



# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. IDENTIFICATION

**Product identifier** 

Product code: C1431

Product Name: COPPER SULFATE, PENTAHYDRATE, GRANULAR, FCC

Other means of identification

Synonyms: Blue vitriol; Copper (II) Sulfate Pentahydrate

CAS #: 7758-99-8
RTECS # GL8900000
CI#: Not available

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use:
Uses advised against
No information available.
No information available

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Order Online At: https://www.spectrumchemical.com

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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### Classification

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Acute toxicity - Oral	Category 3
Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 2
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 2A

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#### Danger

#### Hazard statements

Toxic if swallowed Causes skin irritation Causes serious eye irritation



#### Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Not Applicable

#### Other hazards

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects Very toxic to aquatic life

#### **Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product Wear protective gloves Wear eye/face protection

#### **Precautionary Statements - Response**

Specific treatment (see .? on this label) Specific treatment (see .? on this label)

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water

If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention

Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse

IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician

Rinse mouth

#### **Precautionary Statements - Storage**

Store locked up

#### **Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Components	CAS-No.	Weight %
Copper Sulfate, Pentahydrate 7758-99-8	7758-99-8	100

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### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

First aid measures

General Advice: Poison information centers in each State capital city can provide additional

assistance for scheduled poisons (13 1126)

Skin Contact: Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water removing all contaminated clothes and

shoes. Get medical attention. If skin irritation persists, call a physician.

Eye Contact: Flush eyes with water for 15 minutes. Get medical attention.

**Inhalation:** Move to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen.

Get medical attention.

**Ingestion:** Do not induce vomiting without medical advice. Never give anything by mouth to an

unconscious person. Immediate medical attention is required. Toxic if swallowed.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms

Causes eye irritation. Causes skin irritation. May cause a greenish discoloration of the skin. May cause discoloration of the cornea. May cause ulceration of the cornea. Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting, and diarrhea. Oral mucosa, vomitus, stools, and salilva may be stained blue or green following ingestion. May cause metallic taste. Abdominal pain. May cause metabolic acidosis. May cause methemoglobinemia. May affect the liver. Jaundice. It may affect the kidneys. May cause central nervous system effects. May affect the cardiovascular system. Hypotension. Perforation of the nasal septum if inhaled in excessive quantities. Irritating to respiratory system. Coughing and wheezing.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Notes to Physician: Treat symptomatically

**Protection of first-aiders** 

First-Aid Providers: Avoid exposure to blood or body fluids. Wear gloves and other necessary protective clothing. Dispose of contaminated clothing and equipment as bio-hazardous waste

### 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

**Extinguishing Media** 

Suitable Extinguishing Media: The product is not flammable. If it is involved in a fire,

extinguish the fire using an agent suitable for the type of

surrounding fire.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media: No information available.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Hazardous Combustion Products: If inolved in a fire, the following may be released: copper

oxides, sulfur oxides

**Specific hazards:** No information available.

**Special Protective Actions for Firefighters** 

Specific Methods: No information available.

**Special Protective Equipment for Firefighters:** As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus

pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent)

and full protective gear

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#### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal Precautions: Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Ensure adequate ventilation. Do not touch

damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing. Avoid

contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Use personal protective equipment.

**Environmental precautions** Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Prevent product from entering

drains. Prevent entry into waterways, sewers, basements or confined areas.

#### Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

**Methods for containment**Stop leak if you can do it without risk. Cover with plastic sheet to prevent spreading.

Methods for cleaning up Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. Clean contaminated

surface thoroughly.

#### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### Precautions for safe handling

#### **Technical Measures/Precautions:**

Provide sufficient air exchange and/or exhaust in work rooms. Keep away from incompatible materials.

#### Safe Handling Advice

Wear personal protective equipment. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Do not ingest. Do not breathe vapours/dust. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

#### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

### **Technical Measures/Storage Conditions:**

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Store at room temperature in the original container. Store away from incompatible materials.

#### **Incompatible Materials:**

Hydroxylamine. Acetylene. Hydrazine. Nitromethane. Strong reducing agents.

#### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### **Control parameters**

## National occupational exposure limits

## **United States**

Components	OSHA	NIOSH	ACGIH	AIHA WHEEL
Copper Sulfate, Pentahydrate	None	1 mg/m³TWA (as Cu)	1 mg/m³TWA (as Cu)	None
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## Canada

Components	Alberta	British Columbia	Ontario	Quebec
Copper Sulfate, Pentahydrate	None	None	None	None
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#### **Australia and Mexico**

Components	Australia	Mexico
Copper Sulfate, Pentahydrate	None	None
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#### Appropriate engineering controls

Engineering measures to reduce exposure:

Ensure adequate ventilation. Use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to keep airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If user operations generate dust, fume or mist, use ventilation to keep exposure to airborne contaminants below the exposure limit.

#### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

**Personal Protective Equipment** 

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**Eye protection:** Goggles. or. Safety glasses with side-shields.

**Skin and body protection:** Chemical resistant apron. Long sleeved clothing. Gloves.

Respiratory protection: Effective dust mask. Use a dust respirator under conditions where exposure to the

substance is apparent (e.g. generation of high concentration of dust (dust clouds), inadequate ventilation, development of respiratory tract irritation), and engineering controls are not feasible. Be sure to use an approved/certified respirator or

equivalent. .

**Hygiene measures:** Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wash hands before breaks and

immediately after handling the product. When using, do not eat, drink or smoke.

### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

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Physical state: Appearance: Color:

Solid. Crystals. Granular. Powder. Light blue.

Odor:TasteFormula:Odorless.Nauseating. Metallic.CuSO4•5H2O

Molecular/Formula weight: Flammability: Flash point (°C):

249.69 No information available No data available

Flashpoint (°C/°F): Flash Point Tested according to: Autoignition Temperature (°C/°F):

No information available Not available No information available

Lower Explosion Limit (%): Upper Explosion Limit (%): pH:

Melting point/range(°C/°F): Boiling point/range(°C/°F): Decomposition temperature(°C/°F):

Bulk density:Density (g/cm3):Specific gravity:No information availableNo information available2.28 @ 15.6°C

Vapor pressure @ 20°C (kPa): Evaporation rate: Vapor density:

No information available 
No information available 
No information available

VOC content (g/L):Odor threshold (ppm):Partition coefficientNo information availableNo information available(n-octanol/water):

No information available

Viscosity: Miscibility: Solubility:

Soluble in cold water Soluble in Methanol Insoluble in Ethanol

It readily forms alkaline complexes at sufficiently high concentrations of

amines or alkali cyanides

Practically insoluble in most organic

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solvents

### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

#### Reactivity

Anhydrous copper sulfate causes hydroxylamine to ignite and the hydrated salt is vigorously reduced

Copper salts and nitromethane spontaneously form explosive materials

Copper salts promote the decomposition of hydrazine

Dangerous acetylides may be formed from many copper salts. The copper acetylides formed in ammonical or caustic solutions with Cu(II) salts and acetylene are more explosive than those derived from cuprous Cu(I) salts

**Chemical stability** 

Stability: Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions: Hazardous polymerization does not occur

**Conditions to avoid:** Incompatible materials.

**Incompatible Materials:** Hydroxylamine. Acetylene. Hydroxzine. Nitromethane. Strong reducing agents.

Hazardous decomposition products: When heated to decomposition it emits toxic fumes. Sulfur oxides.

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Other Information

Corrosivity: No information available

Special Remarks on Corrosivity: No information available

### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### Information on likely routes of exposure

#### **Principal Routes of Exposure:**

Ingestion. Inhalation.

### **Acute Toxicity**

### **Component Information**

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LD50/oral/rat = 960 mg/kg Oral LD50 Rat (LOLI)

300 mg/kg (RTECS)

LD50/oral/mouse = 43 mg/kg Oral LD50 Mouse

LD50/dermal/rat = >2000 mg/kg

LD50/dermal/rabbit = No information available

LC50/inhalation/rat = No information available

LC50/inhalation/mouse = No infomation available

Other LD50 or LC50information = Lowest Lethal Dose (LDL) for human: 1088 mg/kg

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LD50/oral/rat =

VALUE- Acute Tox Oral = 300mg/kg

LD50/oral/mouse =

Value - Acute Tox Oral = 43mg/kg

LD50/dermal/rabbit

VALUE-Acute Tox Dermal = No information available

LD50/dermal/rat

VALUE -Acute Tox Dermal = > 2000mg/kg

LC50/inhalation/rat

**VALUE-Vapor** = No information available

**VALUE-Gas** = No information available

**VALUE-Dust/Mist** = No information available

LC50/Inhalation/mouse

**VALUE-Vapor** = No information available

**VALUE - Gas =** No information available

VALUE - Dust/Mist = No information available

**Symptoms** 

**Skin Contact:** Causes skin irritation. May cause skin burns, itching allergic dermatitis, eczema, and

greenish discoloration of the skin and hair.

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**Eye Contact:** Causes serious eye irritation. May cause burns. May cause conjunctivitis. May cause

corneal opacity. May cause corneal discoloration, ulceration.

Causes respiratory tract (nose, throat, lung) irritation with coughing and wheezing. Inhalation

> May cause ulceration and perforation of the nasal septum if inhaled in excessive quantities. Burning copper sulfate may result in irritating and poisonous gases which may irritate the respiratory tract and lungs, and may cause fume metal fever which is

characterized by flu-like symptoms such as fever, chills, muscle aches.

Ingestion Toxic if swallowed. May cause gastrointestinal tract irritation with nausea, vomiting,

hypermotility, diarrhea, metallic taste, burning sensation in the stomach or

epigastrum, abdominal pain, and possible gastrointestinal tract bleeding. May affect metabolism(metabolic acidosis, anorexia, weight loss), liver (liver damage, jaundice), blood (rarely Methemoglobinemia, hemalytic anemia), urinary system (kidney

damage, hematuria, hemoglobinuria, albuminuria), behavior/central nervous system (CNS depression, headache, seizures, somnolence, tremor, psychosis, muscle weakness, coma), cardiovascular system (lowering of blood pressure, dysrythmia). Oral mucosa, vomitus, stools, and saliva may be stained blue or green following ingestion. Aspiration pneumonia may develop following emesis (vomiting).

No information available **Aspiration hazard** 

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Repeated or prolonged skin contact may cause thickening of the skin **Chronic Toxicity** 

Sensitization: No information available

**Mutagenic Effects:** Animal experiments showed mutagenic effects

Carcinogenic effects: Not considered carcinogenic

Components	IARC	ACGIH - Carcinogens	NTP	OSHA HCS - Carcinogens	Australia - Notifiable Carcinogenic Substances	Australia - Prohibited Carcinogenic Substances
Copper Sulfate, Pentahydrate	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed

Reproductive toxicity No data is available

Reproductive Effects: No information available **Developmental Effects:** No information available **Teratogenic Effects:** No information available

**Specific Target Organ Toxicity** 

STOT - single exposure No information available STOT - repeated exposure No information available **Target Organs:** No information available

### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### **Ecotoxicity**

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**Ecotoxicity effects:** Aquatic environment.

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Freshwater Fish Species Data: 0.09 - 0.19 mg/L LC50 Oncorhynchus mykiss 96 h static 1

0.1478 - 0.165 mg/L LC50 Oncorhynchus mykiss 96 h flow-through 1 0.66 - 1.15 mg/L LC50 Lepomis macrochirus 96 h semi-static 1 0.96 - 1.8 mg/L LC50 Lepomis macrochirus 96 h static 1

0.6752 mg/L LC50 Pimephales promelas 96 h static 1

Water Flea Data: 0.147 - 0.227 mg/L EC50 Daphnia magna 48 h

Persistence and degradability: If released to soil, copper sulfate may leach to groundwater, be partly oxidized, or

bind to humic materials, clay, or hydrous of iron and manganese. In water, it will bind to carbonates as well as humic materials, clay and hydrous oxides of iron and manganese. Copper is accumulated by plants and animals, but it does not appear to biomagnify from plants to animals. This lack of biomagnification appears common with heavy metals. In air, copper aerosols (in general) have a residence time of 2 to 10 days in an unpolluted atmosphere and 0.1 to >4 in a polluted, urban areas.

Bioaccumulative potential: No information available

Mobility: No information available

### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

### **Disposal Methods**

### Waste from residues / unused products:

Waste must be disposed of in accordance with Federal, State and Local regulation.

#### Contaminated packaging:

Empty containers should be taken for local recycling, recovery or waste disposal

Components	RCRA - F Series Wastes	RCRA - K Series Wastes	RCRA - P Series Wastes	RCRA - U Series Wastes
Copper Sulfate, Pentahydrate	None	None	None	None

#### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT

UN-No: UN3077

**Proper Shipping Name:** Environmentally hazardous substance, solid, n.o.s. (Cupric Sulfate)

Hazard Class:

Subsidiary Risk: No information available

Packing Group: III ERG No: 171

Marine Pollutant Marine Pollutant

**DOT RQ (lbs):**No information available

Symbol(s): G

TDG (Canada)

UN-No: UN3077

**Proper Shipping Name:** Environmentally hazardous substance, solid, n.o.s.

Hazard Class:

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Subsidiary Risk: No information available

Packing Group:

**Description:** No information available

**ADR** 

**UN-No:** UN3077

**Proper Shipping Name:** Environmentally hazardous substance, solid, n.o.s.

Hazard Class: 9
Packing Group: III

Subsidiary Risk:
Classification Code:
Description:
No information available

**IMO / IMDG** 

UN-No: UN3077

**Proper Shipping Name:** Environmentally hazardous substance, solid, n.o.s.

Hazard Class: 9

Subsidiary Risk: No information available

Packing Group:

**Description:**IMDG Page:
No information available
No information available

Marine Pollutant Marine Pollutant

EMS: F-A

MFAG: No information available

Maximum Quantity: No information available

RID

UN-No: UN3077

**Proper Shipping Name:** Environmentally hazardous substance, solid, n.o.s.

Hazard Class:

Subsidiary Risk: No information available

Packing Group:

Classification Code: No information available Description: No information available

**ICAO** 

UN-No: UN3077

**Proper Shipping Name:** Environmentally hazardous substance, solid, n.o.s.

Hazard Class: 9

Subsidiary Risk: No information available

Packing Group:

**Description:** No information available

IATA

**UN-No:** UN3077

**Proper Shipping Name:** Environmentally hazardous substance, solid, n.o.s.

Hazard Class: 9

Subsidiary Risk: No information available

Packing Group: III ERG Code: 9L

**Description:** No information available

#### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

#### **International Inventories**

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Components	U.S. TSCA	KOREA KECL	Philippines	Japan ENCS	CHINA	Australia	EINECS-No.
			(PICCS)			(AICS)	
Copper Sulfate, Pentahydrate	Not Listed	Not present	Present	Not present	Present	Present	Not present

## **U.S. Regulations**

Copper Sulfate, Pentahydrate

FDA - Food Additives Generally Recognized as Safe (GRAS): 21 CFR 184.1261

California Prop. 65: Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986.

#### Chemicals Known to the State of California to Cause Cancer:

This product does not contain a chemical requiring a warning under California Prop. 65. (See table below)

## Chemicals Known to the State of California to Cause Reproductive Toxicity:

This product does not contain a chemical requiring a warning under California Prop. 65. (See table below)

Components	Carcinogen	Developmental Toxicity Male Reproductive Fema		Female Reproductive
			Toxicity	Toxicity:
Copper Sulfate, Pentahydrate	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed

#### CERCLA/SARA

·	CERCLA - Hazardous Substances and their Reportable Quantities	Hazardous	Hazardous	<b>Chemical Category</b>	Section 313 - Reporting de minimis
Copper Sulfate,	None	None	None	None	None
Pentahydrate					

#### **U.S. TSCA**

•	TSCA Section 5(a)2 - Chemicals With Significant New Use Rules (SNURS)	TSCA 8(d) -Health and Safety Reporting
Copper Sulfate, Pentahydrate	Not Applicable	Not Applicable

#### Canada

#### WHMIS hazard class:

D1B Toxic materials

D2B Toxic materials

#### Copper Sulfate, Pentahydrate

D2B

## **Canada Controlled Products Regulation:**

This product has been classified according to the hazard criteria of the CPR (Controlled Products Regulation) and the MSDS contains all of the information required by the CPR.

## Inventory

Components	Canada (DSL)	Canada (NDSL)
Copper Sulfate, Pentahydrate	Not Listed	Not Listed

Components	CEPA Schedule I - Toxic Substances	CEPA - 2010 Greenhouse Gases Subject to Manditory	
		Reporting	
Copper Sulfate, Pentahydrate	Not listed	Not listed	

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#### **EU Classification**

## R-phrase(s)

R25 - Toxic if swallowed.

R36 - Irritating to eyes.

R38 - Irritating to skin.

R50 - Very toxic to aquatic organisms.

R53 - May cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

## S -phrase(s)

S26 - In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.

S46 - If swallowed, seek medical advice immediately and show this container or label.

S60 - This material and its container must be disposed of as hazardous waste.

S61 - Avoid release to the environment. Refer to special instructions/safety data sheets.

S36/37/39 - Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection.

Components	Classification	Concentration Limits:	Safety Phrases
Copper Sulfate, Pentahydrate		No information	

## The product is classified in accordance with Annex VI to Directive 67/548/EEC

## Indication of danger:

T - Toxic Xi - Irritant.







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Disclaimer:

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All chemicals may pose unknown hazards and should be used with caution. This Safety Data Sheet (SDS) applies only to the material as packaged. If this product is combined with other materials, deteriorates, or becomes contaminated, it may pose hazards not mentioned in this SDS. The physical properties reported in this SDS are obtained from the literature and do not constitute product specifications. Information contained herein does not constitute a warranty, whether expressed or implied, as to the safety, merchantability or fitness of the goods for a particular purpose. Spectrum Chemicals & Laboratory Products, Inc. assumes no responsibility for results obtained or for incidental or consequential damages, including lost profits, arising from the use of these data. No warranty against infringement of any patent, copyright or trademark is made or implied. It shall be the user's responsibility to develop proper methods of handling and personal protection based on the actual conditions of use. While this SDS is based on technical data judged to be reliable, Spectrum assumes no responsibility for the completeness or accuracy of the information contained herein.

**End of Safety Data Sheet** 

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