12.5	Results of PBT and vPvB Assessment	PBT: Not applicable. vPvB: Not applicable.
12.6	Other Adverse Effects	No further relevant information available.

SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

13.1	Waste Treatment Methods Recommendation	Contact waste processors for recycling information. The user of this material has the responsibility to dispose of unused material, residues and containers in compliance with all relevant local, state and federal laws and regulations regarding treatment, storage and disposal for hazardous and nonhazardous wastes. Residual materials should be treated as hazardous.
	Uncleaned Packaging: Recommendation:	Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Land Transport (ADR/RID) (c)(d)

Land Transport (Within USA) (b)(d)

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UN Number	None	UN Number	None
Proper Shipping Name	Not classified as dangerous for transport.	Proper Shipping Name	Not classified as dangerous for transport.
Transport Hazard Class(es)	None	Transport Hazard Class(es)	None
Packing Group	None	Packing Group	None
Hazard Label(s)	None	Hazard Label(s)	None
Environmental Hazards	None	Environmental Hazards	None
Special Precautions For User	None	Special Precautions For User	None
Sea Transport (IMDG) (c)		Air Transport (ICAO/IATA) (c) (d)	
UN Number	None	UN Number	None
Proper Shipping Name	Not classified as dangerous for transport.	Proper Shipping Name	Not classified as dangerous for transport.
Transport Hazard Class(es)	None	Transport Hazard Class(es)	None
Packing Group	None	Packing Group	None
Marine Pollutant	None	Marine Pollutant	None
Special Precautions For User	None	Special Precautions For User	None
<p>(b)- ORM-D may be applicable within the USA for package sizes less than 30kg. (c)- Consult with transport provider. (d)- Check relevant regulations for Special Provisions.</p> <p>Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code</p>			

SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

15.1 Safety, Health And Environmental Regulations/Legislation Specific For The Substance Or Mixture

USA

SARA

Section 355 (extremely hazardous substances)

None of the ingredients are listed.

Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings)

Aluminum oxide listing is only relevant to fibrous forms and is not applicable to the product as supplied.
1308-38-9 dichromium trioxide
All ingredients are listed.

TSCA (Toxic Substance Control Act)

Proposition 65 (California):

Chemicals known to cause cancer:

None of the ingredients are listed.

Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for females:

None of the ingredients are listed.

Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for males:

None of the ingredients are listed.

Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity:

None of the ingredients are listed.

Carcinogenic Categories

EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)

1308-38-9 dichromium trioxide

D, CBD

IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)

60676-86-0 Silica, fused

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MAK (German Maximum Workplace Concentration)

1344-28-1 aluminium oxide

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NIOSH-Ca (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)

60676-86-0 Silica, fused

Canada

Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL)

All ingredients are listed.

Canadian Ingredient Disclosure list (limit 0.1%)

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Canada Ingredient Disclosure list (limit 1%)	All ingredients are listed.
Other regulations, limitations and prohibitive regulations	
Substances of very high concern (SVHC) according to REACH, Article 57	None of the ingredients are listed.

15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment	A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.
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SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

Additional information:

- The accumulation of airborne dust particles may lead to health and safety risks in some cases. The use of good industrial practices will mitigate this risk.
- The health risks from inhalation of dust particles vary; this is due to particle concentration, exposure length, number of exposures and type of particles inhaled. Please read Section 2,4,6,7 and 8 of the SDS to understand these potential risks. Wear personal protective equipment and follow storage and handling procedures to maintain a safe workplace.
- In rare instances, combustible dusts may represent a potential explosion hazard when airborne. This hazard is often associated with organic dust such as foodstuffs and coal, but may also occur with mineral products. While the majority of our products would be considered non-combustible, the overall airborne environment should be considered when determining the need for mitigation from the potential hazard. Consult recognized experts when necessary in order to determine any possible hazard.
Please read the SDS for specific information concerning these hazards, and contact us with any further questions. We appreciate your continued business.

Abbreviations and acronyms:

ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

DOT: US Department of Transportation

IATA: International Air Transport Association

GHS: Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

NFPA: National Fire Protection Association (USA)

HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)

DNEL: Derived No-Effect Level (REACH)

PNEC: Predicted No-Effect Concentration (REACH)

Sources

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