Material Safety Data Sheet
Cellulose Acetate MSDS

Section 1: Chemical Product and Company Identification

**Product Name:** Cellulose Acetate

**Catalog Codes:** SLC2011

**Synonyms:** Acetic Acid, Cellulose Ester.

**Contact Information:**

Sciencelab.com, Inc.
14025 Smith Rd.
Houston, Texas 77396
US Sales: 1-800-901-7247
International Sales: 1-281-441-4400
Order Online: ScienceLab.com

CHEMTREC (24HR Emergency Telephone), call:
1-800-424-9300
International CHEMTREC, call: 1-703-527-3887
For non-emergency assistance, call: 1-281-441-4400

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Section 2: Composition and Information on Ingredients

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**Hazard Symbols:** None listed.

**Risk Phrases:** None listed.

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Section 3: Hazards Identification

**EMERGENCY OVERVIEW:** Appearance: white solid.

**Caution!** May cause eye and skin irritation. May cause respiratory and digestive tract irritation. This is expected to be a low hazard for usual industrial handling.

**Target Organs:** Respiratory system.

**Potential Health Effects:**

**Eye:** Dust may cause mechanical irritation.

**Skin:** May cause skin irritation. Low hazard for usual industrial handling.

**Ingestion:** Ingestion of large amounts may cause gastrointestinal irritation.

**Inhalation:** May cause respiratory tract irritation. Low hazard for usual industrial handling.

**Chronic:** No information found.
Section 4: First Aid Measures

Eyes: Flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, occasionally lifting the upper and lower eyelids. If irritation develops, get medical aid.

Skin: Flush skin with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. Get medical aid if irritation develops or persists. Wash clothing before reuse.

Ingestion: Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical aid. Do NOT induce vomiting. If conscious and alert, rinse mouth and drink 2-4 cupfuls of milk or water.

Inhalation: Remove from exposure and move to fresh air immediately. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical aid if cough or other symptoms appear.

Notes to Physician: Treat symptomatically and supportively.

Section 5: Fire and Explosion Data

General Information: As in any fire, wear a self-contained breathing apparatus in pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent), and full protective gear. During a fire, irritating and highly toxic gases may be generated by thermal decomposition or combustion. This material in sufficient quantity and reduced particle size is capable of creating a dust explosion.

Extinguishing Media: In case of fire, use water, dry chemical, chemical foam, or alcohol-resistant foam. Use agent most appropriate to extinguish fire.

Flash Point: Not applicable.

Autoignition Temperature: Not applicable.

Explosion Limits, Lower: Not available.

Upper: Not available.

NFPA Rating: (estimated) Health: 0; Flammability: 0; Instability: 0

Section 6: Accidental Release Measures

General Information: Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8.

Spills/Leaks: Vacuum or sweep up material and place into a suitable disposal container. Clean up spills immediately, observing precautions in the Protective Equipment section. Avoid generating dusty conditions. Provide ventilation.

Section 7: Handling and Storage

Handling: Wash thoroughly after handling. Use with adequate ventilation. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Keep container tightly closed. Avoid ingestion and inhalation. Wash clothing before reuse.

Storage: Store in a cool, dry place. Store in a tightly closed container. Keep from contact with oxidizing materials.

Section 8: Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Engineering Controls: Use adequate ventilation to keep airborne concentrations low.

Exposure Limits:

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**OSHA Vacated PELs:** Cellulose Acetate: No OSHA Vacated PELs are listed for this chemical.

**Personal Protective Equipment:**

**Eyes:** Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by OSHA's eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard EN166.

**Skin:** Wear appropriate gloves to prevent skin exposure.

**Clothing:** Wear appropriate protective clothing to minimize contact with skin.

**Respirators:** Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard EN 149. Always use a NIOSH or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator when necessary.

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### Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

**Physical State:** Solid

**Appearance:** white

**Odor:** none reported

**pH:** Not available.

**Vapor Pressure:** Negligible.

**Vapor Density:** Not available.

**Evaporation Rate:** Negligible.

**Viscosity:** Not available.

**Boiling Point:** Not applicable.

**Freezing/Melting Point:** 260 deg C

**Decomposition Temperature:** Not available.

**Solubility:** Negligible in water.

**Specific Gravity/Density:** 1.27

**Molecular Formula:** Polymer

**Molecular Weight:** Not available.

### Section 10: Stability and Reactivity Data

**Chemical Stability:** Stable at room temperature in closed containers under normal storage and handling conditions.

**Conditions to Avoid:** Incompatible materials, dust generation, excess heat, strong oxidants.

**Incompatibilities with Other Materials:** Strong oxidizers.

**Hazardous Decomposition Products:** Carbon monoxide, irritating and toxic fumes and gases, carbon dioxide.

**Hazardous Polymerization:** Has not been reported.

### Section 11: Toxicological Information

**RTECS#:**

**CAS#:** 9004-35-7 unlisted.

**LD50/LC50:** Not available.
Carcinogenicity: CAS# 9004-35-7: Not listed by ACGIH, IARC, NIOSH, NTP, or OSHA.
Epidemiology: No information available.
Teratogenicity: No information available.
Reproductive Effects: No information available.
Neurotoxicity: No information available.
Mutagenicity: No information available.
Other Studies: No data available.

Section 12: Ecological Information

Section 13: Disposal Considerations

RCRA P-Series: None listed.
RCRA U-Series: None listed.

Section 14: Transport Information

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Section 15: Other Regulatory Information

US FEDERAL:
TSCA: CAS# 9004-35-7 is listed on the TSCA inventory.
Health & Safety Reporting List: None of the chemicals are on the Health & Safety Reporting List.
Chemical Test Rules: None of the chemicals in this product are under a Chemical Test Rule.
Section 12b: None of the chemicals are listed under TSCA Section 12b.
TSCA Significant New Use Rule: None of the chemicals in this material have a SNUR under TSCA.
SARA:
CERCLA Hazardous Substances and corresponding RQs: None of the chemicals in this material have an RQ.
SARA Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances: None of the chemicals in this product have a TPQ.
Section 313: No chemicals are reportable under Section 313.
Clean Air Act: This material does not contain any hazardous air pollutants. This material does not contain any Class 1 Ozone depletors. This material does not contain any Class 2 Ozone depletors.
Clean Water Act: None of the chemicals in this product are listed as Hazardous Substances under the CWA. None of the chemicals in this product are listed as Priority Pollutants under the CWA. None of the chemicals in this product are listed as Toxic Pollutants under the CWA.

OSHA: None of the chemicals in this product are considered highly hazardous by OSHA.

STATE: CAS# 9004-35-7 is not present on state lists from CA, PA, MN, MA, FL, or NJ. California No Significant Risk Level: None of the chemicals in this product are listed.

European/International Regulations:

European Labeling in Accordance with EC Directives:

Hazard Symbols: Not available.

Risk Phrases:

Safety Phrases:

WGK (Water Danger/Protection): CAS# 9004-35-7: 0

Canada - DSL/NDSL: CAS# 9004-35-7 is listed on Canada's DSL List.

Canada - WHMIS: WHMIS: Not available.

Canadian Ingredient Disclosure List:

Exposure Limits:

Section 16: Other Information

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