SAFETY DATA SHEET

1. Identification

Product identifier Diamond Crystal® Bright & Soft™ Salt Pellets

Other means of identification

- SDS number: ND14
- Synonyms: Diamond Crystal® Zeo-Tabs®, *Private Label Water Conditioning Pellets*, *Sodium Chloride (Salt), Compressed.*

Recommended use

Salt may be intended for food or animal feed (agricultural) as well as several industrial applications including deicing and water conditioning.

Recommended restrictions

None known.

Manufacturer/Importer/Supplier/Distributor information

Manufacturer

- Company name: Cargill Incorporated
- Address: Minneapolis, MN 55440
- Telephone: 1-888-385-7258
- Website: www.cargillsalt.com

Emergency telephone number

CHEMTREC (800) 424-9300

2. Hazard(s) identification

Not classified.

Physical hazards

Not classified.

Health hazards

Not classified.

OSHA defined hazards

Not classified.

Label elements

- Hazard symbol: None.
- Signal word: None.
- Hazard statement: The mixture does not meet the criteria for classification.

Precautionary statement

Prevention: Observe good industrial hygiene practices.
Response: Wash hands after handling.
Storage: Store away from incompatible materials.
Disposal: Dispose of waste and residues in accordance with local authority requirements.

Hazard(s) not otherwise classified (HNOC)

None known.

3. Composition/information on ingredients

Mixtures

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<th>CAS number</th>
<th>%</th>
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<td>7647-14-5</td>
<td>99.97</td>
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<tr>
<td>Sodium Hexametaphosphate</td>
<td>10124-56-8</td>
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4. First-aid measures

Inhalation

If dust from the material is inhaled, remove the affected person immediately to fresh air. Call a physician if symptoms develop or persist.

Skin contact

Wash off with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

Eye contact

Rinse with water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

Ingestion

Give one or two glasses of water if patient is alert and able to swallow. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.
Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed
Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

General information

Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.

Treat symptomatically.

Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to protect themselves.

5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable extinguishing media
Water fog. Foam. Dry chemical powder. Carbon dioxide (CO2).

Unsuitable extinguishing media
Do not use water jet as an extinguisher, as this will spread the fire.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical
During fire, gases hazardous to health may be formed.

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

Fire-fighting equipment/instructions
Use water spray to cool unopened containers.

Specific methods
Use standard firefighting procedures and consider the hazards of other involved materials.

General fire hazards
This product is not flammable or combustible.

6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures
Keep unnecessary personnel away. Avoid inhalation of dust from the spilled material. Use a NIOSH/MSHA approved respirator if there is a risk of exposure to dust/fume at levels exceeding the exposure limits. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing. For personal protection, see section 8 of the SDS.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up
If sweeping of a contaminated area is necessary use a dust suppressant agent which does not react with the product. Collect dust using a vacuum cleaner equipped with HEPA filter. Minimize dust generation and accumulation. Avoid release to the environment. Following product recovery, flush area with water. For waste disposal, see section 13 of the SDS.

Environmental precautions
Avoid discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground.

7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling
Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. Minimize dust generation and accumulation. Avoid breathing dust. Avoid contact with eyes. Avoid contact with water and moisture. Keep away from strong acids. Practice good housekeeping.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities
Store in original tightly closed container. Store in a well-ventilated place. Store away from incompatible materials (see Section 10 of the SDS). Becomes hygroscopic at 70-75% relative humidity. Avoid humid or wet conditions as product will cake and become hard.

8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Occupational exposure limits
No exposure limits noted for ingredient(s).

Biological limit values
No biological exposure limits noted for the ingredient(s).

Appropriate engineering controls
Ventilation should be sufficient to effectively remove and prevent buildup of any dusts or fumes that may be generated during handling or thermal processing.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection
Unvented, tight fitting goggles should be worn in dusty areas.

Skin protection
Hand protection
Wear appropriate chemical resistant gloves.

Other
Wear suitable protective clothing.

Respiratory protection
Use a NIOSH/MSHA approved respirator if there is a risk of exposure to dust/fume at levels exceeding the exposure limits. 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.

Thermal hazards
Wear appropriate thermal protective clothing, when necessary.

General hygiene considerations
Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing after handling the material and before eating, drinking, and/or smoking. Routinely wash work clothing and protective equipment to remove contaminants.
9. Physical and chemical properties

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<td>Form</td>
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10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity: The product is stable and non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.

Chemical stability: Material is stable under normal conditions.

Possibility of hazardous reactions: No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.

Conditions to avoid: Contact with incompatible materials. Avoid dispersal of dust in the air (i.e., clearing dust surfaces with compressed air).

Incompatible materials: Avoid contact with strong acids. Becomes corrosive to metals when wet.

Hazardous decomposition products: May evolve chlorine gas when in contact with strong acids.

11. Toxicological information

Information on likely routes of exposure:

Ingestion: Expected to be a low ingestion hazard.

Inhalation: Inhalation of dusts may cause respiratory irritation.
Skin contact

Prolonged or repeated skin contact may cause irritation.

Eye contact

Dust in the eyes will cause irritation.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

Eye and skin contact: Exposure may cause temporary irritation, redness, or discomfort. For ingestion, consuming less than a few grams would not be harmful. The following effects were observed after ingesting an excessive quantity: nausea and vomiting, diarrhea, cramps, restlessness, irritability, dehydration, water retention, nose bleed, gastrointestinal tract damage, fever, sweating, sunken eyes, high blood pressure, muscle weakness, dry mouth and nose, shock, cerebral edema (fluid on brain), pulmonary edema (fluid in lungs), blood cell shrinkage, and brain damage (due to dehydration of brain cells). Death is generally due to cardiovascular collapse or CNS damage.

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity

In some cases of confirmed hypertension, ingestion may result in elevated blood pressure.

Components | Species | Test Results
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Sodium Chloride (CAS 7647-14-5) | Acute Oral LD50 | Mouse | 4000 mg/kg
| Rat | 3000 mg/kg
| Acute Other LD50 | Mouse | 2602 mg/kg
Sodium Hexametaphosphate (CAS 10124-56-8) | Acute Oral LD50 | Mouse | 4320 mg/kg
| Rat | 6200 mg/kg
| Acute Other LD50 | Mouse | 62 mg/kg

Skin corrosion/irritation

Prolonged skin contact may cause temporary irritation.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Dust in the eyes will cause irritation.

Respiratory or skin sensitization

Respiratory sensitization: Not available.

Skin sensitization: This product is not expected to cause skin sensitization.

Germ cell mutagenicity: No data available to indicate product or any components present at greater than 0.1% are mutagenic or genotoxic.

Carcinogenicity: This product is not considered to be a carcinogen by IARC, ACGIH, NTP, or OSHA.

OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1050)

Not listed.

Reproductive toxicity

This product is not expected to cause reproductive or developmental effects.

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

Not classified.

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

Not classified.

Aspiration hazard

Due to the physical form of the product it is not an aspiration hazard.

12. Ecological information

Ecotoxicity

The product is not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does not exclude the possibility that large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging effect on the environment.

Components | Species | Test Results
--- | --- | ---
Sodium Chloride (CAS 7647-14-5) | Aquatic Crustacea EC50 | Water flea (Daphnia magna) | 340.7 - 469.2 mg/l, 48 hours
| Fish LC50 | Rainbow trout, donaldson trout (Oncorhynchus mykiss) | 4747 - 7824 mg/l, 96 hours
Persistence and degradability
No data is available on the degradability of this product.

Bioaccumulative potential
No data available.

Mobility in soil
No data available.

Other adverse effects
None known.

13. Disposal considerations

Disposal instructions
Collect and reclaim or dispose in sealed containers at licensed waste disposal site.

Local disposal regulations
Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.

Hazardous waste code
The waste code should be assigned in discussion between the user, the producer and the waste disposal company.

Waste from residues / unused products
Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe manner (see: Disposal instructions).

Contaminated packaging
Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal. Since emptied containers may retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is emptied.

14. Transport information

DOT
Not regulated as dangerous goods.

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.

15. Regulatory information

US federal regulations
All components are on the U.S. EPA TSCA Inventory List.

TSCA Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpt. D)
Not regulated.

OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1050)
Not listed.

CERCLA Hazardous Substance List (40 CFR 302.4)
Sodium Hexametaphosphate (CAS 10124-56-8) LISTED

Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)

Hazard categories
Immediate Hazard - No
Delayed Hazard - No
Fire Hazard - No
Pressure Hazard - No
Reactivity Hazard - No

SARA 302 Extremely hazardous substance
Not listed.

SARA 311/312 Hazardous chemical
No

SARA 313 (TRI reporting)
Not regulated.

Other federal regulations

Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) List
Not regulated.

Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112(r) Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130)
Not regulated.

Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA)
Not regulated.
US state regulations

**US. Massachusetts RTK - Substance List**
Sodium Hexametaphosphate (CAS 10124-56-8)

**US. New Jersey Worker and Community Right-to-Know Act**
Not listed.

**US. Pennsylvania Worker and Community Right-to-Know Law**
Sodium Hexametaphosphate (CAS 10124-56-8)

**US. Rhode Island RTK**
Sodium Hexametaphosphate (CAS 10124-56-8)

**US. California Proposition 65**
California Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986 (Proposition 65): This material is not known to contain any chemicals currently listed as carcinogens or reproductive toxins.

**US - California Proposition 65 - Carcinogens & Reproductive Toxicity (CRT): Listed substance**
Not listed.

International Inventories

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*A "Yes" indicates this product complies with the inventory requirements administered by the governing country(s).
A "No" indicates that one or more components of the product are not listed or exempt from listing on the inventory administered by the governing country(s).

16. Other information, including date of preparation or last revision

**Issue date**
12-August-2014

**Revision date**
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**Version #**
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**HMIS® ratings**
Health: 1  
Flammability: 0  
Physical hazard: 0  
Personal protection: A

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