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

### 1.1. Product Identifier

Product name: Ticagel® Gellan L-6
Product code: TGEL GELLAN L-6

### 1.2. Intended Use Of The Product

Use of the substance/preparation: Emulsifying, Gelling, Stabilizing and Thickening Agent

### 1.3. Name, Address, And Telephone Of The Responsible Party

Operations
4609 Richlynn Drive
Belcamp, MD 21017 USA
(800) 899-3953 / 410-273-7300
ticgums.com

### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number: 410-273-7308

## SECTION 2: Hazards identification

### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

## Classification (GHS-US)

Combustible Dust

### 2.2. Label elements

Classification (GHS-US)
Signal word (GHS-US):
Hazard statements (GHS-US):

Warning
May form combustible dust concentrations in air

### 2.3. Other hazards

No additional information available

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

No data available

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.2. Mixtures

| Name | Product identifier (CAS No.) | \% |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Gellan gum | $71010-52-1$ | Proprietary* |

*The specific chemical concentration is being withheld as a trade secret

## 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: When symptoms occur: go into open air and ventilate suspected area.
First-aid measures after skin contact: Rinse with plenty of water.
First-aid measures after eye contact: IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
First-aid measures after ingestion: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

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### 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.
Symptoms/injuries after inhalation: Prolonged inhalation of dust may cause respiratory irritation.
Symptoms/injuries after skin contact: Dust may cause irritation in skin folds or by contact in combination with tight clothing.
Symptoms/injuries after eye contact: Dust from this product may cause minor eye irritation.
Symptoms/injuries after ingestion: None under normal use.
4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed No additional information available

## SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

### 5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media: Foam. Dry powder. Carbon dioxide. Water spray. Sand.
Unsuitable extinguishing media: Do not use a heavy water stream.

### 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Fire hazard: Combustible Dust. Dust explosion hazard in air. Supports combustion at high temperatures. Under conditions of fire this material may produce: Carbon dioxide. Carbon monoxide.
Explosion hazard: Avoid dust clouds in combination with static electricity. Dust clouds can be explosive.
Reactivity: Stable at ambient temperature and under normal conditions of use.

### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Firefighting instructions: 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.

## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

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

General measures: Avoid generating dust. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Good housekeeping is needed during storage, transfer, handling, and use of this material to avoid excessive dust accumulation.

### 6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Protective equipment: Use appropriate personal protection equipment (PPE).
Emergency procedures: Evacuate unnecessary personnel.

### 6.1.2. For emergency responders

Protective equipment: Equip cleanup crew with proper protection.
Emergency procedures: Ventilate area.

### 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: Collect spillage. Avoid generation of dust during clean-up of spills. Vacuum must be fitted with HEPA filter to prevent release of particulates during clean-up. Practice good housekeeping - spillage can be slippery on smooth surface either wet or dry.

### 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: Take precautionary measures against static discharge.
Hygiene measures: Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety procedures.

### 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: Direct sunlight. Heat sources. Keep container closed when not in use. Protect from moisture.
Incompatible products: Strong bases. Strong acids.
7.3. Specific end use(s) Emulsifying, Gelling, Stabilizing and Thickening Agent

## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1. Control parameters

Specific dusts not listed fall under Particulates Not Otherwise Regulated:
OSHA PEL (Respirable Dust): $5 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{m} 3$
OSHA PEL (Total Dust): $15 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{m} 3$

### 8.2. Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls

Personal protective equipment
: Provide adequate ventilation to minimize dust concentrations. Ensure all national/local regulations are observed. Proper grounding procedures to avoid static electricity should be followed.
: Dust formation: Dust mask. Gloves. Protective goggles.


Hand protection
Eye protection
Respiratory protection

Other information
: Wear protective gloves.
: Chemical goggles or safety glasses.
: Use NIOSH-approved air-purifying or supplied-air respirator where airborne concentrations of dust are expected to exceed exposure limits.
: When using, do not eat, drink or smoke.

## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

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

| Appearance | : Off White |
| :--- | :--- |
| Odor | : Odorless |
| Odor threshold | : 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 $\mathbf{2 0}{ }^{\circ} \mathbf{C}$ | : No data available |
| Relative density | : No data available |

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| Solubility | : No data available |
| :--- | :--- |
| Log Pow | : Soluble in water. |
| 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 |
| Explosive limits | : No data available |

9.2. Other information No additional information available

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1. Reactivity

Stable at ambient temperature and under normal conditions of use.

### 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous polymerization will not occur.

### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

Direct sunlight. Extremely high or low temperatures. Protect from moisture. Use good housekeeping practices during storage, transfer, handling, to avoid excessive dust accumulation.

### 10.5. Incompatible materials

Strong acids. Strong bases.

### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Under conditions of fire this material may produce: Carbon oxides (CO, CO2).

## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### 11.1. Hazardous decomposition products

| Gellan gum (71010-52-1) | No Data Available |
| :--- | :--- |
| Toxicity to Animals |  |
| 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 |  |
| Gellan gum (71010-52-1) |  |
| IARC group | This product is not considered to be a carcinogen by IARC, ACGIH, NTP, or OSHA |

Reproductive toxicity: Not classified
Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure): Not classified
Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure): Not classified
Aspiration hazard: Not classified
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Symptoms/injuries after skin contact: Dust may cause minor irritation in skin folds or by contact in combination with tight clothing.
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Symptoms/injuries after ingestion: None under normal use.

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## SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity No additional information available
12.2.

| TGEL GELLAN L-6 | Not established. |
| :--- | :--- |
| Persistence and degradability |  |

TGEL GELLAN L-6
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 disposal recommendations: Dispose of waste material in accordance with all local, regional, national, and international regulations.

## SECTION 14: Transport information

In accordance with ICAO/IATA/DOT/TDG
14.1. UN number Not applicable
14.2. UN proper shipping name Not regulated for transport.

### 14.3. Additional information

Other information : No supplementary information available.
Overland transport Not regulated for transport.
Transport by sea Not regulated for transport.
Air transport Not regulated for transport.
SECTION 15: Regulatory information

### 15.1. US Federal regulations

Gellan gum (71010-52-1)
Not regulated

### 15.2. International regulations

Gellan gum (71010-52-1)

Korea Existing Chemicals List (ECL) Yes

### 15.3. US State regulations

## SECTION 16: Other information

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| Data sources | : This document has been prepared in accordance with the SDS <br> requirements of the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard 29 CFR <br> 1910.1200. |
| GHS Full Text Phrases: | Combustible Dust |
| Comb. Dust |  |

