

# LTS Research Laboratories, Inc. Safety Data Sheet Bismuth Cobalt Oxide

## 1. Product and Company Identification

Trade Name: Bismuth cobalt oxide

Chemical Formula: BiCoO<sub>3</sub>

Recommended Use: Scientific research and development

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#### 2. Hazards Identification

Signal Word: Warning



Hazard Statements: H302: Harmful if swallowed

H317: May cause an allergic skin reaction

Precautionary Statements: P261 Avoid breathing dust/fume/vapor

P280: Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face

protection

P301+P312: IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or

doctor/physician if you feel unwell

P363: Wash contaminated clothing before reuse P321: Specific treatment (see on this label)

P501: Dispose of contents/container in accordance with

local/regional/national/international regulations

HMIS Health Ratings (0-4):

Health: 2
Flammability: 0
Physical: 1

# 3. Composition

Chemical Family: Ceramic Additional Names: None

Bismuth cobalt oxide (BiCoO<sub>3</sub>):

Percentage: 100 wt% CAS #: NIL EC #: NIL

4. First Aid Procedures

General Treatment: Seek medical attention if symptoms persist.

Special Treatment: None Important Symptoms: None

Inhalation: Remove victim to fresh air. Supply oxygen if breathing is difficult.

Ingestion: Seek Medical attention

Skin: Wash affected area with mild soap and water.

Eyes: Flush eyes with water, blinking often for several minutes. Remove

contact lenses if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing

5. Firefighting Measures

Flammability: Non-flammable

Extinguishing Media: No special restrictions – use suitable extinguishing agent for

surrounding material and type of fire.

Spec. Fire Fighting Procedure: Use full-face, self-contained breathing apparatus with full protective

clothing to prevent contact with skin and eyes. See section 10 for

decomposition products.

6. Accidental Release Measures

If Material Is Released/Spilled: Wear appropriate respiratory and protective equipment specified in

special protection information. Isolate spill area and provide ventilation. Vacuum up spill using a high efficiency particulate absolute (HEPA) air filter and place in a closed container for disposal.

Take care not to raise dust.

Environmental Precautions: Isolate runoff to prevent environmental pollution.

7. Handling and Storage

Handling Conditions: Wash thoroughly after handling.

Storage Conditions: Store in a cool dry place in a tightly sealed container. Store apart from

materials and conditions listed in section 10.

Work/Hygienic Maintenance: Do not use tobacco or food in work area. Wash thoroughly before

eating and smoking. Do not blow dust off clothing or skin with

compressed air.

Ventilation: Provide sufficient ventilation to maintain concentration at or below

threshold limit.

8. Exposure Controls and Personal Protection

Permissible Exposure Limits: 0.1 mg/m<sup>3</sup> as Co, long-term value

Threshold Limit Value: 0.02 mg/m<sup>3</sup> as Co, long-term value

Special Equipment: None

Respiratory Protection:
Protective Gloves:

Dust Respirator
Rubber gloves

Eye Protection: Safety glasses or goggles

Body Protection: Protective work clothing. Wear close-toed shoes and long

sleeves/pants.

## 9. Physical and Chemical Characteristics

Color Grey

Form: Powder, Granules, Pellets, Sputtering target, Custom parts

Odor: **Odorless** Water Solubility: Insoluble **Boiling Point:** N/A **Melting Point:** N/A Flash Point: N/A Autoignition Temperature: N/A Density: N/A

Molecular weight: 316.91 g/mol

# 10. Reactivity

Stability: Stable under recommended storage conditions

Reacts With: Oxidizing agents

**Incompatible Conditions:** Air

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Metal oxide fume

## 11. Toxicological Information

Potential Health Effects:

Eyes: May cause irritation Skin: Causes irritation Ingestion: Harmful

Inhalation: May cause irritation

Chronic: N/A

Signs & Symptoms:

N/A N/A **Aggravated Medical Conditions:** 

Median Lethal Dose: ~202 mg/kg for rat by mouth

Cobalt oxide: Carcinogen:

IARC-2B: Possibly carcinogenic to humans: limited evidence in human

in the absence of sufficient evidence in experimental animals.

ACGIH A3: Animal carcinogen: Agent is carcinogenic in experimental animals at a relatively high dose, by routes of administration, at sites, of histologic types, or by mechanisms not considered relevant to worker exposure. Available epidemiologic 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 level of exposure.

# 12. Ecological Information

Aquatic Toxicity: High No Persistent Bioaccumulation Toxicity: Very Persistent, Very Bioaccumulative: No

Very toxic for aquatic organism. Notes:

May cause long lasting harmful effect on aquatic life.

Do not allow material to be released to the environment without proper

governmental permits.

Do not allow product to reach any water sources.

Danger to drinking water if even extremely small quantities leak into

the ground.

# 13. Disposal Considerations

Dispose of in accordance with local, state, national, and international regulations.

#### 14. Transportation Data

Hazardous: Hazardous for transportation.



Hazard Class: 6.1 Toxic substances.

Packing Group: III UN Number: UN3288

Proper Shipping Name: Toxic solid, inorganic, n.o.s. (Bismuth cobalt oxide)

# 15. Regulatory Information

Sec 302 Extremely Hazardous: No Sec 304 Reportable Quantities: N/A

Sec 313 Toxic Chemicals: Yes, Cobalt oxide

#### 16. Other Information

This safety data sheet should be used in conjunction with technical sheets. It does not replace them. The information given is based on our knowledge of this product, at the time of publication. It is given in good faith. The attention of the user is drawn to the possible risks incurred by using the product for any other purpose other than that for which it was intended. This does not in any way excuse the user from knowing and applying all the regulations governing his activity. It is the sole responsibility of the user to take all precautions required in handling the product. The aim of the mandatory regulations mentioned is to help the user to fulfill his obligations regarding the use of hazardous products.

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