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

1.1. **Product identifier**
- **Product form:** Substance
- **Trade name:** FloMag® PWT 12 x 40
  - FloMag® PWT 6 x 16
  - FloMag® PWT Prilled 30
- **Chemical name:** Magnesium oxide
- **CAS No:** 1309-48-4
- **Formula:** MgO
- **Other means of identification:** calcined brucite magnesia, calcined magnesia, calcined magnesite, magnesite burnt deadburned refractory, periclase, sea-water magnesia, oxomagnesia

1.2. **Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**
- **Use of the substance/mixture:** For use in potable water treatment (NSF Standard 60 for Drinking Water Chemicals).

1.3. **Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- **Martin Marietta Magnesia Specialties**
  - 1800 Eastlake Road
  - Manistee, Michigan 49660, USA
  - Tel: +001 410 780 5500

1.4. **Emergency telephone number**
- **Emergency number:** CHEMTREC, U.S.: 1-800-424-9300 INTERNATIONAL: +1-703-527-3887 Available 24/7

**SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

2.1. **Classification of the substance or mixture**
- **Classification (GHS-US):** Not classified

2.2. **Label elements**
- **GHS-US labeling:** No labeling applicable

2.3. **Other hazards**
- **No additional information available**

2.4. **Unknown acute toxicity (GHS-US)**
- **None**

**SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

3.1. **Substances**
- **Substance type:** Mono-constituent
- **Name:** FloMag® PWT (Potable Water Treatment) Magnesium Oxide
- **CAS No:** 1309-48-4

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3.2. **Mixtures**
- **Not applicable**

**SECTION 4: First aid measures**

4.1. **Description of first aid measures**
- **First-aid measures general:** Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible).
- **First-aid measures after inhalation:** If breathing is difficult, remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.
First-aid measures after skin contact: Remove affected clothing and wash all exposed skin area with mild soap and water, followed by warm water rinse.

First-aid measures after eye contact: Rinse immediately with plenty of water. Obtain medical attention if pain, blinking or redness persist.

First-aid measures after ingestion: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Obtain emergency medical attention.

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms/injuries: Not expected to present a significant hazard under anticipated conditions of normal use. Do not breathe dust.

Symptoms/injuries after inhalation: Inhalation may cause: irritation, cough, short breathing.

Symptoms/injuries after skin contact: Effects of skin contact may include: skin irritation.

Symptoms/injuries after eye contact: May cause eye irritation.

Symptoms/injuries after ingestion: Ingestion generally causes purging of the bowels. Swallowing large amounts may cause bowel obstruction.

4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No additional medical information found. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1. Extinguishing media

suitable extinguishing media: Not combustible. If there is a fire close by, use suitable extinguishing agents. Water fog, Carbon dioxide. Dry powder. Foam.

Unsuitable extinguishing media: None known.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Fire hazard: If heated to decomposition, magnesium oxide fumes may be generated.

Explosion hazard: Product is not explosive.

Reactivity: Reacts with: Incompatible materials.

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Firefighting instructions: Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed containers. Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire. Do not allow run-off from fire fighting to enter drains or water courses.

Protection during firefighting: Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.

Other information: No additional risk management measures required.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

General measures: Avoid creating or spreading dust. Dust deposited may be vacuum cleaned.

6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Protective equipment: Where excessive dust may result, use approved respiratory protection equipment.

Emergency procedures: Evacuate unnecessary personnel.

6.1.2. For emergency responders

Protective equipment: Where excessive dust may result, use approved respiratory protection equipment.

Emergency procedures: Ventilate area. If a major spill occurs, all personnel should be immediately evacuated and the area ventilated.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Prevent entry to sewers and public waters. Notify authorities if liquid enters sewers or public waters.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

For containment: Do not allow minor leaks or spills to accumulate on walking surfaces. Contain and collect as any solid.

Methods for cleaning up: On land, sweep or shovel into suitable containers. Minimize generation of dust.

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: Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work.;Provide good ventilation in process area to prevent formation of dust.
Hygiene measures: Smoking, eating and drinking should be prohibited in areas of storage and use. Always wash your hands immediately after handling this product, and once again before leaving the workplace.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage conditions: Keep only in the original container in a cool, well ventilated place away from incompatible materials. Keep container closed when not in use.

Incompatible materials: ACID (Strong) - vigorous reaction, heat generated; Chlorine Trifluoride reacts violently, producing flame; Phosphorous Pentachloride - incandesces brilliantly. NOTE: Exposure to water may cause this product to slowly hydrate, during which heat may be generated (exothermic reaction).

7.3. Specific end use(s)

Reference Section 1.2

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

For components listed in Section 3.1, all available OELs are displayed

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8.2. Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls: Avoid dispersal of dust in the air (i.e., clearing dust surfaces with compressed air). Provide local exhaust ventilation of closed transfer systems to minimize exposures.

Hand protection: Wear protective gloves: dust impervious gloves.

Eye protection: Chemical goggles or safety glasses.

Respiratory protection: In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment. Use air-purifying respirator equipped with particulate filtering cartridges.

UP TO 100 MG/M³: Any dust, mist or fume respirator; any air supplied respirator; or, self-contained breathing apparatus.

UP TO 250 MG/M³: Any supplied air respirator operated in a continuous flow mode or any powered air purifying respirator with a dust/mist/fume filter.

UP TO 500 MG/M³: High efficiency particulate filter with full face piece; any powered air supplied respirator with a tight fitting face piece and a high efficiency particulate filter; any self-contained breathing apparatus with a full face piece; any supplied air respirator with a full face piece.

UP TO 7500 MG/M³: Any air supplied respirator with full face piece and operated in a pressure demand or other positive pressure mode.

EMERGENCY or ENTRY INTO UNKNOWN CONCENTRATIONS: Self-contained breathing apparatus with full face piece and operated in pressure demand mode or air supplied respirator with full face piece operated in a pressure demand or other positive pressure mode in combination with auxiliary self-contained breathing apparatus operated in pressure demand or positive pressure mode.

ESCAPE: Any air purifying full face piece respirator with high efficiency particulate filter or any appropriate escape type self-contained apparatus.

Other information: When using, do not eat, drink or smoke.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state: Solid
Appearance: Powder.
Molecular mass: 40.3 g/mol
Color: white.
Odor: Odorless.
Odor threshold: No data available
pH: No data available
pH solution: 10.3 saturated aqueous solution
Relative evaporation rate (butyl acetate=1): No data available
Melting point: 2827 (2797 - 2857) °C
Freezing point: No data available
Boiling point: 3600 °C
Flash point: Product does not sustain combustion
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9.2. Other information
No additional information available

**SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

10.1. Reactivity
Reacts with: Incompatible materials.

10.2. Chemical stability
Stable at ambient temperature and under normal conditions of use.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions
Hazardous polymerization will not occur.

10.4. Conditions to avoid
Avoid contact with incompatible materials, excessive heat or cold; moisture.

10.5. Incompatible materials
ACID (Strong) - vigorous reaction, heat generated; Chlorine Trifluoride reacts violently, producing flame; Phosphorous Pentachloride - incandesces brilliantly. NOTE: Exposure to water may cause this product to slowly hydrate, during which heat may be generated (exothermic reaction).

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products
If magnesium oxide is heated to the point of volatilization (i.e., >1700 °C), magnesium oxide fumes may be generated.

**SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

11.1. Information on toxicological effects
Acute toxicity: Not classified. (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)

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Skin corrosion/irritation: Not classified. (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)

Serious eye damage/irritation: Not classified. (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)

Respiratory or skin sensitization: Not classified. (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)

Germ cell mutagenicity: Not classified. (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)

Carcinogenicity: Not classified. (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)

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Reproductive toxicity: Not classified. (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)

Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure): Not classified. (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)

Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure): Not classified. (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)
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Aspiration hazard: Not classified. (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)

Potential Adverse human health effects and symptoms:

- Symptoms/injuries after inhalation: Inhalation may cause: irritation, cough, shortness of breath.
- Symptoms/injuries after skin contact: Effects of skin contact may include: skin irritation.
- Symptoms/injuries after eye contact: May cause eye irritation.
- Symptoms/injuries after ingestion: Ingestion generally causes purging of the bowels. Swallowing large amounts may cause bowel obstruction.

Likely routes of exposure: dermal;Inhalation.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity
No additional information available

12.2. Persistence and degradability

**Magnesium oxide (1309-48-4)**
Persistence and degradability: Not established.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

**Magnesium oxide (1309-48-4)**
Bioaccumulative potential: Not established.

12.4. Mobility in soil
No additional information available

12.5. Other adverse effects
Other information: Avoid release to the environment.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods
Waste treatment methods: Take all necessary measures to avoid accidental discharge of products into drains and waterways due to the rupture of containers or transfer systems. Dispose in a safe manner in accordance with local/national regulations.

Waste disposal recommendations: Dispose in a safe manner in accordance with local/national regulations.

Ecology - waste materials: Avoid release to the environment.

SECTION 14: Transport information

In accordance with DOT
Not considered a dangerous good for transport regulations

Additional information
Other information: No supplementary information available.

ADR
Transport document description:

Transport by sea
No additional information available

Air transport
No additional information available

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1. US Federal regulations

**Magnesium oxide (1309-48-4)**
Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory

SARA Section 311/312 Hazard Classes: Immediate (acute) health hazard
Magnesium oxide (1309-48-4)

SARA Section 313 - Emission Reporting

This notification must not be detached from this SDS and any copying of the SDS must include this notice, as required by 40CFR part 372: Magnesium oxide is not subject to Form R reporting requirements.

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SECTION 16: Other information

Indication of changes: Original Document.

Data sources:
- ACGIH 2000.

Abbreviations and acronyms:
- ACGIH (American Conference of Government Industrial Hygienists).
- ATE: Acute Toxicity Estimate.
- CAS (Chemical Abstracts Service) number.
- EC50: Environmental Concentration associated with a response by 50% of the test population.
- GHS: Globally Harmonized System (of Classification and Labeling) of Chemicals.
- LD50: Lethal Dose for 50% of the test population.
- OSHA: Occupational Safety & Health Administration.
- TSCA: Toxic Substances Control Act.
- TWA: Time Weighted Average.

Other information: None.

NFPA health hazard:
- 0 - Exposure under fire conditions would offer no hazard beyond that of ordinary combustible materials.

NFPA fire hazard:
- 0 - Materials that will not burn.

NFPA reactivity:
- 0 - Normally stable, even under fire exposure conditions, and are not reactive with water.

This information is based on our current knowledge and is intended to describe the product for the purposes of health, safety and environmental requirements only. It should not therefore be construed as guaranteeing any specific property of the product.