

**GELEST BLACK IRON OXIDE HS**

Safety Data Sheet BIA-HSA

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**SECTION 1: Identification****1.1. Identification**

Product name : GELEST BLACK IRON OXIDE HS  
 Product code : BIA-HSA  
 Product form : Substance  
 Physical state : Solid  
 Synonyms : C.I. PIGMENT BLACK 11, CARBOXYETHYLSILANETRIOL, SODIUM SALT  
 Other means of identification : INCI NAME: IRON OXIDES, DISODIUM CARBOXYETHYL SILICONATE

**1.2. Recommended use and restrictions on use**

Recommended use : Pigment  
 Cosmetics, personal care products

**1.3. Supplier****GELEST, INC.**

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**1.4. Emergency telephone number**

Emergency number : CHEMTREC: 1-800-424-9300 (USA); +1 703-527-3887 (International)

**SECTION 2: Hazard(s) identification****2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture****GHS-US classification**

Not classified

**2.2. GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements****GHS-US labeling**

No labeling applicable

**2.3. Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)**

No additional information available

**2.4. Unknown acute toxicity (GHS US)**

Not applicable

**SECTION 3: Composition/Information on ingredients****3.1. Substances**

Substance type : Multi-constituent  
 Name : GELEST BLACK IRON OXIDE HS  
 CAS-No. : 1317-61-9

Name	Product identifier	%	GHS-US classification
Iron Oxide (Fe <sub>3</sub> O <sub>4</sub> )	(CAS-No.) 1317-61-9	98 - 99	Not classified
Carboxyethylsilanetriol, disodium salt	(CAS-No.) 18191-40-7	1 - 2	Skin Irrit. 2, H315 Eye Irrit. 2A, H319

Full text of hazard classes and H-statements : see section 16

**3.2. Mixtures**

Not applicable

**SECTION 4: First-aid measures****4.1. Description of first aid measures**

First-aid measures general : Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label where possible). If possible show this sheet; if not available show packaging or label.

First-aid measures after inhalation : Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice.

First-aid measures after skin contact : Wash with plenty of soap and water. Get medical advice/attention.

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- First-aid measures after eye contact : Immediately flush eyes thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical advice/attention.
- First-aid measures after ingestion : Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical advice/attention.

### 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects (acute and delayed)

- Symptoms/effects after inhalation : Inhalation causes coughing, sneezing and respiratory problems.
- Symptoms/effects after skin contact : Skin contact may cause irritation due to mechanical action on sensitive skin.
- Symptoms/effects after eye contact : Eye contact causes irritation due to mechanical action and secretion of tears.
- Symptoms/effects after ingestion : Ingestion may cause stomach ache, vomiting and diarrhoea.
- Chronic symptoms : Prolonged inhalation of iron oxide dust is known to produce a condition known as siderosis, a benign pneumoconiosis.

### 4.3. Immediate medical attention and special treatment, if necessary

No additional information available

## SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures

### 5.1. Suitable (and unsuitable) extinguishing media

- Suitable extinguishing media : Non-combustible. Use an extinguishing agent suitable for the surrounding fire.

### 5.2. Specific hazards arising from the chemical

No additional information available

### 5.3. Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters

- Firefighting instructions : Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire. Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed containers.
- Protection during firefighting : Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.

## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

### 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

#### 6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

- Emergency procedures : Evacuate unnecessary personnel.

#### 6.1.2. For emergency responders

- Protective equipment : Equip cleanup crew with proper protection.

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Prevent entry to sewers and public waters.

### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

- Methods for cleaning up : Minimize generation of dust. Sweep or shovel spills into appropriate container for disposal. Provide ventilation system and use necessary personal protective equipment as described in "8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS AND PERSONAL PROTECTION".

### 6.4. Reference to other sections

See Heading 8. Exposure controls and personal protection.

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

- Precautions for safe handling : Provide local exhaust or general room ventilation to minimize exposure to dust. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not breathe dust.
- Hygiene measures : Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

### 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

- Storage conditions : Keep container tightly closed. Keep in a clean and dry area in original unopened containers.
- Incompatible materials : Oxidizing agent. Iron oxides react violently with aluminum, ethylene oxide, hydrazine, and calcium hypochlorite.
- Storage area : Store away from heat.

## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1. Control parameters

#### Iron Oxide (Fe<sub>3</sub>O<sub>4</sub>) (1317-61-9)

ACGIH	ACGIH TWA (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Total Inhalable Dust
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### 8.2. Appropriate engineering controls

- Appropriate engineering controls : Provide local exhaust or general room ventilation.

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### 8.3. Individual protection measures/Personal protective equipment

#### Personal protective equipment:

Avoid all unnecessary exposure. Emergency eye wash fountains and safety showers should be available in the immediate vicinity of any potential exposure.

#### Hand protection:

Neoprene or nitrile rubber gloves

#### Eye protection:

Chemical goggles or safety glasses

#### Skin and body protection:

Wear suitable protective clothing

#### Respiratory protection:

Where exposure through inhalation may occur from use, respiratory protection equipment is recommended. NIOSH-certified dust and mist (orange cartridge) respirator.

## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	: Solid
Appearance	: Powder.
Color	: Black.
Odor	: Slight. Characteristic.
Odor threshold	: No data available
Refractive index	: No data available
pH	: No data available
Relative evaporation rate (butyl acetate=1)	: No data available
Melting point	: No data available
Freezing point	: No data available
Boiling point	: No data available
Flash point	: No data available
Auto-ignition temperature	: No data available
Decomposition temperature	: No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	: No data available
Vapor pressure	: No data available
Relative vapor density at 20 °C	: No data available
Relative density	: No data available
Specific gravity / density	: 4.8 - 5.1
Solubility	: Insoluble in water.
Log Pow	: No data available
Log Kow	: No data available
Viscosity, kinematic	: No data available
Viscosity, dynamic	: No data available
Explosive properties	: No data available
Oxidizing properties	: No data available
Explosion limits	: No data available

### 9.2. Other information

No additional information available

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1. Reactivity

No additional information available

### 10.2. Chemical stability

This product is not stable if stored at temperatures above 140° F (60° C). Storage temperatures above 140° F (60° C) may cause the black iron oxide to oxidize, generating heat which could cause surrounding combustibles to burn.

### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No additional information available

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### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

Excessive heat.

### 10.5. Incompatible materials

Oxidizing agent. Iron oxides react violently with aluminum, ethylene oxide, hydrazine, and calcium hypochlorite.

### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

No additional information available

## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity : Not classified

Skin corrosion/irritation : Not classified

Serious eye damage/irritation : Not classified

Respiratory or skin sensitization : Not classified

Germ cell mutagenicity : Not classified

Carcinogenicity : Not classified

This product contains a component that is not classifiable as to its carcinogenicity based on its IARC, ACGIH, NTP, or EPA classification.

Reproductive toxicity : Not classified

Specific target organ toxicity – single exposure : Not classified

Specific target organ toxicity – repeated exposure : Not classified

Aspiration hazard : Not classified

Symptoms/effects after inhalation : Inhalation causes coughing, sneezing and respiratory problems.

Symptoms/effects after skin contact : Skin contact may cause irritation due to mechanical action on sensitive skin.

Symptoms/effects after eye contact : Eye contact causes irritation due to mechanical action and secretion of tears.

Symptoms/effects after ingestion : Ingestion may cause stomach ache, vomiting and diarrhoea.

Chronic symptoms : Prolonged inhalation of iron oxide dust is known to produce a condition known as siderosis, a benign pneumoconosis.

## SECTION 12: Ecological information

### 12.1. Toxicity

#### Iron Oxide (Fe<sub>3</sub>O<sub>4</sub>) (1317-61-9)

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### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

No additional information available

### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

No additional information available

### 12.4. Mobility in soil

No additional information available

### 12.5. Other adverse effects

Effect on the ozone layer : No additional information available

## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1. Disposal methods

Sewage disposal recommendations : Do not dispose of waste into sewer.

Product/Packaging disposal recommendations : Dispose of contents/container to licensed waste disposal facility.

Ecology - waste materials : Avoid release to the environment.

## SECTION 14: Transport information

### 14.1. UN number

Not regulated for transport.

### 14.2. UN proper shipping name

Not applicable

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### 14.3. Additional information

Other information : No supplementary information available.

#### Transport by sea

No additional information available

#### Air transport

No additional information available

## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

### 15.1. US Federal regulations

#### Iron Oxide (Fe<sub>3</sub>O<sub>4</sub>) (1317-61-9)

Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory

#### Carboxyethylsilanetriol, disodium salt (18191-40-7)

Not listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory

### 15.2. International regulations

#### CANADA

#### Iron Oxide (Fe<sub>3</sub>O<sub>4</sub>) (1317-61-9)

Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)

WHMIS Classification : Uncontrolled product according to WHMIS classification criteria

#### EU-Regulations

#### Iron Oxide (Fe<sub>3</sub>O<sub>4</sub>) (1317-61-9)

Listed on the EEC inventory EINECS (European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances)

#### National regulations

#### Iron Oxide (Fe<sub>3</sub>O<sub>4</sub>) (1317-61-9)

Listed on the AICS (Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances)  
Listed on IECSC (Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances Produced or Imported in China)  
Listed on the Japanese ENCS (Existing & New Chemical Substances) inventory  
Listed on the Korean ECL (Existing Chemicals List)  
Listed on NZIoC (New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals)  
Listed on PICCS (Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances)  
Listed on INSQ (Mexican National Inventory of Chemical Substances)  
Listed on CICR (Turkish Inventory and Control of Chemicals)

### 15.3. US State regulations

No additional information available

## SECTION 16: Other information

Full text of H-phrases::

H315	Causes skin irritation
H319	Causes serious eye irritation

Abbreviations and acronyms

: Abbreviations: ND: Not Determined, No Data; NA: Not Applicable; LD: Lethal Dose; LC: Lethal Concentration; ATE: Acute Toxicity Estimates; H: hour; °: °C unless otherwise stated; mm: millimeters Hg, torr; PEL: permissible exposure level; TWA: time weighted average; TLV: threshold limit value; TG: Test Guideline; NIOSH: National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health; IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer; NTP: National Toxicology Program; HMIS: Hazardous Material Information System; CAS No.: Chemical Abstract Service Registration Number; EC No.: European Commission Registration Number; EC Index No.: European Commission Index Number; OECD: The Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development; GHS: The Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling; APF: Assigned Protection Factor.

#### Hazard Rating

Health : 1 Slight Hazard - Irritation or minor reversible injury possible  
Flammability : 0 Minimal Hazard - Materials that will not burn  
Physical : 0 Minimal Hazard - Materials that are normally stable, even under fire conditions, and will NOT react with water, polymerize, decompose, condense, or self-react. Non-Explosives.

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