

**CERAFLOUR 970**

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**SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION**

Product name : CERAFLOUR 970

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Visit our web site : [www.byk.com](http://www.byk.com)E-mail address : [BRIEF.BYK.NAFTA@altana.com](mailto:BRIEF.BYK.NAFTA@altana.com)Emergency telephone : 203-265-2086; CHEMTREC 1-800-424-9300 / +1  
number 703-527-3887**Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use**

Recommended use : Wax Additive

Restrictions on use : Refer to Section 15 for any restrictions that may apply

**SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION****GHS Classification**

Combustible dust :

**GHS label elements**

Signal word : Warning

Hazard statements : May form combustible dust concentrations in air.

**Other hazards**

None known.

**SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Substance / Mixture : Polymer

Chemical nature : Micronized polypropylene wax

**Hazardous components**

No hazardous ingredients

**SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES**

If inhaled : Remove to fresh air. Administer artificial respiration if necessary. Get medical aid as soon as possible.

In case of skin contact : Remove contaminated clothing. Wash thoroughly with soap and water.

In case of eye contact : Immediately flush with plenty of water for at least 20 minutes.

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- If swallowed : Get medical aid.  
: Do not induce vomiting; aspiration hazard. Dilute with 1-2 glasses of water. Get medical aid. If vomiting occurs spontaneously, keep head below hips to prevent aspiration of liquid into lungs.  
: Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.
- Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed : No information available.

### SECTION 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

- Suitable extinguishing media : Foam  
Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>)  
Dry chemical
- Unsuitable extinguishing media : No information available.
- Specific hazards during firefighting : Keep dust to a minimum to avoid potential formation of explosive air/dust mixture.  
Will not explode on mechanical impact.  
Cool closed containers exposed to fire with water spray.
- Hazardous combustion products : Carbon oxides
- Further information : Keep away from heat and sources of ignition.  
Keep away from oxidizing agents.
- Special protective equipment for firefighters : In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

### SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

- Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures : Wear protective equipment: goggles, chemically resistant clothing and gloves, and appropriate respirator if in a confined area.
- Environmental precautions : Prevent spilled material from entering the ground, water and/or air by using appropriate containment methods.
- Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up : Stop leak. Dike and contain spill.  
Wet sweep or vacuum spill.  
Use approved industrial vacuum cleaner for removal.

### SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

- Advice on safe handling : Avoid contact with skin and eyes.  
Avoid breathing dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapours/ spray.  
Keep container closed when not in use.  
Avoid dust accumulation in enclosed space.

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Conditions for safe storage : Handle as an industrial chemical.  
: Keep in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.  
: Keep product and empty container away from heat and sources of ignition.

Materials to avoid : Take measures to prevent the build up of electrostatic charge.  
: Keep away from oxidizing agents.

### SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### Components with workplace control parameters

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

#### Further occupational exposure limits

Description	Value type	Control parameters	Basis
inert or nuisance dust	TWA	50Million particles per cubic foot total dust	OSHA Z-3
	TWA	15 mg/m3 total dust	OSHA Z-3
	TWA	5 mg/m3 respirable fraction	OSHA Z-3
	TWA	15Million particles per cubic foot respirable fraction	OSHA Z-3

**Engineering measures** : Use with local exhaust ventilation.

#### Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection : If large quantities of dust are generated, wear a properly fitted (NIOSH) dust respirator/mask during exposure.

Hand protection  
Material : Impervious gloves

Eye protection : Safety glasses with side-shields

Skin and body protection : Choose body protection according to the amount and concentration of the dangerous substance at the work place.

Hygiene measures : Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.  
Clean long legged, long sleeved work clothes.  
If splashing is possible, wear chemically resistant protective clothing.

### SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical state : micropowder  
Colour : white  
Odour : characteristic

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Odour Threshold	: No data available
pH	: insoluble
Melting point/freezing point	: 320 °F (160 °C) (1,013 hPa)
Initial boiling point and boiling range	: No data available
Vapour pressure	: No data available
Flash point	: 500 °F (260 °C) Method: calculated
Upper explosion limit	: No data available
Lower explosion limit	: No data available
Evaporation rate	: No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	: May form combustible dust concentrations in air.
Dust explosion description number Kst	: 195.2 m.b./s
Dust explosion class	: St1
Relative vapour density	: No data available
Relative Density/Specific Gravity	: No data available
Particle size	: No data available
Density	: 0.9 g/cm <sup>3</sup> (68 °F (20 °C))
Solubility(ies)	
Water solubility	: immiscible
Solubility in other solvents	: No data available
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	: No data available
Ignition temperature	: No data available
Thermal decomposition	: No data available
Viscosity	
Viscosity, dynamic	: No data available

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**SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Reactivity	:	Not classified as a reactivity hazard.
Chemical stability	:	Stable; polymerization will not occur
Possibility of hazardous reactions	:	Dust may form explosive mixture in air.
Conditions to avoid	:	Excessive dusting may cause potentially explosive air/dust mix.
Incompatible materials	:	Strong oxidizing agents
Hazardous decomposition products	:	No hazardous decomposition products are known.

**SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION****Information on likely routes of exposure**

Inhalation  
Ingestion  
Eyes  
Skin Absorption  
Skin contact

**Acute toxicity****Product:**

Acute oral toxicity : Remarks: No data available

**Skin corrosion/irritation****Product:**

Remarks: No data available

**Serious eye damage/eye irritation****Product:**

Remarks: No data available

**Respiratory or skin sensitisation****Product:**

Remarks: No data available

**Germ cell mutagenicity****Product:**

Genotoxicity in vitro : Remarks: No data available

Genotoxicity in vivo : Remarks: No data available

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**Carcinogenicity****Product:**

Remarks: No data available

**IARC**

No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

**OSHA**

No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is on OSHA's list of regulated carcinogens.

**NTP**

No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

**Reproductive toxicity****Product:**

Effects on fertility : Remarks: No data available

Effects on foetal development : Remarks: No data available

**STOT - single exposure****Product:**

Remarks: No data available

**STOT - repeated exposure****Product:**

Remarks: No data available

**Repeated dose toxicity****Product:**

Remarks: No known chronic health effects.

**Aspiration toxicity****Product:**

No data available

**Experience with human exposure****Product:**

Inhalation:

Symptoms:

Dust particles may cause irritation of the respiratory tract.

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Skin contact:

Symptoms:

Contact may cause irritation.

Eye contact:

Symptoms:

Contact may cause irritation.

Ingestion:

Symptoms:

Ingestion will probably cause irritation of the digestive tract.

### SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### Ecotoxicity

##### Product:

Toxicity to fish

:

Remarks: No data available

#### Persistence and degradability

##### Product:

Biodegradability

:

Remarks: No data available

#### Bioaccumulative potential

##### Product:

Bioaccumulation

:

Remarks: No data available

#### Mobility in soil

No data available

#### Other adverse effects

No data available

##### Product:

Regulation

40 CFR Protection of Environment; Part 82 Protection of Stratospheric Ozone - CAA Section 602 Class I Substances

Remarks

This product neither contains, nor was manufactured with a Class I or Class II ODS as defined by the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 602 (40 CFR 82, Subpt. A, App.A + B).

Additional ecological information

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There is no data available for this product.

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**SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS****Disposal methods**

EPA Hazardous Waste Code(s) : Not applicable.

Waste from residues : Dispose of in accordance with applicable local/municipal, state/provincial and federal regulations.

**SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION****International Regulations****IATA-DGR**

Not regulated as a dangerous good

**IMDG-Code**

Not regulated as a dangerous good

**Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code**

Not applicable for product as supplied.

**National Regulations****49 CFR**

Not regulated as a dangerous good

Container sizes: 55 gallon drums, 5 or 6-gallon pails, 2oz/16oz samples

**SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION****EPCRA - Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act****US. EPA CERCLA Hazardous Substances (40 CFR 302)**

This material does not contain any components with a CERCLA RQ.

**SARA 304 - Emergency Release Notification**

This material does not contain any components with a section 304 EHS RQ.

**US. EPA Emergency Planning and Community Right-To-Know Act (EPCRA) SARA Title III Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substance (40 CFR 355, Appendix A)**

This material does not contain any components with a SARA 302 RQ.

**SARA 311/312 Hazards** : Per the June 13, 2016 Federal Register notice, EPA harmonized the EPCRA 311/312 hazard categories with the 2012 OSHA hazard communication standard for classifying and labeling of chemicals (i.e. GHS). Please refer to Section 2 of the SDS to identify the appropriate hazard categories for reporting purposes.

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**SARA 302** : No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

**SARA 313** : This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

**Clean Air Act**

This product does not contain any hazardous air pollutants (HAP), as defined by the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 112 (40 CFR 61).

This product does not contain any chemicals listed under the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 112(r) for Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130, Subpart F).

**Massachusetts Right To Know**

No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

**Pennsylvania Right To Know**

Polypropylene -

**New Jersey Right To Know**

**New Jersey Trade Secret Registry Number for the product (NJ TSRN)** : 800963-5975

**California Prop. 65**

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

**The components of this product are reported in the following inventories:**

TSCA : All substances listed as active on the TSCA inventory

Section 5a : No substances are subject to a Significant New Use Rule.

Section 4 / 12(b) : No substances are subject to TSCA 12(b) export notification requirements.

DSL : We certify that all of the components of this product are listed on the DSL.

**SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION**

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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

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guidance for safe handling, use, processing, storage, transportation, disposal and release and is not to be considered a warranty or quality specification. The information relates only to the specific material designated and may not be valid for such material used in combination with any other materials or in any process, unless specified in the text.