

Material Safety Data Sheet

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According to 91/155/EEC

Classified as Hazardous according to the criteria of EU Annex 1 and NOHSC.

1 - Product and Company Information

Product Name	COPPER ATOMIC SPECTROSCOPY STRD. CONC. 1.000 G CU, AMPOULE
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2 - Composition/Information on Ingredients

Product Name	CAS #	EC no	Annex I Index Number	
COPPER ION STANDARD SOLUTION , FOR ISE	3251-23-8	221-838-5	None	
Ingredient Name	Percent	CAS #	EC no	Annex I
WATER	>= 95 < 99	7732-18-5	231-791-2	None
NITRIC ACID	>= 1 < 5	7697-37-2	231-714-2	None

Symbols: O C

R-Phrases: 8 35

Contact with combustible material may cause fire. Causes severe burns.

COPPER NITRATE TRIHYDRATE	10031-43-3	221-838-5	None
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Symbols: O C

R-Phrases: 8 22 34

Contact with combustible material may cause fire. Harmful if swallowed. Causes burns.

Formula	CuN2O6
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3 - Hazards Identification

SPECIAL INDICATION OF HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND THE ENVIRONMENT
Irritating to eyes and skin.

4 - First Aid Measures

AFTER INHALATION

If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing give

artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen.

AFTER SKIN CONTACT

In case of skin contact, flush with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Call a physician.

AFTER EYE CONTACT

In case of contact with eyes, flush with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. Assure adequate flushing by separating the eyelids with fingers. Call a physician.

AFTER INGESTION

If swallowed, wash out mouth with water provided person is conscious. Call a physician immediately.

5 - Fire Fighting Measures

CONDITIONS OF FLAMMABILITY

May accelerate combustion.

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA

Suitable: Use extinguishing media appropriate to surrounding fire conditions. Quench with large quantities of water. Use water spray to cool fire-exposed containers.

SPECIAL RISKS

Specific Hazard(s): Emits toxic fumes under fire conditions.

SPECIAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT FOR FIREFIGHTERS

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing to prevent contact with skin and eyes.

6 - Accidental Release Measures

PERSONAL PRECAUTION PROCEDURES TO BE FOLLOWED IN CASE OF LEAK OR SPILL

Sweep together the wetted material carefully and fill into marked, sealed containers.

PROCEDURE(S) OF PERSONAL PRECAUTION(S)

Wear protective equipment.

METHODS FOR CLEANING UP

Absorb on sand or vermiculite and place in closed containers for disposal. Ventilate area and wash spill site after material pickup is complete.

7 - Handling and Storage

HANDLING

Directions for Safe Handling: Do not breathe vapor. Do not get in eyes, on skin, on clothing. Avoid prolonged or repeated exposure.

STORAGE

Conditions of Storage: Keep tightly closed.

8 - Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

ENGINEERING CONTROLS

Safety shower and eye bath. Use only in a chemical fume hood.

GENERAL HYGIENE MEASURES

Wash thoroughly after handling. Discard contaminated clothing and shoes.

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

Respiratory Protection: Government approved respirator.

Hand Protection: Compatible chemical-resistant gloves.

Eye Protection: Chemical safety goggles.

9 - Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance	Physical State: Liquid	
Property	Value	At Temperature or Pressure
pH	N/A	
BP/BP Range	N/A	
MP/MP Range	N/A	
Flash Point	N/A	
Flammability	N/A	
Autoignition Temp	N/A	
Oxidizing Properties	N/A	
Explosive Properties	N/A	
Explosion Limits	N/A	
Vapor Pressure	N/A	
SG/Density	N/A	
Partition Coefficient	N/A	
Viscosity	N/A	
Vapor Density	N/A	
Saturated Vapor Conc.	N/A	
Evaporation Rate	N/A	
Bulk Density	N/A	
Decomposition Temp.	N/A	
Solvent Content	N/A	
Water Content	N/A	
Surface Tension	N/A	
Conductivity	N/A	
Miscellaneous Data	N/A	
Solubility	N/A	

10 - Stability and Reactivity

STABILITY

Stable: Stable.

Conditions of Instability: May discolor on exposure to light.

Materials to Avoid: May react with metals, releasing flammable hydrogen gas.

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Nitrogen oxides, Copper oxide.

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION

Hazardous Polymerization: Will not occur

11 - Toxicological Information

IRRITATION DATA

Skin

Remarks: Moderate irritation effect

SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE

Chronic copper poisoning is typified by hepatic cirrhosis, brain

damage and demyelination, kidney defects, and copper deposition in the cornea as exemplified by humans with Wilson's disease. It has also been reported that copper poisoning has lead to hemolytic anemia and accelerates arteriosclerosis. Material is extremely destructive to tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract, eyes, and skin. Inhalation may result in spasm, inflammation and edema of the larynx and bronchi, chemical pneumonitis, and pulmonary edema. Symptoms of exposure may include burning sensation, coughing, wheezing, laryngitis, shortness of breath, headache, nausea, and vomiting.

ROUTE OF EXPOSURE

Skin Contact: Causes skin irritation.

Skin Absorption: May be harmful if absorbed through the skin.

Eye Contact: Causes eye irritation.

Inhalation: Material may be irritating to mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract. May be harmful if inhaled.

Ingestion: May be harmful if swallowed.

TARGET ORGAN INFORMATION

Blood. Kidneys. Liver. Central nervous system. Vascular system.

12 - Ecological Information

No data available.

13 - Disposal Considerations

SUBSTANCE DISPOSAL

Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material. Observe all federal, state, and local environmental regulations.

14 - Transport Information

RID/ADR

UN#: 3264

Class: 8

PG: III

Proper Shipping Name: Corrosive liquid, acidic, inorganic, n.o.s.

IMDG

UN#: 3264

Class: 8

PG: II

Proper Shipping Name: CORROSIVE LIQUID, ACIDIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S.

Marine Pollutant: No

Severe Marine Pollutant: No

Technical Name: Required

IATA

UN#: 3264

Class: 8

PG: II

Proper Shipping Name: Corrosive liquid, acidic, inorganic, n.o.s.

Inhalation Packing Group I: No

Technical Name: Required

15 - Regulatory Information

CLASSIFICATION AND LABELING ACCORDING TO EU DIRECTIVES

INDICATION OF DANGER: Xi

Irritant.

R-PHRASES: 36/38

Irritating to eyes and skin.

S-PHRASES: 26 36

In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice. Wear suitable protective clothing.

COUNTRY SPECIFIC INFORMATION

Germany

WGK: 2

SWITZERLAND

SWISS POISON CLASS: 4

16 - Other Information

WARRANTY

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