

Safety Data Sheet

Blue #1, FD&C Powder

1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name: Blue #1, FD&C Powder

Synonyms/Generic Names: Food coloring; Vegetable dye

Product Number: 0865

Product Use: Industrial, Manufacturing or Laboratory use

Manufacturer: Columbus Chemical Industries, Inc.

N4335 Temkin Rd. Columbus, WI. 53925

For More Information: 920-623-2140 (Monday-Friday 8:00-4:30)

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In Case of Emergency Call: CHEMTREC – 800-424-9300 or 703-527-3887 (24 Hours/Day,7 Days/Week)

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Signal Words: None

Pictograms: None

GHS Classification:

Acute aquatic toxicity	Category 3

GHS Label Elements, including precautionary statements:

Hazard Statements:

		H402	Harmful to aquatic life.
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Precautionary Statements:

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	Not Available				

Potential Health Effects

Eyes Mild irritation to eye.	
Inhalation Irritation to respiratory system as nuisance dust.	
Skin Not Available	
Ingestion Not Available	

NFPA Ratings

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	Health	0
	Flammability	0
	Reactivity	0
	Specific hazard	Not Available

HMIS Ratings

Health	0
Fire	0
Reactivity	0

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Component	Weight %	CAS#	EINECS# / ELINCS#	Formula	Molecular Weight
FD&C Blue #1	100	3844-45-9	222-339-8	C ₃₇ H ₃₄ N ₂ O ₉ S ₃ Na ₂	792.84 g/mol

4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

Eyes	Flush eyes with water.	
Inhalation	Move casualty to fresh air and keep at rest. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. If not	
	breathing, give artificial respiration.	
Skin	Wash off with soap and plenty of water.	
Ingestion	Do Not Induce Vomiting! Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If	
	conscious, wash out mouth with water.	

5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable (and unsuitable) extinguishing media	Not flammable. Use appropriate media on adjacent fire. Use water to cool containers.	
Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters	Wear self-contained, approved breathing apparatus and full protective clothing, including eye protection and boots.	
Specific hazards arising from the chemical	May emit toxic fumes under fire conditions. (Carbon oxides, Nitroge oxides, Sulfur oxides, Sodium oxides) (See also Stability and Reactivity section)	

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures	See section 8 for recommendations on the use of personal protective equipment.
Environmental precautions	Prevent spillage from entering drains. Any release to the environment
	may be subject to a federal/national or local reporting requirements.
Methods and materials for	Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. Sweep up and
containment and cleaning up	place in suitable, closed containers for disposal. Clean surfaces
	thoroughly with water to remove residual contamination. Dispose of all
	waste or cleanup materials in accordance with regulations.

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7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

See section 8 for recommendations on the use of personal protective equipment. Use with adequate ventilation. Avoid creating dust. Avoid getting in eyes and on skin. Wash thoroughly after using. Keep container closed when not in use.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store in cool, dry well ventilated area. Keep away from incompatible materials (see section 10 for incompatibilities).

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Occupational exposure controls: Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

Personal Protection

Eyes	Wear chemical safety glasses with side-shields.	
Inhalation	Provide local exhaust, preferably mechanical. If exposure levels are excessive, use an	
	approved respirator.	
Skin	Wear nitrile or rubber gloves, apron or lab coat.	
Other	Not Available	

Other Recommendations

Provide eyewash stations, quick-drench showers and washing facilities accessible to areas of use and handling. Have supplies and equipment for neutralization and running water available.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance (physical state, color, etc.)	Blue powder. Solid.
Odor	No odor
Odor threshold	Not Available
pH	Not Available
Melting point/freezing point	283 °C (541 °F)
Initial boiling point and boiling range	Not Available
Flash point	Not Flammable
Evaporation rate	Not Available
Flammability (solid, gas)	Not Flammable
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limit	Not Flammable
Vapor pressure (mmHg)	Not Available
Vapor density	Not Available
Relative density	Not Available
Solubility (ies)	Soluble
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	Not Available
Auto-ignition temperature	Not Applicable
Decomposition temperature	Not Available

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10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Chemical Stability	Stable under recommended storage conditions.	
Possibility of Hazardous Reactions	Will not occur.	
Conditions to Avoid Extreme heat.		
Incompatible Materials Oxidizing agents, reducing agents.		
Hazardous Decomposition	Carbon oxides, Nitrogen oxides, Sulfur oxides, Sodium oxides.	
Products		

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute Toxicity

Skin	Not Available
Eyes	Not Available
Respiratory	Not Available
Ingestion	LD50 Oral- rat- 300 mg/kg

Carcinogenicity

IARC	No components of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.
ACGIH	No components of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH.
NTP	No components of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.
OSHA	No components of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

Signs & Symptoms of Exposure

Skin	Skin irritation.
Eyes	Eye irritation.
Respiratory	Irritation.
Ingestion	Irritation.

Chronic Toxicity	Not Available
Teratogenicity	Not Available
Mutagenicity	Not Available
Embryotoxicity	Not Available
Specific Target Organ Toxicity	Not Available

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

Aquatic Vertebrate	Not Available
Aquatic	Not Available
Invertebrate	
Terrestrial	Not Available

Persistence and Degradability	Not Available
Bioaccumulative Potential	Not Available
Mobility in Soil	Not Available
PBT and vPvB Assessment	Not Available

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Other Adverse Effects	Not Available

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Residues	Users should review their operations in terms of the applicable federal/national or	
	local regulations and consult with appropriate regulatory agencies if necessary before disposing of waste product container.	
Product	Users should review their operations in terms of the applicable federal/national or	
Containers	local regulations and consult with appropriate regulatory agencies if necessary	
	before disposing of waste product container.	

The information offered in section 13 is for the product as shipped. Use and/or alterations to the product may significantly change the characteristics of the material and alter the waste classification and proper disposal methods.

14. TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

US DOT	Not Dangerous Goods
TDG	Not Dangerous Goods
IMDG	Not Dangerous Goods
Marine Pollutant	No
IATA/ICAO	Not Dangerous Goods

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

TSCA Inventory Status	All ingredients are listed on the TSCA Active inventory.
DSL / NDSL	All ingredients are listed on the DSL inventory.
California Proposition 65	Not Listed
Rhode Island: Hazardous Substance List	Not Listed
Massachusetts: Toxic or Hazardous Substance List,	Listed: FD&C Blue #1
Right to Know	
Pennsylvania: Hazardous Substance List	Not Listed
New Jersey: Right to Know Hazardous Substance	Not Listed
List	
SARA 302	Not Listed
SARA 304	Not Listed
SARA 311	No SARA Hazards
SARA 312	No SARA Hazards
SARA 313	Not Listed
WHMIS Canada	Not Listed

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16. OTHER INFORMATION

Revision	Date
Original	08/05/2011
Revision 1	08/06/2013
Revision 2	08/02/2021

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