



**SAFETY DATA SHEET**  
ZINC SULPHATE HEPTAHYDRATE

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**Section 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking**

**1.1. Product identifier**

**Product name:** ZINC SULPHATE HEPTAHYDRATE

**REACH registered name:** ZINC SULPHATE HEPTAHYDRATE

**REACH registered number(s):** 01-2119474684-27-XXXX

**CAS number:** 7733-02-0

**EINECS number:** 231-793-3

**Product code:** ZINSUL

**Synonyms:** WHITE VITRIOL

GOSLARITE

ALTERNATIVE CAS NO. 7446-19-7

**INCI name:**

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

**Use of substance / mixture:** Beverage Processing Aids and Other Usages

**1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**

**Company name:** Murphy and Son Ltd

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**1.4. Emergency telephone number**

**Emergency tel:** +44 115 978 5494

(office hours only)

**Section 2: Hazards identification**

**2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture**

**Classification under CLP:** Acute Tox. 4: H302; Eye Dam. 1: H318; Aquatic Chronic 1: H410; Aquatic Acute 1: H400

**Classification under CHIP:** Xn: R22; Xi: R41; N: R50/53

**Most important adverse effects:** Harmful if swallowed. Causes serious eye damage. Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

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**2.2. Label elements**

**Label elements under CLP:**

**Hazard statements:** H302: Harmful if swallowed.  
H318: Causes serious eye damage.  
H410: Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

**Signal words:** Danger

**Hazard pictograms:** GHS05: Corrosion  
GHS09: Environmental  
GHS07: Exclamation mark



**Precautionary statements:** P264: Wash thoroughly after handling.  
P273: Avoid release to the environment.  
P280: Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.  
P305+351+338: IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.  
P501: Dispose of contents/container to hazardous or special waste collection point.

**2.3. Other hazards**

**PBT:** This product is not identified as a PBT/vPvB substance.

**Section 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

**3.1. Substances**

**Chemical identity:** ZINC SULPHATE HEPTAHYDRATE

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**EINECS number:** 231-793-3

**REACH registered number(s):** 01-2119474684-27-XXXX

**Section 4: First aid measures**

**4.1. Description of first aid measures**

**Skin contact:** Remove all contaminated clothes and footwear immediately unless stuck to skin.  
Drench the affected skin with running water for 10 minutes or longer if substance is still on skin. Consult a doctor.

**Eye contact:** Bathe the eye with running water for 15 minutes. Consult a doctor.

**Ingestion:** Wash out mouth with water. Do not induce vomiting. If conscious, give half a litre of water to drink immediately. Consult a doctor.

**Inhalation:** Remove casualty from exposure ensuring one's own safety whilst doing so. Consult a doctor.

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**4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**

**Skin contact:** There may be irritation and redness at the site of contact.

**Eye contact:** There may be irritation and redness. The eyes may water profusely.

**Ingestion:** There may be soreness and redness of the mouth and throat. Nausea and stomach pain may occur. There may be vomiting.

**Inhalation:** There may be irritation of the throat with a feeling of tightness in the chest.

**Delayed / immediate effects:** Immediate effects can be expected after short-term exposure.

**4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

**Immediate / special treatment:** Not applicable.

**Section 5: Fire-fighting measures**

**5.1. Extinguishing media**

**Extinguishing media:** Suitable extinguishing media for the surrounding fire should be used. Use water spray to cool containers.

**5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**

**Exposure hazards:** In combustion emits toxic fumes.

**5.3. Advice for fire-fighters**

**Advice for fire-fighters:** Wear self-contained breathing apparatus. Wear protective clothing to prevent contact with skin and eyes.

**Section 6: Accidental release measures**

**6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

**Personal precautions:** Refer to section 8 of SDS for personal protection details. If outside do not approach from downwind. If outside keep bystanders upwind and away from danger point. Mark out the contaminated area with signs and prevent access to unauthorised personnel.

**6.2. Environmental precautions**

**Environmental precautions:** Do not discharge into drains or rivers.

**6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up**

**Clean-up procedures:** Transfer to a closable, labelled salvage container for disposal by an appropriate method.

**6.4. Reference to other sections**

**Reference to other sections:** Refer to section 8 of SDS.

**Section 7: Handling and storage**

**7.1. Precautions for safe handling**

**Handling requirements:** Avoid direct contact with the substance. Ensure there is sufficient ventilation of the area. Do not handle in a confined space. Avoid the formation or spread of dust in the air.

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**7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**

**Storage conditions:** Store in cool, well ventilated area. Keep container tightly closed. The floor of the storage room must be impermeable to prevent the escape of liquids.

**7.3. Specific end use(s)**

**Specific end use(s):** Beverage Processing Aids and Other Usages

**Section 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

**8.1. Control parameters**

**Workplace exposure limits:** No data available.

**DNEL/PNEC Values**

**DNEL / PNEC** No data available.

**8.2. Exposure controls**

**Engineering measures:** Ensure there is sufficient ventilation of the area. The floor of the storage room must be impermeable to prevent the escape of liquids.

**Respiratory protection:** Self-contained breathing apparatus must be available in case of emergency. Respiratory protective device with particle filter.

**Hand protection:** Protective gloves.

**Eye protection:** Safety glasses. Ensure eye bath is to hand.

**Skin protection:** Protective clothing.

**Section 9: Physical and chemical properties**

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

**State:** Crystals

**Colour:** White

**Odour:** Odourless

**Evaporation rate:** Not applicable.

**Oxidising:** Not applicable.

**Solubility in water:** Soluble

**Viscosity:** Not applicable.

**Boiling point/range°C:** No data available.

**Melting point/range°C:** No data available.

**Flammability limits %: lower:** Not applicable.

**upper:** Not applicable.

**Flash point°C:** Not applicable.

**Part.coeff. n-octanol/water:** Not applicable.

**Autoflammability°C:** Not applicable.

**Vapour pressure:** Not applicable.

**Relative density:** 2.0

**pH:** 4-6

**VOC g/l:** Not applicable.

**9.2. Other information**

**Other information:** No data available.

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**Section 10: Stability and reactivity**

**10.1. Reactivity**

**Reactivity:** Stable under recommended transport or storage conditions.

**10.2. Chemical stability**

**Chemical stability:** Stable under normal conditions.

**10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions**

**Hazardous reactions:** Hazardous reactions will not occur under normal transport or storage conditions.  
Decomposition may occur on exposure to conditions or materials listed below.

**10.4. Conditions to avoid**

**Conditions to avoid:** Heat.

**10.5. Incompatible materials**

**Materials to avoid:** Strong oxidising agents. Strong acids.

**10.6. Hazardous decomposition products**

**Haz. decomp. products:** In combustion emits toxic fumes.

**Section 11: Toxicological information**

**11.1. Information on toxicological effects**

**Relevant hazards for substance:**

Hazard	Route	Basis
Acute toxicity (ac. tox. 4)	ING	Based on test data
Serious eye damage/irritation	OPT	Based on test data

**Symptoms / routes of exposure**

**Skin contact:** There may be irritation and redness at the site of contact.

**Eye contact:** There may be irritation and redness. The eyes may water profusely.

**Ingestion:** There may be soreness and redness of the mouth and throat. Nausea and stomach pain may occur. There may be vomiting.

**Inhalation:** There may be irritation of the throat with a feeling of tightness in the chest.

**Delayed / immediate effects:** Immediate effects can be expected after short-term exposure.

**Section 12: Ecological information**

**12.1. Toxicity**

**Ecotoxicity values:** No data available.

**12.2. Persistence and degradability**

**Persistence and degradability:** Not biodegradable.

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**12.3. Bioaccumulative potential**

**Bioaccumulative potential:** Bioaccumulation potential.

**12.4. Mobility in soil**

**12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

**PBT identification:** This product is not identified as a PBT/vPvB substance.

**12.6. Other adverse effects**

**Other adverse effects:** Toxic to aquatic organisms. Toxic to soil organisms.

**Section 13: Disposal considerations**

**13.1. Waste treatment methods**

**Disposal operations:** Transfer to a suitable container and arrange for collection by specialised disposal company.

**NB:** The user's attention is drawn to the possible existence of regional or national regulations regarding disposal.

**Section 14: Transport information**

**14.1. UN number**

**UN number:** UN3077

**14.2. UN proper shipping name**

**Shipping name:** ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S.  
(ZINC SULPHATE)

**14.3. Transport hazard class(es)**

**Transport class:** 9

**14.4. Packing group**

**Packing group:** III

**14.5. Environmental hazards**

**Environmentally hazardous:** Yes

**Marine pollutant:** Yes

**14.6. Special precautions for user**

**Special precautions:** No special precautions.

**Tunnel code:** E

**Transport category:** 3

**Section 15: Regulatory information**

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

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**15.2. Chemical Safety Assessment**

**Chemical safety assessment:** A chemical safety assessment has not been carried out for the substance or the mixture by the supplier.

**Section 16: Other information**

**Other information**

**Other information:** This safety data sheet is prepared in accordance with Commission Regulation (EU) No 453/2010.

\* indicates text in the SDS which has changed since the last revision.

**Phrases used in s.2 and s.3:** H302: Harmful if swallowed.

H318: Causes serious eye damage.

H410: Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

R22: Harmful if swallowed.

R41: Risk of serious damage to eyes.

R50/53: Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

**Legend to abbreviations:** PNEC = predicted no effect level

DNEL = derived no effect level

LD50 = median lethal dose

LC50 = median lethal concentration

EC50 = median effective concentration

IC50 = median inhibitory concentration

dw = dry weight

bw = body weight

cc = closed cup

oc = open cup

MUS = mouse

GPG = guinea pig

RBT = rabbit

HAM = hamster

HMN = human

MAM = mammal

PGN = pigeon

IVN = intravenous

SCU = subcutaneous

SKN = skin

DRM = dermal

OCC = ocular/corneal

PCP = physico-chemical properties

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