# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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

**Product identifier**

**Product name:** Eastman(TM) Cellulose Acetate Butyrate (CAB-171-15)

**Product No.:** P1953712

**Synonyms, Trade Names:** 19537-00

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

- **Identified uses:** Polymer
- **Uses advised against:** None known.

## SECTION 2: Hazards identification

**Hazard Classification:**

**OSHA Specified Hazards:**

- **Combustible dust**

**Warning label items including precautionary statement:**

**Signal Words:** WARNING!

**Hazard Statement(s):** May form combustible dust concentrations in air.

**Precautionary Statement:**

- **Prevention:** P210: Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames. - No smoking.
P243: Take precautionary measures against static discharge.

- **Disposal:** P501: Dispose of contents/container to an appropriate treatment and disposal facility in accordance with applicable laws and regulations, and product characteristics at time of disposal.
Hazard(s) not otherwise classified (HNOC): None known.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

Substances / Mixtures

General information:

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<th>Chemical name</th>
<th>Concentration</th>
<th>Additional identification</th>
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<td>100%</td>
<td>CAS-No.: 9004-36-8</td>
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* All concentrations are percent by weight unless ingredient is a gas. Gas concentrations are in percent by volume.
# This substance has workplace exposure limit(s).

SECTION 4: First aid measures

Description of first aid measures

Inhalation: Move to fresh air. Treat symptomatically. Get medical attention if symptoms persist.

Eye contact: Any material that contacts the eye should be washed out immediately with water. If easy to do, remove contact lenses. Get medical attention if symptoms persist. If molten material contacts the eye, immediately flush with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention immediately.

Skin contact: Wash with soap and water. Get medical attention if symptoms occur. If burned by contact with hot material, cool molten material adhering to skin as quickly as possible with water, and see a physician for removal of adhering material and treatment of burn. Get medical attention.

Ingestion: Seek medical advice.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed:

Burns should be treated as thermal burns. The material will come off as healing occurs; therefore, immediate removal from the skin is not necessary.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Hazards: Contact with molten substance/product may cause severe burns to skin and eyes.

Treatment: Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

General Fire Hazards: Material can accumulate static charges which may cause an electrical spark (ignition source). Use proper bonding and/or grounding procedures.

Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media: Water spray. Dry chemical. Carbon Dioxide.

Unsuitable extinguishing media: None known.
Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture: Powdered material may form explosive dust-air mixtures.

Advice for firefighters

Special fire fighting procedures: Minimize dust generation and accumulation.

Special protective equipment for fire-fighters: Self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures: Wear appropriate personal protective equipment.

Environmental Precautions: Not regarded as dangerous for the environment.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up: Sweep up and place in a clearly labeled container for chemical waste.

Notification Procedures: In the event of a spill or accidental release, notify relevant authorities in accordance with all applicable regulations.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage:

Precautions for safe handling: Avoid contact with molten material. Mixing cellulose esters in a nonpolar hydrocarbon, such as toluene or xylene, may result in the buildup of static electricity, which can cause a flash fire or an explosion. When adding cellulose ester to any flammable liquid, an inert gas atmosphere should be maintained within the vessel.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities: Keep container closed.

Specific end use(s): Polymer

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

Control Parameters

Occupational Exposure Limits

Country specific exposure limits have not been established or are not applicable unless listed below.

Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls: Good general ventilation (typically 10 air changes per hour) should be used. Ventilation rates should be matched to conditions. If applicable, use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to maintain airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If exposure limits have not been established, maintain airborne levels to an acceptable level.
Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

General information: Eye bath. Washing facilities.

Eye/face protection: It is a good industrial hygiene practice to minimize eye contact. Wear a face shield when working with molten material.

Skin protection
   Hand Protection: It is a good industrial hygiene practice to minimize skin contact. When material is heated, wear gloves to protect against thermal burns.

Other: No data available.

Respiratory Protection: If engineering controls do not maintain airborne concentrations below recommended exposure limits (where applicable) or to an acceptable level (in countries where exposure limits have not been established), an approved respirator must be worn. In the United States of America, if respirators are used, a program should be instituted to assure compliance with OSHA Standard 63 FR 1152, January 8, 1998. Respirator type: Air-purifying respirator with an appropriate, government approved (where applicable), air-purifying filter, cartridge or canister. Contact health and safety professional or manufacturer for specific information.

Hygiene measures: Observe good industrial hygiene practices.

Environmental Controls: No data available.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance
   Physical state: solid
   Form: Powder
   Color: White
   Odor: Slight, Characteristic
   Odor Threshold: Not determined.
   pH: No data available.
   Melting Point: 230 - 240 °C
   Boiling Point: No data available.
   Flash Point: Not applicable, combustible solid
   Evaporation Rate: Not determined.
   Flammability (solid, gas): No data available.
   Flammability Limit - Upper (%): No data available.
   Flammability Limit - Lower (%): No data available.
   Vapor pressure: Not determined.
   Vapor density (air=1): No data available.
   Specific Gravity: > 1 (estimated)
   Solubility(ies)
      Solubility in Water: Negligible
      Solubility (other): No data available.
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water): No data available.
Autoignition Temperature: No data available.
Decomposition Temperature: Thermal stability not tested. Low stability hazard expected at normal operating temperatures.
Dynamic viscosity: No data available.
Kinematic viscosity: Not determined.
Explosive properties: No data available.
Oxidizing properties: No data available.
Dust Explosion Class: St 2 - strong explosion

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

Reactivity: None known. Materials containing similar structural groups are normally stable.
Chemical Stability: Not fully evaluated.
Possibility of Hazardous Reactions: None known.
Conditions to Avoid: Avoid dust formation.
Incompatible Materials: Strong oxidizing agents.
Hazardous Decomposition Products: Carbon Monoxide. Carbon Dioxide.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

Information on likely routes of exposure
Inhalation: None known.
Ingestion: None known.
Skin contact: Molten material will produce thermal burns.
Eye contact: Molten material will produce thermal burns.

Information on toxicological effects
Oral
Product: No data available.
Specified substance(s): cellulose acetate butyrate
Oral LD-50: (Rat): > 3,200 mg/kg (highest dose tested)
Dermal
Product: No data available.
Specified substance(s): cellulose acetate butyrate
Dermal LD-50: (Guinea Pig): > 1,000 mg/kg (highest dose tested)
Inhalation
Product: No data available.
Repeated dose toxicity
   Product: No data available.

Skin Corrosion/Irritation
   Product: No data available.
   Specified substance(s):
      cellulose acetate butyrate
         (Guinea Pig, 24 h): slight

Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation
   Product: No data available.

Respiratory or Skin Sensitization
   Product: No data available.
   Specified substance(s):
      cellulose acetate butyrate
         Skin Sensitization:: non-sensitizing

Carcinogenicity
   Product: No data available.
   Specified substance(s):
      cellulose acetate butyrate
         OSHA Not Listed. IARC Not Listed. NTP Not Listed.

Toxicity to reproduction
   Product: No data available.

Developmental toxicity
   Product: No data available.

Germ Cell Mutagenicity
   In vitro
      Product: No data available.
   In vivo
      Product: No data available.

Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Single Exposure
   Product: No data available.

Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Repeated Exposure
   Product: No data available.

Aspiration Hazard
   Product: No data available.

Other effects: No data available.
SECTION 12: Ecological information

Ecotoxicity:

Acute hazards to the aquatic environment:

Fish
Product: No data available.

Aquatic Invertebrates
Product: No data available.

Chronic hazards to the aquatic environment:

Fish
Product: No data available.

Aquatic Invertebrates
Product: No data available.

Toxicity to Aquatic Plants
Product: No data available.

Persistence and Degradability

Biodegradation
Product: No data available.

BOD/COD Ratio
Product: No data available.

Bioaccumulative Potential
Bioconcentration Factor (BCF)
Product: No data available.

Partition Coefficient n-octanol / water (log Kow)
Product: No data available.

Mobility in Soil: No data available.

Other Adverse Effects: No data available.
SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

Waste treatment methods

General information: No data available.

Disposal methods: Dispose of waste and residues in accordance with local authority requirements. Incinerate.

SECTION 14: Transport information

Important Note: Shipping descriptions may vary based on mode of transport, quantities, package size, and/or origin and destination. Consult your company’s Hazardous Materials/Dangerous Goods expert for information specific to your situation.

DOT
Class not regulated

IMDG - International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code
Class not regulated

IATA
Class not regulated

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

This product has been classified in accordance with hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the SDS contains all the information required by the Controlled Products Regulations. WHMIS (Canada) Status: noncontrolled

SARA 311-312 Hazard Classification(s):
fire hazard

US EPCRA (SARA Title III) Section 313 - Toxic Chemical List
NONE

OSHA: hazardous
TSCA (US Toxic Substances Control Act): This product is listed on the TSCA inventory. Any impurities present in this product are exempt from listing.

DSL (Canadian Domestic Substances List) and CEPA (Canadian Environmental Protection Act): This product is listed on the DSL. Any impurities present in this product are exempt from listing.

AICS / NICNAS (Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances and National Industrial Chemicals Notification and Assessment Scheme): This product is listed on AICS or otherwise complies with NICNAS.

MITI (Japanese Handbook of Existing and New Chemical Substances): This product is listed in the Handbook or has been approved in Japan by new substance notification.

ECL (Korean Toxic Substances Control Act): This product is listed on the Korean inventory or otherwise complies with the Korean Toxic Substances Control Act.

Philippines Inventory (PICCS): All components of this product are listed on the Philippine inventory or otherwise comply with PICCS.

Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China: All components are listed on the Inventory of Existing Chemicals Substances in China (IECSC) or are covered under a polymer exemption. Imports may be restricted. Please contact Eastman Chemical Company, Product Safety and Health, for import details.

SECTION 16: Other information

HMIS® Hazard Ratings: Health - 1, Flammability - 1, Chemical Reactivity - 0

HMIS® rating involves data interpretations that may vary from company to company. They are intended only for rapid, general identification of the magnitude of the specific hazard. To deal adequately with the safe handling of this material, all the information contained in this MSDS must be considered.

Revision Information: New SDS

Key literature references and sources for data: No data available.

Training information: No data available.

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