

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006

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

### 1.1 Product identifiers

Product name : Zinc oxide for analysis EMSURE® ACS, Reag. Ph Eur

Product Number : 1.08849  
Catalogue No. : 108849  
Brand : Millipore  
Index-No. : 030-013-00-7  
REACH No. : 01-2119463881-32-XXXX  
CAS-No. : 1314-13-2

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

Identified uses : Reagent for analysis

### 1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company : Merck Life Science UK Limited  
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E-mail address : TechnicalService@merckgroup.com

### 1.4 Emergency telephone

Emergency Phone # : +44 (0)870 8200418 (CHEMTREC)

## SECTION 2: Hazards identification

### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

**Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 as amended by GB-CLP Regulation, UK SI 2019/720, and UK SI 2020/1567**


Short-term (acute) aquatic hazard (Category 1), H400

Long-term (chronic) aquatic hazard (Category 1), H410


For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

### 2.2 Label elements

**Labelling according Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 as amended by GB-CLP Regulation, UK SI 2019/720, and UK SI 2020/1567**

|  |   |
|--|---|
| Pictogram  |   |
| Signal Word  | Warning   |
| Hazard statement(s)<br>H410                        | Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.   |
| Precautionary statement(s)<br>P273<br>P391<br>P501 | Avoid release to the environment.<br>Collect spillage.<br>Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant. |
| Supplemental Hazard Statements                     | none  |

### Reduced Labeling (<= 125 ml)

|                                |   |
|--------------------------------|---|
| Pictogram                      |  |
| Signal Word                    | Warning   |
| Hazard statement(s)            | none  |
| Precautionary statement(s)     | none  |
| Supplemental Hazard Statements | none  |

### 2.3 Other hazards

This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.1 Substances

|                  |                |
|------------------|----------------|
| Formula          | : ZnO          |
| Molecular weight | : 81.39 g/mol  |
| CAS-No.          | : 1314-13-2    |
| EC-No.           | : 215-222-5    |
| Index-No.        | : 030-013-00-7 |

| Component   | Classification   | Concentration |
|---|--|---------------|
| <b>Zinc oxide</b>   |  |               |
| CAS-No. 1314-13-2<br>EC-No. 215-222-5<br>Index-No. 030-013-00-7 | Aquatic Acute 1; Aquatic Chronic 1; H400, H410<br>M-Factor - Aquatic Acute: 1<br>M-Factor - Aquatic Chronic: 1 | <= 100 %      |

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## SECTION 4: First aid measures

### 4.1 Description of first-aid measures

#### **If inhaled**

After inhalation: fresh air.

#### **In case of skin contact**

In case of skin contact: Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower.

#### **In case of eye contact**

After eye contact: rinse out with plenty of water. Remove contact lenses.

#### **If swallowed**

After swallowing: make victim drink water (two glasses at most). Consult doctor if feeling unwell.

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

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11

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

No data available

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## SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

### 5.1 Extinguishing media

#### **Suitable extinguishing media**

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

#### **Unsuitable extinguishing media**

For this substance/mixture no limitations of extinguishing agents are given.

### 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Zinc/zinc oxides

Not combustible.

Ambient fire may liberate hazardous vapours.

### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

### 5.4 Further information

Prevent fire extinguishing water from contaminating surface water or the ground water system.

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## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

### 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Advice for non-emergency personnel: Avoid inhalation of dusts. Evacuate the danger area, observe emergency procedures, consult an expert.

For personal protection see section 8.

### 6.2 Environmental precautions

Do not let product enter drains.

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

Cover drains. Collect, bind, and pump off spills. Observe possible material restrictions (see sections 7 and 10). Take up dry. Dispose of properly. Clean up affected area. Avoid generation of dusts.

### 6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

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## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

For precautions see section 2.2.

### 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

#### Storage conditions

Tightly closed. Dry.

Recommended storage temperature see product label.

#### Storage class

Storage class (TRGS 510): 11: Combustible Solids

### 7.3 Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

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## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1 Control parameters

#### Ingredients with workplace control parameters

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

### 8.2 Exposure controls

#### Personal protective equipment

##### Eye/face protection

Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU). Safety glasses

##### Skin protection

This recommendation applies only to the product stated in the safety data sheet, supplied by us and for the designated use. When dissolving in or mixing with other substances and under conditions deviating from those stated in EN374 please contact the supplier of CE-approved gloves (e.g. KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, Internet: [www.kcl.de](http://www.kcl.de)).

Full contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm

Break through time: 480 min

Material tested:KCL 741 Dermatril® L

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Splash contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm  
Break through time: 480 min  
Material tested:KCL 741 Dermatril® L

### **Respiratory protection**

required when dusts are generated.

Our recommendations on filtering respiratory protection are based on the following standards: DIN EN 143, DIN 14387 and other accompanying standards relating to the used respiratory protection system.

Recommended Filter type: Filter type P1

The entrepreneur has to ensure that maintenance, cleaning and testing of respiratory protective devices are carried out according to the instructions of the producer. These measures have to be properly documented.

### **Control of environmental exposure**

Do not let product enter drains.

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

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

|   |  |
|---|--|
| a) Physical state                               | solid  |
| b) Color  | white  |
| c) Odor   | odorless   |
| d) Melting point/freezing point                 | Melting point/freezing point: > 1,000 °C at ca.1,013.25 hPa - Regulation (EC) No. 440/2008, Annex, A.1 |
| e) Initial boiling point and boiling range      | No data available  |
| f) Flammability (solid, gas)                    | No data available  |
| g) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits | No data available  |
| h) Flash point                                  | Not applicable   |
| i) Autoignition temperature                     | No data available  |
| j) Decomposition temperature                    | No data available  |
| k) pH   | 6.72   |
| l) Viscosity                                    | Viscosity, kinematic: No data available<br>Viscosity, dynamic: No data available                       |
| m) Water solubility                             | 0.0029 g/l at 20 °C - OECD Test Guideline 105- slightly soluble  |
| n) Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water       | Not applicable for inorganic substances  |
| o) Vapor pressure                               | No data available  |
| p) Density                                      | 5.68 g/cm <sup>3</sup> at 22 °C  |
| Relative density                                | 5.68 at 22 °C - Regulation (EC) No. 440/2008, Annex, A.3   |

- q) Relative vapor density
- r) Particle characteristics No data available
- s) Explosive properties No data available
- t) Oxidizing properties none

## 9.2 Other safety information

Bulk density ca.200 - 700 kg/m<sup>3</sup>

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## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1 Reactivity

No data available

### 10.2 Chemical stability

The product is chemically stable under standard ambient conditions (room temperature) .

### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Violent reactions possible with:  
hydrogen peroxide  
magnesium

### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

no information available

### 10.5 Incompatible materials

No data available

### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

In the event of fire: see section 5

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## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

#### Acute toxicity

LD50 Oral - Rat - male and female - > 2,000 mg/kg  
(OECD Test Guideline 423)

LC50 Inhalation - Rat - male and female - 4 h - > 1.79 mg/l - dust/mist

(US-EPA)

LD50 Dermal - Rat - male and female - > 2,000 mg/kg  
(OECD Test Guideline 402)

#### Skin corrosion/irritation

Skin - reconstructed human epidermis (RhE)

Result: No skin irritation - 1 h

(OECD Test Guideline 431)

#### Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Eyes - Bovine cornea

Result: No eye irritation - 4 h

(OECD Test Guideline 437)

**Respiratory or skin sensitization**

Maximization Test - Guinea pig

Result: negative

(OECD Test Guideline 406)

**Germ cell mutagenicity**

Test Type: Ames test

Test system: Escherichia coli/Salmonella typhimurium

Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation

Method: OECD Test Guideline 471

Result: negative

Test Type: In vitro mammalian cell gene mutation test

Test system: mouse lymphoma cells

Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation

Method: OECD Test Guideline 476

Result: Positive results were obtained in some in vitro tests.

Test Type: Chromosome aberration test in vitro

Test system: Chinese hamster lung cells

Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation

Method: OECD Test Guideline 473

Result: negative

Test Type: Chromosome aberration test in vitro

Test system: Human lymphocytes

Metabolic activation: without metabolic activation

Result: positive

Remarks: (ECHA)

Test Type: Micronucleus test

Test system: Human epithelioid cells

Metabolic activation: without metabolic activation

Method: OECD Test Guideline 487

Result: negative

Test Type: In vivo micronucleus test

Species: Mouse

Cell type: Red blood cells (erythrocytes)

Application Route: Intraperitoneal

Method: OECD Test Guideline 474

Result: negative

**Carcinogenicity**

No data available

**Reproductive toxicity**

No data available

**Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure**

No data available

**Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure**

No data available

**Aspiration hazard**

No data available

## 11.2 Additional Information

### Endocrine disrupting properties

#### Product:

Assessment

The substance/mixture does not contain components considered to have endocrine disrupting properties according to REACH Article 57(f) or Commission Delegated regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605 at levels of 0.1% or higher.

Repeated dose toxicity - Rat - male and female - Oral - 13 Weeks - NOAEL (No observed adverse effect level) - 31.52 mg/kg

Remarks: (in analogy to similar products)

Repeated dose toxicity - Rat - male - Inhalation - 3 Months

Repeated dose toxicity - Rat - male and female - Dermal - 28 d - LOAEL (Lowest observed adverse effect level) - 75 mg/kg

Zinc oxide dust or fume can irritate the respiratory tract. Prolonged skin contact can produce a severe dermatitis called oxide pox. Exposure to high levels of dust or fume can cause metallic taste, marked thirst, coughing, fatigue, weakness, muscular pain, and nausea followed by fever and chills. Severe overexposure may result in bronchitis or pneumonia with a bluish tint to the skin., prolonged or repeated exposure can cause:, Reversible liver enzyme abnormalities., Diarrhea

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

The following applies to zinc compounds in general: only slightly absorbable via the gastrointestinal tract. Adstringent effect on mucous membranes. Metal-fume fever after inhalation of large quantities.

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

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## SECTION 12: Ecological information

### 12.1 Toxicity

|   |  |
|---|--|
| Toxicity to fish                                    | semi-static test LC50 - Danio rerio (zebra fish) - 2.525 mg/l - 96 h<br>Remarks: (ECHA)                          |
| Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates | static test EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 1 mg/l - 48 h<br>(OECD Test Guideline 202)                       |
| Toxicity to algae                                   | static test NOEC - Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (microalgae) - 0.024 mg/l - 72 h<br>(OECD Test Guideline 201) |
| Toxicity to bacteria                                | static test EC50 - activated sludge - > 1,000 mg/l - 3 h<br>(OECD Test Guideline 209)                            |
| Toxicity to   | flow-through test NOEC - Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) - 0.2   |



fish(Chronic toxicity) mg/l - 30 d  
(OECD Test Guideline 215)  
Remarks: (in analogy to similar products)  
The value is given in analogy to the following substances: zinc chloride

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates(Chronic toxicity) semi-static test EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 0.08 mg/l - 21 d  
(OECD Test Guideline 211)

#### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

The methods for determining the biological degradability are not applicable to inorganic substances.

#### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

#### 12.4 Mobility in soil

No data available

#### 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

#### 12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties

##### Product:

Assessment : The substance/mixture does not contain components considered to have endocrine disrupting properties according to REACH Article 57(f) or Commission Delegated regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605 at levels of 0.1% or higher.

#### 12.7 Other adverse effects

No data available

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### SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

#### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

##### **Product**

Waste material must be disposed of in accordance with the national and local regulations. Leave chemicals in original containers. No mixing with other waste. Handle uncleaned containers like the product itself. See [www.retrologistik.com](http://www.retrologistik.com) for processes regarding the return of chemicals and containers, or contact us there if you have further questions. Notice Directive on waste 2008/98/EC.

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### SECTION 14: Transport information

#### 14.1 UN number

ADR/RID: 3077

IMDG: 3077

IATA: 3077

#### 14.2 UN proper shipping name

ADR/RID: ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. (Zinc oxide)

IMDG: ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. (Zinc oxide)

IATA: Environmentally hazardous substance, solid, n.o.s. (Zinc oxide)

**14.3 Transport hazard class(es)**

|            |         |         |
|------------|---------|---------|
| ADR/RID: 9 | IMDG: 9 | IATA: 9 |
|------------|---------|---------|

**14.4 Packaging group**

|              |           |           |
|--------------|-----------|-----------|
| ADR/RID: III | IMDG: III | IATA: III |
|--------------|-----------|-----------|

**14.5 Environmental hazards**

|              |                            |           |
|--------------|----------------------------|-----------|
| ADR/RID: yes | IMDG Marine pollutant: yes | IATA: yes |
|--------------|----------------------------|-----------|

**14.6 Special precautions for user**

Tunnel restriction code : (-)

**Further information**

EHS-Mark required (ADR 2.2.9.1.10, IMDG code 2.10.3) for single packagings and combination packagings containing inner packagings with Dangerous Goods > 5L for liquids or > 5kg for solids.

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**SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

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

This material safety data sheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006.

**National legislation**

Seveso III: Directive 2012/18/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council on the control of major-accident hazards involving dangerous substances.

**Other regulations**

Take note of Dir 94/33/EC on the protection of young people at work.

**15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment**

For this product a chemical safety assessment was not carried out

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**SECTION 16: Other information**

**Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3.**

|      |                             |
|------|-----------------------------|
| H400 | Very toxic to aquatic life. |
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|      |   |
|------|---|
| H410 | Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects. |
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## Full text of other abbreviations

ADN - European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways; ADR - Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road; AIIC - Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals; ASTM - American Society for the Testing of Materials; bw - Body weight; CMR - Carcinogen, Mutagen or Reproductive Toxicant; DIN - Standard of the German Institute for Standardisation; DSL - Domestic Substances List (Canada); ECx - Concentration associated with x% response; ELx - Loading rate associated with x% response; EmS - Emergency Schedule; ENCS - Existing and New Chemical Substances (Japan); ErCx - Concentration associated with x% growth rate response; GHS - Globally Harmonized System; GLP - Good Laboratory Practice; IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer; IATA - International Air Transport Association; IBC - International Code for the Construction and Equipment of Ships carrying Dangerous Chemicals in Bulk; IC50 - Half maximal inhibitory concentration; ICAO - International Civil Aviation Organization; IECSC - Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China; IMDG - International Maritime Dangerous Goods; IMO - International Maritime Organization; ISHL - Industrial Safety and Health Law (Japan); ISO - International Organisation for Standardization; KECI - Korea Existing Chemicals Inventory; LC50 - Lethal Concentration to 50 % of a test population; LD50 - Lethal Dose to 50% of a test population (Median Lethal Dose); MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships; n.o.s. - Not Otherwise Specified; NO(A)EC - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Concentration; NO(A)EL - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Level; NOELR - No Observable Effect Loading Rate; NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals; OECD - Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development; OPPTS - Office of Chemical Safety and Pollution Prevention; PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic substance; PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances; (Q)SAR - (Quantitative) Structure Activity Relationship; REACH - Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals; RID - Regulations concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail; SADT - Self-Accelerating Decomposition Temperature; SDS - Safety Data Sheet; TCSI - Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory; TECI - Thailand Existing Chemicals Inventory; TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act (United States); UN - United Nations; UNRTDG - United Nations Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods; vPvB - Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative

## Further information

The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. The information in this document is based on the present state of our knowledge and is applicable to the product with regard to appropriate safety precautions. It does not represent any guarantee of the properties of the product. Sigma-Aldrich Corporation and its Affiliates shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product. See [www.sigma-aldrich.com](http://www.sigma-aldrich.com) and/or the reverse side of invoice or packing slip for additional terms and conditions of sale.

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