

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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

Product Name: Cesium Dichromate

**Product Number:** All applicable American Elements product codes, e.g. CS-CRAT2-02, CS-CRAT2-03, CS-CRAT2-04, CS-CRAT2-05

CAS #: 13530-67-1

Relevant identified uses of the substance: Scientific research and development

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#### **SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

Classification of the substance or mixture in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS) GHS03 Flame over circle Ox. Sol. 3 H272 May intensify fire; oxidizer. GHS08 Health hazard Carc. 1B H350 May cause cancer. GHS07 Skin Sens. 1 H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction. Hazards not otherwise classified No data available GHS label elements GHS label elements, including precautionary statements Hazard pictograms



GHS03 GHS07 GHS08 Signal word

Danger Hazard statements H272 May intensify fire; oxidizer. H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction. H350 May cause cancer. Precautionary statements P221 Take any precaution to avoid mixing with combustibles. P210 Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. No smoking. P220 Keep/Store away from clothing/combustible materials. P363 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. P405 Store locked up. P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations. WHMIS classification C - Oxidizing materials D1B - Toxic material causing immediate and serious toxic effects D2A - Very toxic material causing other toxic effects E - Corrosive material Classification system HMIS ratings (scale 0-4) (Hazardous Materials Identification System) Health (acute effects) = 2Flammability = 2Physical Hazard = 2 Other hazards Results of PBT and vPvB assessment PBT: N/A vPvB: N/A

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

Substances CAS No. / Substance Name: 13530-67-1 Caesium dichromate Identification number(s): EC number: 236-879-4

## **SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES**

Description of first aid measures General information Immediately remove any clothing soiled by the product. If inhaled: Supply patient with fresh air. If not breathing, provide artificial respiration. Keep patient warm. Seek immediate medical advice. In case of skin contact: Immediately wash with soap and water; rinse thoroughly. Seek immediate medical advice. In case of eye contact: Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Consult a physician. If swallowed: Seek medical treatment. Information for doctor Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed Causes severe skin burns. Causes serious eye damage. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed No data available

## **SECTION 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

Extinguishing media Suitable extinguishing agents Carbon dioxide, extinguishing powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam. For safety reasons unsuitable extinguishing agents Halocarbon extinguisher Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture This substance is an oxidizer and its heat of reaction with reducing agents or combustibles may cause ignition. If this product is involved in a fire, the following can be released: Toxic metal oxide fume Advice for firefighters Protective equipment: Wear self-contained respirator. Wear fully protective impervious suit.

## **SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures Use personal protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away. Ensure adequate ventilation Environmental precautions: Do not allow material to be released to the environment without official permits. Methods and materials for containment and cleanup: Use neutralizing agent. Dispose of contaminated material as waste according to section 13. Ensure adequate ventilation. Prevention of secondary hazards: Acts as an oxidizing agent on organic materials such as wood, paper and fats Keep away from combustible material. Reference to other sections See Section 7 for information on safe handling See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment. See Section 13 for disposal information.

# **SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

Handling Precautions for safe handling Keep container tightly sealed. Store in cool, dry place in tightly closed containers. Ensure good ventilation at the workplace. Open and handle container with care. Information about protection against explosions and fires: Substance/product can reduce the ignition temperature of flammable substances. This substance is an oxidizer and its heat of reaction with reducing agents or combustibles may cause ignition. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles: No special requirements. Information about storage in one common storage facility: Store away from flammable substances. Store away from reducing agents. Do not store with organic materials. Store away from metal powders. Further information about storage conditions: Keep container tightly sealed. Store in cool, dry conditions in well-sealed containers. Specific end use(s) No data available

# SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Additional information about design of technical systems:

Properly operating chemical fume hood designed for hazardous chemicals and having an average face velocity of at least 100 feet per minute.

**Control parameters** 

Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace: 13530-67-1 Caesium dichromate (100.0%)

PEL (USA) Long-term value: 0.005\* mg/m<sup>3</sup>

Ceiling limit value: 0.1\*\* mg/m<sup>3</sup> \*as Cr(VI) \*\*as CrO3; see 29 CFR 1910.1026

REL (USA) Long-term value: 0.001 mg/m<sup>3</sup> as Cr; See Pocket Guide Apps. A and C

TLV (USA) Long-term value: 0.01 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

as Cr

Additional information:

No data

Exposure controls

Personal protective equipment

Follow typical protective and hygienic practices for handling chemicals.

Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.

Remove all soiled and contaminated clothing immediately.

Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.

Store protective clothing separately.

Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

Maintain an ergonomically appropriate working environment.

Breathing equipment: Use suitable respirator when high concentrations are present. Protection of hands: Impervious gloves Inspect gloves prior to use. Suitability of gloves should be determined both by material and quality, the latter of which may vary by manufacturer. Penetration time of glove material (in minutes) No data available Eye protection: Tightly sealed goggles Full face protection Body protection: Protective work clothing

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

Information on basic physical and chemical properties Appearance: Form: Solid Color: No data available Odor: No data available Odor threshold: No data available. pH: N/A Melting point/Melting range: No data available Boiling point/Boiling range: No data available Sublimation temperature / start: No data available Flammability (solid, gas) Contact with combustible material may cause fire. Ignition temperature: No data available Decomposition temperature: No data available Autoignition: No data available. Danger of explosion: No data available. **Explosion limits:** Lower: No data available Upper: No data available Vapor pressure: N/A Density: No data available Relative density No data available. Vapor density N/A **Evaporation rate** N/A Solubility in Water (H<sub>2</sub>O): No data available Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water): No data available. Viscosity: Dynamic: N/A Kinematic: N/A Other information No data available

## SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity May intensify fire; oxidizer. Chemical stability Stable under recommended storage conditions. Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided: Decomposition will not occur if used and stored according to specifications. Possibility of hazardous reactions Reacts with reducing agents Reacts with flammable substances Conditions to avoid No data available Incompatible materials: Reducing agents Flammable substances Organic materials Metal powders Hazardous decomposition products: Toxic metal oxide fume

# SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on toxicological effects Acute toxicity: Swallowing will lead to a strong corrosive effect on mouth and throat and to the danger of perforation of esophagus and stomach. LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification: No data Skin irritation or corrosion: Causes severe skin burns. Eve irritation or corrosion: Causes serious eye damage. Sensitization: May cause an allergic skin reaction. Germ cell mutagenicity: No effects known. Carcinogenicity: May cause cancer. EPA-A: human carcinogen: sufficient evidence from epidemiologic studies to support a causal association between exposure and cancer. IARC-1: Carcinogenic to humans: sufficient evidence of carcinogenicity. ACGIH A1: Confirmed human carcinogen: Agent is carcinogenic to humans based on epidemiologic studies of, or convincing clinical evidence in, exposed humans. NTP-K: Known to be carcinogenic: sufficient evidence from human studies. Reproductive toxicity: No effects known. Specific target organ system toxicity - repeated exposure: No effects known. Specific target organ system toxicity - single exposure: No effects known.

Aspiration hazard: No effects known. Subacute to chronic toxicity: Cesium compounds may cause hyperirritability including spasms. Chronic ingestion of cesium has been fatal to laboratory animals. Subacute to chronic toxicity: No effects known. Subacute to chronic toxicity: Chromates may cause ulceration and perforation of the nasal septum, liver and kidney damage, and ulceration of the skin. Additional toxicological information: To the best of our knowledge the acute and chronic toxicity of this substance is not fully known.

#### **SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Toxicity Aquatic toxicity: No data available Persistence and degradability No data available Bioaccumulative potential No data available Mobility in soil No data available Ecotoxical effects: Remark: Very toxic for aquatic organisms Additional ecological information: Do not allow product to reach groundwater, water courses, or sewage systems. Do not allow material to be released to the environment without official permits. Danger to drinking water if even small quantities leak into the ground. Also poisonous for fish and plankton in water bodies. May cause long lasting harmful effects to aquatic life. Avoid transfer into the environment. Very toxic for aquatic organisms Results of PBT and vPvB assessment PBT: N/A vPvB N/A Other adverse effects No data available

## **SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

Waste treatment methods Recommendation Consult official regulations to ensure proper disposal. Uncleaned packagings: Recommendation: Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

#### **SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

**UN-Number** DOT, IMDG, IATA UN3087 UN proper shipping name DOT Oxidizing solid, toxic, n.o.s. (Caesium dichromate) IMDG, IATA OXIDIZING SOLID, TOXIC, N.O.S. (Caesium dichromate) Transport hazard class(es) DOT Class 5.1 Oxidising substances. Label 5.1 + 6.1Class 5.1 (OT2) Oxidizing substances Label 5.1+6.1 IMDG, IATA Class 5.1 Oxidising substances. Label 5.1+6.1 Packing group DOT, IMDG, IATA Ш Environmental hazards: Environmentally hazardous substance, solid Special precautions for user Warning: Oxidizing substances Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code N/A Transport/Additional information: DOT Marine Pollutant (DOT): No UN "Model Regulation": UN3087, Oxidizing solid, toxic, n.o.s. (Caesium dichromate), 5.1 (6.1), III

## SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture GHS GHS label elements, including precautionary statements Hazard pictograms GHS03 GHS07 GHS08 Signal word Danger Hazard statements H272 May intensify fire; oxidizer. H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction. H350 May cause cancer. Precautionary statements P221 Take any precaution to avoid mixing with combustibles. P210 Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. No smoking. P220 Keep/Store away from clothing/combustible materials. P363 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. P405 Store locked up. P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations. National regulations This product is not listed in the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Toxic Substances Control Act Chemical Substance Inventory. Use of this product is restricted to research and development only. This product must be used by or directly under the supervision of a technically qualified individual as defined by TSCA. This product must not be used for commercial purposes or in formulations for commercial purposes. SARA Section 313 (specific toxic chemical listings) 13530-67-1 Caesium dichromate California Proposition 65 Prop 65 - Chemicals known to cause cancer 13530-67-1 Caesium dichromate Prop 65 - Developmental toxicity Substance is not listed. Prop 65 - Developmental toxicity, female 13530-67-1 Caesium dichromate Prop 65 - Developmental toxicity, male 13530-67-1 Caesium dichromate Information about limitation of use: For use only by technically qualified individuals. Other regulations, limitations and prohibitive regulations Substance of Very High Concern (SVHC) according to the REACH Regulations (EC) No. 1907/2006. Substance is not listed. The conditions of restrictions according to Article 67 and Annex XVII of the Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH) for the manufacturing, placing on the market and use must be observed. Substance is not listed. Annex XIV of the REACH Regulations (requiring Authorisation for use) Substance is not listed.

Chemical safety assessment:

A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

#### **SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION**

Safety Data Sheet according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH). The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. The information in this document is based on the present state of our knowledge and is applicable to the product with regard to appropriate safety precautions. It does not represent any guarantee of the properties of the product. American Elements shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product. See reverse side of invoice or packing slip for additional terms and conditions of sale. COPYRIGHT 1997-2022 AMERICAN ELEMENTS. LICENSED GRANTED TO MAKE UNLIMITED PAPER COPIES FOR INTERNAL USE ONLY.