

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: **Sodium cobaltinitrite**  
 Product Description: **Sodium cobaltinitrite**  
 Cat No. : S/3400/48  
 Synonyms Sodium cobaltinitrite  
 CAS No 13600-98-1  
 Molecular Formula Co N6 Na3 O12

**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**

Oxidizing solids	Category 2 (H272)
Skin Corrosion/Irritation	Category 2 (H315)
Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation	Category 2 (H319)
Respiratory Sensitization	Category 1 (H334)
Skin Sensitization	Category 1 (H317)
Carcinogenicity	Category 2 (H351)
Specific target organ toxicity - (single exposure)	Category 3 (H335)

**Label Elements**

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**Signal Word**

**Danger**

## Hazard Statements

H272 - May intensify fire; oxidizer  
H351 - Suspected of causing cancer  
H315 - Causes skin irritation  
H319 - Causes serious eye irritation  
H335 - May cause respiratory irritation  
H334 - May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled  
H317 - May cause an allergic skin reaction

## Precautionary Statements

### Prevention

P201 - Obtain special instructions before use  
P210 - Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking  
P220 - Keep away from clothing and other combustible materials  
P202 - Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood  
P221 - Take any precaution to avoid mixing with combustibles  
P264 - Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling  
P271 - Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area  
P272 - Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace  
P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection  
P284 - In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection

### Response

P302 + P352 - IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water  
P304 + P340 - IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing  
P305 + P351 + P338 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing  
P308 + P313 - IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention  
P342 + P311 - If experiencing respiratory symptoms: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor  
P370 + P378 - In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol-resistant foam to extinguish  
P362 + P364 - Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse

### Storage

P403 + P233 - Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed

### Disposal

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

## Other Hazards

This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors

## SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Component	CAS No	Weight %
Trisodium hexanitritocobaltate	13600-98-1	>95

## SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

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## Description of first aid measures

### **General Advice**

If symptoms persist, call a physician.

### **Eye Contact**

Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention.

### **Skin Contact**

Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention.

### **Ingestion**

Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

### **Inhalation**

Remove to fresh air. Get medical attention. If not breathing, give artificial respiration.

### **Self-Protection of the First Aider**

Use personal protective equipment as required.

## 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**

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

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

No information available.

### Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

May ignite combustibles (wood, paper, oil, clothing, etc.). Oxidizer: Contact with combustible/organic material may cause fire.

### **Hazardous Combustion Products**

Nitrogen oxides (NO<sub>x</sub>), Cobalt 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. Avoid dust formation.

### Environmental precautions

Should not be released into the environment. Do not allow material to contaminate ground water system. Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system. See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information.

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## Methods and Material for Containment and Cleaning Up

Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal. Soak up with inert absorbent material. Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal.

## Reference to Other Sections

Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 8 and 13.

## SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

### Precautions for Safe Handling

Wear personal protective equipment/face protection. Ensure adequate ventilation. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Avoid ingestion and inhalation. Avoid dust formation. Keep away from clothing and other combustible materials. Remove and wash contaminated clothing and gloves, including the inside, before re-use.

### Conditions for Safe Storage, Including any Incompatibilities

Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Do not store near combustible materials.

### Specific End Uses

Use in laboratories.

## SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### Control Parameters

Component	Malaysia	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL
Trisodium hexanitritocobaltate		TWA: 0.02 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	

Component	European Union	The United Kingdom	Germany
Trisodium hexanitritocobaltate		STEL: 0.3 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15 min TWA: 0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 hr Resp. Sens.	Haut

### Exposure Controls

#### Engineering Measures

Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location. 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**

Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles) Goggles

#### **Hand Protection**

Protective gloves

#### **Skin and body protection**

Long sleeved clothing

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)

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.

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**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** No information available

## SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

<b>Appearance</b>	Amber	
<b>Physical State</b>	Solid	
<b>Odor</b>	Odorless	
<b>Odor Threshold</b>	No data available	
<b>pH</b>	5	100g/L aq sol (20°C)
<b>Melting Point/Range</b>	220 °C / 428 °F	
<b>Softening Point</b>	No data available	
<b>Boiling Point/Range</b>	No information available	
<b>Flash Point</b>	No information available	<b>Method -</b> No information available
<b>Evaporation Rate</b>	Not applicable	Solid
<b>Flammability (solid,gas)</b>	No information available	
<b>Explosion Limits</b>	No data available	
<b>Vapor Pressure</b>	No data available	
<b>Vapor Density</b>	Not applicable	Solid
<b>Specific Gravity / Density</b>	No data available	
<b>Bulk Density</b>	No data available	
<b>Water Solubility</b>	720 g/L (20°C)	
<b>Solubility in other solvents</b>	No information available	
<b>Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water)</b>		
<b>Autoignition Temperature</b>	No data available	
<b>Decomposition Temperature</b>	No data available	
<b>Viscosity</b>	Not applicable	Solid
<b>Explosive Properties</b>	No information available	
<b>Oxidizing Properties</b>	Oxidizer	
<b>Molecular Formula</b>	Co N6 Na3 O12	
<b>Molecular Weight</b>	403.94	

## SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

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## Reactivity

Yes.

## Chemical Stability

Stable under normal conditions. Oxidizer: Contact with combustible/organic material may cause fire.

## Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

### **Hazardous Polymerization Hazardous Reactions**

Hazardous polymerization does not occur.  
None under normal processing.

## Conditions to Avoid

Incompatible products. Excess heat. Avoid dust formation. Combustible material.

## Incompatible Materials

Strong oxidizing agents. Strong acids. Reducing Agent. Amines. Strong reducing agents.  
Combustible material.

## Hazardous Decomposition Products

Nitrogen oxides (NOx). Cobalt oxides.

## SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Information on Toxicological Effects

#### **Product Information**

No acute toxicity information is available for this product

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

**Oral**

No data available

**Dermal**

No data available

**Inhalation**

No data available

#### **(b) skin corrosion/irritation;**

Category 2

#### **(c) serious eye damage/irritation;**

Category 2

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

**Respiratory**

Category 1

**Skin**

Category 1

May cause sensitization by skin contact

#### **(e) germ cell mutagenicity;**

No data available

#### **(f) carcinogenicity;**

Category 2

Limited evidence of a carcinogenic effect

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(g) reproductive toxicity;	No data available
(h) STOT-single exposure;	Category 3
Results / Target organs	Respiratory system.
(i) STOT-repeated exposure;	No data available
Target Organs	No information available.
(j) aspiration hazard;	Not applicable Solid
Other Adverse Effects	The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated.
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.
Endocrine Disrupting Properties	Assess endocrine disrupting properties for human health. This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors.

## SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

<u>Ecotoxicity effects</u>	Do not empty into drains. May cause long-term adverse effects in the environment. Do not allow material to contaminate ground water system.
<u>Persistence and degradability</u>	Product contains heavy metals. Discharge into the environment must be avoided. Special pre-treatment is necessary based on information available, May persist.
Persistence	Not relevant for inorganic substances.
Degradability	Contains substances known to be hazardous to the environment or not degradable in waste water treatment plants.
Degradation in sewage treatment plant	
<u>Bioaccumulative potential</u>	May have some potential to bioaccumulate
<u>Mobility in soil</u>	The product is water soluble, and may spread in water systems. Will likely be mobile in the environment due to its water solubility. Highly mobile in soils.
<u>Endocrine Disruptor Information</u>	This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors
<u>Other adverse effects</u>	No information available

## SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

<u>Waste treatment methods</u>	
Waste from Residues/Unused Products	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

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Contaminated Packaging	Dispose of this container to hazardous or special waste collection point.
Other Information	Waste codes should be assigned by the user based on the application for which the product was used Do not empty into drains

## SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

### IMDG/IMO

UN-No	UN1479
Hazard Class	5.1
Packing Group	II
Proper Shipping Name	Oxidizing solid, n.o.s. Trisodium hexanitritocobaltate

### Road and Rail Transport

UN-No	UN1479
Hazard Class	5.1
Packing Group	II
Proper Shipping Name	Oxidizing solid, n.o.s. Trisodium hexanitritocobaltate

### IATA

UN-No	UN1479
Hazard Class	5.1
Packing Group	II
Proper Shipping Name	Oxidizing solid, n.o.s. Trisodium hexanitritocobaltate

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
Trisodium hexanitritocobaltate	237-077-7	-	-	X	-		X	X	KE-34902

### National Regulations

Persistent Organic Pollutant This product does not contain any known or suspected substance  
Ozone Depletion Potential This product does not contain any known or suspected substance

## SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

### Legend

CAS - Chemical Abstracts Service

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

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

DSL/NDL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List



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**PICCS** - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances  
**IECSC** - Chinese Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances  
**KECL** - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

**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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