

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## **SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION**

Product Identifier: (5N) 99.999% Cobalt Phosphide

Product Code: CO-P-05-P

CAS Number: 12134-02-0

Relevant identified uses of the substance: Scientific research and development

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## **SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

Classification of the substance or mixture Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 GHS06 Skull and crossbones Acute Tox. 3 H301 Toxic if swallowed. GHS08 Health hazard Muta. 2 H341 Suspected of causing genetic defects. GHS07 Skin Sens. 1 H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction. Classification according to Directive 67/548/EEC or Directive 1999/45/EC Xn; Harmful R22-68: Harmful if swallowed. Possible risk of irreversible effects. Xi; Sensitizing R43: May cause sensitization by skin contact. Information concerning particular hazards for human and environment: N/A Hazards not otherwise classified No data available Label elements Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 The substance is classified and labeled according to the CLP regulation. Hazard pictograms



GHS06 GHS08 Signal word Danger Hazard statements H301 Toxic if swallowed. H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction. H341 Suspected of causing genetic defects. Precautionary statements P261 Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray. P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection. P281 Use personal protective equipment as required. P301+P310 IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER/ doctor/... P405 Store locked up. P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations. WHMIS classification D1B - Toxic material causing immediate and serious toxic effects D2A - Very toxic material causing other toxic effects Classification system HMIS ratings (scale 0-4) (Hazardous Materials Identification System) HEALTH FIRE REACTIVITY 2 1 1 Health (acute effects) = 2Flammability = 1Physical Hazard = 1 Other hazards Results of PBT and vPvB assessment PBT: N/A vPvB: N/A

## **SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Substances CAS No. / Substance Name: 12134-02-0 Cobalt phosphide Identification number(s): EC number: 235-212-4

# **SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES**

Description of first aid measures If inhaled: Supply patient with fresh air. If not breathing, provide artificial respiration. Keep patient warm. Seek immediate medical advice. In case of skin contact: Immediately wash with soap and water; rinse thoroughly. Seek immediate medical advice. In case of eye contact: Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Consult a physician. If swallowed: Seek medical treatment. Information for doctor Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed No data available Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed No data available

## **SECTION 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

Extinguishing media Suitable extinguishing agents CO2, sand, extinguishing powder. Do not use water. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture If this product is involved in a fire, the following can be released: Hydrogen phosphide (Phosphine) Advice for firefighters Protective equipment: Wear self-contained respirator. Wear fully protective impervious suit.

## **SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures Use personal protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away. Ensure adequate ventilation Environmental precautions: Do not allow material to be released to the environment without official permits. Do not allow product to enter drains, sewage systems, or other water courses. Do not allow material to penetrate the ground or soil. Methods and materials for containment and cleanup: Dispose of contaminated material as waste according to section 13. Prevention of secondary hazards: No special measures required. 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.

## **SECTION 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. Information about protection against explosions and fires: No data available Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles: No special requirements. Information about storage in one common storage facility: Store away from oxidizing agents. Further information about storage conditions: Keep container tightly sealed. Store in cool, dry conditions in well-sealed containers. Specific end use(s) No data available

## SECTION 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: Cobalt, elemental & inorganic compounds, as Co mg/m3 ACGIH TLV 0.02; Confirmed animal carcinogen Austria Carcinogen Belgium TWA 0.05 Denmark TWA 0.05 Finland TWA 0.05 (skin) Germany Carcinogen Hungary TWA 0.1; 0.2-STEL Japan OEL 0.05; 2B-Carcinogen Korea TLV 0.02; Confirmed animal carcinogen Netherlands MAC-TGG 0.05 Norway TWA 0.05 Poland TWA 0.05; 0.2-STEL Russia 0.5-STEL Sweden NGV 0.05 Switzerland MAK-W 0.1; Carcinogen United Kingdom TWA 0.1 USA PEL 0.1 (dust and fume) Additional information: No data Exposure controls Personal protective equipment Follow typical protective and hygienic practices for handling chemicals.

Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed. Remove all soiled and contaminated clothing immediately. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work. Maintain an ergonomically appropriate working environment. Breathing equipment: Use suitable respirator when high concentrations are present. Protection of hands: Impervious gloves Inspect gloves prior to use. Suitability of gloves should be determined both by material and quality, the latter of which may vary by manufacturer. Eye protection: Safety glasses Body protection: Protective work clothing.

#### **SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

Information on basic physical and chemical properties Appearance: Form: Powder or solid Color: Grey Odor: No data available Odor threshold: No data available. pH: N/A Melting point/Melting range: 1386 °C (2527 °F) Boiling point/Boiling range: No data available Sublimation temperature / start: No data available Flash point: N/A Flammability (solid, gas) No data available. Ignition temperature: No data available Decomposition temperature: No data available Autoignition: No data available. Danger of explosion: Product does not present an explosion hazard. Explosion limits: Lower: No data available Upper: No data available Vapor pressure: N/A Density at 20 °C (68 °F): 6.4 g/cm<sup>3</sup> (53.408 lbs/gal) Relative densitv No data available. Vapor density N/A Evaporation rate N/A Solubility in Water (H<sub>2</sub>O): Insoluble Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water): No data available. Viscosity: Dynamic: N/A Kinematic: N/A Other information No data available

## SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity No data available 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 No dangerous reactions known Conditions to avoid No data available Incompatible materials: Oxidizing agents Hazardous decomposition products: Metal oxide fume Hydrogen phosphide (Phosphine)

# SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on toxicological effects Acute toxicity: Harmful if swallowed. LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification: No data Skin irritation or corrosion: Irritant to skin and mucous membranes. Eye irritation or corrosion: Irritating effect. Sensitization: May cause an allergic skin reaction. Germ cell mutagenicity: Suspected of causing genetic defects. Carcinogenicity: ACGIH A3: Animal carcinogen: Agent is carcinogenic in experimental animals at a relatively high dose, by route(s) of administration, at site(s), of histologic type(s), or by mechanism(s) not considered relevant to worker exposure. Available epidemologic studies do not confirm an increased risk of cancer in exposed humans. Available evidence suggests that the agent is not likely to cause cancer in humans except under uncommon or unlikely routes or levels of exposure. IARC-2A: Probably carcinogenic to humans: limited human evidence; sufficient evidence in experimental animals Reproductive toxicity: No effects known. Specific target organ system toxicity - repeated exposure: No effects known. Specific target organ system toxicity - single exposure: No effects known. Aspiration hazard: No effects known. Subacute to chronic toxicity:

Cobalt is an experimental neoplastigen and tumorigen. It is an experimental carcinogen of the connective tissue and lungs. Cobalt metal and inorganic compounds

are classified as an animal carcinogen by the ACGIH. Ingestion may cause burning in the mouth, esophagus, and stomach. Inhalation of dusts and fumes may

cause irritation of the respiratory tract and labored breathing and coughing. Sensitization, nausea, flushing of the face and ringing in the ears is also possible.

Chronic ingestion may result in pericardial effusion, polycardial effusion, polycythemia, cardiac failure, vomiting, convulsions and thyroid enlargement.

Inorganic phosphorus compounds may cause irritation and hemorrhages in the stomach as well as liver and kidney damage. Bone structure may be attacked, especially the jaw and teeth. Subacute to chronic toxicity:

No effects known.

Additional toxicological information:

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

## **SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Toxicity Aquatic toxicity: No data available Persistence and degradability No data available **Bioaccumulative potential** No data available Mobility in soil No data available Additional ecological information: Do not allow material to be released to the environment without official permits. Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities to reach groundwater, water courses, or sewage systems. Avoid transfer into the environment. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment PBT: N/A vPvB: N/A Other adverse effects No data available

## **SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

Waste treatment methods Recommendation Consult official regulations to ensure proper disposal. Uncleaned packagings: Recommendation: Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

# **SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

Not a hazardous material for transportation. **UN-Number** DOT, IMDG, IATA None UN proper shipping name DOT, IMDG, IATA None Transport hazard class(es) DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA Class None Packing group DOT, IMDG, IATA None Environmental hazards: N/A Special precautions for user N/A Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code N/A Transport/Additional information: Not dangerous according to the above specifications. DOT Marine Pollutant (DOT): No

## **SECTION 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 Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL). SARA Section 313 (specific toxic chemical listings) 12134-02-0 Cobalt phosphide California Proposition 65 Prop 65 - Chemicals known to cause cancer Substance is not 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 cobalt 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 Substance of Very High Concern (SVHC) according to the REACH Regulations (EC) No. 1907/2006. Substance is not listed.

The conditions of restrictions according to Article 67 and Annex XVII of the Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH) for the manufacturing, placing on the market and use must be observed. Substance is not listed. Annex XIV of the REACH Regulations (requiring Authorisation for use) 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**

Safety Data Sheet according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH). The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. The information in this document is based on the present state of our knowledge and is applicable to the product with regard to appropriate safety precautions. It does not represent any guarantee of the properties of the product. American Elements shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product. See reverse side of invoice or packing slip for additional terms and conditions of sale. COPYRIGHT 1997-2022 AMERICAN ELEMENTS. LICENSED GRANTED TO MAKE UNLIMITED PAPER COPIES FOR INTERNAL USE ONLY.