



## 1. PRODUCT INFORMATION AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name: Titanium Dioxide USP FCC K

INCI Name: Titanium Dioxide

CAS Number: 13463-67-7

Recommended Use: Colouring agents, Pigments, Cosmetics,

Pharmaceutical, Food/feedstuff additives

Company: Chemistry Connection

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## 2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

#### GHS classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910.1200

Not a hazardous substance or mixture.

#### **GHS** label elements

Not a hazardous substance or mixture.

## Other hazards

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Handling and/or processing of this material may generate a dust which can cause mechanical irritation of the eyes, skin, nose and throat.

#### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

INCI NAME	CAS NO.	CONCENTRATION (%)
Titanium Dioxide	13463-67-7	95 - 100

#### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

**General advice** Do not leave the victim unattended.

Treat symptomatically.

**Inhalation** Remove person to fresh air. If signs/symptoms continue, get

medical attention.

If unconscious, place in recovery position and seek medical

advice.

**Skin Contact** Wash off with soap and water.

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**Eye Contact** Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids.

Remove contact lenses. Protect unharmed eye.

If eye irritation persists, consult a specialist.

**Ingestion** Rinse mouth with water.

If conscious, make the victim drink the following: Give small

amounts of water to drink.

Do not induce vomiting without medical advice.

Consult a physician if necessary.

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

Eye contact: Dust contact with the eyes can lead to mechanical irritation. Inhalation may provoke the following symptoms: Symptoms of Overexposure Inhalation of dust may cause shortness of breath, tightness of the chest, a sore throat and cough.

Skin contact may provoke the following symptoms:

The product is not irritant but as with all fine powders can absorb moisture and natural oils from the surface of the skin during prolonged exposure.

Individuals with sensitive skin may experience skin drying on prolonged or repeated exposure.

Protection of first-aiders

No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without

suitable training.

**Notes to physician** No specific measures identified.

## 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable

**Extinguishing Media** 

Product is compatible with standard fire-fighting agents.

Unsuitable

**Extinguishing Media** 

High volume water jet

Specific hazards during Firefighting

No information available.

**Hazardous** 

**Combustion products** 

No hazardous combustion products are known

Specific extinguishing

methods

Cool containers/tanks with water spray.

**Further information** Standard procedure for chemical fires.

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local

circumstances and the surrounding environment.

No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without

suitable training.

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## **Special protective equipment for firefighters**

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

#### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

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

No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training.

Prevent unauthorized persons entering the zone. Avoid dust formation.

Remove all sources of ignition.

Ventilate the area. Avoid breathing dust.

Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak.

Only qualified personnel equipped with suitable protective equipment may intervene.

Never return spills in original containers for re-use.

Treat recovered material as described in the section "Disposal considerations".

For disposal considerations see section 13.

The danger areas must be delimited and identified using

relevant warning and safety signs.

## **Environmental precautions**

Try to prevent the material from entering drains or water courses.

If the product contaminates rivers and lakes or drains inform respective authorities.

## Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Clean-up methods - small spillage

Clean up promptly by sweeping or vacuum.

Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

Clean-up methods - large spillage Approach release from upwind.

Clean up promptly by sweeping or vacuum.

Avoid creating dusty conditions and prevent wind dispersal. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

#### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

**Technical Measures** Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to

the workstation location.

**Local/Total ventilation** Use only with adequate ventilation.

## Advice on protection against fire and explosion

Normal measures for preventive fire protection.

**Safe Handling** For personal protection see section 8. Avoid creating dust.

Smoking, eating and drinking should be prohibited in the

application area.

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Manual handling guidelines should be adhered to when handling sacks.

In the manufacture of titanium dioxide, product is packaged at temperatures of approximately 100 to 120° C (212 to 248° Fahrenheit). When pigment is shipped shortly after manufacture, it may stay hot for a very long time depending on ambient temperatures and inventory storage practices.

Due to the potential of elevated pigment temperature, caution should be used while handling pigment and in solvent applications. Each work environment must be assessed to determine hazards.

Emptying of flexible intermediate bulk containers (FIBC's) can generate static electricity. Customers using FIBC's should consult leaflet "Tiotainer® Handling Guidelines".

Empty FIBC's by gravity only (do not empty pneumatically). Remove all wrapping prior to emptying FIBC's.

In all cases, the protective cover or wrapping should remain in place during storage and only be removed immediately prior to use.

Care should be taken to avoid moisture, particularly with a partly used pallet of material.

When transferring from one container to another apply earthing measures and use conductive hose material.

# Conditions for safe storage

Store in accordance with the particular national regulations.

Keep only in the original container in a cool, well ventilated place away from oxidizing agents.

Keep in a dry place.

Keep cool. Protect from sunlight.

Eliminate all ignition sources if safe to do so. Keep container closed when not in use.

Containers which are opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage.

Use appropriate container to avoid environmental contamination. When using standard pallets, those containing paper or plastics bags can be stacked to a maximum of 2 high.

## Materials to avoid

No materials to be especially mentioned.

#### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### Components with workplace control parameters

Components	CAS No. Exposure		Control parameters	Basis	
Titanium Dioxide	13463-67-7	TWA (total dust)	15 mg/m3	OSHA Z-1	
		TWA	10 mg/m3 (titanium dioxide)	ACGIH	

## **Engineering measures**

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Use engineering controls to keep exposures below the OEL or DNEL

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# Personal protective equipment

**Respiratory protection** General and local exhaust ventilation is recommended to maintain

vapor exposures below recommended limits. Where

concentrations are above recommended limits or are unknown, appropriate respiratory protection should be worn. Follow OSHA respirator regulations (29 CFR 1910.134) and use NIOSH/MSHA

approved respirators. Protection provided by air purifying

respirators against exposure to any hazardous chemical is limited. Use a positive pressure air supplied respirator if there is any potential for uncontrolled release, exposure levels are unknown, or any other circumstance where air purifying respirators may not

provide adequate protection.

Filter type P2 filter

**Hand protection** Use gloves approved to relevant standards e.g. EN 374

(Europe), F739 (US).

**Remarks** For prolonged or repeated contact use protective gloves.

**Eye protection** Safety eyewear complying with an approved standard should be

used when a risk assessment indicates this is necessary to avoid exposure to liquid splashes, mists or dusts. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.

Skin and body protection

Personal protective equipment for the body should be selected based on the task being performed and the risks involved and should be approved by a specialist before handling this product.

**Protective measures** Wear suitable protective equipment.

**Hygiene measures** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety

practice.

Smoking, eating and drinking should be prohibited in the

application area.

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after

handling.

Remove contaminated clothing and protective equipment before

entering eating areas.

Barrier creams may help to protect the exposed areas of skin, they should however not be applied once exposure has

occurred.

Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

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# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance	powder			
Colour	white			
Odour	none			
Odour Threshold	Not relevant			
pH	6 - 9			
Melting point/range	> 1,800 °C			
Boiling point/boiling range	Not applicable			
Flash point	Not applicable			
Evaporation rate	No data is available on the product itself.			
Flammability (solid, gas)	The product is not flammable.			
Flammability (liquids)	No data is available on the product itself.			
Upper explosion limit	No data is available on the product itself.			
Lower explosion limit	No data is available on the product itself.			
Vapour pressure	Not applicable			
Relative vapour density	No data is available on the product itself.			
Relative density	No data is available on the product itself.			
Density	ca. 3.9 g/cm3 (20 °C) Skeletal density			
Water solubility	< 0.01 g/l (20 °C)			
Solubility in other solvents	practically insoluble			
Partition coefficient: n- octanol/water	Not applicable			
Auto-ignition temperature	The product itself does not burn.			
Thermal decomposition	No data is available on the product itself.			
Self-Accelerating decomposition temperature	No data is available on the product itself.			
Viscosity, kinematic	Not applicable			
Explosive properties	Not explosive			
Oxidizing properties	Not classified as oxidizing.			
Molecular weight	Calculation method 79.88 g/mol			
Particle size	466 nm			

## **10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Reactivity No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.

**Chemical stability** No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.

Possibility of Stable under recommended storage conditions. No hazards to be hazardous reactions

specially mentioned.

**Conditions to avoid** No data available

**Incompatible materials** None known.

Hazardous No hazardous decomposition products are known.

decomposition product

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## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

## Information on likely routes of exposure

No data is available on the product itself.

## **Acute toxicity**

Acute oral toxicity LD50 (Rat, female): > 5,000 mg/kg

Components Method: OECD Test Guideline 425 Assessment: The substance

or mixture has no acute oral toxicity

Acute inhalation toxicity LC50 (Rat, male and female): 3.43 - 5.09 mg/l Exposure time: 4 h

Test atmosphere: dust/mist Method: OECD Test Guideline 403

Assessment: The substance or mixture has no acute

inhalation toxicity

Acute dermal toxicity LD50 Dermal (Rabbit): > 10,000 mg/kg

Acute toxicity (other routes of administration)

No data available

## Skin corrosion/irritation

Species Rabbit

Assessment No skin irritation

Method OECD Test Guideline 404
Result Normally reversible injuries

#### Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Species Rabbit

Result Normally reversible injuries

Assessment No eye irritation

Method OECD Test Guideline 405

## Respiratory or skin sensitization

Test Type Local lymph node assay (LLNA)

Exposure Routes Skin Species Mouse

Assessment Does not cause skin sensitization

Method OECD test Guideline 429

Result Does not cause skin sensitization

Exposure routes Skin

Species Guinea pig

Assessment Does not cause skin sensitization

Method OECD Test Guideline 406

Result Does not cause skin sensitization

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Assessment: No skin irritation, No eye irritation Does not cause skin

sensitization. Does not cause respiratory sensitization.

# Germ cell mutagenicity

Genotoxicity in vitro

Test Type: Ames test Concentration: 100 - 200 ug/plate Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation

Method: OECD Test Guideline 471

Result: negative

Test Type: In vitro mammalian cell gene mutation test

Concentration: 31 - 500 µg/L

Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation

Method: OECD Test Guideline 476

Result: negative

Test Type: Chromosome aberration test in vitro Concentration:

125 - 2500 µg/L

Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation

Method: OECD Test Guideline 473

Result: negative

Test Type: Micronucleus test Species: Mouse (males) Application Route: Inhalation Exposure time: 5 consecutive days Dose: 0.8, 7.2, and 28.5 mg/m³ Method: OECD Test Guideline 474 Result:

negative

Test Type: Micronucleus test Species: Rat (male and female)

Application Route: Oral Exposure time: once

Dose: 500, 1000, and 2000 mg/kg bw

Method: OECD Test Guideline 474 Result: negative

Germ cell mutagenicity-

Assessment

Tests on bacterial or mammalian cell cultures did not show mutagenic effects., Animal testing did not show any mutagenic

effects.

# **Carcinogenicity**

Species Rat, (male and female)

Application Route Oral

Exposure time 103 weeks

Dose 0, 25000, 50000 ppm

Frequency of treatment 7 days/week

NOAEL > 50.000 ppm

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Method Remarks No information available.

Titanium Dioxide: based on the results of chronic inhalation studies (with positive results only in a single species - rat), IARC has concluded that: "There is inadequate evidence in humans for the carcinogenicity of titanium dioxide." but that: "There is sufficient evidence in experimental animals for carcinogenicity of titanium dioxide". IARCs overall evaluation was that "titanium dioxide is possibly carcinogenic to humans (Group 2B)."

Examination all of the available animal carcinogenicity and mechanistic data together with workplace epidemiology data for titanium dioxide and concludes that the weight of scientific evidence indicates that there is no causative link between titanium dioxide exposure and cancer risk in humans and that workplace exposures in compliance with applicable exposure standards will not result in lung cancer or chronic respiratory diseases in humans.

Carcinogenicity - Assessment Not classifiable as a human carcinogen.

IARC Group 2B: Possibly carcinogenic to humans

ACGIH No component of this product present at levels greater than or

equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential

carcinogen by ACGIH.

**OSHA**No component of this product present at levels greater than or

equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential

carcinogen by OSHA.

NTP No component of this product present at levels greater than or

equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen

by NTP.

# **Reproductive Toxicity**

Effects on fertility No data available

Effects on fetal development

Species: Rat, male and female Application Route: Oral

Dose: 100, 300, and 1000 mg/kg bw/

Duration of Single Treatment: 20 d Frequency of Treatment: 7

davs/week

General Toxicity Maternal: No observed adverse effect level:

1,000 mg/kg body weight

Developmental Toxicity: No observed adverse effect level: 1,000

mg/kg body weight

Method: OECD Test Guideline 414

Result: No adverse effects

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Reproductive toxicity - Assessment

No evidence of adverse effects on sexual function and fertility,

or on development, based on animal experiments.

# STOT - single exposure

No data available

# STOT - repeated exposure

No data available

# Repeated dose toxicity

Species: Rat, male and female

: 3500 mg/m3

Application Route: Ingestion Test atmosphere: dust/mist Exposure time: 2 yr

Number of exposures: 5 d Method: Chronic toxicity

Species: Rat, male and female

: 10 - 50 mg/m3

Application Route: Inhalation Exposure time: 2 yr Number of exposures: 6 hours/day, 5 days/week

Method: Chronic toxicity

Repeated dose toxicity - No skin irritation, No eye irritation

Assessment No adverse effect has been observed in chronic toxicity tests.

# **Aspiration toxicity**

No data available

#### **Experience with human exposure**

**General information** No data available

**Inhalation** No data available

Skin Contact No data available

Eye Contact No data available

**Ingestion** No data available

## Toxicology, Metabolism, Distribution

No data available

## **Neurological effects**

No data available

#### **Further Information**

No data available

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**Ecotoxicity** 

Toxicity to fish LC50 (Cyprinodon variegatus (sheepshead minnow)): > 10,000 mg/l

Exposure time: 96 h

Test Type: semi-static test Test substance: Marine water

Method: OECD Test Guideline 203

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates

No data available

Toxicity to algae No data available

M-Factor

(Acute aquatic toxicity)

No data available

Toxicity to fish (Chronic toxicity)

No data available

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates (Chronic toxicity) No data available

M-Factor

(Chronic aquatic toxicity)

No data available

Toxicity to microorganisms

No data available

Toxicity to soil Dwelling organisms

No data available

Plant toxicity

NOEC: 100,000 mg/kg Exposure time: 480 h

Sediment toxicity

(Gammarus pulex (Amphipod)): > 100000 mg/kgsedimentdw

Study: Acute

Test Type: semi-static test

Water: Fresh water Exposure duration: 28 d

Method: ASTM Method, other

(Gammarus pulex (Amphipod)): 100000 mg/kgsedimentdw Study:

Chronic

Test Type: semi-static test Water: Fresh water Exposure duration:

28 d

Method: ASTM Method, other

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(Gammarus pulex (Amphipod)): 14989 mg/kgsedimentdw Study:

Acute

Test Type: semi-static test Water: Marine water Exposure

duration: 10 d

Toxicity to terrestrial

organisms

NOEC: 10,000 mg/kg Exposure time: 672 h

Acute aquatic toxicity No data available

Chronic aquatic toxicity No data available

Toxicity Data on Soil No data available

Other organisms relevant

to the environment

No data available

# Persistence and degradability

Biodegradability Remarks: The methods for determining biodegradability are

not applicable to inorganic substances.

Biochemical Oxygen

Demand (BOD)

No data available

Chemical Oxygen Demand (COD)

No data available

BOD/COD No data available

ThOD No data available

BOD/ThOD No data available

Dissolved organic carbon

(DOC)

No data available

Physico-chemical

removability

No data available

Stability in water No data available

Photodegradation No data available

Impact on Sewage

Treatment

No data available

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# **Bioaccumulative potential**

Bioaccumulation Species: Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) Bioconcentration

factor (BCF): 19 - 352 Exposure time: 14 d

Test substance: Fresh water Method: semi-static test

Remarks: Does not bioaccumulate.

Partition coefficient: n-

octanol/water

Not applicable

# Mobility in soil

Mobility No data available

Distribution among environmental compartments

No data available

Stability in soil No data available

# Other adverse effects

Environmental fate and

pathways

No data available

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.

Endocrine disrupting

potential

No data available

Adsorbed organic bound

halogens (AOX)

Remarks: Product does not contain any organic halogens.

## Hazardous to the ozone layer

Ozone-Depletion

Potential

Regulation: 40 CFR Protection of Environment; Part 82 Protection of Stratospheric Ozone - CAA Section 602 Class I Substances

Remarks: This product neither contains, nor was

manufactured with a Class I or Class II ODS as defined by the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 602 (40 CFR 82, Subpt. A, App.A + B).

Additional ecological

information

No data available

Global warming potential (GWP)

No data available

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## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

**Waste from residues** The product should not be allowed to enter drains, water courses

or the soil.

This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe

way.

In accordance with local and national regulations. Dispose of

wastes in an approved waste disposal facility.

If recycling is not practicable, dispose of in compliance with local

regulations.

**Contaminated package** Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling

site for recycling or disposal.

#### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

IATA Not regulated as dangerous goods

**IMDG** Not regulated as dangerous goods

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable for product as supplied.

**National Regulations** 

**DOT** Not regulated as dangerous goods

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

## **EPCRA - Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act**

**SARA 311/312 Hazards** No SARA Hazards

SARA 313 This material does not contain any chemical components with

known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

This product does not contain any hazardous air pollutants (HAP), as defined by the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 112 (40 CFR 61).

**California Prop. 65 WARNING!** This product contains a chemical known to the State

of California to cause cancer., Titanium dioxide (airborne, unbound particles of respirable size) is known to the state of California to cause cancer. This listing does not cover titanium

dioxide when it remains bound within a product matrix

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# The components of this product are reported in the following inventories:

CH INV	On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory
TSCA	On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory
DSL	All components of this product are on the Canadian DSL
AICS	On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory
NZIoC	On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory
ENCS	On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory
KECI	On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory
PICCS	On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory
IECSC	On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory
TCSI	On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

Inventories AICS (Australia), DSL (Canada), IECSC (China), REACH

(European Union), ENCS (Japan), ISHL (Japan), KECI (Korea), NZIoC (New Zealand), PICCS (Philippines), TCSI (Taiwan), TSCA

(USA)

# TSCA - 5(a) Significant New Use Rule List of Chemicals

No substances are subject to a Significant New Use Rule.

# US. Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpart D)

No substances are subject to TSCA 12(b) export notification requirements.

#### 16. OTHER INFORMATION

NFPA	Health hazards	1	Flammability	0	Instability	0	Physical & Chemical	-
HMIS	Health hazards	1	Flammability	0	Physical hazards	0	Personal Protection	-

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