

Occupational Safety and Health (Classification, Labelling and Safety Data Sheet of Hazardous Chemicals) Regulations 2013

**SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING**
**Product Identifier**

Perihalan Produk: **Cobalt(II) sulfate heptahydrate**  
 Product Description: **Cobalt(II) sulfate heptahydrate**  
 Cat No. : C21310  
 Synonyms Cobalt(II) sulfate (1:1) heptahydrate.; Cobalt sulfate heptahydrate  
 CAS No 10026-24-1  
 Molecular Formula Co O4 S . 7 H2 O

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

Recommended Use Laboratory chemicals.  
 Uses advised against No Information available

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**SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**
**Classification of the substance or mixture**

Acute oral toxicity	Category 4 (H302)
Respiratory Sensitization	Category 1 (H334)
Skin Sensitization	Category 1 (H317)
Germ Cell Mutagenicity	Category 2 (H341)
Carcinogenicity	Category 1B (H350i)
Reproductive Toxicity	Category 1B (H360F)
Acute aquatic toxicity	Category 1 (H400)
Chronic aquatic toxicity	Category 1 (H410)

**Label Elements**

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**Signal Word**

**Danger**

## Hazard Statements

H302 - Harmful if swallowed  
H317 - May cause an allergic skin reaction  
H334 - May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled  
H341 - Suspected of causing genetic defects  
H350i - May cause cancer by inhalation  
H360F - May damage fertility  
H410 - Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

## Precautionary Statements

### Prevention

P261 - Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray  
P264 - Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling  
P201 - Obtain special instructions before use  
P202 - Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood  
P270 - Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product  
P272 - Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace  
P280 - Wear protective gloves  
P284 - In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection

### Response

P304 + P341 - IF INHALED: If breathing is difficult, remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing  
P308 + P313 - IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention  
P301 + P312 - IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor if you feel unwell  
P302 + P352 - IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water  
P330 - Rinse mouth  
P342 + P311 - If experiencing respiratory symptoms: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor  
P362 + P364 - Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse

### Storage

P403 - Store in a well-ventilated place

### Disposal

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

## Other Hazards

Toxic to terrestrial vertebrates  
This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors

## SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Component	CAS No	Weight %
Cobalt(II) sulfate heptahydrate	10026-24-1	<=100
Cobalt sulfate	10124-43-3	-

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## SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

### Description of first aid measures

<b>Eye Contact</b>	Immediate medical attention is required. Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes.
<b>Skin Contact</b>	Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated clothes and shoes. Immediate medical attention is required.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Clean mouth with water. Do NOT induce vomiting. Call a physician or poison control center immediately.
<b>Inhalation</b>	Remove from exposure, lie down. Remove to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. 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.
<b>Self-Protection of the First Aider</b>	Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, take precautions to protect themselves and prevent spread of contamination.

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

May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled. May cause allergic skin reaction. Symptoms of allergic reaction may include rash, itching, swelling, trouble breathing, tingling of the hands and feet, dizziness, lightheadedness, chest pain, muscle pain or flushing.

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

**Notes to Physician** Treat symptomatically.

## SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

### Extinguishing media

#### **Suitable Extinguishing Media**

Water spray. Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). Dry chemical. Chemical foam.

#### **Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons**

No information available.

### Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

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

#### **Hazardous Combustion Products**

Sulfur oxides.

### Advice for fire-fighters

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

## SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

### Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures

Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment as required.

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## Environmental precautions

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.

## Methods and Material for Containment and Cleaning Up

Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. Avoid dust formation.

## Reference to Other Sections

Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 8 and 13.

## SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

### Precautions for Safe Handling

Do not breathe dust. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Handle product only in closed system or provide appropriate exhaust ventilation. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

### Conditions for Safe Storage, Including any Incompatibilities

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

### Specific End Uses

Use in laboratories.

## SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### Control Parameters

Component	Malaysia	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL
Cobalt(II) sulfate heptahydrate		TWA: 0.02 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	
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Component	European Union	The United Kingdom	Germany
Cobalt(II) sulfate heptahydrate		STEL: 0.3 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15 min TWA: 0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 hr Resp. Sens.	Haut
Cobalt sulfate		Carc.	Haut

### Exposure Controls

#### Engineering Measures

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

Wherever possible, engineering control measures such as the isolation or enclosure of the process, the introduction of process or equipment changes to minimise release or contact, and the use of properly designed ventilation systems, should be adopted to control hazardous materials at source

### Personal protective equipment

#### Eye Protection

Goggles

#### Hand Protection

Protective gloves

#### Skin and body protection

Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure

Inspect gloves before use.

Please observe the instructions regarding permeability and breakthrough time which are provided by the supplier of the gloves. (Refer to manufacturer/supplier for information)

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Ensure gloves are suitable for the task: Chemical compatability, Dexterity, Operational conditions, User susceptibility, e.g. sensitisation effects, also take into consideration the specific local conditions under which the product is used, such as the danger of cuts, abrasion.

Remove gloves with care avoiding skin contamination.

## Respiratory Protection

When workers are facing concentrations above the exposure limit they must use appropriate certified respirators

## Recommended Filter type:

Particulates filter conforming to EN 143

To protect the wearer, respiratory protective equipment must be the correct fit and be used and maintained properly

When RPE is used a face piece Fit Test should be conducted

## Hygiene Measures

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice

## Environmental exposure controls

Prevent product from entering drains Do not allow material to contaminate ground water system Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained

## SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	Red brown	
Physical State	Solid	
Odor	Odorless	
Odor Threshold	No data available	
pH	4-5	(34 %)
Melting Point/Range	98 °C / 208.4 °F	
Softening Point	No data available	
Boiling Point/Range	No information available	
Flash Point	No information available	Method - No information available
Evaporation Rate	Not applicable	Solid
Flammability (solid,gas)	No information available	
Explosion Limits	No data available	
Vapor Pressure	No data available	
Vapor Density	Not applicable	Solid
Specific Gravity / Density	No data available	
Bulk Density	No data available	
Water Solubility	362 g/L (20°C)	
Solubility in other solvents	No information available	

### Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water)

Autoignition Temperature	No data available	
Decomposition Temperature	No data available	
Viscosity	Not applicable	Solid
Explosive Properties	No information available	
Oxidizing Properties	No information available	

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## SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

### Reactivity

None known, based on information available.

### Chemical Stability

Hygroscopic.

### Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

#### **Hazardous Polymerization Hazardous Reactions**

Hazardous polymerization does not occur.  
No information available.

### Conditions to Avoid

Incompatible products. Exposure to moist air or water.

### Incompatible Materials

Strong oxidizing agents.

### Hazardous Decomposition Products

Sulfur oxides.

## SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Information on Toxicological Effects

#### **Product Information**

#### **(a) acute toxicity;**

**Oral**

Category 4

**Dermal**

No data available

**Inhalation**

No data available

Component	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Cobalt(II) sulfate heptahydrate	LD50 = 582 mg/kg ( Rat )	-	-
Cobalt sulfate	LD50 = 424 mg/kg ( Rat )	-	-

**(b) skin corrosion/irritation;** No data available

**(c) serious eye damage/irritation;** No data available

#### **(d) respiratory or skin sensitization;**

**Respiratory**

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**Endocrine Disruptor Information** This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors

**Other adverse effects** No information available

## SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

### **Waste treatment methods**

**Waste from Residues/Unused Products**

Should not be released into the environment Waste is classified as hazardous Dispose of in accordance with the European Directives on waste and hazardous waste Dispose of in accordance with local regulations

**Contaminated Packaging** Dispose of this container to hazardous or special waste collection point.

**Other Information** Do not flush to sewer Waste codes should be assigned by the user based on the application for which the product was used Do not empty into drains Do not let this chemical enter the environment

## SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

### **IMDG/IMO**

**UN-No** UN3077  
**Hazard Class** 9  
**Packing Group** III  
**Proper Shipping Name** Environmentally hazardous substances, solid, n.o.s. Cobalt (II) Sulfate

### **Road and Rail Transport**

**UN-No** UN3077  
**Hazard Class** 9  
**Packing Group** III  
**Proper Shipping Name** Environmentally hazardous substances, solid, n.o.s. Cobalt (II) Sulfate

### **IATA**

**UN-No** UN3077  
**Hazard Class** 9  
**Packing Group** III  
**Proper Shipping Name** ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S.\* Cobalt (II) Sulfate

**Special Precautions for User** No special precautions required

## SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

### **Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**

**International Inventories** X = listed

Component	EINECS	TSCA	DSL	PICCS	ENCS	ISHL	IECSC	AICS	KECL
Cobalt(II) sulfate heptahydrate	-	-	-	X	X	X	X	X	-
Cobalt sulfate	233-334-2	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	KE-06128



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**Persistent Organic Pollutant**  
**Ozone Depletion Potential**

This product does not contain any known or suspected substance  
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## SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

### Legend

**CAS** - Chemical Abstracts Service

**EINECS/ELINCS** - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances/EU List of Notified Chemical Substances

**PICCS** - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

**IECSC** - Chinese Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

**KECL** - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

**TSCA** - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

**DSL/NDSL** - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

**ENCS** - Japanese Existing and New Chemical Substances

**AICS** - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

**NZIoC** - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

**WEL** - Workplace Exposure Limit

**ACGIH** - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

**RPE** - Respiratory Protective Equipment

**LC50** - Lethal Concentration 50%

**POW** - Partition coefficient Octanol:Water

**TWA** - Time Weighted Average

**IARC** - International Agency for Research on Cancer

**LD50** - Lethal Dose 50%

**EC50** - Effective Concentration 50%

**ADR** - European Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road

**IMO/IMDG** - International Maritime Organization/International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code

**OECD** - Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

**BCF** - Bioconcentration factor

**ICAO/IATA** - International Civil Aviation Organization/International Air Transport Association

**MARPOL** - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships

**ATE** - Acute Toxicity Estimate

**VOC** - (Volatile Organic Compound)

### **Key literature references and sources for data**

<https://echa.europa.eu/information-on-chemicals>

Suppliers safety data sheet, Chemadvisor - LOLI, Merck index, RTECS

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