SAFETY DATA SHEET

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Cobalt Oxide OR

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SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION

Product name : Cobalt Oxide OR

Trade name : Cobalt Black Oxide 71.5%

Product code : 30000001184

Manufacturer or supplier's details

Company name of supplier : Umicore Cobalt & Specialty Materials

Address : Umicore Cobalt & Specialty Materials

Rue du Marais 31 1000 Brussels Belgium

E-mail address of person responsible for the SDS

: info.ipds@umicore.com

Poison Center

Telephone : 1 800 222 1222

Hours of operation : 24HRS

Supplier

Emergency telephone num-

ber

: For transport in Europe, Central- and South America, Israel and Africa (Non-Arabic speaking countries):+32 3 213 15 70 For transport in the Middle East (Israel excluded) & Arabic

speaking Africa:+32 3 213 33 79

For transport in the USA and Canada:1-877 986 4267

For transport in Asian and the Pacific (China excluded):+65 62

64 78 36

For transport in China:400 88 71 190

Hours of operation : This telephone number is available 24 hours per day, 7 days

per week.

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use : Colouring agents, pigments

Manufacturing of frit.

SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

GHS classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910.1200

Respiratory sensitisation : Category 1

Acute aquatic toxicity : Category 2

Chronic aquatic toxicity : Category 3

GHS label elements



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Hazard pictograms



Signal word : Danger

Hazard statements : H334 May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing diffi-

culties if inhaled.

H401 Toxic to aquatic life.

H412 Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary statements : Prevention:

P261 Avoid breathing dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapours/ spray.

P273 Avoid release to the environment.

P285 In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protec-

tion.

Response:

P304 + P341 IF INHALED: If breathing is difficult, remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breath-

ıng.

P342 + P311 If experiencing respiratory symptoms: Call a

POISON CENTER/doctor.

Disposal:

P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste dis-

posal plant.

Other hazards

None known.

SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Substance / Mixture : Mixture

Hazardous components

Chemical name	CAS-No.	Concentration (% w/w)
cobalt(ii,iii) oxide	1308-06-1	<=100
Sodium carbonate	497-19-8	<=3

SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

General advice : Move out of dangerous area.

Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

Do not leave the victim unattended.

If inhaled : Call a physician or poison control centre immediately.

Move to fresh air.

If unconscious, place in recovery position and get medical

attention immediately.



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In case of eye contact : Remove contact lenses.

Flush eyes with water as a precaution.

Protect unharmed eye.

Keep eye wide open while rinsing.

If eye irritation persists, consult a specialist.

If swallowed : Keep respiratory tract clear.

Do not give milk or alcoholic beverages.

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

If symptoms persist, call a physician. Take victim immediately to hospital.

Most important symptoms

and effects, both acute and

delayed

Allergic reactions

Inhalation may provoke the following symptoms:

Shortness of breath

Asthma

SECTION 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media : Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local cir-

cumstances and the surrounding environment.

Unsuitable extinguishing

media

High volume water jet

Specific hazards during fire-

fighting

Do not allow run-off from fire fighting to enter drains or water

courses.

Hazardous combustion prod-

ucts

Metal oxides

Hazardous decomposition products due to incomplete com-

bustion

Further information : Collect contaminated fire extinguishing water separately. This

must not be discharged into drains.

Fire residues and contaminated fire extinguishing water must

be disposed of in accordance with local regulations.

Special protective equipment:

for firefighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if nec-

essary.

SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emer-

gency procedures

Use personal protective equipment.

Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing dust.

Ensure adequate ventilation.

Environmental precautions : Prevent product from entering drains.

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

If the product contaminates rivers and lakes or drains inform

respective authorities.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.



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SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Advice on protection against :

fire and explosion

Avoid dust formation. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation

at places where dust is formed.

Advice on safe handling : Avoid formation of respirable particles.

Do not breathe vapours/dust.

Avoid exposure - obtain special instructions before use.

For personal protection see section 8.

Smoking, eating and drinking should be prohibited in the ap-

plication area.

Provide sufficient air exchange and/or exhaust in work rooms. Dispose of rinse water in accordance with local and national

regulations.

Persons susceptible to skin sensitisation problems or asthma, allergies, chronic or recurrent respiratory disease should not be employed in any process in which this mixture is being

used.

Conditions for safe storage

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated

place.

Containers which are opened must be carefully resealed and

kept upright to prevent leakage.

Electrical installations / working materials must comply with

the technological safety standards.

To maintain product quality, do not store in heat or direct sun-

light.

SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Components with workplace control parameters

Components	CAS-No.	Value type (Form of	Control parame- ters / Permissible	Basis
		exposure)	concentration	
cobalt(ii,iii) oxide	1308-06-1	TWA	0.02 mg/m3 (Cobalt)	ACGIH

Hazardous components without workplace control parameters

Components	CAS-No.
Sodium carbonate	497-19-8

Engineering measures : Handle only in a place equipped with local exhaust (or other

appropriate exhaust).

Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection : Suitable mask with particle filter P3 (European Norm 143)

In the case of dust or aerosol formation use respirator with an

approved filter.

When workers are facing concentrations above the exposure

limit they must use appropriate certified respirators.



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Hand protection

Material : Nitrile rubber
Break through time : > 480 min
Glove thickness : 0.12 mm

Material : PVC
Break through time : > 480 min
Glove thickness : 1.1 mm

Material : Neoprene gloves
Break through time : > 480 min
Glove thickness : 0.35 mm

Glove length : Long sleeve gloves

Eye protection : Safety glasses with side-shields conforming to EN166

Skin and body protection : Dust impervious protective suit

Hygiene measures : Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance : powder

Colour : black

Odour : odourless

Flammability (solid, gas) : Will not burn

Relative density : 6.07

Density : 6.07 g/cm3

Solubility(ies)

Water solubility : practically insoluble

Decomposition temperature : 900 °C

Molecular weight : 240.79 g/mol

SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity : Stable at normal ambient temperature and pressure.

Chemical stability : No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.

Possibility of hazardous reac- :

tions

No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.

Conditions to avoid : None known.



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Incompatible materials : None.

Hazardous decomposition

products

No decomposition if stored normally.

SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute toxicity

Product:

Acute oral toxicity : Acute toxicity estimate: > 5,000 mg/kg

Method: Calculation method

Acute inhalation toxicity : Remarks: No data available

Acute dermal toxicity : Remarks: No data available

Components:

cobalt(ii,iii) oxide:

Acute oral toxicity : LD50 (Rat): > 5,000 mg/kg

Method: OECD Test Guideline 401

GLP: yes

Acute inhalation toxicity : LC50 (Rat, male and female): > 5.06 mg/l

Exposure time: 4 h

Test atmosphere: dust/mist

Method: OECD Test Guideline 436

Assessment: The substance or mixture has no acute inhala-

tion toxicity

Acute dermal toxicity : LD50 (Rat, male and female): > 2,000 mg/kg

Method: OECD Test Guideline 402

GLP: yes

Assessment: The substance or mixture has no acute dermal

toxicity

Sodium carbonate:

Acute oral toxicity : LD50 (Rat): 4,090 mg/kg

Acute inhalation toxicity : LC50 (Rat): 2.3 g/l

Exposure time: 2 h

Test atmosphere: dust/mist

Acute dermal toxicity : Assessment: The substance or mixture has no acute dermal

toxicity

Skin corrosion/irritation

Product:

Remarks: No data available



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Components:

cobalt(ii,iii) oxide:

Assessment: No skin irritation

GLP: yes

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Product:

Remarks: No data available

Components:

cobalt(ii,iii) oxide:

Result: No eye irritation

GLP: yes

Sodium carbonate:

Species: Rabbit Result: Eye irritation

Respiratory or skin sensitisation

Product:

Remarks: No data available

Components:

cobalt(ii,iii) oxide:

Exposure routes: Dermal

Species: Mouse

Method: OECD Test Guideline 429

Result: Did not cause sensitisation on laboratory animals.

GLP: yes

Germ cell mutagenicity

Product:

Genotoxicity in vitro : Remarks: No data available

Components:

cobalt(ii,iii) oxide:

Genotoxicity in vitro : Test Type: In vitro mammalian cell gene mutation test

Species: mouse lymphoma cells Method: OECD Test Guideline 476

Result: negative

Remarks: Based on read across from structural related sub-

stance

cobalt sulphide



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Carcinogenicity

Product:

Remarks: No data available

IARC Group 2B: Possibly carcinogenic to humans

cobalt(ii,iii) oxide tricobalt tetraoxide

OSHA No component of this product present at levels greater than or

equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcino-

gen by OSHA.

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.

Reproductive toxicity

Product:

Effects on fertility : Remarks: No data available

Components:

cobalt(ii,iii) oxide:

Effects on fertility : Species: Rat, male and female

Application Route: Oral

General Toxicity - Parent: NOAEL: 1,000 mg/kg body weight General Toxicity F1: NOAEL: 1,000 mg/kg body weight

Method: OECD Test Guideline 422

Result: Not classified

GLP: yes

Remarks: Based on read across from structural related sub-

stance

cobalt sulphide

STOT - single exposure

Product:

Remarks: No data available

STOT - repeated exposure

Product:

Remarks: No data available

Repeated dose toxicity

Components:

cobalt(ii,iii) oxide:

Species: Rat, male and female

NOAEL: 1,000 mg/kg



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Application Route: Oral

Method: OECD Test Guideline 422

GLP: yes

Further information

Product:

Remarks: No data available

SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

Components:

cobalt(ii,iii) oxide:

Toxicity to fish : LC50 (Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout)): 1.51 mg/l

Exposure time: 96 h Remarks: Fresh water

Based on read across from structural related substance

cobalt dichloride hexahydrate

Toxicity to daphnia and other :

aquatic invertebrates

LC50 (Cladoceran (water flea)): 0.61 mg/l

Remarks: Fresh water unit expressed as mg metal/l

Based on read across from structural related substance

cobalt dichloride hexahydrate

Toxicity to algae : EC50 (Lemna minor (duckweed)): 0.1985 mg/l

Exposure time: 7 DAYS Remarks: Fresh water

Based on read across from structural related substance

cobalt dichloride hexahydrate

EC50 (Lemna minor (duckweed)): 0.0108 mg/l

Exposure time: 7 DAYS Remarks: Fresh water

Based on read across from structural related substance

cobalt dichloride hexahydrate

Toxicity to fish (Chronic tox-

icity)

EC10 (Pimephales promelas (fathead minnow)): 0.351 mg/l

Remarks: unit expressed as mg metal/l

Fresh water

Based on read across from structural related substance

cobalt dichloride hexahydrate

EC10 (Cyprinodon sp. (minnow)): 31.8 mg/l

Remarks: Marine water unit expressed as mg metal/l

Based on read across from structural related substance

cobalt dichloride hexahydrate

Toxicity to daphnia and other

aquatic invertebrates (Chron-

EC10 (Hyalella azteca): 0.00547 mg/l

Remarks: Fresh water



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ic toxicity) unit expressed as mg metal/l

Based on read across from structural related substance

cobalt dichloride hexahydrate

EC10: 0.206 mg/l Remarks: Marine water unit expressed as mg metal/l

Based on read across from structural related substance

cobalt dichloride hexahydrate

M-Factor (Chronic aquatic

toxicity)

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Ecotoxicology Assessment

Chronic aquatic toxicity : Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Sodium carbonate:

Toxicity to fish : LC50 (Lepomis macrochirus (Bluegill sunfish)): 300 mg/l

Exposure time: 96 h Remarks: Fresh water

Toxicity to daphnia and other :

aquatic invertebrates

EC50 (Daphnia magna (Water flea)): 265 mg/l

Exposure time: 48 h Remarks: Fresh water

Toxicity to algae : EC50 (Algae, Navicula sp.): 242 mg/l

Exposure time: 96 h Remarks: Fresh water

Persistence and degradability

No data available

Bioaccumulative potential

Components:

cobalt(ii,iii) oxide:

Bioaccumulation : Bioconcentration factor (BCF): 180 - 4,000

Mobility in soil

No data available

Other adverse effects

Product:

Ozone-Depletion Potential : Regulation: 40 CFR Protection of Environment; Part 82 Pro-

tection of Stratospheric Ozone - CAA Section 602 Class I

Substances

Remarks: This product neither contains, nor was manufactured with a Class I or Class II ODS as defined by the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 602 (40 CFR 82, Subpt. A, App.A + B).

Additional ecological infor- : An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of



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mation unprofessional handling or disposal.

Toxic to aquatic life.

Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal methods

Waste from residues : The product should not be allowed to enter drains, water

courses or the soil.

Dispose of in accordance with the European Directives on

waste and hazardous waste.

In accordance with local and national regulations.

Do not contaminate ponds, waterways or ditches with chemi-

cal or used container.

According to the European Waste Catalogue, Waste Codes

are not product specific, but application specific.

Waste codes should be assigned by the user, preferably in

discussion with the waste disposal authorities. Send to a licensed waste management company.

Contaminated packaging : Empty remaining contents.

Dispose of as unused product. Do not re-use empty containers.

SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

International Regulations

UNRTDG

Not regulated as a dangerous good

IATA-DGR

Not regulated as a dangerous good

IMDG-Code

Not regulated as a dangerous good

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable for product as supplied.

National Regulations

49 CFR - DOT

Not regulated as a dangerous good

Special precautions for user

Not applicable

SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

EPCRA - Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act

CERCLA Reportable Quantity

This material does not contain any components with a CERCLA RQ.



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SARA 304 Extremely Hazardous Substances Reportable Quantity

This material does not contain any components with a section 304 EHS RQ.

SARA 311/312 Hazards : Acute Health Hazard

SARA 302 : No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting re-

quirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

SARA 313 : The following components are subject to reporting levels es-

tablished by SARA Title III, Section 313:

cobalt(ii,iii) oxide 1308-06-1 100 %

Clean Air Act

This product neither contains, nor was manufactured with a Class I or Class II ODS as defined by the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 602 (40 CFR 82, Subpt. A, App.A + B).

The following chemical(s) are listed as HAP under the U.S. Clean Air Act, Section 12 (40 CFR 61):

cobalt(ii,iii) oxide 1308-06-1 100 %

This product does not contain any chemicals listed under the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 112(r) for Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130, Subpart F).

This product does not contain any chemicals listed under the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 111 SOCMI Intermediate or Final VOC's (40 CFR 60.489).

Clean Water Act

This product does not contain any Hazardous Substances listed under the U.S. CleanWater Act, Section 311, Table 116.4A.

This product does not contain any Hazardous Chemicals listed under the U.S. CleanWater Act, Section 311, Table 117.3.

This product does not contain any toxic pollutants listed under the U.S. Clean Water Act Section 307

US State Regulations

Massachusetts Right To Know

No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

Pennsylvania Right To Know

cobalt(ii,iii) oxide 1308-06-1 Sodium carbonate 497-19-8

The components of this product are reported in the following inventories:

CH INV : On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

DSL : All components of this product are on the Canadian DSL

AICS : On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

NZIoC : On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

ENCS : On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

ISHL : On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

KECI : On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

PICCS : Not in compliance with the inventory



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IECSC : On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

TCSI : On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

TSCA : On TSCA Inventory

TSCA list

No substances are subject to a Significant New Use Rule.

No substances are subject to TSCA 12(b) export notification requirements.

SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

Full text of other abbreviations

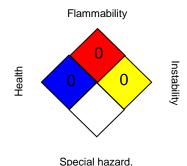
AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances; ASTM - American Society for the Testing of Materials; bw - Body weight; CERCLA - Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act; CMR - Carcinogen, Mutagen or Reproductive Toxicant; DIN - Standard of the German Institute for Standardisation; DOT - Department of Transportation; DSL - Domestic Substances List (Canada); ECx - Concentration associated with x% response; EHS - Extremely Hazardous Substance; ELx - Loading rate associated with x% response; EmS - Emergency Schedule; ENCS - Existing and New Chemical Substances (Japan); ErCx - Concentration associated with x% growth rate response; ERG - Emergency Response Guide; GHS - Globally Harmonized System; GLP - Good Laboratory Practice; HMIS - Hazardous Materials Identification System; IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer; IATA - International Air Transport Association; IBC - International Code for the Construction and Equipment of Ships carrying Dangerous Chemicals in Bulk; IC50 - Half maximal inhibitory concentration; ICAO - International Civil Aviation Organization; IECSC - Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China; IMDG - International Maritime Dangerous Goods; IMO - International Maritime Organization; ISHL - Industrial Safety and Health Law (Japan); ISO - International Organisation for Standardization; KECI -Korea Existing Chemicals Inventory; LC50 - Lethal Concentration to 50 % of a test population; LD50 - Lethal Dose to 50% of a test population (Median Lethal Dose); MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships; MSHA - Mine Safety and Health Administration; n.o.s. - Not Otherwise Specified; NFPA - National Fire Protection Association; NO(A)EC - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Concentration; NO(A)EL - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Level; NOELR - No Observable Effect Loading Rate; NTP - National Toxicology Program; NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals: OECD - Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development; OPPTS - Office of Chemical Safety and Pollution Prevention; PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic substance; PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances; (Q)SAR - (Quantitative) Structure Activity Relationship; RCRA - Resource Conservation and Recovery Act; REACH - Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals; RQ -Reportable Quantity; SADT - Self-Accelerating Decomposition Temperature; SARA - Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act; SDS - Safety Data Sheet; TCSI - Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory; TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act (United States); UN - United Nations; UNRTDG - United Nations Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods; vPvB -Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative



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Further information

NFPA:



HMIS® IV:



HMIS® ratings are based on a 0-4 rating scale, with 0 representing minimal hazards or risks, and 4 representing significant hazards or risks.

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