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Material Safety Data Sheet

Zinc Acetate Dihydrate

Section 1 - Chemical Product and Company Identification

MSDS Name: Zinc Acetate Dihydrate

Synonyms: Acetic acid; Zinc salt; Zinc acetate

Company Identification:

C & G Containers, Inc.
152 Easy Street
Lafayette, LA 70506

For information, call: 337-237-7123

Emergency Number: 201-796-7100

For CHEMTREC assistance, call: 800-424-9300

For International CHEMTREC assistance, call: 703-527-3887

Section 2 - Composition, Information on Ingredients

CAS#	Chemical Name	Percent	EINECS/ELINCS
5970-45-6	Zinc Acetate Dihydrate	98+	unlisted

Section 3 - Hazards Identification

EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

Appearance: white crystals.

Warning! Causes eye irritation. Harmful if swallowed. Very toxic to aquatic organisms.

Target Organs: Eyes.

Potential Health Effects

Eye: Causes eye irritation.

Skin: May cause skin irritation. May be harmful if absorbed through the skin.

Ingestion: Harmful if swallowed. May cause irritation of the digestive tract.



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Inhalation: May cause respiratory tract irritation. May be harmful if inhaled.

Chronic: Chronic exposure may cause kidney damage.

Section 4 - First Aid Measures

Eyes: Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, occasionally lifting the upper and lower eyelids. Get medical aid.

Skin: Get medical aid. Immediately flush skin with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and shoes.

Ingestion: Do not induce vomiting. Get medical aid immediately. Call a poison control center.

Inhalation: Remove from exposure and move to fresh air immediately. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical aid. Do not use mouth-to-mouth resuscitation if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; induce artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other proper respiratory medical device.

Notes to Physician: Treat symptomatically and supportively.

Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures

General Information: As in any fire, wear a self-contained breathing apparatus in pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent), and full protective gear.

Extinguishing Media: Use water spray, dry chemical, carbon dioxide, or chemical foam.

Flash Point: Not applicable.

Autoignition Temperature: Not applicable.

Explosion Limits, Lower: Not available.

Upper: Not available.

NFPA Rating: (estimated) Health: 2; Flammability: 0; Instability: 0

Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

General Information: Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8.

Spills/Leaks: Vacuum or sweep up material and place into a suitable disposal container. Avoid generating dusty conditions. Provide ventilation. Do not let this chemical enter the environment.



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Section 7 - Handling and Storage

Handling: Use with adequate ventilation. Minimize dust generation and accumulation. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Do not ingest or inhale.

Storage: Store in a cool, dry place. Store in a tightly closed container.

Section 8 - Exposure Controls, Personal Protection

Engineering Controls: Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash facility and a safety shower. Use adequate ventilation to keep airborne concentrations low.

Exposure Limits

Chemical Name	ACGIH	NIOSH	OSHA - Final PELs
Zinc Acetate Dihydrate	none listed	none listed	none listed
Zinc Acetate Anhydrous	none listed	none listed	none listed

OSHA Vacated PELs: Zinc acetate dihydrate: No OSHA Vacated PELs are listed for this chemical. Zinc acetate anhydrous: No OSHA Vacated PELs are listed for this chemical.

Personal Protective Equipment

Eyes: Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by OSHA's eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard EN166.

Skin: Wear appropriate protective gloves to prevent skin exposure.

Clothing: Wear appropriate protective clothing to prevent skin exposure.

Respirators: Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard EN 149. Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced.

Section 9 - Physical and Chemical Properties

Physical State: Crystals

Appearance: white

Odor: faint odor - acetic odor

pH: 6.0 - 7.0 (5% in water (25°C))

Vapor Pressure: Not available.

Vapor Density: Not available.

Evaporation Rate: Not available.

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Viscosity: Not available.

Boiling Point: Not available.

Freezing/Melting Point: 100 deg C

Decomposition Temperature: Not available.

Solubility: 430 g/L (20°C)

Specific Gravity/Density: 1.840

Molecular Formula: $\text{Zn}(\text{CH}_3\text{COO})_2 \cdot 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$

Molecular Weight: 219.50

Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

Chemical Stability: Stable under normal temperatures and pressures.

Conditions to Avoid: Incompatible materials, dust generation, excess heat.

Incompatibilities with Other Materials: Strong oxidizing agents.

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, zinc oxides.

Hazardous Polymerization: Will not occur.

Section 11 - Toxicological Information

RTECS#:

CAS# 5970-45-6: ZG8750000

CAS# 557-34-6: AK1500000

LD50/LC50:

CAS# 5970-45-6:

Draize test, rabbit, eye: 20 mg/24H Moderate;

Draize test, rabbit, skin: 500 mg/24H Mild;

Oral, mouse: LD50 = 287 mg/kg;

Oral, rat: LD50 = 794 mg/kg;

CAS# 557-34-6:

Oral, rat: LD50 = 2510 mg/kg;

Carcinogenicity:

CAS# 5970-45-6: Not listed by ACGIH, IARC, NTP, or CA Prop 65.

CAS# 557-34-6: Not listed by ACGIH, IARC, NTP, or CA Prop 65.

Epidemiology: No information found

Teratogenicity: No information found

Reproductive Effects: See actual entry in RTECS for complete information.

Mutagenicity: No information found

Neurotoxicity: No information found

Other Studies:



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Section 12 - Ecological Information

No information available.

Section 13 - Disposal Considerations

Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. US EPA guidelines for the classification determination are listed in 40 CFR Parts 261.3. Additionally, waste generators must consult state and local hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.

RCRA P-Series: None listed.

RCRA U-Series: None listed.

Section 14 - Transport Information

	US DOT	Canada TDG
Shipping Name:	ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOL, N.O.S.	ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOL
Hazard Class:	9	9
UN Number:	UN3077	UN3077
Packing Group:	III	III

Section 15 - Regulatory Information

US FEDERAL

TSCA

CAS# 5970-45-6 is not on the TSCA Inventory because it is a hydrate. It is considered to be listed if the CAS number for the anhydrous form is on the inventory (40CFR720.3(u)(2)).



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CAS# 557-34-6 is listed on the TSCA inventory.

Health & Safety Reporting List

None of the chemicals are on the Health & Safety Reporting List.

Chemical Test Rules

None of the chemicals in this product are under a Chemical Test Rule.

Section 12b

None of the chemicals are listed under TSCA Section 12b.

TSCA Significant New Use Rule

None of the chemicals in this material have a SNUR under TSCA.

CERCLA Hazardous Substances and corresponding RQs

CAS# 557-34-6: 1000 lb final RQ; 454 kg final RQ

SARA Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances

None of the chemicals in this product have a TPQ.

SARA Codes

CAS # 5970-45-6: immediate.

Section 313

This material contains Zinc acetate dihydrate (listed as Zinc compounds), 98+%, (CAS# 5970-45-6) which is subject to the reporting requirements of Section 313 of SARA Title III and 40 CFR Part 373.

This material contains Zinc acetate anhydrous (listed as Zinc compounds), -%, (CAS# 557-34-6) which is subject to the reporting requirements of Section 313 of SARA Title III and 40 CFR Part 373.

Clean Air Act:

This material does not contain any hazardous air pollutants.

This material does not contain any Class 1 Ozone depleters.

This material does not contain any Class 2 Ozone depleters.

Clean Water Act:

CAS# 557-34-6 is listed as a Hazardous Substance under the CWA.

None of the chemicals in this product are listed as Priority Pollutants under the CWA. CAS# 5970-45-6 is listed as a Toxic Pollutant under the Clean Water Act.

CAS# 557-34-6 is listed as a Toxic Pollutant under the Clean Water Act.

OSHA:

None of the chemicals in this product are considered highly hazardous by OSHA.

STATE

CAS# 5970-45-6 can be found on the following state right to know lists:

California, (listed as Zinc compounds), New Jersey, (listed as Zinc compounds), Pennsylvania, (listed as Zinc compounds).

CAS# 557-34-6 can be found on the following state right to know lists: California, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Massachusetts.

California Prop 65

California No Significant Risk Level: None of the chemicals in this product are listed.

European/International Regulations

European Labeling in Accordance with EC Directives

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Hazard Symbols:

XN N

Risk Phrases:

R 22 Harmful if swallowed.

R 36 Irritating to eyes.

R 50 Very toxic to aquatic organisms.

Safety Phrases:

S 26 In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.

S 29 Do not empty into drains.

S 39 Wear eye/face protection.

S 57 Use appropriate containment to avoid environmental contamination.

WGK (Water Danger/Protection)

CAS# 5970-45-6: No information available.

CAS# 557-34-6: 1

Canada - DSL/NDSL

CAS# 5970-45-6 is listed on Canada's DSL List.

CAS# 557-34-6 is listed on Canada's DSL List.

Canada - WHMIS

This product has a WHMIS classification of D2B.

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the MSDS contains all of the information required by those regulations.

Canadian Ingredient Disclosure List

CAS# 5970-45-6 is not listed on the Canadian Ingredient Disclosure List.

CAS# 557-34-6 is not listed on the Canadian Ingredient Disclosure List.

Section 16 - Additional Information

MSDS Creation Date: 12/12/1997 From ThermFishSci

Revision #1 Date: 12/22/2008

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