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1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

POLYONE CORPORATION 33587 Walker Road, Avon Lake, OH 44012

Telephone Emergency telephone number	:	1 (440) 930-1000 or 1 (866) POLYONE CHEMTREC 1-800-424-9300 (24hrs for spill, leak, fire, exposure or accident).
Product name	:	GEON EXP DB 15020614703 NATURAL
Product code	:	VC10001366
Chemical Name	:	Mixture
CAS-No.	:	Mixture
Product Use	:	Industrial Applications

2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Components	CAS-No.	Weight percent
Calcium carbonate	1317-65-3	1 - 5
Calcium stearate	1592-23-0	1 - 5

3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

This mixture has not been evaluated as a whole. All ingredients are bound and potential for hazardous exposure as shipped is minimal. However, some vapors may be released upon heating or processing. The end-user (fabricator) must take the necessary precautions (mechanical ventilation, respiratory protection, etc.) to protect employees from exposure. See sections 8 and 11 for special precautions. May emit Hydrogen Chloride (HCl) or Carbon Monoxide (CO) under fire conditions.

POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS

: Inhalation, Ingestion, Skin contact		
: Resin particles, like other inert materials, can be mechanically irritating.		
: May be harmful if swallowed.		
: Resin particles, like other inert materials, are mechanically irritating to eyes.		
: Experience shows no unusual dermatitis hazard from routine handling.		
: Refer to Section 11 for Toxicological Information.		

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Aggravated by Exposure:	
	4. FIRST AID MEASURES
Inhalation	: Move to fresh air in case of accidental inhalation of fumes from overheating or combustion. When symptoms persist or in all cases or doubt seek medical advice.
Ingestion	: Do not induce vomiting without medical advice. When symptoms persist or in all cases of doubt seek medical advice.
Eyes	: Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. If eye irritation persists, seek medical attention.
Skin	: Wash off with soap and plenty of water. If skin irritation persists seek medical attention.
	5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES
Flash point	: not applicable
Flammable Limits Upper explosion limit Lower explosion limit Auto-ignition temperature Suitable extinguishing media Special Fire Fighting Procedures Unusual Fire/Explosion Hazards	 not applicable not applicable Not applicable Carbon dioxide blanket, Water spray, Dry powder, Foam. Fullface self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) used in positive pressure mode should be worn to prevent inhalation of airborne contaminants. May emit Hydrogen Chloride (HCl) or Carbon Monoxide (CO) unde fire conditions. Carbon dioxide (CO2), carbon monoxide (CO), oxides of nitrogen (NOx), other hazardous materials, and smoke are all possible.
	6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES
Personal precautions	: Wear appropriate personal protection during cleanup, such as impervious gloves, boots and coveralls.
Environmental precautions	: Should not be released into the environment. The product should not be allowed to enter drains, water courses or the soil.
Methods for cleaning up	: Clean up promptly by sweeping or vacuum. Package all material in plastic, cardboard or metal containers for disposal.
	7. HANDLING AND STORAGE



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:	Take measures to prevent the build up of electrostatic charge. Heat only in areas with appropriate exhaust ventilation. Processing fume condensates may contain combustible or toxic residue. Periodically clean hoods, ducts, and other surfaces to minimize accumulation of these materials.
:	Keep containers dry and tightly closed to avoid moisture absorption and contamination. Keep in a dry, cool place.
OSU	RE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION
:	No personal respiratory protective equipment normally required. If dusty conditions occur wear appropriate respiratory protection.
:	Safety glasses with side-shields
:	Protective gloves
:	Long sleeved clothing
:	Safety shoes
:	Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday. This product may contain residual vinyl chloride monomer (VCM) (CAS number 75-01-4) below 8.5 ppm (0.00085%). It is unlikely, under normal working conditions with adequate ventilation, that the exposure limits will be exceeded for residual VCM. However, the user should take the necessary precautions (e.g. mechanical ventilation, local exhaust ventilation, air-monitoring, respiratory protection, etc.) to ensure airborne levels of any vapors including VCM or dusts that may be released during heating or processing are below regulated levels.
:	Heat only in areas with appropriate exhaust ventilation. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at machinery.
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Components	Value	Exposure time	Exposure type	List:
Calcium carbonate	5 mg/m3	PEL:	Respirable fraction.	OSHA Z1
	15 mg/m3	PEL:	Total dust.	OSHA Z1
	10 mg/m3	Time Weighted Average		MX OEL
		(TWA):		
	20 mg/m3	Short Term Exposure Limit		MX OEL
		(STEL):		
Calcium stearate	10 mg/m3	Time Weighted Average		ACGIH
		(TWA):		

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

- Form Appearance Colour Odour Melting point/range Boiling Point: Water solubility
- solid
 pellets, powder
 NO PIGMENT
 very faint
 Not determined
 not applicable
 insoluble
- Evapouration rate Specific Gravity Bulk density Vapour pressure Vapour density pH
- Not applicable
 Not determined
 Not established
 not applicable
 not applicable
 not applicable

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability	:	The product is stable if stored and handled as prescribed.
Hazardous Polymerization	:	Will not occur.
Conditions to avoid	:	Keep away from oxidizing agents and open flame. To avoid thermal decomposition, do not overheat.
Incompatible Materials	:	Incompatible with strong acids and oxidizing agents., Avoid contact with acetal homopolymers and acetal copolymers during processing.
Hazardous decomposition products	:	Carbon dioxide (CO2), carbon monoxide (CO), oxides of nitrogen (NOx), other hazardous materials, and smoke are all possible. Prolonged heating (approximately 30 minutes or more) above 392 °F (200 °C) or short term heating at 482 °F (250 °C) may result in product decomposition and evolution of carbon monoxide and hydrogen chloride.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

This mixture has not been evaluated as a whole for health effects. Exposure effects listed are based on existing health data for the individual components which comprise the mixture.

Toxicity Overview

This product contains the following components which in their pure form have the following characteristics:

CAS-No.	Chemical Name	Effect	Target Organ
1317-65-3	Calcium carbonate	Irritant	Eyes, Skin.



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		Systemic effects	Eyes, Skin, l system.	Respiratory
LC50 / LD50 This product contains the fo	lowing components v	vhich, in their pure form	n, have the follo	owing toxicity data
CAS-No.	Chemical Name	Route	Value	Species
1592-23-0 Cal	cium stearate	Oral LD50	> 10 gm/kg	rat
	12. ECOLOGI	CAL INFORMATIO	N	
Persistence and degradabilit		piodegradable.		
Environmental Toxicity	: Adverse ecol use.	logical impact is not kn	own or expecte	d under normal
Bioaccumulation Potential	: no data avail	able		
Additional advice	: not applicabl	e		
	13. DISPOSAL	CONSIDERATION	5	
Product Contaminated packaging	possible recy generator of classification applicable fe : Recycling is material has transportatio	ermoplastic plastics the cling is preferred to dis waste material has the h, transportation and dis deral, state/provincial a preferred when possibl the responsibility for p n and disposal in accor ial and local regulation	sposal or inciner responsibility for sposal in accord and local regular e. The generator roper waste class dance with appl	ration. The or proper waste ance with tions. or of waste ssification,
	14. TRANSPO	ORT INFORMATION		
U.S. DOT Classification	: Not regulated	d for transportation.		
ICAO/IATA	: Not regulated	d for transportation.		
IMO/IMDG (maritime)	: Not regulated	d for transportation.		
	15. REGULAT	ORY INFORMATIO	N	
US Regulations:				
OSHA Status	: Classified as	hazardous based on co	mponents.	
TSCA Status	: All compone TSCA Inven	ents of this product are	listed on or exe	mpt from the

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US. EPA CERCLA Hazardous Substances (40 CFR 302)

not applicable

California Proposition : Not applicable 65

SARA Title III Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substance

Unless specific chemicals are identified under this section, this product is Not Applicable under this regulation

SARA Title III Section 313 Toxic Chemicals:

Unless specific chemicals are identified under this section, this product is Not Applicable under this regulation

Canadian Regulations:

National Pollutant Release Inventory (NPRI)

not applicable

WHMIS Classification	:	Not controlled.
DSL	:	All components of this product are on the Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL) or are exempt.

National Inventories:

Australia AICS	: Not determined
China IECS	: Not determined
Europe EINECS	: Listed
Japan ENCS	: Not determined
Korea KECI	: Not determined
Philippines PICCS	: Not determined

16. OTHER INFORMATION

The information provided in this Safety Data Sheet is correct to the best of our knowledge, information and belief at the date of its publication. The information given is designed only as a guidance for safe handling, use, processing, storage, transportation, disposal and release and is not to be considered a warranty or quality specification. The

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