

## SAFETY DATA SHEET

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### 1. Identification

**Product Name** Dicobalt octacarbonyl, stabilized

**Cat No. :** AC291840000; AC291840050; AC291840250; AC291841000

**CAS No** 10210-68-1

**Synonyms** Cobalt carbonyl

**Recommended Use** Laboratory chemicals.

**Uses advised against** Food, drug, pesticide or biocidal product use.

#### Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

##### Company

Fisher Scientific Company  
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##### **Emergency Telephone Number**

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**CHEMTREC** Tel. No. **US**:001-800-424-9300 / **Europe**:001-703-527-3887

### 2. Hazard(s) identification

#### **Classification**

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

Self-heating substances and mixtures	Category 1
Acute oral toxicity	Category 4
Acute dermal toxicity	Category 4
Acute Inhalation Toxicity - Dusts and Mists	Category 1
Respiratory Sensitization	Category 1
Skin Sensitization	Category 1
Carcinogenicity	Category 1B
Reproductive Toxicity	Category 2
Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)	Category 3
Aspiration Toxicity	Category 1

#### Label Elements

##### **Signal Word**

Danger

**Hazard Statements**

Self-heating; may catch fire  
Harmful if swallowed or in contact with skin  
May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways  
May cause an allergic skin reaction  
Fatal if inhaled  
May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled  
May cause cancer  
Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child  
May cause drowsiness or dizziness

**Precautionary Statements****Prevention**

Obtain special instructions before use  
Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood  
Use personal protective equipment as required  
Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling  
Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product  
Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray  
Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area  
Wear respiratory protection  
In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection  
Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace  
Wear protective gloves  
Keep cool. Protect from sunlight

**Response**

IF exposed or concerned: Get medical attention/advice

**Inhalation**

IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing  
Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician

**Skin**

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

**Ingestion**

IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician  
Do NOT induce vomiting  
Rinse mouth

**Storage**

Store locked up  
Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed  
Maintain air gap between stacks/pallets  
Store bulk masses greater than .? kg/ .? lbs at temperatures not exceeding .? °C/ .? °F  
Store away from other materials

**Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

**Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)**

Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects  
WARNING. Reproductive Harm - <https://www.p65warnings.ca.gov/>.

### 3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

Component	CAS No	Weight %
Cobalt carbonyl	10210-68-1	>95
Hexane	110-54-3	<5

### 4. First-aid measures

<b>General Advice</b>	Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Immediate medical attention is required.
<b>Eye Contact</b>	Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. In the case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.
<b>Skin Contact</b>	Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Immediate medical attention is required.
<b>Inhalation</b>	Remove to fresh air. 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. Risk of serious damage to the lungs (by aspiration).
<b>Ingestion</b>	Do NOT induce vomiting. Call a physician or poison control center immediately. If vomiting occurs naturally, have victim lean forward.
<b>Most important symptoms and effects</b>	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: Vapors may cause drowsiness and dizziness
<b>Notes to Physician</b>	Treat symptomatically

### 5. Fire-fighting measures

<b>Suitable Extinguishing Media</b>	Water spray, carbon dioxide (CO <sub>2</sub> ), dry chemical, alcohol-resistant foam.
<b>Unsuitable Extinguishing Media</b>	Do not use a solid water stream as it may scatter and spread fire
<b>Flash Point</b>	-13 °C / 8.6 °F
<b>Method -</b>	No information available
<b>Autoignition Temperature</b>	No information available
<b>Explosion Limits</b>	
<b>Upper</b>	No data available
<b>Lower</b>	No data available
<b>Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact</b>	No information available
<b>Sensitivity to Static Discharge</b>	No information available

#### Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical

Self-heating; exposure to air may cause substance to self-heat without an energy supply.

#### Hazardous Combustion Products

Cobalt oxides. Carbon monoxide (CO). Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>).

#### 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. Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors.

**NFPA****Health**  
4**Flammability**  
3**Instability**  
0**Physical hazards**  
N/A**6. Accidental release measures****Personal Precautions**

Use personal protective equipment as required. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid dust formation. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Evacuate personnel to safe areas.

**Environmental Precautions**

Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system. Should not be released into the environment. Do not allow material to contaminate ground water system.

**Methods for Containment and Clean Up** Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. Avoid dust formation.

**7. Handling and storage****Handling**

Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Wear personal protective equipment/face protection. Avoid dust formation. Use only under a chemical fume hood. Do not breathe (dust, vapor, mist, gas). Do not ingest. If swallowed then seek immediate medical assistance.

**Storage.**

Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Store under an inert atmosphere. Store in freezer. Incompatible Materials. Halogens. Oxidizing agent.

**8. Exposure controls / personal protection****Exposure Guidelines**

Component	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH	Mexico OEL (TWA)
Cobalt carbonyl	TWA: 0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA: 0.02 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	(Vacated) TWA: 0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	TWA: 0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	TWA: 0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA: 0.02 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Hexane	TWA: 50 ppm Skin	(Vacated) TWA: 50 ppm (Vacated) TWA: 180 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA: 500 ppm TWA: 1800 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	IDLH: 1100 ppm TWA: 50 ppm TWA: 180 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	TWA: 50 ppm

**Legend**

ACGIH - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

OSHA - Occupational Safety and Health Administration

NIOSH: NIOSH - National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health

**Engineering Measures**

Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting equipment.

**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**

Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard EN 149. Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced.

**Recommended Filter type:**

Particulates filter conforming to EN 143.

**Hygiene Measures**

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

## 9. Physical and chemical properties

Physical State	Solid
Appearance	Red brown
Odor	Organic
Odor Threshold	No information available
pH	No information available
Melting Point/Range	51 - 52 °C / 123.8 - 125.6 °F
Boiling Point/Range	No information available
Flash Point	-13 °C / 8.6 °F
Evaporation Rate	Not applicable
Flammability (solid,gas)	No information available
Flammability or explosive limits	
Upper	No data available
Lower	No data available
Vapor Pressure	1 hPa @ 20 °C
Vapor Density	Not applicable
Specific Gravity	1.810
Solubility	Insoluble in water
Partition coefficient; n-octanol/water	No data available
Autoignition Temperature	No information available
Decomposition Temperature	No information available
Viscosity	Not applicable
Molecular Formula	C <sub>8</sub> Co <sub>2</sub> O <sub>8</sub>
Molecular Weight	341.95

## 10. Stability and reactivity

Reactive Hazard	Yes
Stability	heat sensitive. Air sensitive.
Conditions to Avoid	Heat. Incompatible products. Avoid dust formation. Exposure to air.
Incompatible Materials	Halogens, Oxidizing agent
Hazardous Decomposition Products	Cobalt oxides, Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO <sub>2</sub> )
Hazardous Polymerization	Hazardous polymerization does not occur.
Hazardous Reactions	None under normal processing.

## 11. Toxicological information

### Acute Toxicity

#### Product Information Component Information

Component	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Cobalt carbonyl	LD50 = 754 mg/kg ( Rat )	Not listed	LC50 = 27 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ( Rat ) 2 h
Hexane	LD50 = 25 g/kg ( Rat )	LD50 = 3000 mg/kg ( Rabbit )	LC50 = 48000 ppm ( Rat ) 4 h

**Toxicologically Synergistic Products** No information available

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

Irritation	No information available
Sensitization	No information available

**Carcinogenicity**

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

Component	CAS No	IARC	NTP	ACGIH	OSHA	Mexico
Cobalt carbonyl	10210-68-1	Group 2B	Reasonably Anticipated	A3	X	Not listed
Hexane	110-54-3	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed

IARC: (International Agency for Research on Cancer)

NTP: (National Toxicity Program)

ACGIH: (American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists)

IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)

Group 1 - Carcinogenic to Humans

Group 2A - Probably Carcinogenic to Humans

Group 2B - Possibly Carcinogenic to Humans

NTP: (National Toxicity Program)

Known - Known Carcinogen

Reasonably Anticipated - Reasonably Anticipated to be a Human Carcinogen

A1 - Known Human Carcinogen

A2 - Suspected Human Carcinogen

A3 - Animal Carcinogen

ACGIH: (American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists)

**Mutagenic Effects**

No information available

**Reproductive Effects**

Contains ingredients that are suspected reproductive hazards.

**Developmental Effects**

No information available.

**Teratogenicity**

No information available.

**STOT - single exposure**

None known

**STOT - repeated exposure**

None known

**Aspiration hazard**

No information available

**Symptoms / effects, both acute and delayed**

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: Vapors may cause drowsiness and dizziness

**Endocrine Disruptor Information**

No information available

**Other Adverse Effects**

The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated.

## 12. Ecological information

**Ecotoxicity**

The product contains following substances which are hazardous for the environment. Toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment. May cause long-term adverse effects in the environment. Do not allow material to contaminate ground water system.

Component	Freshwater Algae	Freshwater Fish	Microtox	Water Flea
Hexane	Not listed	LC50: 2.1 - 2.98 mg/L, 96h flow-through (Pimephales promelas)	Not listed	EC50: 3.87 mg/L/48h

**Persistence and Degradability**

Insoluble in water May persist

**Bioaccumulation/ Accumulation**

No information available.

**Mobility**

Is not likely mobile in the environment due its low water solubility.

Component	log Pow
Hexane	4.11

## 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 UN3124  
 Proper Shipping Name TOXIC SOLIDS, SELF-HEATING, N.O.S.  
 Technical Name Cobalt carbonyl, Hexane  
 Hazard Class 6.1  
 Subsidiary Hazard Class 4.2  
 Packing Group I

**TDG**

UN-No UN3124  
 Proper Shipping Name TOXIC SOLID, SELF-HEATING, N.O.S.  
 Hazard Class 6.1  
 Subsidiary Hazard Class 4.2  
 Packing Group I

**IATA**

UN-No UN3124  
 Proper Shipping Name TOXIC SOLID, SELF-HEATING, N.O.S.  
 Hazard Class 6.1  
 Subsidiary Hazard Class 4.2  
 Packing Group I

**IMDG/IMO**

UN-No UN3124  
 Proper Shipping Name TOXIC SOLID, SELF-HEATING, N.O.S.  
 Hazard Class 6.1  
 Subsidiary Hazard Class 4.2  
 Packing Group I

## 15. Regulatory information

**United States of America Inventory**

Component	CAS No	TSCA	TSCA Inventory notification - Active-Inactive	TSCA - EPA Regulatory Flags
Cobalt carbonyl	10210-68-1	X	ACTIVE	-
Hexane	110-54-3	X	ACTIVE	-

**Legend:**

**TSCA** - US EPA (TSCA) - Toxic Substances Control Act, (40 CFR Part 710)

X - Listed

- - Not Listed

**TSCA - Per 40 CFR 751, Regulation of Certain Chemical Substances & Mixtures, Under TSCA Section 6(h) (PBT)**

Not applicable

**TSCA 12(b) - Notices of Export**

Not applicable

**International Inventories**

Canada (DSL/NDL), Europe (EINECS/ELINCS/NLP), Philippines (PICCS), Japan (ENCS), Japan (ISHL), Australia (AICS), China (IECSC), Korea (KECL).

Component	CAS No	DSL	NDL	EINECS	PICCS	ENCS	ISHL	AICS	IECSC	KECL
Cobalt carbonyl	10210-68-1	X	-	233-514-0	X	-	X	X	X	KE-05-0923
Hexane	110-54-3	X	-	203-777-6	X	X	X	X	X	KE-18626

**KECL** - NIER number or KE number (<http://ncis.nier.go.kr/en/main.do>)

**U.S. Federal Regulations****SARA 313**

Component	CAS No	Weight %	SARA 313 - Threshold Values %	SARA 313 - Reporting thresholds
Cobalt carbonyl	10210-68-1	>95	0.1 %	-
Hexane	110-54-3	<5	1.0 %	-

**SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories**

Should this product meet EPCRA 311/312 Tier reporting criteria at 40 CFR 370, refer to Section 2 of this SDS for appropriate classifications.

**CWA (Clean Water Act)** Not applicable

**Clean Air Act**

Component	HAPS Data	Class 1 Ozone Depletors	Class 2 Ozone Depletors
Cobalt carbonyl	X		-
Hexane	X		-

**OSHA - Occupational Safety and Health Administration** Not applicable

**CERCLA**

This material, as supplied, contains one or more substances regulated as a hazardous substance under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355).

Component	Hazardous Substances RQs	CERCLA Extremely Hazardous Substances RQs	SARA Reportable Quantity (RQ)
Cobalt carbonyl	-	10 lb	-
Hexane	5000 lb	-	5000 lb 2270 kg

**California Proposition 65** This product contains the following Proposition 65 chemicals.

Component	CAS No	California Prop. 65	Prop 65 NSRL	Category
Hexane	110-54-3	Male Reproductive	-	Developmental

**U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations**

Component	Massachusetts	New Jersey	Pennsylvania	Illinois	Rhode Island
Cobalt carbonyl	X	X	X	X	X
Hexane	X	X	X	X	X

**U.S. Department of Transportation**

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

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

**Other International Regulations**

**Mexico - Grade** No information available



## Authorisation/Restrictions according to EU REACH

Component	CAS No	REACH (1907/2006) - Annex XIV - Substances Subject to Authorization	REACH (1907/2006) - Annex XVII - Restrictions on Certain Dangerous Substances	REACH Regulation (EC 1907/2006) article 59 - Candidate List of Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC)
Cobalt carbonyl	10210-68-1	-	-	-
Hexane	110-54-3	-	Use restricted. See item 75. (see link for restriction details)	-

## REACH links

<https://echa.europa.eu/substances-restricted-under-reach>

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

Component	CAS No	OECD HPV	Persistent Organic Pollutant	Ozone Depletion Potential	Restriction of Hazardous Substances (RoHS)
Cobalt carbonyl	10210-68-1	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
Hexane	110-54-3	Listed	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable

## Contains component(s) that meet a 'definition' of per &amp; poly fluoroalkyl substance (PFAS)?

Not applicable

## Other International Regulations

Component	CAS No	Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC) - Qualifying Quantities for Major Accident Notification	Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC) - Qualifying Quantities for Safety Report Requirements	Rotterdam Convention (PIC)	Basel Convention (Hazardous Waste)
Cobalt carbonyl	10210-68-1	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
Hexane	110-54-3	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Annex I - Y42

## 16. Other information

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## Revision Summary

This document has been updated to comply with the US OSHA HazCom 2012 Standard replacing the current legislation under 29 CFR 1910.1200 to align with the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals (GHS).

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