ELEMENTIS

A global specialty chemicals company

SAFETY DATA SHEET

According to OSHA Hazard Communication Standard 2024

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1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

Product Identifier

Product name: BENTONE GEL® GTCC V

Other means of identification

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Product Use Description: Rheological additive

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company/Undertaking Identification

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Emergency Telephone Number

For Chemical Emergency ONLY (spill, leak, fire, exposure or accident), call CHEMTREC at: 1-800-424-9300 or 1-703-527-3887. 24 Hour.

For ALL other inquiries about this product, call Elementis at: 1-609-443-2000 (USA) or +(351)221 215 791 (EU)

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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification

OSHA Regulatory Status

This chemical is not considered hazardous by the 2024 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Label Elements

EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

The product contains no substances which at their given concentration, are considered to be hazardous to health

Appearance: Gel **Physical state:** Solid **Odor:** Negligible

Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)
Other Information

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Hazardous components, or components with exposure limits (see section 8)

Components	CAS-No	Weight %
Propylene carbonate	108-32-7	2.5 - < 10%

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

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General advice: Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Get medical attention immediately if symptoms occur.

Inhalation: IF INHALED: Remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen.

Skin contact: Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water. If a person feels unwell or symptoms of skin irritation appear, consult a physician.

Eye contact: Rinse immediately carefully and thoroughly with eye-bath or water. If eye irritation persists, consult a specialist.

Ingestion If swallowed, seek medical advice immediately and show this SDS or label. Do not induce vomiting without medical advice. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

Protection of first-aiders: Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Most Important Symptoms and Effects None.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Notes to physician Treat symptomatically.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media
Carbon dioxide (CO2)
Dry powder
Dry sand
Alcohol-resistant foam
Use water spray or fog; do not use straight streams

Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons
None

Special exposure hazards arising from the substance or preparation itself, combustion products, resulting gases
None in particular

Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards:
May emit toxic fumes under fire conditions

Hazardous combustion products
Carbon monoxide
Carbon dioxide (CO2)
Nitrogen oxides (NOx)
Gaseous hydrogen chloride (HCl)

Explosion data

Explosive properties:
Not explosive

Reactivity Hazard:
None known

Special protective equipment for fire-fighters
Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Use personal protective equipment.

Other Information: See Section 12 for more information.

Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions: Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Clean-up methods: Soak up with inert absorbent material (e.g. sand, silica gel, acid binder, universal binder, sawdust). Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. Clean contaminated surface thoroughly. Prevent product from entering drains. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for Safe Handling

Handling: Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Avoid breathing mists, dusts, or vapors. Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions Do not freeze. Keep at temperatures above °C. Keep containers tightly closed in a cool, well-ventilated place. Keep product and empty container away from heat and sources of ignition.

Additional Storage: Not required under normal use

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control parameters

Exposure Guidelines This product does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

TLV/PEL: Not established

Appropriate engineering controls

Engineering Measures Use only with adequate ventilation

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection Safety glasses.

Skin and body protection Choose body protection in relation to its type, to the concentration and amount of dangerous substances, and to the specific work-place

Respiratory protection: In case of insufficient ventilation wear suitable respiratory equipment.

Hand protection Protective gloves, Neoprene gloves,

Hygiene Measures Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state:	Solid
Appearance:	Gel
Odor:	Negligible
Color:	Tan
Odor Threshold	No data available

Property	**Values**	**Remarks / • Method**
pH	No data available	
Melting point/range:	No data available	
Freezing point:	No data available	
Boiling Point/Range	No data available	
Flash Point	> 100 °C / > 212 °F	ASTM D3278
Evaporation rate	No data available	
Explosion limits:	No data available	
Vapor pressure	No data available	
Relative vapor density	No data available	
Density:	0.97 g/cm³	
and/or Relative density:		
Water solubility	insoluble	
Solubility in other solvents	No data available	
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water (logarithmic value)	No data available	
Autoignition temperature	Not self-igniting	
Decomposition temperature	No data available	
Viscosity, kinematic	1500 - 3200 Pas	ASTM D2196

Explosive properties: Not explosive
Oxidizing Properties No information available

Other Information

Bulk Density No data available
Particle characteristics No data available

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity
No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use

Chemical Stability
Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions
None known

Conditions to Avoid
Heat, flames and sparks

Incompatible Materials:
Oxidizing agent

Hazardous Decomposition Products
None reasonably foreseeable

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Product Information No data is available on the product itself

Information on likely routes of exposure

Inhalation: No data available

Eye contact: No data available

Skin contact: No data available

Ingestion No data available

Component Information

Components	LD50/Oral	LD50/Dermal	LC50/inhalation
Propylene carbonate 108-32-7	> 5000 mg/kg (Rat)	> 2000 mg/kg (Rabbit)	> 5 gm/m^3

Information on Toxicological Effects

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Corrosivity No data available

Sensitization No data available

Mutagenic effects No data available

Carcinogenic effects: There are no known carcinogenic chemicals in this product

Reproductive Toxicity: No data available

Developmental Toxicity No data available

Chronic Toxicity

Chronic toxicity: No data is available on the product itself

Other Adverse Effects: No data available

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Product Information There is no data available for this product

Ecotoxicity
The environmental impact of this product has not been fully investigated.

Components	Toxicity to Algae	Toxicity to Fish	Daphnia Magna (Water Flea)
Propylene carbonate 108-32-7	EC50: >900 mg/L (72h)	LC50: >1000 mg/L (96h)	EC50: >1000 mg/L (48h)

Components	LC50	EC50	Bioaccumulation Concentration Factor	No Observable Effect Concentration (NOEC)
Propylene carbonate	1000 mg/L (Cyprinus carpio; 96 h semi-static)	500 mg/L (Daphnia magna 48 h) 500 mg/L (Desmodesmus subspicatus; 72 h)		

Persistence and degradability:
No data available

Bioaccumulative potential:
No data available

Components	Log Pow
Propylene carbonate	0.48

Mobility
No information available

General Note:
Do not allow product to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste treatment methods

Waste from residues /unused products Do not contaminate ponds, waterways or ditches with chemical or used container. Dispose of in accordance with federal, state and local regulations.

Contaminated packaging Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal.

RCRA Hazardous Waste:

RCRA: Not listed

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

U.S. Department of Transportation Ground (49 CFR):	Not Regulated
International Air Transport Association (IATA)	Not Regulated
International Maritime Dangerous Goods (IMDG)	Not Regulated
Surface Shipments in Europe (ADR/RID):	Not Regulated

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Korea Cosmetic Statement:
Cosmetic raw material. Not subject to KECL.

EU-Regulations
For purchases from Elementis EU legal entities, all ingredients are currently registered or exempt under REACH. For purchases from non-EU Elementis legal entities with the intention to export into the EU, please contact your Elementis representative/local office.

China IECSC Statement
For purchases from Elementis China legal entities, all ingredients are currently registered or exempt under China Measures for Environmental Management of New Chemical Substances (MEE Order No. 12). For purchases from outside China please contact your Elementis representative/local office.

Taiwan Regulations
For purchases from Elementis Taiwan legal entities, all ingredients are currently registered or exempt under Regulations of New and Existing Chemical Substances Registration in Taiwan. For purchases from outside Taiwan please contact your Elementis representative/local office.

International Inventories

USA (TSCA):	Complies
EU (EINECS):	Complies
EU REACH:	Complies
Canada (DSL)	Complies
CANADA (NDSL):	Not applicable
JAPAN (ENCS):	Complies
PHILIPPINES (PICCS):	Complies
KOREA (KECL):	Complies
China (IECSC)	Complies
AUSTRALIA (AICIS):	Complies
NEW ZEALAND (NZIoC):	Complies
TAIWAN (TCSI):	Complies

Federal Regulations

SARA 313
Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories
Acute Health Hazard

CWA (Clean Water Act)
This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42)

TSCA Section 12(b) Export Notification
This product does not contain chemicals that are required to be notified under the TSCA 12(b) Export Notification.

State Regulations (RTK)

California Proposition 65
This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth, or any other reproductive defects

Legend:
TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory
EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances
Registration, Evaluation, Authorization and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH)
DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List
ENCS - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances
PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances
KECL - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances
IECSC - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances
AICIS - Australian Industrial Chemicals Introduction Scheme
NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals
TCSI - Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory

16. OTHER INFORMATION

HMIS:

Health:	1
Flammability:	1
Physical Hazard:	0
This Material Safety Data Sheet contains changes from the previous version in Sections:	3
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Key/Legend:	N/A: Not applicable N/D: Not determined ppm: Parts per million X: Listed
Prepared by	Product Stewardship
Reason for revision:	Update to Format

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End of Safety Data Sheet