# **Material Safety Data Sheet**

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#### 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product name : Cadmium sulfate

Product Number : 481882 Brand : Aldrich

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### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### **Emergency Overview**

# **OSHA Hazards**

Carcinogen, Target Organ Effect, Highly toxic by inhalation, Toxic by ingestion, Teratogen, Reproductive hazard, Mutagen

# **Target Organs**

Lungs, Kidney, Bone, Prostate, Blood, pancreas, Liver, Male reproductive system. Lungs, Kidney, Bone, Prostate, Blood, pancreas, Liver, Male reproductive system.

# **GHS Classification**

Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 3)

Acute toxicity, Inhalation (Category 2)

Germ cell mutagenicity (Category 1B)

Carcinogenicity (Category 1B)

Reproductive toxicity (Category 1B)

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure (Category 1)

Acute aquatic toxicity (Category 1)

# GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram



Signal word Danger

Hazard statement(s)

H301 Toxic if swallowed. H330 Fatal if inhaled.

H340 May cause genetic defects.

H350 May cause cancer.

H360 May damage fertility or the unborn child.

H372 Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

H400 Very toxic to aquatic life.

Precautionary statement(s)

P201 Obtain special instructions before use.

P260 Do not breathe dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapours/ spray.

P273 Avoid release to the environment. P284 Wear respiratory protection.

P310 Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician.

**HMIS Classification** 

Health hazard: 2
Chronic Health Hazard: \*
Flammability: 0
Physical hazards: 0

**NFPA Rating** 

Health hazard: 2 Fire: 0 Reactivity Hazard: 0

**Potential Health Effects** 

Inhalation May be fatal if inhaled. May cause respiratory tract irritation.Skin May be harmful if absorbed through skin. May cause skin irritation.

**Eyes** May cause eye irritation. **Ingestion** Toxic if swallowed.

### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Formula : CdO<sub>4</sub>S

Molecular Weight : 208.47 g/mol

Component		Concentration
Cadmium sulphate		
CAS-No.	10124-36-4	-
EC-No.	233-331-6	
Index-No.	048-009-00-9	
Registration number	01-2119487964-18-XXXX	

# 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

# General advice

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Move out of dangerous area.

#### If inhaled

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.

#### In case of skin contact

Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Take victim immediately to hospital. Consult a physician.

# In case of eye contact

Flush eyes with water as a precaution.

#### If swallowed

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

# **5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

#### Suitable extinguishing media

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

# Special protective equipment for firefighters

Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary.

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# **Hazardous combustion products**

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Cadmium/cadmium oxides, Sulphur oxides Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Nature of decomposition products not known.

### **Further information**

The product itself does not burn.

#### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

### Personal precautions

Wear respiratory protection. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapors, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Avoid breathing dust.

#### **Environmental precautions**

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

### Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. Sweep up and shovel. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

# Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols.

Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed.

# Conditions for safe storage

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.

### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

# Components with workplace control parameters

Components	CAS-No.	Value	Control parameters	Basis			
Cadmium sulphate	10124-36-4	TWA	0.0020 mg/m3	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)			
Remarks	Suspected human carcinogen						
		TWA	0.01 mg/m3	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)			
		Kidney damage Substances for which there is a Biological Exposure Index or Indices (see BEI® section) Suspected human carcinogen varies					
		TWA	0.002 mg/m3	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)			
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	Potential Occupational Carcinogen See Appendix A						
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# Personal protective equipment

# **Respiratory protection**

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face particle respirator type N100 (US) or type P3 (EN 143) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. If the respirator is the sole means of protection, use a full-face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

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# **Hand protection**

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

# Eye protection

Face shield and safety glasses Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

# Skin and body protection

Complete suit protecting against chemicals, The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

# Hygiene measures

Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

# **Appearance**

Form solid

Colour colourless

Safety data

pH no data available

Melting point/range: 1,000 °C (1,832 °F)

point/freezing point

Boiling point no data available
Flash point not applicable
Ignition temperature no data available
Autoignition no data available

temperature

Lower explosion limit no data available
Upper explosion limit no data available
Vapour pressure no data available

Density 4.69 g/cm3 at 25 °C (77 °F)

Water solubility soluble

Partition coefficient: no data available

n-octanol/water

Relative vapour

no data available

density

Odour no data available
Odour Threshold no data available
Evaporation rate no data available

# 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

# **Chemical stability**

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

#### Possibility of hazardous reactions

no data available

# Conditions to avoid

no data available

#### Materials to avoid

Strong oxidizing agents

# **Hazardous decomposition products**

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### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

# **Acute toxicity**

Oral LD50

LD50 Oral - rat - 280 mg/kg

Inhalation LC50 Dermal LD50

no data available

Other information on acute toxicity

LD50 Intraperitoneal - mouse - 6.9 mg/kg

# Skin corrosion/irritation

no data available

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

no data available

Respiratory or skin sensitization

no data available

# Germ cell mutagenicity

May alter genetic material.

In vivo tests showed mutagenic effects

Genotoxicity in vitro - rat - Liver

DNA damage

Genotoxicity in vitro - mouse - lymphocyte

Mutation in mammalian somatic cells.

Genotoxicity in vivo - mouse - Intraperitoneal

Micronucleus test

### Carcinogenicity

This is or contains a component that has been reported to be carcinogenic based on its IARC, OSHA, ACGIH, NTP, or EPA classification. Chronic exposure to cadmium may cause lung and prostate cancer.

Possible human carcinogen

IARC: 1 - Group 1: Carcinogenic to humans (Cadmium sulphate)

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NTP: Known to be human carcinogen (Cadmium sulphate)

Known to be human carcinogenThe reference note has been added by TD based on the

background information of the NTP. (Cadmium sulphate)

OSHA: 1910.1027 (Cadmium sulphate)

# Reproductive toxicity

Reproductive toxicity - rat - Oral

Effects on Fertility: Pre-implantation mortality (e.g., reduction in number of implants per female; total number of implants per corpora lutea). Effects on Fertility: Post-implantation mortality (e.g., dead and/or resorbed implants per total number of implants).

May cause reproductive disorders.

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#### no data available

# **Teratogenicity**

Developmental Toxicity - rat - Oral

Specific Developmental Abnormalities: Cardiovascular (circulatory) system. Effects on Newborn: Weaning or lactation index (e.g., # alive at weaning per # alive at day 4). Effects on Newborn: Growth statistics (e.g., reduced weight gain).

May cause congenital malformation in the fetus.

Presumed human reproductive toxicant

no data available

# Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure (Globally Harmonized System)

no data available

### Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure (Globally Harmonized System)

Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

# **Aspiration hazard**

no data available

### Potential health effects

**Inhalation** May be fatal if inhaled. May cause respiratory tract irritation.

**Ingestion** Toxic if swallowed.

**Skin** May be harmful if absorbed through skin. May cause skin irritation.

**Eyes** May cause eye irritation.

### Signs and Symptoms of Exposure

Acute inhalation exposure to cadmium fumes may cause "metal fume fever" with flu-like symptoms of weakness, fever, headache, chills, nausea, vomiting, dizziness, sweating, muscular pain, cough and difficulty breathing. Acute pulmonary edema may develop within 24 hours and reaches a maximum by three days. The first chronic effect of exposure to cadmium is generally kidney damage, manifested by excretion of excessive protein in the urine, followed by anemia, teeth discoloration and loss of smell. Cadmium also is believed to cause pulmonary emphysema and bone disease.

# Synergistic effects

no data available

# **Additional Information**

RTECS: EV2700000

# 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### **Toxicity**

Toxicity to fish mortality LC50 - Pimephales promelas (fathead minnow) - 0.2 mg/l - 90.0 h

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates

Immobilization EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 0.15 mg/l - 48 h

### Persistence and degradability

no data available

# Bioaccumulative potential

no data available

#### Mobility in soil

no data available

#### PBT and vPvB assessment

no data available

# Other adverse effects

An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal.

Very toxic to aquatic life.

### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

#### **Product**

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company. Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material. Dissolve or mix the material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber.

# Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

# 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT (US)

UN number: 2570 Class: 6.1 Packing group: III Proper shipping name: Cadmium compounds (Cadmium sulphate)

Marine pollutant: No

Poison Inhalation Hazard: No

**IMDG** 

UN number: 2570 Class: 6.1 Packing group: III EMS-No: F-A, S-A

Proper shipping name: CADMIUM COMPOUND (Cadmium sulphate)

Marine pollutant: No

**IATA** 

UN number: 2570 Class: 6.1 Packing group: III Proper shipping name: Cadmium compound (Cadmium sulphate)

### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

### **OSHA Hazards**

Carcinogen, Target Organ Effect, Highly toxic by inhalation, Toxic by ingestion, Teratogen, Reproductive hazard, Mutagen

# **SARA 302 Components**

SARA 302: No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

#### **SARA 313 Components**

The following components are subject to reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313:

Cadmium sulphate CAS-No. Revision Date 10124-36-4 1993-04-24

#### SARA 311/312 Hazards

Acute Health Hazard, Chronic Health Hazard

# **Massachusetts Right To Know Components**

Cadmium sulphate	CAS-No. 10124-36-4	Revision Date 1993-04-24
Pennsylvania Right To Know Components  Cadmium sulphate	CAS-No. 10124-36-4	Revision Date 1993-04-24
New Jersey Right To Know Components  Cadmium sulphate	CAS-No. 10124-36-4	Revision Date 1993-04-24
California Prop. 65 Components  WARNING! This product contains a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer.  Cadmium sulphate	CAS-No. 10124-36-4	Revision Date 1987-10-01

# California Prop. 65 Components

WARNING! This product contains a chemical known to the State of	CAS-No.	Revision Date
California to cause birth defects or other reproductive harm.	10124-36-4	1987-10-01

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### **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

### **Further information**

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