



FiberCon

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### 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

**Product Name** FiberCon  
**Common Name** Calcium polycarbophil  
**Chemical Name** Not applicable  
**Synonyms** FiberCon Caplets  
**Product Use** Pharmaceutical product  
**Classification** Bulk forming laxative

**Supplier** Wyeth  
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### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### Emergency Overview

This contains an active pharmaceutical ingredient that can affect body functions; handle with caution.

**Appearance** Pharmaceutical tablet      **Physical State** Solid      **Odor** Not available

**Potential Physical Hazards** Powders and solids are presumed to be combustible.

#### Potential Health Effects

**Eyes** Not available  
**Skin** Not available  
**Inhalation** Not available  
**Ingestion** The most common effects may include nausea, vomiting, abdominal pain, diarrhea, difficulty breathing, difficulty swallowing, and bleeding.

Please see Patient Package Insert for further information.

**Therapeutic Target Organ(s)** Gastrointestinal tract, bowel.

Not listed by OSHA, NTP or IARC.

**Potential Environmental Effects** There is no known ecological information for this product.

### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Common Name	CAS-No	Composition
Calcium polycarbophil	9003-97-8	625 mg/capsule

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Inactive Ingredients	Not applicable	.? mg/tablet

#### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

<b>Eye Contact</b>	In the case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.
<b>Skin Contact</b>	Take off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately. Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water. If skin irritation persists, call a physician.
<b>Inhalation</b>	Move to fresh air. Artificial respiration and/or oxygen may be necessary. If symptoms persist, call a physician.
<b>Ingestion</b>	If symptoms persist, call a physician. Do not induce vomiting without medical advice. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

#### 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

<b>Flammable Properties</b>	Presumed to be a combustible particulate solid.
<b>Extinguishing Media</b>	
<b>Suitable Extinguishing Media</b>	Use water spray, foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.
<b>Unsuitable Extinguishing Media</b>	Do NOT use water jet.
<b>Fire Fighting</b>	Evacuate area and fight fire from a safe distance. Cool closed containers exposed to fire with water spray. In the event of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes.
<b>Hazardous Combustion Products</b>	Carbon oxides, nitrogen oxides.
<b>Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters</b>	In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus and special protective equipment for fire fighters.

#### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

<b>Personal Precautions</b>	Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 7 and 8.
<b>Environmental Precautions</b>	Prevent product from entering drains. Local authorities should be advised if a significant spill cannot be contained.
<b>Methods for Containment</b>	Not available
<b>Methods for Cleaning up</b>	Take up mechanically and collect in suitable container for disposal. Clean contaminated surface thoroughly. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols.

#### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

<b>Handling</b>	For personal protection see Section 8. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Skin should be washed after contact. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols.
<b>Storage</b>	No special safety precautions required. Keep container tightly closed.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

<b>Engineering Controls</b>	No special precautions required.
<b>Personal Protective Equipment</b>	
<b>Eye/face Protection</b>	Avoid contact with skin and eyes.
<b>Skin Protection</b>	For prolonged or repeated exposure use protective gloves. No special protective clothing required under typical conditions of use.
<b>Respiratory Protection</b>	Base respirator selection on a risk assessment.
<b>General Hygiene Considerations</b>	When using, do not eat, drink or smoke. General industrial hygiene practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.
<b>Other</b>	Limit access to only personnel trained in the safe handling of this material. Consult a health and safety professional for specific PPE, respirator, and risk assessment guidance.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

<b>Appearance</b>	Pharmaceutical tablet	<b>Physical State</b>	Solid
<b>Color</b>	Not available	<b>Odor</b>	Not available
<b>Odor Threshold</b>	Not available		
<b>pH</b>	Not available		
<b>Specific Gravity</b>	Not applicable	<b>Water Solubility</b>	Not available
<b>Solubility</b>	Not applicable	<b>Evaporation Rate</b>	Not applicable
<b>Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water)</b>	Not available	<b>Vapor Density</b>	Not applicable
<b>Vapor Pressure</b>	Not applicable		
<b>Boiling Point</b>	Not applicable	<b>Autoignition Temperature</b>	Not applicable
<b>Flash Point</b>	Not applicable	<b>Method</b>	None
<b>Melting Point</b>	Not available		
<b>Flammability Limits in Air</b>	<b>Upper</b> Not applicable	<b>Lower</b>	Not applicable
<b>Explosion Limits</b>	<b>Upper</b> Not applicable	<b>Lower</b>	Not applicable

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

<b>Chemical Stability</b>	Stable at room temperature.
<b>Conditions to Avoid</b>	No data available
<b>Materials to Avoid</b>	No materials to be especially mentioned.
<b>Hazardous Decomposition Products</b>	None under normal use.
<b>Possibility of Hazardous Reactions</b>	None under normal use.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

The following effects are based on the Active Pharmaceutical Ingredient.

Acute Toxicity

Calcium polycarbophil

LD50 Oral	20 g/kg rat
Acute Dermal Irritation	Not applicable
Primary Eye Irritation	Not applicable
Sensitization	Not applicable

Multiple Dose Toxicity

Maximum Tolerated Dose (MTD), Oral

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

The following effects are based on the Active Pharmaceutical Ingredient.

Chemical Fate Information Not available

Ecotoxicity Not available

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Disposal Method Dispose of in accordance with local and national regulations.

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Transport Information This material is not classified as hazardous for transport.

U.S. Department of Transport (DOT)	Not regulated
Canadian Transport of Dangerous Goods (TDG)	Not regulated
International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO)	Not regulated
International Air Transport Association (IATA)	Not regulated
International Maritime Dangerous Goods (IMDG)/International Maritime Organization (IMO)	Not regulated
Transport of Dangerous Goods by Rail (RID)	Not regulated
Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road (ADR)	Not regulated
Transportation of Dangerous Goods via Inland Waterways (ADN)	Not regulated

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

USA

Federal Regulations

**OSHA Regulatory Status**

This material is not considered hazardous by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

**SARA 313**

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40n of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372.

**SARA 311/312 Hazardous Categorization**

<b>Acute Health Hazard</b>	No
<b>Chronic Health Hazard</b>	No
<b>Fire Hazard</b>	No
<b>Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard</b>	No
<b>Reactive Hazard</b>	No

This product does not contain any HAPs..

**State Regulations****California Proposition 65**

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

**Canada**

Not classified

**WHMIS Hazard Class**

Non-controlled

**European Union**

In accordance with EC directives or respective national laws, the product does not need to be classified nor labeled.

**16. OTHER INFORMATION**

<b>Prepared By</b>	Wyeth Department of Environment, Health & Safety
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<b>List of References</b>	See Patient Package Insert for more information.
<b>Revision Summary</b>	Not applicable

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