# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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# 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product identifiers

Product name Copper sulfate pentahydrate

**Product Number** RES10395-B7 Brand Sigma Index-No. 029-004-00-0

CAS-No. 7758-99-8

1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Identified uses Laboratory chemicals, Synthesis of substances

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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1.4 **Emergency telephone number** 

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# 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### 2.1 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 Eye irritation (Category 2A), H319 Acute aquatic toxicity (Category 1), H400

Chronic aquatic toxicity (Category 1), H410

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

#### 2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram



Signal word Warning

Hazard statement(s)

Harmful if swallowed. H302 H315 Causes skin irritation.

H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects. H410

Precautionary statement(s)

Wash skin thoroughly after handling. P264

P270 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

Avoid release to the environment. P273

Wear protective gloves/ eye protection/ face protection. P280

Sigma - RES10395-B7 Page 1 of 8 P301 + P312 + P330 IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell.

Rinse mouth.

P302 + P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.

P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove

contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P332 + P313 If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/ attention.
P337 + P313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/ attention.
P362 Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

P391 Collect spillage.

P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

# 2.3 Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS - none

# 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

# 3.1 Substances

Formula : CuSO4 · 5H2O Molecular weight : 249.69 g/mol CAS-No. : 7758-99-8 EC-No. : 231-847-6 Index-No. : 029-004-00-0

**Hazardous components** 

Component	Classification	Concentration			
Copper sulphate pentahydrate					
	Acute Tox. 4; Skin Irrit. 2; Eye	90 - 100 %			
	Irrit. 2A; Aquatic Acute 1;				
	Aquatic Chronic 1; H302,				
	H315, H319, H410				

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

# 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

# 4.1 Description of first aid measures

# General advice

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Move out of dangerous area.

#### If inhaled

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.

#### In case of skin contact

Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

# In case of eye contact

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician.

# If swallowed

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

# 4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11

# 4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No data available

# 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

# 5.1 Extinguishing media

# Suitable extinguishing media

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

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# 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

No data available

# 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

# 5.4 Further information

No data available

# 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

# 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid breathing dust.

For personal protection see section 8.

# 6.2 Environmental precautions

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

#### 6.3 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.

#### 6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

# 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols. Further processing of solid materials may result in the formation of combustible dusts. The potential for combustible dust formation should be taken into consideration before additional processing occurs.

Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed.

For precautions see section 2.2.

# 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.

# 7.3 Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

# 8.1 Control parameters

Components with workplace control parameters

Component	CAS-No.	Value	Control	Basis
			parameters	
Copper sulphate	7758-99-8	TWA	1.000000	USA. NIOSH Recommended
pentahydrate			mg/m3	Exposure Limits
		TWA	1.000000	USA. NIOSH Recommended
			mg/m3	Exposure Limits
		TWA	1 mg/m3	USA. NIOSH Recommended
				Exposure Limits
		PEL	1 mg/m3	California permissible exposure
				limits for chemical contaminants
				(Title 8, Article 107)

# 8.2 Exposure controls

# Appropriate engineering controls

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

## **Eye/face protection**

Safety glasses with side-shields conforming to EN166 Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

# Skin protection

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.

# **Body Protection**

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.

# Respiratory protection

For nuisance exposures use type P95 (US) or type P1 (EU EN 143) particle respirator. For higher level protection use type OV/AG/P99 (US) or type ABEK-P2 (EU EN 143) respirator cartridges. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

# Control of environmental exposure

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

# 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

a) Appearance Form: crystalline

Colour: blue

b) Odourc) Odour Thresholddata availableNo data available

d) pH 3.7 - 4.5 at 50 g/l at 25 °C (77 °F)

e) Melting point/freezing

point

110 °C (230 °F)

f) Initial boiling point and

boiling range

No data available

g) Flash point No data available
h) Evaporation rate No data available
i) Flammability (solid, gas) No data available

 j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits No data available

k) Vapour pressure 9.

9.7 hPa (7.3 mmHg) at 25 °C (77 °F)

I) Vapour density No data available

m) Relative density 2.284 g/cm3

n) Water solubilityNo data availableo) Partition coefficient: n-No data available

octanol/water

No data available

p) Auto-ignition temperature

q) Decomposition temperature

No data available

r) Viscosity

No data available

s) Explosive properties No data availablet) Oxidizing properties No data available

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# 9.2 Other safety information

No data available

# 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

#### 10.1 Reactivity

No data available

#### 10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

# 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

No data available

### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

No data available

# 10.5 Incompatible materials

Powdered metals, Anhydrous copper(II) sulfate, reacts violently with:, hydroxylamine, Magnesium

#### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Sulphur oxides, Copper oxides Other decomposition products - No data available

In the event of fire: see section 5

# 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

# 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

# Acute toxicity

LD50 Oral - Rat - 482 mg/kg (OECD Test Guideline 401) Remarks: anhydrous

Inhalation: No data available

LD50 Dermal - Rat - > 2,000 mg/kg

Remarks: anhydrous
No data available

#### Skin corrosion/irritation

Irritating to skin.

# Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Irritating to eyes.

# Respiratory or skin sensitisation

Prolonged or repeated exposure may cause allergic reactions in certain sensitive individuals.

# Germ cell mutagenicity

No data available

# Carcinogenicity

IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as

probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

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

No data available

# Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

No data available

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# Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

No data available

#### **Aspiration hazard**

No data available

# **Additional Information**

RTECS: Not available

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

Stomach - Irregularities - Based on Human Evidence Stomach - Irregularities - Based on Human Evidence

# 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

# 12.1 Toxicity

Toxicity to daphnia and EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 0.024 mg/l - 48 h other aquatic invertebrates

#### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

The methods for determining the biological degradability are not applicable to inorganic substances.

### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

#### 12.4 Mobility in soil

No data available

# 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted

#### 12.6 Other adverse effects

An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal. Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

# 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

# 13.1 Waste treatment methods

#### **Product**

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.

# Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

# 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT (US)

UN number: 3077 Class: 9 Packing group: III

Proper shipping name: Environmentally hazardous substances, solid, n.o.s. (Copper sulphate pentahydrate)

Reportable Quantity (RQ): 10 lbsMarine pollutant:yes

Poison Inhalation Hazard: No

**IMDG** 

UN number: 3077 Class: 9 Packing group: III EMS-No: F-A, S-F

Proper shipping name: ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. (Copper sulphate

pentahydrate)
Marine pollutant:yes

**IATA** 

UN number: 3077 Class: 9 Packing group: III

Proper shipping name: Environmentally hazardous substance, solid, n.o.s. (Copper sulphate pentahydrate)

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# 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

#### **SARA 302 Components**

No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

# **SARA 313 Components**

The following components are subject to reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313:

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# SARA 311/312 Hazards

Acute Health Hazard, Chronic Health Hazard

## **Massachusetts Right To Know Components**

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# Pennsylvania Right To Know Components

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# **New Jersey Right To Know Components**

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# 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.

# 16. OTHER INFORMATION

# Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3.

Acute Tox. Acute toxicity

Aquatic Acute Acute aquatic toxicity
Aquatic Chronic Chronic aquatic toxicity

Eye Irrit. Eye irritation

H302 Harmful if swallowed.
H315 Causes skin irritation.
H319 Causes serious eye irritation.
H400 Very toxic to aquatic life.

# **HMIS Rating**

Health hazard: 2
Chronic Health Hazard: \*
Flammability: 0
Physical Hazard 0

# **NFPA Rating**

Health hazard: 2
Fire Hazard: 0
Reactivity Hazard: 0

# **Further information**

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