1. Identification

Product identifier

Cobalt (Co) – AA Standard (1000 µg/ml)

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Use of the substance/mixture

Reagents and laboratory chemicals
Only for laboratory and analysis purposes.

Uses advised against

Do not use for private purposes (household).

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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Responsible Department:	SDS service department

Supplier or manufacturer details

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Emergency phone number: 1-703-741-5970 (CHEMTREC 24h)

Further Information

No data available

2. Hazard(s) identification

Classification of the chemical

29 CFR Part 1910.1200

Corrosive to metals: Met. Corr. 1

Carcinogenicity: Carc. 1B
Reproductive toxicity: Repr. 1B
Skin corrosion/irritation: Skin Irrit. 2
Serious eye damage/eye irritation: Eye Dam. 1
Respiratory or skin sensitization: Resp. Sens. 1
Respiratory or skin sensitization: Skin Sens. 1
Hazardous to the aquatic environment: Aquatic Chronic 2

Label elements

29 CFR Part 1910.1200

Signal word: Danger

Pictograms:

Hazard statements

May be corrosive to metals
Causes skin irritation
May cause an allergic skin reaction
Causes serious eye damage
May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled
May cause cancer
May damage fertility or the unborn child
Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

Precautionary statements

Immediately call a poison center/doctor.
Obtain special instructions before use.
Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.
Keep only in original container.
Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.
Wash hands and face thoroughly after handling.
Contaminated work clothing must not be allowed out of the workplace.
Wear protective gloves/protective clothing and eye protection/face protection.
Wear respiratory protection.
If on skin: Wash with plenty of water.
Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.
If inhaled: If breathing is difficult, remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
If experiencing respiratory symptoms: Call a poison center/doctor.
If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do.
Continue rinsing.
If exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.
Absorb spillage to prevent material damage.
Store locked up.
Store in corrosive resistant container with a resistant inner liner.
Dispose of contents/container to an appropriate recycling or disposal facility.

Hazards not otherwise classified

No data available

3. Composition/information on ingredients

Mixtures

Chemical characterization

Mixtures in aqueous solution

Relevant ingredients

CAS No	Components	Quantity
7697-37-2	nitric acid	4 %
10026-22-9	cobalt (II) nitrate hexahydrate	0.494 %

Further Information

Contains the following substances of very high concern (SVHC) which are included in the Candidate List according to Article 59 of REACH: cobalt (II) nitrate hexahydrate

4. First-aid measures

Description of first aid measures

General information

Self-protection of the first aider

After inhalation

Provide fresh air.
Call a physician immediately.

After contact with skin

Wash immediately with: Water
Take off immediately all contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.
Call a physician immediately.

After contact with eyes

In case of contact with eyes flush immediately with plenty of flowing water for 10 to 15 minutes holding eyelids apart and consult an ophthalmologist.
Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

After ingestion

Rinse mouth immediately and drink plenty of water.
Do NOT induce vomiting. Do not allow a neutralisation agent to be drunk.
Call a physician immediately.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Irritant

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No data available

5. Fire-fighting measures

Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media

Co-ordinate fire-fighting measures to the fire surroundings.

Unsuitable extinguishing media

No data available

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Non-combustible liquids
Hazardous combustion products
In case of fire may be liberated:
Nitrogen oxides (NOx)
Metal oxide smoke, toxic

Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters

In case of fire: Wear self-contained breathing apparatus.
In case of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes.
Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothes.

Additional information

Collect contaminated fire extinguishing water separately. Do not allow entering drains or surface water.
Move undamaged containers from immediate hazard area if it can be done safely.
Use water spray jet to protect personnel and to cool endangered containers.

6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

General advice

Corrosive to metals.
Do not breathe vapor or spray.

For non-emergency personnel

Provide adequate ventilation.
Use personal protection equipment.
Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothes.
Remove persons to safety.
Emergency procedures
Consult an expert
Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.

For emergency responders

Precautionary statements For emergency responders : Personal protection equipment (PPE): see section 8

Environmental precautions

Do not allow to enter into surface water or drains.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

For containment

Cover drains.
Prevent spread over a wide area (e.g. by containment or oil barriers).
Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomaceous earth, acid- or universal binding agents).
Collect in closed and suitable containers for disposal.

For cleaning up

Clean contaminated articles and floor according to the environmental legislation.

Other information

Provide adequate ventilation.
Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.
Wear breathing apparatus if exposed to vapors/dusts/aerosols.

Reference to other sections

Safe handling: see section 7
Personal protection equipment (PPE): see section 8
Disposal: see section 13

7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling

Read label before use. Handle and open container with care.
When using do not eat, drink, smoke, sniff. Use personal protection equipment.
Provide adequate ventilation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothes.
Do not breathe vapor or spray. Use extractor hood (laboratory).

Advice on protection against fire and explosion

Usual measures for fire prevention.

Advice on general occupational hygiene

Keep away from food, drink and animal feedingstuffs. Remove contaminated, saturated clothing immediately.

Draw up and observe skin protection programme. Wash hands and face before breaks and after work and take a shower if necessary. When using do not eat or drink. Avoid: aerosol or mist formation Do not breathe vapor or spray.

Further information on handling

Draw up and observe skin protection programme.
Wash hands and face before breaks and after work and take a shower if necessary.
Take off immediately all contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Requirements for storage rooms and vessels

Corrosive to metals.
Unsuitable container/equipment material: Metal
The product develops hydrogen in an aqueous solution in contact with metals.

Hints on joint storage

national regulations

Further information on storage conditions

Keep container tightly closed.
Store in a place accessible by authorized persons only.

8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Control parameters

Exposure limits

CAS No	Substance	ppm	mg/m³		Category	Origin
7697-37-2	Nitric acid	2	5		TWA (8 h)	PEL
		2	5		TWA (8 h)	REL
		4	10		STEL (15 min)	REL
7697-37-2	Nitric acid	2	5.2		TWA (8 h)	ACGIH-2024
		4	10		STEL (15 min)	ACGIH-2024

Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls

Technical measures and the application of suitable work processes have priority over personal protection equipment.
If handled uncovered, arrangements with local exhaust ventilation have to be used.
Do not breathe vapor or spray.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection

goggles
Wear eye/face protection.

Hand protection

Tested protective gloves must be worn
The quality of the protective gloves resistant to chemicals must be chosen as a function of the specific working place concentration and quantity of hazardous substances.

Skin protection

Tested protective gloves must be worn
The quality of the protective gloves resistant to chemicals must be chosen as a function of the specific working place concentration and quantity of hazardous substances.
The choice of body protection depends on the concentration and quantity of hazardous substances. The chemical resistance of the protective agents should be clarified with their suppliers.

Respiratory protection

Respiratory protection necessary at: aerosol or mist formation
The entrepeneur has to ensure that maintenance, cleaning and testing of respiratory protective devices are carried out according to the instructions of the producer. These measures have to be properly documented. A respiratory protection program that meets OSHA's 29 CFR 1910.134 requirements must be followed whenever workplace conditions warrant a respirator's use.

Thermal hazards

No data available

Environmental exposure controls

Do not allow to enter into surface water or drains.

9. Physical and chemical properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state:	Liquid	
Color:	colorless	
Odor:	odorless	
Odour threshold:	No data available	
Melting point/freezing point:		No data available
Boiling point or initial boiling point and boiling range:		No data available
Flammability:		No data available
Lower explosion limits:		No data available
Upper explosion limits:		No data available
Flash point:		No data available
Auto-ignition temperature:		No data available
Decomposition temperature:		No data available
pH-Value:		No data available
Viscosity / kinematic:		No data available
Water solubility:		No data available

Solubility in other solvents

No data available

Dissolution rate:	No data available
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water:	No data available
Dispersion stability:	No data available
Vapor pressure:	No data available
Vapor pressure:	No data available
Density (at 22 °C):	~1.021 g/cm³
Relative density:	No data available
Bulk density:	No data available
Relative vapour density:	No data available
Particle characteristics:	No data available

Other information

Information with regard to physical hazard classes

Explosive properties

No data available

Sustained combustibility:	No data available

Self-ignition temperature

Solid:	No data available
Gas:	No data available

Oxidizing properties

No data available

Other safety characteristics

Evaporation rate:	No data available
Solvent separation test:	No data available
Solvent content:	No data available
Solid content:	No data available
Sublimation point:	No data available
Softening point:	No data available
Pour point:	No data available
No data available:	
Viscosity / dynamic:	No data available
Flow time:	No data available

Further Information

Corrosive to metals.

10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity

Corrosive to metals.

Chemical stability

The product is stable under storage at normal ambient temperatures.

Possibility of hazardous reactions

Alkali (lye)

Conditions to avoid

No data available

Incompatible materials

Cellulose
Metal
The product develops hydrogen in an aqueous solution in contact with metals.

Hazardous decomposition products

In case of fire may be liberated:
SECTION 5: Fire fighting measures

Further information

No data available

11. Toxicological information

Route(s) of Entry

There are no data available on the mixture itself.

Information on toxicological effects

Toxicocinetics, metabolism and distribution

There are no data available on the mixture itself.

Acute toxicity

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

ATEmix calculated

ATE (oral) > 2000 mg/kg; ATE (dermal) > 2000 mg/kg

CAS No	Components				
	Exposure route	Dose	Species	Source	Method
7697-37-2	nitric acid				
	inhalation vapour	ATE 2,65 mg/l			
10026-22-9	cobalt (II) nitrate hexahydrate				
	oral	LD50 691 mg/kg	Rat	Fd Chem. Toxic, Vol. 20:311-314. (1982)	OECD Guideline 401
	dermal	LD50 > 2000 mg/kg	Rat	Study report (2007)	OECD Guideline 402

Irritation and corrosivity

Skin corrosion/irritation: Causes skin irritation

Serious eye damage/eye irritation: Causes serious eye damage

Sensitizing effects

May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled (cobalt (II) nitrate hexahydrate)

May cause an allergic skin reaction (cobalt (II) nitrate hexahydrate)

Carcinogenic/mutagenic/toxic effects for reproduction

May cause cancer (cobalt (II) nitrate hexahydrate)

May damage fertility or the unborn child (cobalt (II) nitrate hexahydrate)

Germ cell mutagenicity: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Specific target organ toxicity (STOT) - single exposure

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Specific target organ toxicity (STOT) - repeated exposure

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Carcinogenicity (OSHA): No ingredient of this mixture is listed.

Carcinogenicity (IARC): No ingredient of this mixture is listed.

Carcinogenicity (NTP): No ingredient of this mixture is listed.

Aspiration hazard

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Specific effects in experiment on an animal

There are no data available on the mixture itself.

Additional information on tests

There are no data available on the mixture itself.

Practical experience

There are no data available on the mixture itself.

Information on other hazards

Endocrine disrupting properties

This product does not contain a substance that has endocrine disrupting properties with respect to non-target organisms as no components meets the criteria.

Other information

There are no data available on the mixture itself.

Further information

There are no data available on the mixture itself.

12. Ecological information

Ecotoxicity

Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

CAS No	Components						
	Aquatic toxicity	Dose		[h] | [d]	Species	Source	Method
7697-37-2	nitric acid						
	Acute fish toxicity	LC50 mg/l	1559	96 h	Topeka shiner	Environmental Toxicology and Chemistry,	other: ASTM E729-26
	Fish toxicity	NOEC	268 mg/l	30 d	juvenile Topeka shiner and with juvenile Fathead m	Study report (2009)	Growth tests estimated the test chemical
	Algae toxicity	NOEC mg/l	> 419	10 d	several benthic diatoms; see results	Marine Biology 43:307-315 (1977)	Ten cultures of benthic diatoms were iso
	Acute bacteria toxicity	EC50 mg/l ( )	> 1000	3 h	Activated sludge	Study report (2008)	OECD Guideline 209
10026-22-9	cobalt (II) nitrate hexahydrate						
	Acute fish toxicity	LC50 mg/l	54,1	96 h	Pimephales promelas	Study report (2009)	other: ASTM guideline
	Acute algae toxicity	ErC50 mg/l	71,314	96 h	Dunaliella tertiolecta	Study report (2010)	other: American Society for Testing and
	Acute crustacea toxicity	EC50 mg/l	42,7	48 h	Aeolosoma sp.	Study report (2008)	Newman, J.P., Jr. 1975. The effects of h
	Fish toxicity	NOEC mg/l	0,21	34 d	Pimephales promelas	Study report (2009)	other: This study was conducted accordin
	Algae toxicity	NOEC mg/l	0,0018	7 d	Champia parvula	Study report - model refit from original	other: EPA 821-R-02-014, Method 1009.0
	Crustacea toxicity	NOEC mg/l	0,1697	14 d	Aeolosoma sp.	Study report (2008)	other: Newman, J.P., Jr. 1975. The effec
	Acute bacteria toxicity	EC50 ( )	120 mg/l	0,5 h	Activated sludge	Study report (2010)	OECD Guideline 209

Persistence and degradability

The methods for determining the biological degradability are not applicable to inorganic substances.

Bioaccumulative potential

There are no data available on the mixture itself.

BCF

CAS No	Components	BCF	Species	Source
10026-22-9	cobalt (II) nitrate hexahydrate	23	Asterias rubens	Marine Pollution Bul

Mobility in soil

There are no data available on the mixture itself.

Endocrine disrupting properties

This product does not contain a substance that has endocrine disrupting properties with respect to non-target organisms as no components meets the criteria.

Other adverse effects

Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

Further information

Do not allow to enter into surface water or drains.

13. Disposal considerations

Waste treatment methods

Disposal recommendations

Waste disposal according to directive 2008/98/EC, covering waste and dangerous waste.
Send to a physico-chemical treatment facility under observation of official regulations.
Do not empty into drains.

Contaminated packaging

Handle contaminated packages in the same way as the substance itself.
The allocation of waste identity numbers/waste descriptions must be carried out according to the EEC, specific to the industry and process.

14. Transport information

U.S. DOT 49 CFR 172.101

UN number or ID number:	UN 3264
Proper shipping name:	CORROSIVE LIQUID, ACIDIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S.(nitric acid)
Transport hazard class(es):	8
Packing group:	III
Hazard label:	8
Special Provisions:	IB3, T7, TP1, TP28
Limited quantity:	60 L

Marine transport (IMDG)

UN number or ID number:	UN 3264
UN proper shipping name:	CORROSIVE LIQUID, ACIDIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S.(nitric acid)
Transport hazard class(es):	8
Packing group:	III
Hazard label:	8
Special Provisions:	223 274
Limited quantity:	5 L
Excepted quantity:	E1
EmS:	F-A, S-B
Segregation group:	1 - acids

Air transport (ICAO-TI/IATA-DGR)

UN number or ID number:	UN 3264
UN proper shipping name:	CORROSIVE LIQUID, ACIDIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S.(nitric acid)
Transport hazard class(es):	8
Packing group:	III
Hazard label:	8
Special Provisions:	A3 A803
Limited quantity Passenger:	1 L
Passenger LQ:	Y841
Excepted quantity:	E1
IATA-packing instructions - Passenger:	852
IATA-max. quantity - Passenger:	5 L
IATA-packing instructions - Cargo:	856
IATA-max. quantity - Cargo:	60 L

Environmental hazards

ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS:	Yes
Danger releasing substance:	cobalt (II) nitrate hexahydrate

15. Regulatory information

U.S. Regulations

National regulatory information

SARA Section 302 Extremely hazardous substances:
Nitric acid (conc. < 80%) (7697-37-2): Reportable quantity = 1,000 lbs., Threshold planning quantity = 1,000 lbs.

SARA Section 304 CERCLA:
Nitric acid (conc. < 80%) (7697-37-2): Reportable quantity = 1,000 (454) lbs. (kg)

SARA Section 311/312 Hazards:
Nitric acid (conc. < 80%) (7697-37-2): Fire hazard, Immediate (acute) health hazard
cobalt (II) nitrate hexahydrate (10026-22-9): Fire hazard, Delayed (chronic) health hazard, Immediate (acute) health hazard

SARA Section 313 Toxic release inventory:
Nitric acid (conc. < 80%) (7697-37-2): De minimis limit = 1.0 %, Reportable threshold = Standard

State Regulations

Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986 (Proposition 65, State of California)

This product can not expose you to chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects or other reproductive harm.

16. Other information

Revision date:	09/01/2025
Revision No:	1,00

Other data

The above information describes exclusively the safety requirements of the product and is based on our present-day knowledge. The information is intended to give you advice about the safe handling of the product named in this safety data sheet, for storage, processing, transport and disposal. The information cannot be transferred to other products. In the case of mixing the product with other products or in the case of processing, the information on this safety data sheet is not necessarily valid for the new made-up material.
The information is based on the present level of our knowledge. It does not, however, give assurance of product properties and establishes no contract legal rights.
The receiver of our product is singularly responsible for adhering to existing laws and regulations.
Provide appropriate information, instructions and training to users.

(The data for the relevant ingredients were taken respectively from the last version of the sub-contractor's safety data sheet.)