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## **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

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### **SECTION 1. CHEMICAL IDENTIFICATION**

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CATALOG #:	30100
NAME:	Cobalt(II) acetate tetrahydrate
SYNONYMS:	Cobaltous acetate tetrahydrate
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### **SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

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#### **CLASSIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE OR MIXTURE**

#### **GHS CLASSIFICATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)**

ACUTE TOXICITY, ORAL (CATEGORY 4), H302

SKIN IRRITATION (CATEGORY 2), H315

SKIN SENSITISATION (CATEGORY 1), H317

CARCINOGENICITY (CATEGORY 2), H351

FOR THE FULL TEXT OF THE H-STATEMENTS MENTIONED IN THIS SECTION, SEE SECTION 16.

**GHS LABEL ELEMENTS, INCLUDING PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS  
PICTOGRAM**



SIGNAL WORD                      WARNING

**HAZARD STATEMENT(S)**

H302                      HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED.  
H315                      CAUSES SKIN IRRITATION.  
H317                      MAY CAUSE AN ALLERGIC SKIN REACTION.  
H351                      SUSPECTED OF CAUSING CANCER.

**PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENT(S)**

P201                      OBTAIN SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE USE.  
P202                      DO NOT HANDLE UNTIL ALL SAFETY PRECAUTIONS HAVE  
                                 BEEN READ AND UNDERSTOOD.  
P261                      AVOID BREATHING DUST/ FUME/ GAS/ MIST/ VAPOURS/  
                                 SPRAY.  
P264                      WASH SKIN THOROUGHLY AFTER HANDLING.  
P270                      DO NOT EAT, DRINK OR SMOKE WHEN USING THIS  
                                 PRODUCT.  
P272                      CONTAMINATED WORK CLOTHING SHOULD NOT BE  
                                 ALLOWED OUT OF THE WORKPLACE.  
P280                      WEAR PROTECTIVE GLOVES.  
P301 + P312              IF SWALLOWED: CALL A POISON CENTER OR DOCTOR/  
                                 PHYSICIAN IF YOU FEEL UNWELL.  
P302 + P352              IF ON SKIN: WASH WITH PLENTY OF SOAP AND WATER.  
P308 + P313              IF EXPOSED OR CONCERNED: GET MEDICAL ADVICE/  
                                 ATTENTION.  
P321                      SPECIFIC TREATMENT (SEE SUPPLEMENTAL FIRST AID  
                                 INSTRUCTIONS ON THIS LABEL).  
P330                      RINSE MOUTH  
P333 + P313              IF SKIN IRRITATION OR RASH OCCURS: GET MEDICAL  
                                 ADVICE/ ATTENTION.  
P362                      TAKE OFF CONTAMINATED CLOTHING AND WASH  
                                 BEFORE REUSE.  
P405                      STORE LOCKED UP.  
P501                      DISPOSE OF CONTENTS/ CONTAINER TO AN APPROVED  
                                 WASTE DISPOSAL PLANT.

**HAZARDS NOT  
OTHERWISE  
CLASSIFIED (HNOC)  
OR NOT COVERED  
BY GHS**                      NONE

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**SECTION 3.    COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

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MF:                                      C<sub>4</sub>H<sub>6</sub>CoO<sub>4</sub>·4H<sub>2</sub>O

MW: 249.1  
CAS-NO. 6147-53-1  
PURITY: 98 - 102% (Assay by titration)

#### HAZARDOUS COMPONENTS

COMPONENT	CLASSIFICATION	CONCENTRATION
Cobalt(II) acetate tetrahydrate INCLUDED IN THE CANDIDATE LIST OF SUBSTANCES OF VERY HIGH CONCERN (SVHC) ACCORDING TO REGULATION (EC) NO. 1907/2006 (REACH)		
	ACUTE TOX. 4; SKIN IRRIT. 2; SKIN SENS. 1; CARC. 2; H302, H315, H317, H351	-

FOR THE FULL TEXT OF THE H-STATEMENTS MENTIONED IN THIS SECTION, SEE SECTION 16.

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## SECTION 4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

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### DESCRIPTION OF FIRST AID MEASURES

<b>GENERAL ADVICE</b>	CONSULT A PHYSICIAN. SHOW THIS SAFETY DATA SHEET TO THE DOCTOR IN ATTENDANCE.MOVE OUT OF DANGEROUS AREA.
<b>IF INHALED</b>	IF BREATHED IN, MOVE PERSON INTO FRESH AIR. IF NOT BREATHING, GIVE ARTIFICIAL RESPIRATION. CONSULT A PHYSICIAN.
<b>IN CASE OF SKIN CONTACT</b>	WASH OFF WITH SOAP AND PLENTY OF WATER. CONSULT A PHYSICIAN.
<b>IN CASE OF EYE CONTACT</b>	RINSE THOROUGHLY WITH PLENTY OF WATER FOR AT LEAST 15 MINUTES AND CONSULT A PHYSICIAN.
<b>IF SWALLOWED</b>	NEVER GIVE ANYTHING BY MOUTH TO AN UNCONSCIOUS PERSON. RINSE MOUTH WITH WATER. CONSULT A PHYSICIAN.
<b>MOST IMPORTANT SYMPTOMS AND EFFECTS, BOTH ACUTE AND DELAYED</b>	THE MOST IMPORTANT KNOWN SYMPTOMS AND EFFECTS ARE DESCRIBED IN THE LABELLING (SEE SECTION 2.2) AND/OR IN SECTION 11
<b>INDICATION OF ANY IMMEDIATE MEDICAL ATTENTION AND SPECIAL TREATMENT NEEDED</b>	NO DATA AVAILABLE

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**SECTION 5. FIRE AND EXPLOSION DATA**

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**EXTINGUISHING MEDIA**

**SUITABLE EXTINGUISHING MEDIA** USE WATER SPRAY, ALCOHOL-RESISTANT FOAM, DRY CHEMICAL OR CARBON DIOXIDE.

**SPECIAL HAZARDS ARISING FROM THE SUBSTANCE OR MIXTURE** CARBON OXIDES, COBALT/COBALT OXIDES

**ADVICE FOR FIREFIGHTERS** WEAR SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS FOR FIREFIGHTING IF NECESSARY.

**FURTHER INFORMATION** NO DATA AVAILABLE

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**SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

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**PERSONAL PRECAUTIONS, PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT AND EMERGENCY PROCEDURES** USE PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT. AVOID DUST FORMATION. AVOID BREATHING VAPOURS, MIST OR GAS. ENSURE ADEQUATE VENTILATION. EVACUATE PERSONNEL TO SAFE AREAS. AVOID BREATHING DUST.

FOR PERSONAL PROTECTION SEE SECTION 8.

**ENVIRONMENTAL PRECAUTIONS** PREVENT FURTHER LEAKAGE OR SPILLAGE IF SAFE TO DO SO. DO NOT LET PRODUCT ENTER DRAINS.

**METHODS AND MATERIALS FOR CONTAINMENT AND CLEANING UP** PICK UP AND ARRANGE DISPOSAL WITHOUT CREATING DUST. SWEEP UP AND SHOVEL. KEEP IN SUITABLE, CLOSED CONTAINERS FOR DISPOSAL.

**REFERENCE TO OTHER SECTIONS** FOR DISPOSAL SEE SECTION 13.

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**SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

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**PRECAUTIONS FOR SAFE HANDLING** AVOID CONTACT WITH SKIN AND EYES. AVOID FORMATION OF DUST AND AEROSOLS. PROVIDE APPROPRIATE EXHAUST VENTILATION AT PLACES WHERE DUST IS FORMED.

	FOR PRECAUTIONS SEE SECTION 2.2.
<b>CONDITIONS FOR SAFE STORAGE, INCLUDING ANY INCOMPATIBILITIES</b>	KEEP CONTAINER TIGHTLY CLOSED IN A DRY AND WELL-VENTILATED PLACE.
	HYGROSCOPIC
<b>SPECIFIC END USE(S)</b>	APART FROM THE USES MENTIONED IN SECTION 1.2 NO OTHER SPECIFIC USES ARE STIPULATED

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## **SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

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### **CONTROL PARAMETERS**

#### **COMPONENTS WITH WORKPLACE CONTROL PARAMETERS**

CONTAINS NO SUBSTANCES WITH OCCUPATIONAL EXPOSURE LIMIT VALUES.

### **EXPOSURE CONTROLS**

<b>APPROPRIATE ENGINEERING CONTROLS</b>	HANDLE IN ACCORDANCE WITH GOOD INDUSTRIAL HYGIENE AND SAFETY PRACTICE. WASH HANDS BEFORE BREAKS AND AT THE END OF WORKDAY.
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### **PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT**

<b>EYE/FACE PROTECTION</b>	FACE SHIELD AND SAFETY GLASSES USE EQUIPMENT FOR EYE PROTECTION TESTED AND APPROVED UNDER APPROPRIATE GOVERNMENT STANDARDS SUCH AS NIOSH (US) OR EN 166(EU).
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<b>SKIN PROTECTION</b>	HANDLE WITH GLOVES. GLOVES MUST BE INSPECTED PRIOR TO USE. USE PROPER GLOVE REMOVAL TECHNIQUE (WITHOUT TOUCHING GLOVE'S OUTER SURFACE) TO AVOID SKIN CONTACT WITH THIS PRODUCT. DISPOSE OF CONTAMINATED GLOVES AFTER USE IN ACCORDANCE WITH APPLICABLE LAWS AND GOOD LABORATORY PRACTICES. WASH AND DRY HANDS.
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<b>BODY PROTECTION</b>	COMPLETE SUIT PROTECTING AGAINST CHEMICALS, THE TYPE OF PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT MUST BE SELECTED ACCORDING TO THE CONCENTRATION AND AMOUNT OF THE DANGEROUS SUBSTANCE AT THE SPECIFIC WORKPLACE.
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<b>RESPIRATORY PROTECTION</b>	WHERE RISK ASSESSMENT SHOWS AIR-PURIFYING RESPIRATORS ARE APPROPRIATE USE A FULL-FACE PARTICLE RESPIRATOR TYPE N100 (US) OR TYPE P3 (EN 143) RESPIRATOR CARTRIDGES AS A BACKUP TO ENGINEERING CONTROLS. IF THE RESPIRATOR IS THE SOLE MEANS OF PROTECTION, USE A FULL-FACE SUPPLIED AIR RESPIRATOR. USE RESPIRATORS AND COMPONENTS TESTED AND APPROVED UNDER APPROPRIATE GOVERNMENT STANDARDS SUCH AS NIOSH (US) OR CEN (EU).
<b>CONTROL OF ENVIRONMENTAL EXPOSURE</b>	PREVENT FURTHER LEAKAGE OR SPILLAGE IF SAFE TO DO SO. DO NOT LET PRODUCT ENTER DRAINS.

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## **SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

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### **INFORMATION ON BASIC PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

APPEARANCE	Dark pink to red pink crystalline powder
ODOUR	NO DATA AVAILABLE
ODOUR THRESHOLD	NO DATA AVAILABLE
PH	NO DATA AVAILABLE
MELTING POINT/FREEZING POINT	
INITIAL BOILING POINT AND BOILING RANGE	
FLASH POINT	
EVAPORATION RATE	NO DATA AVAILABLE
FLAMMABILITY (SOLID, GAS)	NO DATA AVAILABLE
UPPER/LOWER FLAMMABILITY OR EXPLOSIVE LIMITS	NO DATA AVAILABLE
VAPOUR PRESSURE	NO DATA AVAILABLE
VAPOUR DENSITY	NO DATA AVAILABLE
RELATIVE DENSITY	
WATER SOLUBILITY	NO DATA AVAILABLE
PARTITION COEFFICIENT: N- OCTANOL/WATER	NO DATA AVAILABLE
AUTO-IGNITION TEMPERATURE	NO DATA AVAILABLE
DECOMPOSITION TEMPERATURE	NO DATA AVAILABLE
VISCOSITY	NO DATA AVAILABLE
EXPLOSIVE PROPERTIES	NO DATA AVAILABLE
OXIDIZING PROPERTIES	NO DATA AVAILABLE

**OTHER SAFETY INFORMATION** NO DATA AVAILABLE

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**SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

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<b>REACTIVITY</b>	NO DATA AVAILABLE
<b>CHEMICAL STABILITY</b>	STABLE UNDER RECOMMENDED STORAGE CONDITIONS.
<b>POSSIBILITY OF HAZARDOUS REACTIONS</b>	NO DATA AVAILABLE
<b>CONDITIONS TO AVOID</b>	HEAT
<b>INCOMPATIBLE MATERIALS</b>	NO DATA AVAILABLE
<b>HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS</b>	OTHER DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS - NO DATA AVAILABLE IN THE EVENT OF FIRE: SEE SECTION 5

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**SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

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**INFORMATION ON TOXICOLOGICAL EFFECTS**

<b>ACUTE TOXICITY</b>	LD50 ORAL - RAT - 708 MG/KG  REMARKS: BEHAVIORAL:SOMNOLENCE (GENERAL DEPRESSED ACTIVITY). LUNGS, THORAX, OR RESPIRATION:DYSPNEA. NUTRITIONAL AND GROSS METABOLIC:WEIGHT LOSS OR DECREASED WEIGHT GAIN.  INHALATION: NO DATA AVAILABLE  DERMAL: NO DATA AVAILABLE  NO DATA AVAILABLE
<b>SKIN CORROSION/IRRITATION</b>	SKIN - RABBIT RESULT: SKIN IRRITATION - 24 H
<b>SERIOUS EYE DAMAGE/EYE IRRITATION</b>	EYES - RABBIT RESULT: MILD EYE IRRITATION - 24 H
<b>RESPIRATORY OR SKIN SENSITISATION</b>	NO DATA AVAILABLE

**GERM CELL  
MUTAGENICITY**

HUMAN  
LYMPHOCYTE  
CYTOGENETIC ANALYSIS

**CARCINOGENICITY**

THIS PRODUCT IS OR CONTAINS A COMPONENT THAT HAS BEEN REPORTED TO BE POSSIBLY CARCINOGENIC BASED ON ITS IARC, ACGIH, NTP, OR EPA CLASSIFICATION.

LIMITED EVIDENCE OF CARCINOGENICITY IN ANIMAL STUDIES

IARC: 2B - GROUP 2B: POSSIBLY CARCINOGENIC TO HUMANS (Cobalt(II) acetate tetrahydrate)

ACGIH: NO COMPONENT OF THIS PRODUCT PRESENT AT LEVELS GREATER THAN OR EQUAL TO 0.1% IS IDENTIFIED AS A CARCINOGEN OR POTENTIAL CARCINOGEN BY ACGIH.

NTP: NO COMPONENT OF THIS PRODUCT PRESENT AT LEVELS GREATER THAN OR EQUAL TO 0.1% IS IDENTIFIED AS A KNOWN OR ANTICIPATED CARCINOGEN BY NTP.

OSHA: NO COMPONENT OF THIS PRODUCT PRESENT AT LEVELS GREATER THAN OR EQUAL TO 0.1% IS IDENTIFIED AS A CARCINOGEN OR POTENTIAL CARCINOGEN BY OSHA.

**REPRODUCTIVE TOXICITY** NO DATA AVAILABLE

**SPECIFIC TARGET ORGAN TOXICITY - SINGLE EXPOSURE** NO DATA AVAILABLE

**SPECIFIC TARGET ORGAN TOXICITY - REPEATED EXPOSURE** NO DATA AVAILABLE

**ASPIRATION HAZARD** NO DATA AVAILABLE

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION** RTECS: AG3325000

TO THE BEST OF OUR KNOWLEDGE, THE CHEMICAL, PHYSICAL, AND TOXICOLOGICAL PROPERTIES HAVE NOT BEEN THOROUGHLY INVESTIGATED.

STOMACH - IRREGULARITIES - BASED ON HUMAN EVIDENCE

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**SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

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**TOXICITY** NO DATA AVAILABLE



<b>PERSISTENCE AND DEGRADABILITY</b>	NO DATA AVAILABLE
<b>BIOACCUMULATIVE POTENTIAL</b>	NO DATA AVAILABLE
<b>MOBILITY IN SOIL</b>	NO DATA AVAILABLE
<b>RESULTS OF PBT AND VPVB ASSESSMENT</b>	PBT/VPVB ASSESSMENT NOT AVAILABLE AS CHEMICAL SAFETY ASSESSMENT NOT REQUIRED/NOT CONDUCTED
<b>OTHER ADVERSE EFFECTS</b>	NO DATA AVAILABLE

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## **SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

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### **WASTE TREATMENT METHODS**

<b>PRODUCT</b>	OFFER SURPLUS AND NON-RECYCLABLE SOLUTIONS TO A LICENSED DISPOSAL COMPANY. CONTACT A LICENSED PROFESSIONAL WASTE DISPOSAL SERVICE TO DISPOSE OF THIS MATERIAL. DISSOLVE OR MIX THE MATERIAL WITH A COMBUSTIBLE SOLVENT AND BURN IN A CHEMICAL INCINERATOR EQUIPPED WITH AN AFTERBURNER AND SCRUBBER
<b>CONTAMINATED PACKAGING</b>	DISPOSE OF AS UNUSED PRODUCT.

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## **SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

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**DOT (US)**  
NOT DANGEROUS GOODS

**IMDG**

PROPER SHIPPING NAME:	ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. (Cobalt(II) acetate tetrahydrate)
UN NUMBER:	3077
CLASS:	9
PACKING GROUP:	III
EMS-NO:	F-A, S-F
MARINE POLLUTANT:	YES

**IATA**

PROPER SHIPPING NAME:	ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. (Cobalt(II) acetate tetrahydrate)
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UN NUMBER: 3077  
CLASS: 9  
PACKING GROUP: III

**FURTHER INFORMATION**

EHS-MARK REQUIRED (IMDG CODE 2.10.3) FOR SINGLE PACKAGINGS AND COMBINATION PACKAGINGS CONTAINING INNER PACKAGINGS WITH DANGEROUS GOODS > 5L FOR LIQUIDS OR > 5KG FOR SOLIDS.

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**SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

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**SARA 302 COMPONENTS** NO CHEMICALS IN THIS MATERIAL ARE SUBJECT TO THE REPORTING REQUIREMENTS OF SARA TITLE III, SECTION 302.

**SARA 313 COMPONENTS** THIS MATERIAL DOES NOT CONTAIN ANY CHEMICAL COMPONENTS WITH KNOWN CAS NUMBERS THAT EXCEED THE THRESHOLD (DE MINIMIS) REPORTING LEVELS ESTABLISHED BY SARA TITLE III, SECTION 313.

**SARA 311/312 HAZARDS**

ACUTE HEALTH HAZARD, CHRONIC HEALTH HAZARD

**MASSACHUSETTS RIGHT TO KNOW COMPONENTS**

NO COMPONENTS ARE SUBJECT TO THE MASSACHUSETTS RIGHT TO KNOW ACT.

**PENNSYLVANIA RIGHT TO KNOW COMPONENTS**

	CAS-NO.	REVISION DATE
Cobalt(II) acetate tetrahydrate	6147-53-1	03/01/2007

**NEW JERSEY RIGHT TO KNOW COMPONENTS**

	CAS-NO.	REVISION DATE
Cobalt(II) acetate tetrahydrate	6147-53-1	03/01/2007

**CALIFORNIA PROP. 65 COMPONENTS**

THIS PRODUCT DOES NOT CONTAIN ANY CHEMICALS KNOWN TO STATE OF CALIFORNIA TO CAUSE CANCER, BIRTH DEFECTS, OR ANY OTHER REPRODUCTIVE HARM.

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**SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION**

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**FULL TEXT OF H-STATEMENTS REFERRED TO UNDER SECTIONS 2 AND 3.**

ACUTE TOX.	ACUTE TOXICITY
CARC	CARCINOGENICITY
H302	HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED.
H315	CAUSES SKIN IRRITATION.
H317	MAY CAUSE AN ALLERGIC SKIN REACTION.
H351	SUSPECTED OF CAUSING CANCER.

SKIN IRRIT.  
SKIN SENS.

SKIN IRRITATION  
SKIN SENSITISATION

**HMIS RATING**

HEALTH HAZARD: 2  
CHRONIC HEALTH  
HAZARD:  
FLAMMABILITY: 0  
PHYSICAL HAZARD 0

**NFPA RATING**

HEALTH HAZARD: 2  
FIRE HAZARD: 0  
REACTIVITY HAZARD: 0

MSDS LEGEND

MW: MOLECULAR WEIGHT  
MF: MOLECULAR FORMULA  
VOC: VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS  
ACGIH: AMERICAN CONFERENCE OF GOVERNMENTAL INDUSTRIAL  
HYGINISTS  
CAS: CHEMICAL ABSTRACTS SERIVE REGISTRY NUMBER  
OSHA: OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH ADMINISTRATION  
PEL: PERMISSIBLE EXPOSURE LIMIT (OSHA)  
TLV: THRESHOLD LIMIT VALUE (ACGIH)

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