

Nickel(II) nitrate hexahydrate: sc-250562



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MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

1 Identification of substance:

Product Name: Nickel(II) nitrate hexahydrate
Catalog Number: sc-250562
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2 Hazard(s) identification

Classification of the substance or mixture
Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008



GHS03 Flame over circle

Ox. Sol. 2 H272 May intensify fire; oxidizer.



GHS08 Health hazard

Resp. Sens. 1 H334 May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.
Muta. 2 H341 Suspected of causing genetic defects.
Carc. 1B H350 May cause cancer.
Repr. 1A H360 May damage fertility or the unborn child.
STOT RE 1 H372 Causes damage to the lung, the kidneys and the liver through prolonged or repeated exposure. Route of exposure: Inhalative.



GHS05 Corrosion

Eye Dam. 1 H318 Causes serious eye damage.



GHS07

Acute Tox. 4 H302 Harmful if swallowed.
Acute Tox. 4 H332 Harmful if inhaled.
Skin Irrit. 2 H315 Causes skin irritation.
Skin Sens. 1 H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.

Classification according to Directive 67/548/EEC or Directive 1999/45/EC



T; Toxic

R49-61-48/23: May cause cancer by inhalation. May cause harm to the unborn child. Toxic: danger of serious damage to health by prolonged exposure through inhalation.



Xn; Harmful

R20/22-68: Harmful by inhalation and if swallowed. Possible risk of irreversible effects.



Xn; Sensitizing

R42/43: May cause sensitization by inhalation and skin contact.



Xi; Irritant

R38-41: Irritating to skin. Risk of serious damage to eyes.



O; Oxidizing

R8: Contact with combustible material may cause fire.



N; Dangerous for the environment

R50/53: Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

Information concerning particular hazards for human and environment: Not applicable
Hazards not otherwise classified No information known.

Label elements

Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

The substance is classified and labeled according to the CLP regulation.

Hazard pictograms



GHS03



GHS05



GHS07



GHS08

Signal word **Danger**

Hazard statements

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Precautionary statements

P221 Take any precaution to avoid mixing with combustibles.

P273 Avoid release to the environment.

P201 Obtain special instructions before use.

P308+P313 IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.

P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

WHMIS classification

C - Oxidizing materials

D2A - Very toxic material causing other toxic effects



Classification system

HMIS ratings (scale 0-4)

(Hazardous Materials Identification System)

HEALTH	2
FIRE	0
REACTIVITY	1

Health (acute effects) = 2

Flammability = 0

Physical Hazard = 1

Other hazards

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT: Not applicable.

vPvB: Not applicable.

3 Composition/information on ingredients

Chemical characterization: Substances

CAS# Description:

13478-00-7 Nickel(II) nitrate hexahydrate

Identification number(s):

EC number: 236-068-5

Index number: 028-012-00-1

4 First-aid measures

Description of first aid measures

After inhalation

Supply fresh air. If required, provide artificial respiration. Keep patient warm. Seek immediate medical advice.

After skin contact

Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly. Seek immediate medical advice.

After eye contact

Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Then consult a doctor.

After swallowing Seek medical treatment.

Information for doctor

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

No further relevant information available.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No further relevant information available.

5 Fire-fighting measures

Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing agents

Product is not flammable. Use fire fighting measures that suit the surrounding fire.

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

This substance is an oxidizer and its heat of reaction with reducing agents or combustibles may cause ignition.

If this product is involved in a fire, the following can be released:

Nitrogen oxides (NOx)

Toxic metal oxide fume

Advice for firefighters

Protective equipment:

Wear self-contained respirator.

Wear fully protective impervious suit.

6 Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.

Ensure adequate ventilation

Environmental precautions:

Do not allow material to be released to the environment without proper governmental permits.

Do not allow product to reach sewage system or any water course.

Do not allow to penetrate the ground/soil.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:

Dispose contaminated material as waste according to item 13.

Ensure adequate ventilation.

Prevention of secondary hazards:

Acts as an oxidizing agent on organic materials such as wood, paper and fats

Keep away from combustible material.

Reference to other sections

See Section 7 for information on safe handling

See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.

See Section 13 for disposal information.

7 Handling and storage

Handling

Precautions for safe handling

Keep container tightly sealed.
Store in cool, dry place in tightly closed containers.
Ensure good ventilation at the workplace.
Open and handle container with care.

Information about protection against explosions and fires:

The product is not flammable
Substance/product can reduce the ignition temperature of flammable substances.
This substance is an oxidizer and its heat of reaction with reducing agents or combustibles may cause ignition.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage

Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles: No special requirements.

Information about storage in one common storage facility:

Store away from flammable substances.
Store away from reducing agents.
Do not store with organic materials.
Store away from metal powders.
Store away from water/moisture.

Further information about storage conditions:

This product is hygroscopic. Store at room temperature.
Store under dry inert gas.
Keep container tightly sealed.
Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed containers.
Protect from humidity and water.
Specific end use(s) No further relevant information available.

8 Exposure controls/personal protection

Additional information about design of technical systems:

Properly operating chemical fume hood designed for hazardous chemicals and having an average face velocity of at least 100 feet per minute.

Control parameters

Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:

Nickel and inorganic compounds, as Ni	
	mg/m ³
ACGIH TLV	1.5, A5-inhalable particulate (metal) 0.2, A1-inhalable particulate (insoluble compounds) 0.1, A4-inhalable particulate (soluble compounds)
Austria	Carcinogen
Denmark TWA	0.5
Finland TWA	0.1 (skin) Carcinogen
France VME	1; C3-Carcinogen
Germany	Carcinogen
Hungary	0.005-STEL; Carcinogen (insoluble compounds)
Japan	1; 2B-Carcinogen
Korea TLV	1.5
Netherlands MAC-TGG	1; Carcinogen 1 (insoluble compounds)
Norway TWA	0.05
Poland TWA	0.25
Russia	0.05-STEL
Sweden NGV	0.5 (dust)
Switzerland MAK-W	0.5; Carcinogen
United Kingdom TWA	0.1
USA PEL	1

Additional information: No data

Exposure controls

Personal protective equipment

General protective and hygienic measures

The usual precautionary measures for handling chemicals should be followed.
Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.
Remove all soiled and contaminated clothing immediately.
Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.
Store protective clothing separately.
Avoid contact with the skin.
Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.
Maintain an ergonomically appropriate working environment.

Breathing equipment: Use suitable respirator when high concentrations are present.

Protection of hands:

Impervious gloves

Check protective gloves prior to each use for their proper condition.

The selection of suitable gloves not only depends on the material, but also on quality. Quality will vary from manufacturer to manufacturer.

Eye protection: Tightly sealed goggles

Body protection: Protective work clothing.

9 Physical and chemical properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties	
General Information	
Appearance:	
Form:	Flakes
Formula:	Ni(NO ₃) ₂ · 6H ₂ O
Weight:	290.79
pH-value:	Not applicable.
Change in condition	
Melting point/Melting range:	56.7 °C (134 °F)
Boiling point/Boiling range:	137 °C (279 °F)
Sublimation temperature / start:	Not determined
Flash point: Not applicable	
Flammability (solid, gaseous) Contact with combustible material may cause fire.	
Ignition temperature: Not determined	
Decomposition temperature: Not determined	
Auto igniting: Not determined.	
Danger of explosion: Not determined.	
Explosion limits:	
Lower:	Not determined
Upper:	Not determined
Vapor pressure: Not applicable.	
Density at 20 °C (68 °F):	2.05 g/cm ³ (17.107 lbs/gal)
Relative density Not determined.	
Vapor density Not applicable.	
Evaporation rate Not applicable.	
Solubility in / Miscibility with	
Water at 20 °C (68 °F):	2380 g/l
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water): Not determined.	
Viscosity:	
dynamic:	Not applicable.
kinematic:	Not applicable.
Other information No further relevant information available.	

10 Stability and reactivity

Reactivity May intensify fire; oxidizer.

Chemical stability Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:

Decomposition will not occur if used and stored according to specifications.

Possibility of hazardous reactions

Reacts with reducing agents

Reacts with flammable substances

Incompatible materials:

Reducing agents

Bases

Flammable substances

Organic materials

Metal powders

Water/moisture

Hazardous decomposition products:

Nitrogen oxides

Toxic metal oxide fume

11 Toxicological information

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity:

Harmful if inhaled.

Harmful if swallowed.

The Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances (RTECS) contains acute toxicity data for this substance.

LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification:

Oral	LD50	1620 mg/kg (rat)
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Skin irritation or corrosion: Causes skin irritation.

Eye irritation or corrosion: Causes serious eye damage.

Sensitization:

May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.

May cause an allergic skin reaction.

Germ cell mutagenicity: Suspected of causing genetic defects.

Carcinogenicity:

May cause cancer.

ACGIH A1: Confirmed human carcinogen: Agent is carcinogenic to humans based on epidemiologic studies of, or convincing clinical evidence in, exposed humans.

IARC-3: Not classifiable as to carcinogenicity to humans.

NTP-K: Known to be carcinogenic: sufficient evidence from human studies.

Reproductive toxicity: May damage fertility or the unborn child.

Specific target organ system toxicity - repeated exposure:

Causes damage to the lung, the kidneys and the liver through prolonged or repeated exposure.

Route of exposure: Inhalative.

Specific target organ system toxicity - single exposure: No effects known.

Aspiration hazard: No effects known.

Subacute to chronic toxicity:

Nickel and nickel compounds may cause a form of dermatitis known as nickel itch. They may also cause intestinal disorders, convulsions and asphyxia. Airborne nickel contaminated dusts are regarded as carcinogenic to the respiratory tract.

Small doses of nitrates may cause weakness, general depression, headache and mental impairment. Larger doses may cause dizziness, abdominal cramps, vomiting, bloody diarrhea, convulsions and collapse.

Additional toxicological information:

To the best of our knowledge the acute and chronic toxicity of this substance is not fully known.

12 Ecological information

Toxicity

Aquatic toxicity: No further relevant information available.

Persistence and degradability No further relevant information available.

Behavior in environmental systems:

Bioaccumulative potential No further relevant information available.

Mobility in soil No further relevant information available.

Ecotoxicological effects:

Remark: Very toxic for aquatic organisms

Additional ecological information:

General notes:

Do not allow material to be released to the environment without proper governmental permits. Do not allow product to reach ground water, water course or sewage system, even in small quantities.

Danger to drinking water if even extremely small quantities leak into the ground.

Also poisonous for fish and plankton in water bodies.

May cause long lasting harmful effects to aquatic life.

Avoid transfer into the environment.

Very toxic for aquatic organisms

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT: Not applicable.

vPvB: Not applicable.

Other adverse effects No further relevant information available.

13 Disposal considerations





Waste treatment methods

Recommendation Consult state, local or national regulations to ensure proper disposal.

Uncleaned packagings:

Recommendation: Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

14 Transport information

UN-Number DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA	UN2725
UN proper shipping name DOT ADR IMDG IATA	RQ Nickel nitrate 2725 Nickel nitrate NICKEL NITRATE, MARINE POLLUTANT NICKEL NITRATE
Transport hazard class(es) DOT	
	
Class Label ADR	5.1 Oxidising substances. 5.1
	
Class Label IMDG	5.1 (O2) Oxidizing substances 5.1
	
Class Label IATA	5.1 Oxidising substances. 5.1
	
Class Label	5.1 Oxidising substances. 5.1
Packing group DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA	III
Environmental hazards: Marine pollutant (IMDG):	Environmentally hazardous substance, solid; Marine Pollutant Yes (P) Symbol (fish and tree)
Special precautions for user Danger code (Kemler):	Warning: Oxidizing substances 50
Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code	Not applicable.
Transport/Additional information: DOT Hazardous substance: Marine Pollutant (DOT): Remarks:	100 lbs, 45.4 kg No Special marking with the symbol (fish and tree).
UN "Model Regulation":	UN2725, Nickel nitrate, 5.1, III

15 Regulatory information

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

National regulations

All components of this product are listed in the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Toxic Substances Control Act Chemical substance Inventory.

All components of this product are listed on the Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL).

SARA Section 313 (specific toxic chemical listings)	
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California Proposition 65

Prop 65 - Chemicals known to cause cancer Substance is listed.

Prop 65 - Developmental toxicity Substance is not listed.

Prop 65 - Developmental toxicity, female Substance is not listed.

Prop 65 - Developmental toxicity, male Substance is not listed.

Information about limitation of use:

For use only by technically qualified individuals.

This product contains nickel and is subject to the reporting requirements of section 313 of the Emergency Planning and Community Right to Know act of 1986 and 40CFR372.

Other regulations, limitations and prohibitive regulations

Substances of very high concern (SVHC) according to REACH, Article 57

Substance is not listed.

REACH - Pre-registered substances Substance is listed.

Chemical safety assessment: A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

16 Other information:

The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be complete and should be used only as a guide. The burden of safe use of this material rests entirely with the user.

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