

Non-hazardous material safety data sheet for

Gypsol Rapide Additive

This generic SDS is provided by LKAB Minerals to give information to assist with material handling of the products listed which are not classified as hazardous under the GHS and / or the CLP regulations.

SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture of the company/undertaking

1.1 Product identifier

Product name: Gypsol Rapide Additive

1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Identified uses: Additive to anhydrite based self-levelling flooring compound

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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1.4 Emergency telephone number of supplier

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Hours of operation: 09.00 – 16.00 (local business hours)

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification (EC 1272/2008):
Physical and chemical hazards: not classified
Human health: not classified
Environment: not classified

The full text for all R-phrases and hazard statements are displayed in section 16.

2.2 Label elements

Label in accordance with (EC) No. 1272/2008 No pictogram required.

2.3 Other hazards

This product does not contain any PBT or vPvB substances. Handling and/or processing of this material may generate a dust which may cause mechanical irritation of the eyes, skin, nose and throat.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1 Substances

Not Applicable

3.2 Mixture

A mixture of powder products which are not classified under the GHS / CLP regulations (EC1272/2008). These materials are REACH registered if required.

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SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1 Description of first aid measures

Inhalation:	Move the exposed person to fresh air at once. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.
Ingestion:	Rinse mouth thoroughly. Get medical attention.
Skin contact:	Wash skin with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation persists after washing.
Eye contact:	Make sure to remove any contact lenses from the eyes before rinsing. Rinse eye with water immediately. Get medical attention.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Inhalation:	No specific symptoms noted.
Ingestion:	No specific symptoms noted.
Skin contact:	No specific symptoms noted.
Eye contact:	No specific symptoms noted.

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treat symptomatically

SECTION 5: Fire fighting measures

5.1 Extinguishing media

This product is not flammable. Use fire extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding materials.

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Hazardous combustion products: A fire will often produce a thick black smoke. Exposure to decomposition products may be hazardous to health.

5.3 Advice for firefighters

Special fire-fighting procedures: No specific fire-fighting procedures given

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Follow precautions for safe handling described in this safety data sheet

6.2 Environmental precautions

The product should not be dumped in nature but collected and delivered according to agreement with the local authorities. Entry into watercourses should be avoided. Contain contaminated water, do not discharge into drains / surface waters / groundwater

6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Avoid dust formation. Water spray to prevent airborne dust where possible. Avoid dry sweeping which creates dust, if possible. Transfer to a container for disposal.

6.4 Reference to other sections

For personal protection see section 8. For waste disposal see section 13.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid handling which leads to dust formation. Avoid inhalation of high concentrations of dust. Observe occupational exposure limits and minimise the risk of inhalation of dust. Avoid eye contact. Dust may cause mechanical irritation to the eyes, skin nose and throat

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store in tightly closed original container in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep in original container. Protect from moisture

7.3 Specific end use(s)

The identified uses for this product are detailed in section 1.2

SECTION 8: Exposure controls / personal protection

8.1 Control parameters

Name	STD	TWA – 8hrs		STEL – 15mins	Notes
Nuisance Dusts	WEL	4 mg/m ³ respirable dust	10 mg/m ³ total dust		
Iron Fume	WEL	3 mg/m ³ respirable dust	10 mg/m ³ total dust		

WEL = Workplace Exposure Limit

8.2 Exposure controls

Protective equipment



Engineering measures:

Provide adequate ventilation. Observe occupational exposure limits and minimise the risk of inhalation of dust. Use Local Exhaust Ventilation for indoor use and chimney filters for industrial use

Respiratory equipment:

No specific recommendation made, but respiratory protection must be used if the general level exceeds the recommended occupational exposure limit. Wear dust masks in dusty areas (P3 Filter).

Hand protection:

Wear impermeable gloves.

Eye protection:

Wear dust resistant safety goggles where there is a danger of eye contact.

Other protection:

Provide eyewash station.

Hygiene measures:

Wash hands at the end of each work shift and before eating, smoking and using the toilet.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1 Information on basic and physical and chemical properties

Appearance:	Powder.
Colour:	Yellow
Odour:	Odourless
pH	11 – 12 (10% solution)
Bulk Density	Loose 800 kgm ⁻³ , Tamped 1100 kgm ⁻³
Solubility (Water):	Slight

9.2 Other information

Not relevant

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1 Reactivity:

No specific reactivity hazards associated with this product.

10.2 Chemical stability:

Stable under normal temperature conditions.

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions:

Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous reactions will not occur.

10.4 Conditions to avoid:

Dust Formation, Moisture

10.5 Incompatible materials:

None known.

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Other health effects:	This substance has no evidence of carcinogenic properties.
Acute toxicity	
Acute toxicity (Oral LD50):	Not relevant
Acute toxicity (Dermal LD50):	Not relevant
Acute toxicity (Inhalation LC50):	Not relevant
Inhalation:	Dust in high concentrations may irritate the respiratory system.
Ingestion:	May cause discomfort if swallowed.
Skin contact:	Powder may irritate skin.
Eye contact:	Particles in the eyes may cause irritation and smarting.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

Ecotoxicity:	Not regarded as dangerous for the environment.
12.1 Acute fish toxicity:	Not considered toxic to fish.
12.2 Persistence and degradability	
Degradability:	Abiotic: The product hydrolyses quickly in the presence of water to Calcium and Sulphate ions. The individual components are poorly eliminated from water
12.3 Bioaccumulative potential:	The product is not bioaccumulating.
12.4 Mobility in soil:	Not Available
12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment:	This product does not contain any PBT or vPvB substances.
12.6 Other adverse effects:	None known

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1 Waste treatment methods:	Dispose of waste and residues in accordance with local authority requirements
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SECTION 14: Transport considerations

Road transport notes:	Not classified
Rail transport notes:	Not classified
Sea transport notes:	Not classified
Air transport notes:	Not classified
14.1 UN Number:	The product is not covered by international regulation on the transport of dangerous goods (IMDG, IATA, ADR/RID).
14.2 UN proper shipping name:	Not classified for transportation.
14.3 Transport and hazard class(es):	Not classified for transportation.
14.4 Packing group:	Not classified for transportation.
14.5 Environmental hazards	
Environmentally hazardous substances / marine pollutant:	no
14.6 Special precautions for user:	Not classified for transportation.
14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code	
Not applicable	

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations / legislation specific for the substance or mixture

Approved code of practice:	Classification and labelling of substances and preparations dangerous for supply. Safety data sheets for substances and preparations.
Guidance notes:	Workplace Exposure Limits EH40.
EU Legislation:	Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 December 2006 concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH), establishing a European Chemicals Agency, amending Directive 1999/45/EC and repealing Council Regulation (EEC) No 793/93 and Commission Regulations (EC) No 1488/94 as well as Council Directive 76/769/EEC and Commission Directives 91/155/EEC, 93/67/EEC, 93/105/EC and 2000/21/EC, including amendments. Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 December 2008 on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures, amending and repealing Directives 67/548/EEC and 1999/45/EC, and amending Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 with amendments.

15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment: Not applicable. No chemical safety assessment has been carried out.

SECTION 16: Other information

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Risk phrases in full:	NC – not classified

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