

## MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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Section 1 - Product and Company Information

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Product Name	MONTMORILLONIT (ALUMINUM PILLARED CLAY)
Product Number	69907
Brand	FLUKA
Company	Sigma-Aldrich
Address	3050 Spruce Street SAINT LOUIS MO 63103 US
Technical Phone:	800-325-5832
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Section 2 - Composition/Information on Ingredient

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Substance Name	CAS #	SARA 313
MONTMORILLONITE (ALUMINUM PILLARED CLAY)	139264-88-3	No

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Section 3 - Hazards Identification

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## EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

Irritant.

Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin.

## HMIS RATING

HEALTH: 2

FLAMMABILITY: 0

REACTIVITY: 0

## NFPA RATING

HEALTH: 2

FLAMMABILITY: 0

REACTIVITY: 0

For additional information on toxicity, please refer to Section 11.

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Section 4 - First Aid Measures

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## ORAL EXPOSURE

If swallowed, wash out mouth with water provided person is conscious. Call a physician.

## INHALATION EXPOSURE

If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen.

## DERMAL EXPOSURE

In case of contact, immediately wash skin with soap and copious amounts of water.

## EYE EXPOSURE

In case of contact, immediately flush eyes with copious amounts

of water for at least 15 minutes.

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## Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures

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### FLASH POINT

N/A

### AUTOIGNITION TEMP

N/A

### FLAMMABILITY

N/A

### EXTINGUISHING MEDIA

Suitable: Water spray. Carbon dioxide, dry chemical powder, or appropriate foam.

### FIREFIGHTING

Protective Equipment: Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing to prevent contact with skin and eyes.  
Specific Hazard(s): Emits toxic fumes under fire conditions.

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## Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

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### PROCEDURE(S) OF PERSONAL PRECAUTION(S)

Wear respirator, chemical safety goggles, rubber boots, and heavy rubber gloves.

### METHODS FOR CLEANING UP

Sweep up, place in a bag and hold for waste disposal. Avoid raising dust. Ventilate area and wash spill site after material pickup is complete.

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## Section 7 - Handling and Storage

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### HANDLING

User Exposure: Do not breathe dust. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Avoid prolonged or repeated exposure.

### STORAGE

Suitable: Keep tightly closed.

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## Section 8 - Exposure Controls / PPE

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### ENGINEERING CONTROLS

Safety shower and eye bath. Mechanical exhaust required.

### PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

Respiratory: Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU). Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a dust mask type N95 (US) or type P1 (EN 143) respirator.

Hand: Compatible chemical-resistant gloves.

Eye: Chemical safety goggles.

### GENERAL HYGIENE MEASURES

Wash thoroughly after handling.

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## Section 9 - Physical/Chemical Properties

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Appearance

Color: Faintly beige

Form: Powder

Property	Value	At Temperature or Pressure
pH	4.0 - 5.0	
BP/BP Range	N/A	
MP/MP Range	N/A	
Freezing Point	N/A	
Vapor Pressure	N/A	
Vapor Density	N/A	
Saturated Vapor Conc.	N/A	
SG/Density	N/A	
Bulk Density	N/A	
Odor Threshold	N/A	
Volatile%	N/A	
VOC Content	N/A	
Water Content	N/A	
Solvent Content	N/A	
Evaporation Rate	N/A	
Viscosity	N/A	
Surface Tension	N/A	
Partition Coefficient	N/A	
Decomposition Temp.	N/A	
Flash Point	N/A	
Explosion Limits	N/A	
Flammability	N/A	
Autoignition Temp	N/A	
Refractive Index	N/A	
Optical Rotation	N/A	
Miscellaneous Data	N/A	
Solubility	N/A	

N/A = not available

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## Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

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### STABILITY

Stable: Stable.

Materials to Avoid: Strong oxidizing agents.

### HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Nature of decomposition products not known.

### HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION

Hazardous Polymerization: Will not occur

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## Section 11 - Toxicological Information

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### ROUTE OF EXPOSURE

Skin Contact: Causes skin irritation.

Skin Absorption: May be harmful if absorbed through the skin.

Eye Contact: Causes eye irritation.

Inhalation: May be harmful if inhaled. Material is irritating to mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract.

Ingestion: May be harmful if swallowed.

### SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

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## Section 12 - Ecological Information

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No data available.

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## Section 13 - Disposal Considerations

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### APPROPRIATE METHOD OF DISPOSAL OF SUBSTANCE OR PREPARATION

Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material. Dissolve or mix the material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber. Observe all federal, state, and local environmental regulations.

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## Section 14 - Transport Information

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### DOT

Proper Shipping Name: None  
Non-Hazardous for Transport: This substance is considered to be non-hazardous for transport.

### IATA

Non-Hazardous for Air Transport: Non-hazardous for air transport.

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## Section 15 - Regulatory Information

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### EU ADDITIONAL CLASSIFICATION

Symbol of Danger: Xi  
Indication of Danger: Irritant.  
R: 36/37/38  
Risk Statements: Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin.  
S: 26-36  
Safety Statements: In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice. Wear suitable protective clothing.

### US CLASSIFICATION AND LABEL TEXT

Indication of Danger: Irritant.  
Risk Statements: Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin.  
Safety Statements: In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice. Wear suitable protective clothing.

### UNITED STATES REGULATORY INFORMATION

SARA LISTED: No

### CANADA REGULATORY INFORMATION

WHMIS Classification: This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the CPR, and the MSDS contains all the information required by the CPR.  
DSL: No  
NDSL: No

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## Section 16 - Other Information

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### WARRANTY

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