

## SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. Identification

Product Name Chromium(III) nitrate nonahydrate

Cat No.: C2930, C2931

Synonyms Chromic nitrate

Recommended Use Laboratory chemicals.

Uses advised against No Information available

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company Emergency Telephone Number

Lab Alley LLC InfoTrac: 800-535-5053

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## 2. Hazard(s) identification

### Classification

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

Oxidizing solids

Skin Corrosion/irritation

Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation

Category 2

Carcinogenicity

Category 1B

Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)

Category 3

Target Organs - Respiratory system.

### Label Elements

## Signal Word

Danger

### **Hazard Statements**

May intensify fire; oxidizer Causes skin irritation Causes serious eye irritation May cause respiratory irritation May cause cancer



### **Precautionary Statements**

### Prevention

Obtain special instructions before use

Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood

Keep/Store away from clothing/ other combustible materials

Take any precaution to avoid mixing with combustibles

Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling

#### Response

IF exposed or concerned: Get medical attention/advice

Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell

#### Inhalation

IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing

#### Skin

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

### **Eyes**

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing

## If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention

#### Fire

Explosion risk in case of fire

In case of fire: Evacuate area. Fight fire remotely due to the risk of explosion

Evacuate area

### Storage

Store locked up

Store in a closed container

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool

#### Disposal

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

### Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

None identified

## 3. Composition / information on ingredients

Component	CAS-No	Weight %
Chromium(III) nitrate nonahydrate	7789-02-8	>95

## 4. First-aid measures

Eye Contact Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes.

Obtain medical attention.

**Skin Contact** Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Obtain medical attention.

**Inhalation** Move to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Obtain medical attention.

**Ingestion** Do not induce vomiting. Obtain medical attention.

Most important symptoms/effects

Breathing difficulties. . Symptoms of overexposure may be headache, dizziness, tiredness,

nausea and vomiting Treat symptomatically

**Notes to Physician** 

## 5. Fire-fighting measures

**Suitable Extinguishing Media** 

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

**Unsuitable Extinguishing Media** 

No information available

**Flash Point** Method -

No information available No information available

**Autoignition Temperature** 

Not applicable

**Explosion Limits** Upper

No data available No data available

Lower **Oxidizing Properties** 

Oxidizer

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact No information available Sensitivity to Static Discharge No information available

### Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical

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

### **Hazardous Combustion Products**

Carbon monoxide (CO) Carbon dioxide (CO2) Nitrogen oxides (NOx)

### **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	Flammability	Instability	Physical hazards
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### 6. Accidental release measures

**Personal Precautions** 

Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Remove all sources of ignition. Take precautionary measures against static discharges. Should not be released into the environment. See Section 12 for additional ecological information.

**Environmental Precautions** 

Methods for Containment and Clean Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal. Keep away from clothing and other combustible materials. Avoid dust formation. Remove all sources of ignition. Take precautionary measures against static discharges. Soak up with inert absorbent material. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal. Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal.

# 7. Handling and storage

Handling

Up

Wear personal protective equipment. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid dust formation. Do not breathe dust. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Do not ingest. Keep away from clothing and other combustible materials. Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition. Use only non-sparking tools. Use explosion-proof equipment. Take precautionary measures against static discharges.

Storage

Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Do not store near combustible materials. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition. Flammables area.

## 8. Exposure controls / personal protection

**Exposure Guidelines** 

Component ACGIH TLV		OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH	
Chromium(III) nitrate nonahydrate	TWA: 0.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	(Vacated) TWA: 0.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	IDLH: 25 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	
	•	, , ,	TWA: 0.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	

Component	Quebec	Mexico OEL (TWA)	Ontario TWAEV
Chromium(III) nitrate nonahydrate	TWA: 0.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	TWA: 0.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	TWA: 0.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

Legend

ACGIH - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

OSHA - Occupational Safety and Health Administration

NIOSH IDLH: The National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health

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

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

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.

**Hygiene Measures** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

## 9. Physical and chemical properties

Physical State Solid
Appearance Black
Odor Odorless

Odor ThresholdNo information availablepH2.0-3.05% aq.solMelting Point/Range60 °C / 140 °FBoiling Point/RangeNo information available

Boiling Point/RangeNo information availableFlash PointNo information available

Evaporation Rate Not applicable

Flammability (solid,gas)

No information available

Flammability or explosive limits

UpperNo data availableLowerNo data availableVapor PressureNo information available

Vapor Density Not applicable

Relative Density

No information available

Solubility

No information available

Partition coefficient; n-octanol/water

Autoignition Temperature

Decomposition Temperature

No data available
Not applicable
100 °C

Not applicable

ViscosityNot applicableMolecular FormulaCr N3 O9 . 9 H2 O

Molecular Weight 400.14

## 10. Stability and reactivity

Reactive Hazard Yes

### Chromium(III) nitrate nonahydrate

Stability Oxidizer: Contact with combustible/organic material may cause fire.

**Conditions to Avoid** Incompatible products. Excess heat. Combustible material. Avoid dust formation. Keep

away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition.

Strong oxidizing agents, Reducing agents, Metals, Strong reducing agents, Combustible **Incompatible Materials** 

material

Hazardous Decomposition Products Carbon monoxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), Nitrogen oxides (NOx)

**Hazardous Polymerization** Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

**Hazardous Reactions** None under normal processing.

## Toxicological information

**Acute Toxicity** 

### **Product Information**

**Component Information** 

Component	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation	
Chromium(III) nitrate nonahydrate	3250 mg/kg (Rat)	Not listed	Not listed	

**Toxicologically Synergistic** 

No information available

**Products** 

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

Irritation Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin

Sensitization No information available

Carcinogenicity May cause cancer.

Component	CAS-No	IARC	NTP	ACGIH	OSHA	Mexico
Chromium(III) nitrate	7789-02-8	Not listed				
nonahydrate						

**Mutagenic Effects** No information available

No information available. Reproductive Effects

**Developmental Effects** No information available.

**Teratogenicity** No information available.

STOT - single exposure Respiratory system STOT - repeated exposure None known

**Aspiration hazard** No information available

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Symptoms / effects, both acute and Symptoms of overexposure may be headache, dizziness, tiredness, nausea and vomiting

**Endocrine Disruptor Information** No information available

The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated. See actual entry in RTECS for **Other Adverse Effects** 

complete information.

## 12. Ecological information

**Ecotoxicity** 

Do not empty into drains.

Persistence and Degradability **Bioaccumulation/ Accumulation**  Soluble in water Persistence is unlikely based on information available.

No information available.

#### Mobility

Will likely be mobile in the environment due to its water solubility.

## 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 UN2720

Proper Shipping Name CHROMIUM NITRATE

Hazard Class 5.1 Packing Group III

**TDG** 

UN-No UN2720

Proper Shipping Name CHROMIUM NITRATE

Hazard Class 5.1 Packing Group

IATA

UN-No UN2720

Proper Shipping Name Chromium nitrate

Hazard Class 5.1 Packing Group III

IMDG/IMO

UN-No UN2720

Proper Shipping Name Chromium nitrate

Hazard Class 5.1 Packing Group III

## 15. Regulatory information

### **International Inventories**

Component	TSCA	DSL	NDSL	EINECS	ELINCS	NLP	PICCS	ENCS	AICS	IECSC	KECL
Chromium(III) nitrate	-	-	-	-	-		-	Х	Х	Х	-
nonahydrate											

### Legend:

- X Listed
- E Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 5(e) Consent order under TSCA.
- F Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 5(f) Rule under TSCA.
- N Indicates a polymeric substance containing no free-radical initiator in its inventory name but is considered to cover the designated polymer made with any free-radical initiator regardless of the amount used.
- P Indicates a commenced PMN substance
- R Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 6 risk management rule under TSCA.
- S Indicates a substance that is identified in a proposed or final Significant New Use Rule
- T Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 4 test rule under TSCA.
- XU Indicates a substance exempt from reporting under the Inventory Update Rule, i.e. Partial Updating of the TSCA Inventory Data Base Production and Site Reports (40 CFR 710(B).
- Y1 Indicates an exempt polymer that has a number-average molecular weight of 1,000 or greater.
- Y2 Indicates an exempt polymer that is a polyester and is made only from reactants included in a specified list of low concern reactants that comprises one of the eligibility criteria for the exemption rule.

### **U.S. Federal Regulations**

TSCA 12(b) Not applicable

#### **SARA 313**

Component	CAS-No	Weight %	SARA 313 - Threshold Values %
Chromium(III) nitrate nonahydrate	7789-02-8	>95	1.0

### SARA 311/312 Hazardous Categorization

Acute Health Hazard Yes
Chronic Health Hazard Yes
Fire Hazard No
Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard No
Reactive Hazard Yes

## **Clean Water Act**

Component	CWA - Hazardous Substances	CWA - Reportable Quantities	CWA - Toxic Pollutants	CWA - Priority Pollutants
Chromium(III) nitrate nonahydrate	-	<u>-</u>	Х	-

### Clean Air Act

Component	HAPS Data	Class 1 Ozone Depletors	Class 2 Ozone Depletors
Chromium(III) nitrate nonahydrate	X		-

## **OSHA** Occupational Safety and Health Administration

Not applicable

### **CERCLA**

Not applicable

**California Proposition 65** 

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals

State Right-to-Know

Component	Massachusetts	New Jersey	Pennsylvania	Illinois	Rhode Island
Chromium(III) nitrate	-	X	X	X	X
nonahydrate					

### **U.S. Department of Transportation**

Reportable Quantity (RQ): N
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

### Canada

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations (CPR) and the MSDS contains all the information required by the CPR

WHMIS Hazard Class C Oxidizing materials D2A Very toxic materials



## 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)

### **Disclaimer**

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**End of SDS**