1. Identification

Product Name: Copper(II) chloride dihydrate
Cat No.: C455-500
CAS-No: 10125-13-0
Synonyms: Cupric chloride dihydrate
Recommended Use: Laboratory chemicals.
Uses advised against: Not for food, drug, pesticide or biocidal product use

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company: Fisher Scientific
One Reagent Lane
Fair Lawn, NJ 07410
Tel: (201) 796-7100

Emergency Telephone Number
Chemtrec US: (800) 424-9300
Chemtrec EU: 001 (202) 483-7616

2. Hazard(s) identification

Classification
This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

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Label Elements

Signal Word: Danger

Hazard Statements
May be corrosive to metals
Toxic if swallowed
Harmful in contact with skin
Causes skin irritation
Causes serious eye damage
May cause respiratory irritation
Precautionary Statements

Prevention
Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling
Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product
Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection
Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray
Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area
Keep only in original container

Response
Get medical attention/advice if you feel unwell

Inhalation
IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing
Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell

Skin
IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water
Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell
If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention
Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse

Eyes
IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing
Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician

Ingestion
IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician
Rinse mouth

Spills
Absorb spillage to prevent material damage

Storage
Store locked up
Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed
Store in corrosive resistant polypropylene container with a resistant inliner
Store in a dry place

Disposal
Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)
Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

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4. First-aid measures

Eye Contact
Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Immediate medical attention is required.

Skin Contact
Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Immediate medical attention is required.
Inhalation
Move to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Do not use mouth-to-mouth method if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; give artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other proper respiratory medical device. Immediate medical attention is required.

Ingestion
Do not induce vomiting. Call a physician or Poison Control Center immediately.

Most important symptoms and effects
Irritating to eyes. Causes eye burns. Ingestion causes severe swelling, severe damage to the delicate tissue and danger of perforation

Notes to Physician
Treat symptomatically

5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable Extinguishing Media
Substance is nonflammable; use agent most appropriate to extinguish surrounding fire.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media
No information available

Flash Point
No information available

Method -
No information available

Autoignition Temperature

Explosion Limits
Upper
No data available

Lower
No data available

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact
No information available

Sensitivity to Static Discharge
No information available

Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical
Corrosive Material. Non-combustible. Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors. Do not allow run-off from fire fighting to enter drains or water courses.

Hazardous Combustion Products
Hydrogen chloride gas Copper oxides

Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters
As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

NFPA

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6. Accidental release measures

Personal Precautions
Use personal protective equipment. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid dust formation. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.

Environmental Precautions
Collect spillage. Should not be released into the environment. Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system. Do not allow material to contaminate ground water system. Prevent product from entering drains. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained. See Section 12 for additional ecological information.

Methods for Containment and Clean Up
Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal. Avoid dust formation.

7. Handling and storage

Handling
Wear personal protective equipment. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid dust formation. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Do not breathe vapors/dust. Do not ingest.

Storage
Keep in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. Store contents under argon. Corrosives area. Do not store in metal containers.
8. Exposure controls / personal protection

**Exposure Guidelines**

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**Legend**

ACGIH - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists
NIOSH IDLH: The National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health

**Engineering Measures**

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.

**Personal Protective Equipment**

**Eye/face Protection**

Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by OSHA’s eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard EN166.

**Skin and body protection**

Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure.

**Respiratory Protection**

No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions.

**Hygiene Measures**

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

9. Physical and chemical properties

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10. Stability and reactivity

**Reactive Hazard**

None known, based on information available
Stability
Hygroscopic.

Conditions to Avoid
Avoid dust formation. Incompatible products. Excess heat. Exposure to moist air or water.

Incompatible Materials
Strong oxidizing agents, Metals

Hazardous Decomposition Products
Hydrogen chloride gas, Copper oxides

Hazardous Polymerization
Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

Hazardous Reactions
Corrosive to metals.

11. Toxicological information

Acute Toxicity

Product Information

Component Information

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<td>233 mg/kg (Mouse)</td>
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Toxicologically Synergistic Products
No information available

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Irritation
Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin

Sensitization
No information available

Carcinogenicity
The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen.

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Mutagenic Effects
No information available

Reproductive Effects
No information available.

Developmental Effects
No information available.

Teratogenicity
No information available.

STOT - single exposure
Respiratory system

STOT - repeated exposure
None known

Aspiration hazard
No information available

Symptoms / effects, both acute and delayed
Ingestion causes severe swelling, severe damage to the delicate tissue and danger of perforation

Endocrine Disruptor Information
No information available

Other Adverse Effects
The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated.

12. Ecological information

Ecotoxicity
Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment. The product contains following
Copper(II) chloride dihydrate

substances which are hazardous for the environment. Do not allow material to contaminate ground water system.

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| Copper(II) chloride dihydrate | Not listed       | Not listed     | = 0.16 mg/L EC50  
                      |                  |                | Photobacterium phosphoreum 30 min as Cu++  
                      |                  |                | = 0.27 mg/L EC50  
                      |                  |                | Photobacterium phosphoreum 15 min as Cu++  
                      |                  |                | = 1.29 mg/L EC50  
                      |                  |                | Photobacterium phosphoreum 5 min as Cu++  |
| Cupric chloride            | EC50: 0.12 - 0.2 mg/L/96h | LC50: 0.120-0.130 mg/L/96h (Carp) | LC50: 0.9 mg/L/96h (Bluegill sunfish)  
                      |                  |                | LC50: 0.08 mg/L/96h (Rainbow trout)  | Not listed  
                      |                  |                |                                                                 | EC50: 0.04 mg/L/48h |

Persistence and Degradability
May persist based on information available.

Bioaccumulation/ Accumulation
No information available.

Mobility
Will likely be mobile in the environment due to its water solubility.

### 13. Disposal considerations

Waste Disposal Methods
Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. Chemical waste generators must also consult local, regional, and national hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.

### 14. Transport information

DOT
UN-No UN2802  
Proper Shipping Name COPPER CHLORIDE  
Hazard Class 8  
Packing Group III

TDG
UN-No UN2802  
Proper Shipping Name COPPER CHLORIDE  
Hazard Class 8  
Packing Group III

IATA
UN-No UN2802  
Proper Shipping Name COPPER CHLORIDE  
Hazard Class 8  
Packing Group III

IMDG/IMO
UN-No UN2802  
Proper Shipping Name COPPER CHLORIDE  
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### 15. Regulatory information

International Inventories

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Copper(II) chloride dihydrate

Legend:
X - Listed
E - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 5(e) Consent order under TSCA.
F - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 5(f) Rule under TSCA.
N - Indicates a polymeric substance containing no free-radical initiator in its inventory name but is considered to cover the designated polymer made with any free-radical initiator regardless of the amount used.
P - Indicates a commenced PMN substance
R - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 6 risk management rule under TSCA.
S - Indicates a substance that is identified in a proposed or final Significant New Use Rule
T - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 4 test rule under TSCA.
XU - Indicates a substance exempt from reporting under the Inventory Update Rule, i.e. Partial Updating of the TSCA Inventory Data Base Production and Site Reports (40 CFR 710(B).
Y1 - Indicates an exempt polymer that has a number-average molecular weight of 1,000 or greater.
Y2 - Indicates an exempt polymer that is a polyester and is made only from reactants included in a specified list of low concern reactants that comprises one of the eligibility criteria for the exemption rule.

U.S. Federal Regulations

TSCA 12(b) Not applicable

SARA 313

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SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories See section 2 for more information

CWA (Clean Water Act)

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Clean Air Act Not applicable

OSHA Occupational Safety and Health Administration Not applicable

CERCLA

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California Proposition 65 This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals

U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

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U.S. Department of Transportation

Reportable Quantity (RQ): Y
DOT Marine Pollutant: N
DOT Severe Marine Pollutant: Y

U.S. Department of Homeland Security
This product does not contain any DHS chemicals.

Other International Regulations
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**End of SDS**