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# **1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFACTION**

Product name	Nickel (II) nitrate hexahydrate
CAS #	13478-00-7
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# 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

## **OSHA Hazards**

Oxidizer, Carcinogen, Target Organ Effect, Toxic by inhalation, Harmful by ingestion, Skin and respiratory sensitizer, Irritant, Teratogen

# **Target Organs**

Lungs

# **GHS Classification**

Oxidizing solids (Category 3) Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 4) Acute toxicity, Inhalation (Category 4) Skin irritation (Category 2) Serious eye damage (Category 1) Respiratory sensitization (Category 1) Skin sensitization (Category 1) Reproductive toxicity (Category 1B) Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure, Inhalation (Category 1) Acute aquatic toxicity (Category 1)

# GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements



Signal word DANGER

Pictogram

Hazard statement(s)	
H272	May intensify fire; oxidizer.
H302 + H332	Harmful if swallowed or if inhaled
H315	Causes skin irritation.
H317	May cause an allergic skin reaction.
H318	Causes serious eye damage.
H334	May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.
H360	May damage fertility or the unborn child.
H372	Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure if inhaled.
H400	Very toxic to aquatic life.
Precautionary statement(s)	
P201	Obtain special instructions before use.

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P220 P261 P273 P280 P305 + P351 + P338 P308 + P313	Avoid breat Avoid relea Wear protec IF IN EYES present and	away from clothing/ combustible r hing dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapour se to the environment. ctive gloves/ eye protection/ face p : Rinse cautiously with water for s d easy to do. Continue rinsing. or concerned: Get medical advice	rs/ spray. protection. everal minutes. Remo	ove contact lenses, if	
<b>HMIS Classification</b>		NFPA Rating			
Health hazard:	2	Health hazard:	2		
Chronic Health Hazard	*	Fire:	0		
Flammability:	0	Reactivity hazard:	1		
Physical hazards:	1				
Personal protection:	E				
Potential Health Effects					
Inhalation Skin Eyes Ingestion	Toxic if inhaled. Causes respiratory tract irritation. Harmful if absorbed through skin. Causes skin irritation. Causes eye irritation. Harmful if swallowed.				
3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATIO	N ON INGREDIENT	S			
Formula	: N <sub>2</sub> NiO <sub>6</sub>	5 · 6H <sub>2</sub> O			
Molecular Weight	: 290.79	g/mol			
Component				Concentration	

Nickel dinitrate hexahydr	ate	
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EC-No.	236-068-5	

# 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

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician.

#### If swallowed

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

#### **5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

#### Conditions of flammability

Not flammable or combustible.

# Suitable extinguishing media

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

# Special protective equipment for firefighters

Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary.

#### Hazardous combustion products

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Nickel/nickel oxides

#### **Further information**

Use water spray to cool unopened containers.

# 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

# **Personal precautions**

Use personal protective equipment. 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

Sweep up and shovel. Contain spillage, and then collect with an electrically protected vacuum cleaner or by wet-brushing and place in container for disposal according to local regulations (see section 13). 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. Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition.

## Conditions for safe storage

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

# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Components with workplace control parameters

Components	CAS-No.	Value	Control parameters	Basis
Nickel dinitrate hexahydrate	13478-00-7	TWA	1 mg/m3	USA. Occupational Exposure Limits (OSHA) - Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants
		TWA	0.1 mg/m3	USA. OSHA - TABLE Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants - 1910.1000
		TWA	0.1 mg/m3	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)
Remarks	Not classifiable as a human carcinogen			
		TWA	1 mg/m3	USA. Occupational Exposure Limits (OSHA) - Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants
		TWA	0.1 mg/m3	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)
	Lung damage Nasal cancer Not classifiable as a human carcinogen varies			
		TWA	0.1 mg/m3	USA. OSHA - TABLE Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants - 1910.1000
		TWA	0.015 mg/m3	USA. NIOSH Recommended Exposure Limits
	Potential Occupational Carcinogen See Appendix A			

# **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).

## 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**

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance	
Form	crystalline
Colour	dark green
Safety data	
рН	no data available
Melting point/ Freezing point	Melting point/range: 56 °C (133 °F) - lit.
Boiling point	no data available
Flash point	not applicable
Ignition temperature Autoignition	no data available
temperature	no data available
Lower explosion limit	no data available
Upper explosion limit	no data available
Vapour pressure	no data available
Density	2.05 g/cm3 at 25 °C (77 °F)
Water solubility	no data available
Partition coefficient:	
n-octanol/	no data available
Relative vapour	
density	no data available
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

Organic materials, Powdered metals, Strong reducing agents, acids

#### Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Nickel/nickel oxides Other decomposition products - no data available

# **11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### Acute toxicity

**Oral LD50** LD50 Oral - rat - 1,620 mg/kg

Inhalation LC50 no data available

Dermal LD50 no data available

Other information on acute toxicity no data available

## Skin corrosion/irritation

#### no data available

# Serious eye damage/eye irritation no data available

# Respiratory or skin sensitization no data available

#### Germ cell mutagenicity no data available Carcinogenicity

This product is or contains a component that has been reported to be probably carcinogenic based on its IARC, OSHA, ACGIH, NTP, or EPA classification.

IARC: 1 - Group 1: Carcinogenic to humans (Nickel dinitrate

hexahydrate) 1 - Group 1: Carcinogenic to humans (Nickel

dinitrate hexahydrate)

2A - Group 2A: Probably carcinogenic to humans (Nickel dinitrate hexahydrate)

- IARC: 1 Group 1: Carcinogenic to humans (Nickel dinitrate hexahydrate)
  - 1 Group 1: Carcinogenic to humans (Nickel dinitrate hexahydrate)

2A - Group 2A: Probably carcinogenic to humans (Nickel dinitrate hexahydrate)

- NTP: Known to be human carcinogen (Nickel dinitrate hexahydrate)
- OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

OSHA: 1910.1025 (Lead chromate)

1910.1026 (Lead chromate)

# Reproductive toxicity

no data available

# Teratogenicity

Presumed human reproductive toxicant Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure (Globally Harmonized System) no data available

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

Inhalation - Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

Aspiration hazard

## Potential health effects

Inhalation	Toxic if inhaled. Causes respiratory tract irritation.
Ingestion	Harmful if swallowed.
Skin Eyes	Harmful if absorbed through skin. Causes skin irritation. Causes eye irritation.

## Signs and Symptoms of Exposure

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

Synergistic effects no data available

Additional Information RTECS: QR7300000

# **12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

# Toxicity

no data available

Persistence and degradability no data available

# **Bioaccumulative potential**

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

Burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber but exert extra care in igniting as this material is highly flammable. 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)

UN2725 Nickel Nitrate, Class 5.1, Packing Group III

# IMDG

UN2725 Nickel Nitrate, Class 5.1, Packing Group III, Marine Pollutant: No

# <u>IATA</u>

UN2725 Nickel Nitrate, Class 5.1, Packing Group III

# **15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

## **OSHA Hazards**

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## 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:

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SARA 311/312 Hazards Reactivity Hazard, Acute Health Hazard, Chronic Health Hazard		
Massachusetts Right To Know Components Nickel dinitrate hexahydrate	13478-00-7	1993-04-24
Pennsylvania Right To Know Components Nickel dinitrate hexahydrate	13478-00-7	1993-04-24
New Jersey Right To Know Components Nickel dinitrate hexahydrate	13478-00-7	1993-04-24
California Prop. 65 Components WARNING! This product contains a chemical known to the State of		
California to cause cancer. Nickel dinitrate hexahydrate	13478-00-7	1993-04-24

# **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

Further information

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. Sentury Reagents, Inc., shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product.