SPECTRASCAN®

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

according to EC Directive 2001/58/EC

SS-1124; SS-1224; SS-1524

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

Product code	SS-1124 CS	
Product name	1000 ug/mL Cesium	
Common Name	Cesium in Dilute Nitric Acid	
Manufacturer, importer, supplier Inorganic Ventures		
	195 Lehigh Avenue, Suite 4	
	Lakewood, NJ 08701	
	Web: www.inorganicventures.com	
Emergency telephone number	800-424-9300 CHEMTREC (24 hrs)	

2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

CAS	Chemical Name	% Weight	ACGIH*	OSHA*
7732-18-5	Water	~95-99	N/A	N/A
7697-37-2	Nitric Acid	~0-2	2 ppm TWA	2 ppm TWA; 5 mg/m3 TWA
7789-18-6	Cesium nitrate	~0.1-1	N/A	N/A

* ACGIH - Occupational Exposure Limits - TWAs

* OSHA - Final PELs - Time Weighted Averages (TWAs)

3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

 Emergency Overview Vapours may be irrit Corrosive 	ating to eyes, nose, throat, and lungs	
Eye contact	Contact with eyes may cause irritation	
Skin contact	Substance may cause slight skin irritation	
Inhalation	May cause irritation of respiratory tract	
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4. FIRST AID MEASURES General advice · Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water removing all Skin contact contaminated clothes and shoes • Consult a physician if necessary • Immediately flush with plenty of water. After initial flushing, remove any Eve contact 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

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Flash point	NA
Suitable extinguishing media Use extinguishing measures that are appro 	
	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
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 measures/Precautions	 Keep in properly labelled containers Store at room temperature in the original container
	 Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place
Incompatible products	
	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	None.
Odour	None.

Important Health Safety and Environmental Information

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

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

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute toxicity

Component Information

CAS	Chemical Name	% Weight	LD50/oral/rat =	LD50/dermal/rat =
7732-18-5	Water	99.3	N/A	N/A
7697-37-2	Nitric Acid	0.5	Inhalation LC50 Rat: 130 mg/kg/4H	Inhalation LC50 Rat: 130 mg/kg/4H
7789-18-6	Cesium nitrate	0.2	Oral LD50 Rat: 2390 mg/kg	Oral LD50 Rat: 2390 mg/kg

Product Information

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	Eye irritation	May cause eye irritation with susceptible persons.
Ingestion If ingested, severe burns of the mouth and throat, as well as a danger of	Inhalation	May cause irritation of respiratory tract.
perforation of the esophagus and the stomach.	Ingestion	If ingested, severe burns of the mouth and throat, as well as a danger of perforation of the esophagus and the stomach.
Chronic toxicity Avoid repeated exposure.	Chronic toxicity	Avoid repeated exposure.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity effects

Component Information

CAS	Chemical Name	% Weight	EFAD*	EFFSD*	EMD - Ecotoxicity*
7732-18-5	Water	~95-99	N/A	N/A	N/A
7697-37-2	Nitric Acid	~0-2	N/A	N/A	N/A
7789-18-6	Cesium nitrate	~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
<u>DOT</u> UN-No Proper shipping name Packing group	UN3264 / Class 8 Corrosive liquid, acidic, inorganic, n.o.s III
<u>ICAO</u> UN-No Proper shipping name Packing group	UN3264 / Class 8 Corrosive liquid, acidic, inorganic, n.o.s III
<u>IATA-DGR</u> UN-No Proper shipping name Packing group	UN3264 / Class 8 Corrosive liquid, acidic, inorganic, n.o.s III

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

U.S. INVENTORIES:

CAS	Chemical Name	% Weight	CPCL*	NJRTK*	CERCLA/SARA*
7732-18-5	Water	~95-99	N/A	N/A	N/A
7697-37-2	Nitric Acid	~0-2	N/A	sn 1356	1000 lb final RQ; 454 kg final RQ
7789-18-6	Cesium nitrate	~0.1-1	N/A	sn 0355	N/A

* CPCL - California - Proposition 65 - Carcinogens List

* NJRTK - New Jersey - Department of Health RTK List

* CERCLA/SARA - Hazardous Substances and their Reportable Quantities

INTERNATIONAL INVENTORIES:

CAS	Chemical Name	% Weight	WHMIS*	EINECCS - European Union*
7732-18-5	Water	~95-99	Uncontrolled product according to WHMIS classification criteria	231-791-2
7697-37-2	Nitric Acid	~0-2	C, E (including 60%, 61.3%, 63%, 67%, 67.18%, 70%, 90%); E (10%)	231-714-2
7789-18-6	Cesium nitrate	~0.1-1	С	232-146-8

* WHMIS - Canada - WHMIS - Classifications of Substances

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

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. Inorganic Ventures, Inc. assumes no responsibility and shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from misuse of this product.