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1 Identification

Product identifier

Product name: Lithium cobalt(III) oxide

Stock number: 14049 **CAS Number:** 12190-79-3

EC number:

Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against.

Identified use: SU24 Scientific research and development

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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Thermo Fisher Scientific Chemicals, Inc. 30 Bond Street
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Information Department: Health, Safety and Environmental Department

Emergency telephone number:

During normal business hours (Monday-Friday, 8am-7pm EST), call (800) 343-0660. After normal business hours, call Carechem 24 at (866) 928-0789.

### 2 Hazard(s) identification

Classification of the substance or mixture in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)



GHS08 Health hazard

Carc. 2 H351 Suspected of causing cancer.



Skin Sens. 1 H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction. Hazards not otherwise classified No information known.

GHS label elements The product is classified and labeled in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS) Hazard pictograms







Signal word Warning Hazard statements

H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction. H351 Suspected of causing cancer.

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Precautionary statements
P201 Obtain special instructions before use.
P261 Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.
P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
P281 Use personal protective equipment as required.
P363 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.
P308+P313 IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.
P321 Specific treatment (see on this label).
P323+P313 If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

P333+P313 If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

P405 P501

P405 Store locked up.
P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

WHMIS classification

D2A - Very toxic material causing other toxic effects



Classification system HMIS ratings (scale 0-4) (Hazardous Materials Identification System)



HEALTH 1 Health (acute effects) = 1
Flammability = 0
FLACTIVITY 0 Physical Hazard = 0

Other hazards

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment PBT: Not applicable.

vPvB: Not applicable

## 3 Composition/information on ingredients

Chemical characterization: Substances CAS# Description: 12190-79-3 Lithium cobalt(III) oxide

Identification number(s): EC number: 235-362-0

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#### 4 First-aid measures

Description of first aid measures After inhalation

Supply fresh air. If required, provide artificial respiration. Keep patient warm.

Seek immediate medical advice.

After skin contact

Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.

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Seek immediate medical advice.

After eye contact Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Then consult a doctor.

After swallowing Seek medical treatment.

Information for doctor

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Suspected of causing cancer. May cause an allergic skin reaction

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed No further relevant information available.

#### 5 Fire-fighting measures

Extinguishing media
Suitable extinguishing agents Product is not flammable. Use fire-fighting measures that suit the surrounding fire.
Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture
If this product is involved in a fire, the following can be released:
Lithium oxide

Cobalt oxides

Advice for firefighters

Protective equipment: Wear self-contained respirator.

Wear fully protective impervious suit.

#### 6 Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away. Ensure adequate ventilation

Ensure adequate ventilation
Environmental precautions: Do not allow product to reach sewage system or any water course.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up: Dispose of contaminated material as waste according to section 13.

Prevention of secondary hazards: No special measures required.

Reference to other sections
See Section 7 for information on safe handling
See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.

See Section 13 for disposal information.

#### 7 Handling and storage

Handling Precautions for safe handling Handle under dry protective gas. Keep container tightly sealed.

Store in cool, dry place in tightly closed containers. Ensure good ventilation at the workplace.

Information about protection against explosions and fires: The product is not flammable

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles: No special requirements. Information about storage in one common storage facility:

Store away from water/moisture.

Store away from oxidizing agents. Further information about storage conditions:

Store under dry inert gas.

This product is hygroscopic.
Keep container tightly sealed.
Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed containers.
Protect from humidity and water.
Specific end use(s) No further relevant information available.

#### 8 Exposure controls/personal protection

Additional information about design of technical systems:
Properly operating chemical fume hood designed for hazardous chemicals and having an average face velocity of at least 100 feet per minute.

Control parameters

# Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:

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PEL (USA) Short-term value: 0.1\* mg/m³
\* as Co (for metal dust and fume)

TLV (USA) Long-term value: 0.02 mg/m3 as Co

Additional information: No data

Exposure controls

Personal protective equipment General protective and hygienic measures

General protective and hygienic measures
The usual precautionary measures for handling chemicals should be followed.
Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.
Remove all soiled and contaminated clothing immediately.
Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.
Maintain an ergonomically appropriate working environment.
Breathing equipment: Use suitable respirator when high concentrations are present.
Recommended filter device for short term use:
Use a respirator with type P100 (USA) or P3 (EN 143) cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. Risk assessment should be performed to determine if airpurifying respirators are appropriate. Only use equipment tested and approved under appropriate government standards.
Protection of hands:
Impervious gloves

Impervious gloves Check protective gloves prior to each use for their proper condition.

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The selection of suitable gloves not only depends on the material, but also on quality. Quality will vary from manufacturer to manufacturer. Material of gloves Nitrile rubber, NBR

Penetration time of glove material (in minutes) 480 Glove thickness 0.11 mm

Eye protection: Safety glasses

Body protection: Protective work clothing.

9 Physical and chemical properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties General Information

Appearance: Form: Powder Odor: Odorless Odor threshold: Not determined.

pH-value: Change in condition

Melting point/Melting range: Boiling point/Boiling range: Not determined Not determined Sublimation temperature / start: Flammability (solid, gaseous) Ignition temperature: Not determined Not determined. Not determined Decomposition temperature: Not determined Auto igniting: Not determined

Danger of explosion: Explosion limits:

Lower: Not determined Upper: Not determined Vapor pressure: Not applicable. Density: Relative density Not determined Not determined. Vapor density Not applicable. Evaporation rate Not applicable. Solubility in / Miscibility with Water: Not determined Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water): Not determined.

Viscosity: Not applicable. Not applicable. dynamic: kinematic:

Other information No further relevant information available.

Not applicable

Not determined.

## 10 Stability and reactivity

Reactivity No information known.

Chemical stability Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided: Decomposition will not occur if used and stored according to specifications.

Possibility of hazardous reactions Reacts with strong oxidizing agents

Conditions to avoid No further relevant information available.

Incompatible materials: Water/moisture

Oxidizing agents

Hazardous decomposition products:

Lithium oxide Cobalt oxides

## 11 Toxicological information

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity: No effects known. LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification: No data

Skin irritation or corrosion: May cause irritation Eye irritation or corrosion: May cause irritation Sensitization: May cause an allergic skin reaction.
Germ cell mutagenicity: No effects known.
Carcinogenicity:

Carcinogenicity:
Suspected of causing cancer.
IARC-2B: Possibly carcinogenic to humans: limited evidence in humans in the absence of sufficient evidence in experimental animals.
ACGIH A3: Animal carcinogen: Agent is carcinogenic in experimental animals at a relatively high dose, by route(s) of administration, at site(s), of histologic type(s), or by mechanism(s) not considered relevant to worker exposure. Available epidemologic studies do not confirm an increased risk of cancer in exposed humans. Available evidence suggests that the agent is not likely to cause cancer in humans except under uncommon or unlikely routes or levels of exposure.
Reproductive toxicity: No effects known.
Specific target organ system toxicity - repeated exposure: No effects known.
Specific target organ system toxicity - single exposure: No effects known.
Aspiration hazard: No effects known

Aspiration hazard: No effects known. Subacute to chronic toxicity: No effects known.

Additional toxicological information: To the best of our knowledge the acute and chronic toxicity of this substance is not fully known.

Carcinogenic categories OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety & Health Administration) Substance is not listed.

## 12 Ecological information

Toxicity
Aquatic toxicity: No further relevant information available.
Persistence and degradability No further relevant information available.
Bioaccumulative potential No further relevant information available.
Mobility in soil No further relevant information available.
Additional ecological information:

Do not allow product to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.

Danger to drinking water if even small quantities leak into the ground. Avoid transfer into the environment.

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Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT: Not applicable. vPvB: Not applicable.

Other adverse effects No further relevant information available.

## 13 Disposal considerations

Waste treatment methods

Recommendation Consult state, local or national regulations to ensure proper disposal. Uncleaned packagings: Recommendation: Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

#### 14 Transport information

UN-Number DOT, ADN, IMDG, IATA UN proper shipping name DOT, ADN, IMDG, IATA

Not applicable Not applicable

Transport hazard class(es)

DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA Class

Not applicable

Packing group DOT, IMDG, IATA

Environmental hazards:

Not applicable Not applicable.

Not applicable.

Special precautions for user

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code Not applicable.

Transport/Additional information:

DOT

Marine Pollutant (DOT):

No

UN "Model Regulation":

## 15 Regulatory information

Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture GHS label elements The product is classified and labeled in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS) Hazard pictograms





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National regulations

National regulations
All components of this product are listed in the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Toxic Substances Control Act Chemical substance Inventory.
All components of this product are listed on the Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL).

## SARA Section 313 (specific toxic chemical listings)

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California Proposition 65

Prop 65 - Chemicals known to cause cancer Substance is not listed.

Prop 65 - Developmental toxicity Substance is not listed.

Prop 65 - Developmental toxicity, female Substance is not listed.

Prop 65 - Developmental toxicity, male Substance is not listed.

Information about limitation of use: For use only by technically qualified individuals.

Other regulations, limitations and prohibitive regulations
Substance of Very High Concern (SVHC) according to the REACH Regulations (EC) No. 1907/2006. Substance is not listed.
The conditions of restrictions according to Article 67 and Annex XVII of the Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH) for the manufacturing, placing on the

market and use must be observed.

Substance is not listed.

Annex XIV of the REACH Regulations (requiring Authorisation for use) Substance is not listed.

Chemical safety assessment: A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

Employers should use this information only as a supplement to other information gathered by them, and should make independent judgement of suitability of this information to ensure proper use and protect the health and safety of employees. This information is furnished without warranty, and any use of the product not in conformance with this Material Safety Data Sheet, or in combination with any other product or process, is the responsibility of the user.

Department issuing SDS: Global Marketing Department
Date of preparation / last revision 10/03/2016 / Abbreviations and acronyms:

ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)
IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods
DOT: US Department of Transportation

INDES - International Manuface Code for Danigerous Goods
DOT: US Department of Transportation
IATA: International Air Transport Association
EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances
CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

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HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)
WHMIS: Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (Canada)
LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent
LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent
VPVB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative
ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists (USA)
OSHA: Occupational Safety and Health Administration (USA)
NTP: National Toxicology Program (USA)
IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer
EPA: Environmental Protection Agency (USA)
Skin Sens. 1: Sensitisation - Skin, Hazard Category 1
Carc. 2: Carcinogenicity, Hazard Category 2

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