

1 Identification

Product identifier

Product name: Cobalt(II) carbonate, basic, dihydrate

Stock number: A16061

CAS Number:

513-79-1

EC number:

208-169-4

Index number:

027-010-00-8

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

Manufacturer/Supplier:

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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

Resp. Sens. 1 H334 May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.

Muta. 2 H341 Suspected of causing genetic defects.

Carc. 1B H350 May cause cancer.

Repr. 1A H360 May damage fertility or the unborn child.



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Acute Tox. 4 H302 Harmful if swallowed.

Skin Sens. 1 H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.

Hazards not otherwise classified No information known.

Label elements

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

Hazard pictograms



GHS07 GHS08

Signal word

Danger

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Precautionary statements

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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 2 Health (acute effects) = 2

FIRE 0 Flammability = 0

REACTIVITY 1 Physical Hazard = 1

Other hazards

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT: Not applicable.

vPvB: Not applicable.

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3 Composition/information on ingredients

Chemical characterization: Substances
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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.
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 No further relevant information available.
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:
Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide
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
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.
Ensure adequate ventilation.
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
Keep container tightly sealed.
Store in cool, dry place in tightly closed containers.
Ensure good ventilation at the workplace.
Open and handle container with care.
Information about protection against explosions and fires: The product is not flammable
Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities
Storage
Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles: No special requirements.
Information about storage in one common storage facility:
Do not store together with acids.
Store away from oxidizing agents.
Further information about storage conditions:
Keep container tightly sealed.
Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed containers.
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:

513-79-1 Cobalt(II) carbonate (100.0%)	
PEL (USA)	Long-term value: 0.1* mg/m³ as Co; *for metal dust and fume
REL (USA)	Long-term value: 0.05 mg/m³ as Co; metal dust & fume
TLV (USA)	Long-term value: 0.02 mg/m³ as Co, BEI

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Ingredients with biological limit values:	
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BEI (USA)	15 µg/L Medium: urine Time: end of shift at end of workweek Parameter: Cobalt (background)
	1 µg/L Medium: urine Time: end of shift at end of workweek Parameter: Cobalt (background, semi-quantitative)
Additional information: No data	
Exposure controls	
Personal protective equipment	
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.	
Store protective clothing separately.	
Maintain an ergonomically appropriate working environment.	
Breathing equipment: Use suitable respirator when high concentrations are present.	
Protection of hands:	
Impervious gloves	
Check protective gloves prior to each use for their proper condition.	
The selection of suitable gloves not only depends on the material, but also on quality. Quality will vary from manufacturer to manufacturer.	
Penetration time of glove material (in minutes) Not determined	
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
Color:	Pink
Odor:	Odorless
Odor threshold:	Not determined.
pH-value: Not applicable.	
Change in condition	
Melting point/Melting range:	Decomposes
Boiling point/Boiling range:	Not determined
Sublimation temperature / start:	Not determined
Flammability (solid, gaseous)	Not determined.
Ignition temperature:	Not determined
Decomposition temperature:	Not determined
Auto igniting:	Not determined.
Danger of explosion: Not determined.	
Explosion limits:	
Lower:	Not determined
Upper:	Not determined
Vapor pressure:	Not applicable.
Density at 20 °C (68 °F):	4.13 g/cm³ (34.465 lbs/gal)
Relative density	Not determined.
Vapor density	Not applicable.
Evaporation rate	Not applicable.
Solubility in / Miscibility with	
Water:	Insoluble
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):	Not determined.
Viscosity:	
dynamic:	Not applicable.
kinematic:	Not applicable.
Other information No further relevant information available.	
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:	
Acids	
Oxidizing agents	
Hazardous decomposition products:	
Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide	
Cobalt oxides	
11 Toxicological information	
Information on toxicological effects	
Acute toxicity: The Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances (RTECS) contains acute toxicity data for this substance.	
LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification:	
Oral LD50	640 mg/kg (rat)
Skin irritation or corrosion: May cause irritation	
Eye irritation or corrosion: May cause irritation	
Sensitization:	
May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.	
May cause an allergic skin reaction.	
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USA	

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Germ cell mutagenicity: Suspected of causing genetic defects. Carcinogenicity: May cause 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 epidemiologic 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: May damage fertility or the unborn child. 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. 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.	(Contd. of page 3)

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. Ecotoxicological effects: Remark: Very toxic for aquatic organisms Additional ecological information: General notes: 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. Also poisonous for fish and plankton in water bodies. May cause long lasting harmful effects to aquatic life. Avoid transfer into the environment. Very toxic for aquatic organisms 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, IMDG, IATA	UN3077
UN proper shipping name DOT IMDG, IATA	Environmentally hazardous substances, solid, n.o.s. (Cobalt(II) carbonate) ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. (Cobalt(II) carbonate)
Transport hazard class(es) DOT, IMDG  Class Label Class Label IATA  Class Label	9 Miscellaneous dangerous substances and articles. 9 9 (M7) Miscellaneous dangerous substances and articles 9 9 Miscellaneous dangerous substances and articles. 9
Packing group DOT, IMDG, IATA	III
Environmental hazards: Special marking (ADR): Special marking (IATA):	Symbol (fish and tree) Symbol (fish and tree)
Special precautions for user EMS Number:	Warning: Miscellaneous dangerous substances and articles F-A,S-F
Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code Not applicable.	
Transport/Additional information: DOT Marine Pollutant (DOT):	
UN "Model Regulation":	No UN3077, Environmentally hazardous substances, solid, n.o.s. (Cobalt(II) carbonate), 9, III

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)	(Contd. on page 5) USA

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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.

This substance is included in the Candidate List of Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC) according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH).

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.

16 Other information

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

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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
IATA: International Air Transport Association
EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances
CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)
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)