

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

according to EC Directive 2001/58/EC

SS-1108; SS-1208; SS-1508

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1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

Product code SS-108 CO

Product name 1000 ug/mL Cobalt

Common Name Cobalt in Dilute Nitric Acid

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2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS							
CAS Chemical Name % Weight ACGIH* OSHA*							
7732-18-5	Water	~94-98	N/A	N/A			
7697-37-2	7697-37-2 Nitric Acid		2 ppm TWA	2 ppm TWA; 5 mg/m3 TWA			
7440-48-4	Cobalt	~0.1-1	0.02 mg/m3 TWA	0.1 mg/m3 TWA (dust and			

^{*} ACGIH - Occupational Exposure Limits - TWAs

3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Emergency Overview

- · Vapours may be irritating to eyes, nose, throat, and lungs
- Corrosive
- May cause cancer

Eye contact	Contact with eyes may cause irritation		
Skin contact	Substance may cause slight skin irritation		
Inhalation	May cause irritation of respiratory tract		
Ingestion	Harmful if swallowed		

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

General advice	Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance
Skin contact	Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water removing all
	contaminated clothes and shoes
	Consult a physician if necessary
Eye contact	 Immediately flush with plenty of water. After initial flushing, remove any
	contact lenses and continue flushing for at least 15 minutes
	Keep eye wide open while rinsing
	If eye irritation persists, consult a specialist
Inhalation	Move to fresh air in case of accidental inhalation of vapours
	If breathing is difficult, give oxygen
	Consult a physician if necessary
Ingestion	Call a physician or Poison Control Centre immediately
	 If swallowed, seek medical advice immediately and show this container or
	label
	If conscious, drink plenty of water

^{*} OSHA - Final PELs - Time Weighted Averages (TWAs)

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES			
Flash point	NA		
Suitable extinguishing media	Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment		
Specific hazards	Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapours		
Specific methods	 Fire residues and contaminated fire extinguishing water must be disposed of in accordance with local regulations 		
Special protective equipment for firefighters	As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear		
NFPA (National Fire Protection Association)	Health - 2 Fire Hazard - 0 Reactivity - 0		
Under conditions giving incomplete combustion, hazardous gases produced may consist of:	nitrogen oxides (NOx).		

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES				
Personal precautions	 Evacuate personnel to safe areas Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak Wear personal protective equipment Ensure adequate ventilation 			
Environmental precautions	 Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so Prevent product from entering drains 			
Methods for cleaning up	 Dam up Neutralize with lime milk or soda and flush with plenty of water Absorb spill with inert material (e.g. dry sand or earth), then place in a chemical waste container After cleaning, flush away traces with water 			

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling

Technical	Use only in area provided with appropriate exhaust ventilation		
measures/Precautions			
Safe handling advice	Wear personal protective equipment		

Storage

Technical	Keep in properly labelled containers
measures/Precautions	Store at room temperature in the original container
	 Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place
Incompatible products	organic materials
	reducing agents

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Personal protective equipment	
Hand protection	impervious gloves
Eye protection	tightly fitting safety goggles
Respiratory protection	Ensure adequate ventilation
Skin and body protection	Chemical resistant apron
	Lab coat
Hygiene measures	When using, do not eat, drink or smoke
	Regular cleaning of equipment, work area and clothing

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

General Information

Form liquid.
Appearance clear
Colour red.
Odour None.

Important Health Safety and Environmental Information

pH 0 to 2
Boiling point/range 100°C
Flash point N/A
Vapour pressure NA.
Water solubility miscible.

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY			
Stability	Stable under normal conditions		
	Hazardous polymerisation does not occur		
Materials to avoid	organic materials		
	reducing agents		
Hazardous decomposition products	nitrogen oxides (NOx)		

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute toxicity

Component Information

CAS	Chemical Name	% Weight	LD50/oral/rat =	LD50/dermal/rat =
7732-18-5	Water	~94-98	N/A	N/A
7697-37-2	Nitric Acid	~1-5	Inhalation LC50 Rat: 130 mg/kg/4H	Inhalation LC50 Rat: 130 mg/kg/4H
7440-48-4	Cobalt	~0.1-1	Oral LD50 Rat: 6171 mg/kg	Oral LD50 Rat: 6171 mg/kg

Product Information

Local effects	Poison		
Skin irritation	May cause skin irritation and/or dermatitis.		
Eye irritation	May cause eye irritation with susceptible persons.		
Inhalation	May cause irritation of respiratory tract.		
Ingestion If ingested, severe burns of the mouth and throat, as well as a dang perforation of the esophagus and the stomach.			
Chronic toxicity	Avoid repeated exposure.		
carcinogenic effects	Known carcinogen.		

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity effects

Component Information

CAS	Chemical Name	% Weight	EFAD*	EFFSD*	EMD - Ecotoxicity*
7732-18-5	Water	~94-98	N/A	N/A	N/A
7697-37-2	Nitric Acid	~1-5	N/A	N/A	N/A
7440-48-4	Cobalt	~0.1-1	N/A	N/A	N/A

^{*} EFAD - Ecotoxicity - Freshwater Algae Data

^{*} EFFSD - Ecotoxicity - Freshwater Fish Species Data

^{*} EMD - Ecotoxicity - Microtox Data

Product Information

Do not allow material to contaminate ground water or sewage system

Other information

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS						
Waste from residues / unused products	In accordance with local and national regulations					
Contaminated packaging	Empty containers should be taken for local recycling, recovery or waste disposal					

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

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UN-No UN3264 / Class 8

Proper shipping name Corrosive liquid, acidic, inorganic, n.o.s

Packing group III

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15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

U.S. INVENTORIES:

CAS	Chemical Name	% Weight	CPCL*	NJRTK*	CERCLA/SARA*
7732-18-5	Water	~94-98	N/A	N/A	N/A
7697-37-2	Nitric Acid	~1-5	N/A	sn 1356	1000 lb final RQ; 454 kg final RQ
7440-48-4	Cobalt	~0.1-1	carcinogen, initial date 7/1/92 (powder)	sn 0520	N/A

^{*} CPCL - California - Proposition 65 - Carcinogens List

INTERNATIONAL INVENTORIES:

CAS	Chemical Name	% Weight	WHMIS*	EINECCS - European Union*
7732-18-5	Water	~94-98	Uncontrolled product according to WHMIS classification criteria	231-791-2
7697-37-2	Nitric Acid	~1-5	C, E (including 60%, 61.3%, 63%, 67%, 67.18%, 70%, 90%); E (10%)	231-714-2
7440-48-4	Cobalt	~0.1-1	D2A	231-158-0

^{*} WHMIS - Canada - WHMIS - Classifications of Substances

16. OTHER INFORMATION

The above information is believed to be accurate and represents the best information available to us. It has been compiled from the data presented in various technical publications and our experience and should only be used as a guide for handling this product. It is the user's responsibility to determine the suitability of this information for their particular purposes. We assume that only qualified individuals, trained and familiar with procedures suitable to this product will handle this material. Teknolab assumes no responsibility and shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from misuse of this product.

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^{*} NJRTK - New Jersey - Department of Health RTK List

^{*} CERCLA/SARA - Hazardous Substances and their Reportable Quantities

^{*} EINECCS - European Union - European inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECCS)