

# Camlab Limited – Material Safety Data Sheet

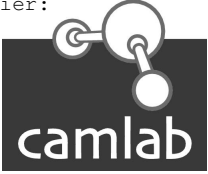
## 1. Identification

Product Code CC/0145-DA

Product Name **CALCIUM HYDROXIDE pure**

Molecular Formula **Ca(OH)<sub>2</sub> =74.09**

CAS Number **1305-62-0**

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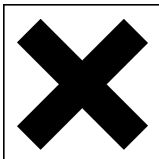
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## 2. Composition

Component	CAS No	EEC No	Conc w/w	Classification & Risk Phrases	Exp (See 8.1)
Calcium hydroxide	1305-62-0	215-137-3	> 92.0%	Xn : R38,R41	WEL

## 3. Hazards Identification



Irritating to skin. Risk of serious damage to eyes.

## 4. 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.

## 5. Fire Fighting Measures

Hazards Evacuate area immediately. Keep up wind. Avoid exposure to toxic vapours and fumes. Fire-fighters should wear protective clothing and breathing apparatus. May evolve toxic fumes if involved in a fire.

Extinguishing Media Dry chemical powder.

Unsuitable Media Nothing specified.

## 6. Accidental Release Measures

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

Environmental Presents no major environmental hazard.

## 6. Accidental Release Measures (continued)

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.

## 7. Storage & Handling

Handling Precautions	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.
Storage Conditions	Well ventilated, cool, dry storage . Keep well protected from ingress of water and well separated from acids

## 8.1 Workplace Exposure Limits

Workplace Exposure Limits	Long Term (8hr TWA):	-	ppm	5.000	mg m-3
	Short Term (15min Period):	-	ppm	-	mg m-3

## 8.2 Personal Protection

Respiratory	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.
Hands	Use nitrile gloves or PVC gauntlets.
Eyes	Use chemical splash proof glasses or goggles.
Skin	Avoid contact with skin. If skin contact or contamination of clothing is likely, protective clothing must be worn.

## 9. Physical & Chemical Properties

Appearance	Fine dry white powder.
Odour	Odourless.
pH	12 @ 20 °C
Boiling point	0.0 °C
Melting point	Not available
Flash point	Not available
Upper Flammable Limit	Not available
Lower Flammable Limit	Not available
Auto Ignition	Not available
Explosive properties	No.
Oxidising Properties	No.
Vapour Pressure	Not available
Relative Density	2.3430 °C
Water Solubility	Slightly soluble in water.

## 10. Stability & Reactivity

Chemical Stability	Stable under normal conditions
Conditions to Avoid	Avoid ingress of water and contact with acids.
Materials to Avoid	Acids. Reacts violently with maleic anhydride and nitroparaffins eg nitromethane. May form toxic materials when heated with a mixture of potassium nitrate and chlorinated phenols.
Hazardous Decomposition Products	May produce hazardous fumes if involved in a fire.

## 11. Toxicological Information

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.

## 11. Toxicological Information (continued)

LD50 Skin	Not available
Ingest	Low order of acute toxicity. Ingestion of large amounts will cause nausea, abdominal discomfort, vomiting and diarrhoea.
LD50 Ingest	Oral Rat 7.34g/Kg
Inhalation	Prolonged exposure to dust or fume concentrations above the occupational exposure limits will produce irritation of the eyes, nose, throat and respiratory tract.
Carcinogenicity	No information is available.
Mutagenicity	No information is available.
Reproductive Effects	No information is available.
Other Information	The irritant effect provides warning that control of exposure is needed.

## 12. Ecological

Small amounts present no specific environmental hazard.

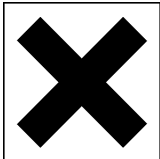
## 13. Disposal Considerations

Disposal Methods	Carefully neutralise with 10% hydrochloric acid, (test with litmus blue -> red), then add a large excess of water, decant the solution and run to waste. Dispose of the sand as solid waste.
Contaminated Packaging	Clean out with a weak hydrochloric acid solution then wash out thoroughly with water.

## 14. Transport Information

Proper Shipping Name	Non-restricted
UN Number	Non-restricted
UN Classification	None
Subsidiary Risk	None
Flash Point	Not available
Packing Group	None
Transport Category	None
Marine pollutant	No
ADR Hazard ID	Non-restricted

## 15. Regulatory Information

Labelling	Harmful.
Classification	
Label Symbols	Xn 
Risk & safety Phrases	Irritating to skin. Risk of serious damage to eyes. In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice. Wear suitable gloves and eye/face protection.
EEC Number	215-137-3

## 16. Other Information

Document Information	This document has been prepared in accordance with directive 88/379/EEC.  The information contained in this document only covers the hazards presented by this material, it DOES NOT constitute a workplace risk assessment.
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## 16. Other Information (continued)

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