

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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# SECTION 1 PRODUCT AND COMPANY INFORMATION

PRODUCT NAME: Cobalt (II) Bromide, anhydrous

PRODUCT NUMBER: 1491-2 CAS NUMBER: 7789-43-7

SYNONYMS: Cobalt dibromide, Cobaltous bromide, Dibromocobalt

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# SECTION 2 HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### **CLASSIFICATION OF SUBSTANCE OR MIXTURE**

Pictogram





Signal Word **Danger** 

#### **Hazard Statements**

H302	Harmful if swallowed.
H317	May cause an allergic skin reaction.
H334	May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.
H341	Suspected of causing genetic defects.
H350	May cause cancer.
H360	May damage fertility or the unborn child.
H410	Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

# **Precautionary Phrases**

P201	Obtain special instructions before use.
P202	Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.
P261	Avoid breathing dust.
P264	Wash skin thoroughly after handling.
P270	Do not eat, drink, or smoke when using this product.
P272	Contaminated work clothing must not be allowed out of the workplace.
P273	Avoid release to the environment.
P280	Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
P285	In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection.
P301+P312+P330	IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CETNER/doctor if you feel unwell. Rinse mouth.
P302+P352	IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.

# SECTION 2 HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION (Cont.)

P304+P341	IF INHALED: If breathing is difficult, remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
P308+P313	If exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.
P333+P313	If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
P342+P311	If experiencing respiratory symptoms: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor.

#### NFPA RATING:

Health: 2 Flammability: 0 Reactivity Hazard: 1

**EYE CONTACT:** May cause slight to mild irritation to eyes.

SKIN CONTACT: May cause allergic skin reaction.

**INHALATION:** May me harmful inhaled. **INGESTION:** May be harmful if swallowed.

### SECTION 3 COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Formula: CoBr<sub>2</sub>

Molecular Weight: 218.74

CHEMICAL NAME	CAS#	%
Cobalt (II) Bromide, anhydrous	7789-43-7	100

# SECTION 4 FIRST AID MEASURES

**EYE EXPOSURE:** Immediately flush the eyes with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. Assure flushing under eyelids. A victim may need assistance in keeping their eyelids open. Get immediate competent medical attention.

**SKIN EXPOSURE**: Wash affected area with plenty of water. Remove contaminated clothes if necessary. Seek medical assistance if irritation persists.

**INHALATION:** Remove to fresh air and keep at rest. Closely monitor the victim for signs of respiratory problems, such as difficulty in breathing, coughing, wheezing, or pain. In such cases, seek immediate medical assistance.

**INGESTION:** Seek medical assistance immediately. Keep the victim calm. Give the victim water (only if conscious). Induce vomiting only if directed by medical personnel.

#### SECTION 5 FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

FLASH POINT: Product is not flammable.

**AUTO IGNITION TEMPERATURE:** Not available

**EXPLOSION LIMITS: Not available** 

**EXTINGUISHING MEDIUM:** Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical, or carbon dioxide.

SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES: Wear self-contained, approved breathing apparatus and full protective clothing,

including eye protection and boots.

HAZARDOUS COMBUSTION AND DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS: Hydrogen bromide gas

#### SECTION 6 ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**PERSONAL PRECAUTIONS:** Wear all appropriate equipment when using this material. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing dust.

**ENVIRONMENTAL PRECAUTIONS:** Prevent spillage from entering drains or allowing to be released into the environment. **METHODS AND MATERIALS FOR CONTAINMENT AND CLEANING UP:** Avoid formation of dusts. Collect and dispose properly. Clean up affected area.

#### SECTION 7 HANDLING AND STORAGE

**PRECAUTIONS FOR SAFE HANDLING:** Wear appropriate personal protective equipment. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

# SECTION 7 HANDLING AND STORAGE (Cont.)

CONDITIONS FOR SAFE STORAGE: Store in cool, dry, and well-ventilated area. Store away from moisture.

# SECTION 8 EXPOSURE CONTROLS AND PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### **EXPOSURE CONTROLS:**

Component	Exposure Limits	Basis	Entity
Cobalt bromide, anhydrous	0.02 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	TWA	ACGIH

TWA: Time Weighted Average over 8 hours of work.

EYE PROTECTION: Wear chemical safety glasses or goggles and face shield.

SKIN PROTECTION: Wear nitrile or rubber gloves, and a complete suit protecting against chemicals.

**VENTILATION:** Provide local exhaust, preferably mechanical.

**RESPIRATOR:** Use an approved respirator.

ADDITIONAL PROTECTION: Provide eyewash stations, quick-drench showers and washing facilities accessible to areas of use and

handling.

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

**COLOR AND FORM:** Green powder or chunks

**ODOR:** None

MOLECULAR WEIGHT: 218.74

BOILING POINT: No data available

MELTING POINT: No data available

**SPECIFIC GRAVITY: 4.909** 

VAPOR DENSITY: No data available SOLUBILITY IN WATER: No data available

#### SECTION 10 STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**STABILITY: Stable** 

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION: Will not occur CONDITIONS TO AVOID: No data available

**INCOMPATIBILITY:** Oxidizing agents and alkali metals **DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS**: Hydrogen bromide gas

# SECTION 11 TOXICOLOGICAL DATA

ACUTE TOXICITY: LD50 Oral - rat - 406 mg/kg

**CARCINOGENIC EFFECTS:** No components of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable,

possible, or confirmed human carcinogen.

MUTAGENIC EFFECTS: No data available

TETRATOGENIC EFFECTS: No data available

To the best of our knowledge the toxicological effects of this compound have not been fully investigated.

#### SECTION 12 ECOLOGICAL DATA

No data available

# SECTION 13 DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Dispose of in according to local, state, and federal regulations.

# **SECTION 14 TRANSPORTATION DATA**

UN3077

Environmentally hazardous substance, solid, n.o.s

(Cobalt bromide)

CLASS 9

PG III

Marine Pollutant: No

# **SECTION 15 REGULATORY INFORMATION**

TSCA List: Listed

SARA 302/304: Not Listed

SARA 311/312: Acute Health Hazard, Chronic Health Hazard

SARA (TITLE 313): This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold

(De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

MASSACHUSETTS RIGHT TO KNOW COMPONENTS: Cobalt bromide

#### **SECTION 16 OTHER INFORMATION**

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