

## SAFETY DATA SHEET

### SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

#### 1.1 Product identifiers

Product name	Cupric Nitrate Trihydrate
CAS number	10031-43-3
Synonyms	Copper Dinitrate Trihydrate, Copper(2+) Nitrate Trihydrate

#### 1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Identified uses	Danger
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#### 1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company	Lab Alley, LLC 12501 Pauls Valley Road Austin, Texas 78737 U.S.A.
Telephone	512-668-9918
Fax	512-886-4008

#### 1.4 Emergency telephone

Emergency Phone #	US & Canada: 1-800-535-5053	INFOTRAC
	International 1-352-323-3500	INFOTRAC

### SECTION 2: Hazards identification

#### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

##### GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)

Oxidizing solids	Category 2
Skin Corrosion/Irritation	Category 1B
Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation	Category 1
Specific Target Organ Toxicity (Single Exposure)	Category 1
Target Organs - Respiratory system	Category 3

#### 2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

**Pictogram****Signal Word**

Danger

**Hazard statements**

May intensify fire; oxidizer  
 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage  
 May cause respiratory irritation

**Precautionary statements**

**Prevention** Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray  
 Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling  
 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection  
 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area  
 Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. -No smoking  
 Keep/store away from clothing/other combustible materials  
 Take any precaution to avoid mixing with combustible

**Response** Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician

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

**Skin** IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower  
 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse

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

**Ingestion** IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. DO NOT induce vomiting

**Fire** In case of fire: Use CO<sub>2</sub>, dry chemical, or foam for extinction

**Storage** Store locked up  
 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

**Disposal** Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant.

**2.3 Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS**

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

**3.1 Components**

Chemical name	Common name and synonyms	CAS number	Concentration
Cupric Nitrate Trihydrate	-	10031-43-3	>95%
Cupric Nitrate	-	3251-23-8	-

## SECTION 4: First aid measures

**4.1 Description of first-aid measures****General advice**

<b>If inhaled</b>	Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Call a physician or poison control center immediately. 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
<b>In case of skin contact</b>	Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated clothes and shoes. Call a physician immediately.
<b>In case of eye contact</b>	Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Immediate medical attention is required. Keep eye wide open while rinsing.
<b>If swallowed</b>	Immediate medical attention is required. Do NOT induce vomiting. Drink plenty of water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

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

Causes burns by all exposure routes. Ingestion causes severe swelling, severe damage to the delicate tissue and danger of perforation.

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

Treat symptomatically

### SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

#### 5.1 Extinguishing media

**Suitable extinguishing media** Co2, dry chemical, dry sand, alcohol-resistant foam

**Unsuitable extinguishing media** No information available

#### 5.2 Specific hazards arising from the substance or mixture

The product causes burns of eyes, skin and mucous membranes. Oxidizer: Contact with combustible/organic material may cause fire. May ignite combustibles (wood paper, oil, clothing, etc.). Do not allow run-off from firefighting to enter drains or water courses.

#### 5.3 Special 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. Hazardous combustion products: thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors.

#### 5.4 Further information

**Flash Point** No information available

**Autoignition Temperature** No information available

**Explosion limits**

**Upper** No information available  
**Lower** No information available  
**Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact** No information available  
**Sensitivity to Static Discharge** No information available

**NFPA**

Health	Flammability	Instability	Physical hazards
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## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

### 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Use personal protective equipment as required. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing.

### 6.2 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.

### 6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

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

### 6.4 Reference to other sections

See section 2 for full list of hazard and precaution statements.

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

#### Precautions on safe handling

Wear personal protective equipment/face protection. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Keep away from clothing and other combustible materials. Use only under a chemical fume hood.

#### Hygiene measures

Do not breathe dust. Do not ingest. If swallowed then seek immediate medical assistance.

### 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

#### Storage conditions

Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well ventilated place. Keep in properly labeled containers. Do not store near combustible materials. Corrosives area. Incompatible materials.

#### Incompatibilities

Ammonia. Cyanides. Acid anhydrides. Strong reducing agents. Combustible material.

## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1 Occupational exposure limits

#### US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values

Component	Type	Value
Cupric Nitrate Trihydrate	TWA	1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
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#### US. NIOSH: Pocket Guide to Chemical Hazards

Component	Type	Value
Cupric Nitrate Trihydrate	IDLH	100 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
	TWA	1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
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	TWA	1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

### 8.2 Exposure controls

#### Appropriate engineering controls

Use only under a chemical fume hood. 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 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 EN149. Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN149 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced.

##### Control of environmental exposure

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical State	Solid
Appearance	Blue

Odor	Odorless
Odor Threshold	No information available
pH	4.0 2M aq.sol
Melting Point/Range	114 °C
Boiling Point/Range	No information available
Evaporation Rate	No information available
Flammability (solid)	Not applicable
Flammability or explosive limit	No information available
Vapor Pressure	No data available
Vapor Density	No data available
Density	No information available
Solubility	267 g/100 ml
Partition coefficient; n-octanol/water	No data available
Autoignition Temp	No information available
Decomposition Temp	No information available
Viscosity	Not applicable
Molecular Formula	Cu N2 O6 . 3 H2 O
Molecular Weight	241.6
VOC Content(%)	No information available
Oxidizing properties	No information available

## 9.2 Other safety information

No information available

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1 Reactivity

Yes

### 10.2 Chemical stability

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

### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

None under normal processing

### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Excess heat. Incompatible products. Exposure to moisture. Exposure to air or moisture over prolonged periods. Combustible material.

### 10.5 Incompatible materials

Ammonia, Cyanides, Acid anhydrides, Strong reducing agents, Combustible material

### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

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

## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

## Product Information, Component Information

### Acute toxicity

Component	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Cupric Nitrate Trihydrate	-	Not listed	Not listed
Cupric Nitrate	-	Not listed	Not listed

### Skin corrosion/irritation

Causes burns by all exposure routes

### Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Causes burns by all exposure routes

### Respiratory or skin sensitization

Causes burns by all exposure routes

### Germ cell mutagenicity

No information available

### Carcinogenicity

Component	CAS	IARC	NTP	ACGIH	OSHA	Mexico
Cupric Nitrate Trihydrate	10031-43-3	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed
Cupric Nitrate	3251-23-8	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed

### Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

Respiratory system

### Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

None known

### Reproductive toxicity

No information available

### Chronic effects

Ingestion causes severe swelling, severe damage to the delicate tissue and danger of perforation.

## 11.2 Additional Information

No information available

## SECTION 12: Ecological information

### 12.1 Toxicity

Product		Species	Test Results
Cupric Nitrate	LC50	Freshwater Fish	0.29 mg/L 96h
	EC50	Water Flea	0.026 mg/L 48h

## 12.2 Persistence and degradability

May persist based on information available

## 12.3 Bio accumulative potential

No information available

## 12.4 Mobility in soil

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

## 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

No information available

## 12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties

No information available

## 12.7 Other adverse effects

No information available

## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1 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.

## SECTION 14: Transport information

### DOT (US)

UN-no.	UN3085
Proper Shipping Name	Oxidizing solid, corrosive, n.o.s.
Technical name	Copper(II) nitrate, trihydrate (1:2:3)
Hazard Class	5.1
Subsidiary Hazard Class	8
Packing Group	II

### IMDG

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### IATA

UN-no.	UN3085
Proper Shipping Name	Oxidizing solid, corrosive, n.o.s.
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Hazard Class	5.1



Subsidiary Hazard Class 8  
Packing Group II

## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

**US federal regulations** This product is a "Hazardous Chemical" as defined by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200.

**TSCA Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpt. D)**

Not applicable

**CERCLA Hazardous Substance List (40 CFR 302.4)**

Cupric Nitrate RQ: 100 lb

**SARA 304 Emergency release notification**

Not regulated

**OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1053)**

Not regulated.

**Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)**

**SARA 302 Extremely hazardous substance**

Not listed.

**SARA 311/312 Hazardous**

See section 2 for more information

**SARA 313 (TRI reporting)**

Cupric Nitrate Trihydrate Threshold Values %: 1.0

**Other federal regulations**

**Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) List**

Not applicable

**Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112(r) Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130)**

Not regulated.

**Safe Drinking Water Act**

Not regulated

**FEMA Priority Substances Respiratory Health and Safety in the Flavor Manufacturing Workplace**

Not listed

**US state regulations**

**US. Massachusetts RTK - Substance List**

Listed

**US. New Jersey Worker and Community Right-to-Know Act**

Listed

**US. Pennsylvania Worker and Community Right-to-Know Law**

Listed

**California Proposition 65**

Not listed

**SECTION 16: Other information**

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**SECTION 17: Disclaimer**

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