

Safety Data Sheet

Copper (II) Sulfate, 5-Hydrate

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Section 1 Product Description

Product Name: Copper (II) Sulfate, 5-Hydrate
Recommended Use: Science education applications
Synonyms: Bluestone, Blue Vitriol, Calcanthite, Cupric Sulfate Pentahydrate, Sulfuric Acid, Copper (II) Salt, Pentahydrate, Roman Vitriol
Distributor: Carolina Biological Supply Company
2700 York Road, Burlington, NC 27215
1-800-227-1150
Chemical Information: 800-227-1150 (8am-5pm (ET) M-F)
Chemtrec: 800-424-9300 (Transportation Spill Response 24 hours)

Section 2 Hazard Identification

Classification of the chemical in accordance with paragraph (d) of §1910.1200;

WARNING



Causes skin irritation. Very toxic to aquatic life. Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

GHS Classification:

Hazardous to the aquatic environment - Acute Category 1, Hazardous to the aquatic environment - Chronic Category 1, Skin Corrosion/Irritation Category 2

Acute Toxicity Oral Contains	100 % of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity
Acute Toxicity Dermal Contains	100 % of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity
Acute Toxicity Inhalation Gas Contains	100 % of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity
Acute Toxicity Inhalation Vapor Contains	100 % of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity
Acute Toxicity Inhalation Dust/Mist Contains	100 % of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity

Section 3 Composition / Information on Ingredients

Chemical Name	CAS #	%
Copper (II) Sulfate, 5-Hydrate	7758-99-8	100

Section 4 First Aid Measures

Emergency and First Aid Procedures

Inhalation: In case of accident by inhalation: remove casualty to fresh air and keep at rest.
Eyes: In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.
Skin Contact: IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention. Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.
Ingestion: If swallowed, do not induce vomiting: seek medical advice immediately and show this container or label.

Section 5 Firefighting Procedures

Extinguishing Media: Use media suitable to extinguish surrounding fire.

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Fire Fighting Methods and Protection: Firefighters should wear full protective equipment and NIOSH approved self-contained breathing apparatus.
Fire and/or Explosion Hazards: No data available
Hazardous Combustion Products: No data available

Section 6 Spill or Leak Procedures

Steps to Take in Case Material Is Released or Spilled: Exposure to the spilled material may be severely irritating or toxic. Follow personal protective equipment recommendations found in Section 8 of this SDS. Personal protective equipment needs must be evaluated based on information provided on this sheet and the special circumstances created by the spill including; the material spilled, the quantity of the spill, the area in which the spill occurred, and the expertise of employees in the area responding to the spill. Never exceed any occupational exposure limits.
Prevent the spread of any spill to minimize harm to human health and the environment if safe to do so. Wear complete and proper personal protective equipment following the recommendation of Section 8 at a minimum. Dike with suitable absorbent material like granulated clay. Gather and store in a sealed container pending a waste disposal evaluation. Collect spillage.

Section 7 Handling and Storage

Handling: Wash thoroughly after handling. Avoid release to the environment. Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection. Avoid release to the environment. Refer to special instructions/safety data sheet. Do not breathe dust.
Storage: Keep container tightly closed in a cool, well-ventilated place.
Storage Code: Green - general chemical storage

Section 8 Protection Information

Chemical Name	ACGIH		OSHA PEL	
	(TWA)	(STEL)	(TWA)	(STEL)
Copper (II) Sulfate, 5-Hydrate	1 mg/m ³ TWA (dust and mist, as Cu)	N/A	N/A	N/A

Control Parameters

Engineering Measures: Local exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls are normally required when handling or using this product to avoid overexposure.

Personal Protective Equipment (PPE): Lab coat, apron, eye wash, safety shower.

Respiratory Protection: Respiratory protection may be required to avoid overexposure when handling this product. General or local exhaust ventilation is the preferred means of protection. Use a respirator if general room ventilation is not available or sufficient to eliminate symptoms. NIOSH approved air purifying respirator with dust/mist filter.

Respirator Type(s): NIOSH approved air purifying respirator with dust/mist filter.

Eye Protection: Wear chemical splash goggles when handling this product. Have an eye wash station available.

Skin Protection: Avoid skin contact by wearing chemically resistant gloves, an apron and other protective equipment depending upon conditions of use. Inspect gloves for chemical break-through and replace at regular intervals. Clean protective equipment regularly. Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking, and when leaving work.

Gloves: No information available

Section 9 Physical Data

Formula: CuSO ₄ * 5H ₂ O	Vapor Pressure: No data available
Molecular Weight: 249.68	Evaporation Rate (BuAc=1): No data available
Appearance: Blue Crystalline Solid	Vapor Density (Air=1): No data available
Odor: None	Specific Gravity: 2.28 at 15.6 °C
Odor Threshold: No data available	Solubility in Water: Soluble
pH: 4.0 (0.2 molar aq soln)	Log Pow (calculated): No data available
Melting Point: No data available	Autoignition Temperature: No data available
Boiling Point: No data available	Decomposition Temperature: 110 C
Flash Point: No data available	Viscosity: No data available
Flammable Limits in Air: No data available	Percent Volatile by Volume: No data available

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Reactivity Data

Reactivity:	Not generally reactive under normal conditions.
Chemical Stability:	Stable under normal conditions.
Conditions to Avoid:	None known.
Incompatible Materials:	Hydroxylamine, Hypobromite, Strong reducing agents, Magnesium
Hazardous Decomposition Products:	No data available
Hazardous Polymerization:	Will not occur

Section 11

Toxicity Data

Routes of Entry	Inhalation, ingestion, eye or skin contact.
Symptoms (Acute):	Vomiting, Nausea, Hypotension, Diarrhea, Hepatitis
Delayed Effects:	Hepatolenticular Degeneration (Wilson's Disease)

Acute Toxicity:

Chemical Name	CAS Number	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Copper (II) Sulfate, 5-Hydrate	7758-99-8	Not determined	Dermal LD50 Rat > 2000 mg/kg	Not determined

Carcinogenicity:

Chemical Name	CAS Number	IARC	NTP	OSHA
Copper (II) Sulfate, 5-hydrate	7758-99-8	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed

Chronic Effects:

Mutagenicity:	No evidence of a mutagenic effect.
Teratogenicity:	No evidence of a teratogenic effect (birth defect).
Sensitization:	No evidence of a sensitization effect.
Reproductive:	No evidence of negative reproductive effects.
Target Organ Effects:	
Acute:	Kidneys, Liver, Gastrointestinal tract
Chronic:	Kidneys, Liver, Eyes

Section 12

Ecological Data

Overview:	Severe ecological hazard. This product may be toxic to plants and/or wildlife.
Mobility:	This material is expected to have only slight mobility in soil. It absorbs strongly to most soil types.
Persistence:	Dissolved into water, Adsorbs to soil., Chemically Transformed
Bioaccumulation:	Bioconcentration is expected to occur.
Degradability:	No data
Other Adverse Effects:	No data

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Disposal Information

Disposal Methods:	Dispose in accordance with all applicable Federal, State and Local regulations. Always contact a permitted waste disposer (TSD) to assure compliance.
Waste Disposal Code(s):	Not Determined

Section 14

Transport Information

Ground - DOT Proper Shipping Name: UN3077Environmentally Hazardous Substance, Solid, N.O.S.(Cupric Sulfate, Pentahydrate)Class 9P.G. III	Air - IATA Proper Shipping Name: UN3077Environmentally Hazardous Substance, Solid, N.O.S.(Cupric Sulfate, Pentahydrate)Class 9P.G. III
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Regulatory Information

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TSCA Status:

All components in this product are on the TSCA Inventory.

Chemical Name	CAS Number	§ 313 Name	§ 304 RQ	CERCLA RQ	§ 302 TPQ	CAA 112(2) TQ
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Additional Information

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Glossary

ACGIH	American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists	NTP	National Toxicology Program
CAS	Chemical Abstract Service Number	OSHA	Occupational Safety and Health Administration
CERCLA	Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act	PEL	Permissible Exposure Limit
DOT	U.S. Department of Transportation	ppm	Parts per million
IARC	International Agency for Research on Cancer	RCRA	Resource Conservation and Recovery Act
N/A	Not Available	SARA	Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act
		TLV	Threshold Limit Value
		TSCA	Toxic Substances Control Act
		IDLH	Immediately dangerous to life and health