

## Safety data sheet

according to 1907/2006/EC, Article 31 (REACH)

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### SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

- **1.1 Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** Cobalt, standard solution 1000 mg/l for ICP (Co in HNO<sub>3</sub> 2%)
- **Article number:** CO0014
- **1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**  
No further relevant information available.
- **Application of the substance / the preparation:** Laboratory reagent
- **1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**  
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### SECTION 2: Hazards identification

- **2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture**
- **Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**



GHS08 health hazard

Carc. 1B            H350i May cause cancer by inhalation.  
Repr. 1B            H360F May damage fertility.



GHS09 environment

Aquatic Chronic 2 H411    Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.



GHS07

Skin Irrit. 2            H315 Causes skin irritation.  
Eye Irrit. 2            H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

- **2.2 Label elements**
- **Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**  
The product is classified and labelled according to the CLP regulation.

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• **Hazard pictograms**



GHS07 GHS08 GHS09

• **Signal word** Danger

• **Hazard-determining components of labelling:**

cobalt dinitrate

• **Hazard statements**

H315 Causes skin irritation.

H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

H350i May cause cancer by inhalation.

H360F May damage fertility.

H411 Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

• **Precautionary statements**

P273 Avoid release to the environment.

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

P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P308+P313 IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.

P405 Store locked up.

P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

• **Additional information:**

Contains cobalt dinitrate. May produce an allergic reaction.

• **2.3 Other hazards**

• **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

• **PBT:** Not applicable.• **vPvB:** Not applicable.

### SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

• **3.2 Chemical characterisation: Mixtures**

• **Description:** Aqueous solution

• **Dangerous components:**

CAS: 7697-37-2 EINECS: 231-714-2 Reg.nr.: 01-2119487297-23-XXXX	nitric acid ☠ Ox. Liq. 2, H272; ☠ Skin Corr. 1A, H314	1-5%
CAS: 10141-05-6 EINECS: 233-402-1	cobalt dinitrate ☠ Resp. Sens. 1, H334; Muta. 2, H341; Carc. 1B, H350i; Repr. 1B, H360F; ☠ Aquatic Acute 1, H400; ☠ Aquatic Chronic 1, H410; ☠ Skin Sens. 1, H317	0.1-1%

• **SVHC**

10141-05-6 cobalt dinitrate

• **Additional information:** For the wording of the listed hazard phrases refer to section 16.

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### SECTION 4: First aid measures

- **4.1 Description of first aid measures**
- **After inhalation:**  
In case of unconsciousness place patient stably in side position for transportation.
- **After skin contact:** Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.
- **After eye contact:**  
Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. If symptoms persist, consult a doctor.
- **After swallowing:** If symptoms persist consult doctor.
- **4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**  
No further relevant information available.
- **4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**  
No further relevant information available.

### SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

- **5.1 Extinguishing media**
- **Suitable extinguishing agents:**  
CO<sub>2</sub>, powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.
- **5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**  
No further relevant information available.
- **5.3 Advice for firefighters**
- **Protective equipment:** No special measures required.

### SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

- **6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures** Not required.
- **6.2 Environmental precautions:**  
Inform respective authorities in case of seepage into water course or sewage system.  
Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.
- **6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**  
Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).  
Dispose contaminated material as waste according to item 13.  
Ensure adequate ventilation.
- **6.4 Reference to other sections**  
See Section 7 for information on safe handling.  
See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.  
See Section 13 for disposal information.

### SECTION 7: Handling and storage

- **7.1 Precautions for safe handling**  
Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.  
Open and handle receptacle with care.  
Prevent formation of aerosols.
- **Information about fire - and explosion protection:** Keep respiratory protective device available.
- **7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **Storage:**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** No special requirements.
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.
- **Further information about storage conditions:** Keep container tightly sealed.

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- **7.3 Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

### SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

- **Additional information about design of technical facilities:** No further data; see item 7.

- **8.1 Control parameters**

- **Ingredients with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**

**7697-37-2 nitric acid**WEL Short-term value: 2.6 mg/m<sup>3</sup>, 1 ppm**10141-05-6 cobalt dinitrate**WEL Long-term value: 0.1 mg/m<sup>3</sup>  
as Co; Carc, Sen

- **Additional information:** The lists valid during the making were used as basis.

- **8.2 Exposure controls**

- **Personal protective equipment:**

- **General protective and hygienic measures:**

Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.  
Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing  
Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.  
Store protective clothing separately.  
Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

- **Respiratory protection:**

In case of brief exposure or low pollution use respiratory filter device. In case of intensive or longer exposure use self-contained respiratory protective device.

- **Protection of hands:**



Protective gloves

The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.

Due to missing tests no recommendation to the glove material can be given for the product/ the preparation/ the chemical mixture.

Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation

- **Material of gloves**

The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer. As the product is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material can not be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application.

- **Penetration time of glove material**

The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.

- **Eye protection:**



Tightly sealed goggles

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### SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

- **9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties**
- **General Information**
- **Appearance:**
  - **Form:** Fluid
  - **Colour:** Colourless
- **Odour:** Odourless
- **Odour threshold:** Not determined.
- **pH-value:** Not determined.
- **Change in condition**
  - **Melting point/freezing point:** Undetermined.
  - **Initial boiling point and boiling range:** 100 °C
- **Flash point:** Not applicable.
- **Flammability (solid, gas):** Not applicable.
- **Decomposition temperature:** Not determined.
- **Auto-ignition temperature:** Product is not selfigniting.
- **Explosive properties:** Product does not present an explosion hazard.
- **Explosion limits:**
  - **Lower:** Not determined.
  - **Upper:** Not determined.
- **Vapour pressure at 20 °C:** 23 hPa
- **Density:** Not determined.
- **Relative density** Not determined.
- **Vapour density** Not determined.
- **Evaporation rate** Not determined.
- **Solubility in / Miscibility with water:** Not miscible or difficult to mix.
- **Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water:** Not determined.
- **Viscosity:**
  - **Dynamic:** Not determined.
  - **Kinematic:** Not determined.
- **Solvent content:**
  - **Organic solvents:** 0.0 %
  - **Water:** 97.9 %
- **Solids content:** 0.3 %
- **9.2 Other information** No further relevant information available.

### SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

- **10.1 Reactivity** No further relevant information available.
- **10.2 Chemical stability**
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions** No dangerous reactions known.
- **10.4 Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.
- **10.5 Incompatible materials:** No further relevant information available.

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- **10.6 Hazardous decomposition products:** No dangerous decomposition products known.

### SECTION 11: Toxicological information

- **11.1 Information on toxicological effects**
- **Acute toxicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **Skin corrosion/irritation**  
Causes skin irritation.
- **Serious eye damage/irritation**  
Causes serious eye irritation.
- **Respiratory or skin sensitisation** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **CMR effects (carcinogenicity, mutagenicity and toxicity for reproduction)**
- **Germ cell mutagenicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Carcinogenicity**  
May cause cancer by inhalation.
- **Reproductive toxicity**  
May damage fertility.
- **STOT-single exposure** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **STOT-repeated exposure** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Aspiration hazard** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

### SECTION 12: Ecological information

- **12.1 Toxicity**
- **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.
- **12.2 Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.
- **12.3 Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.
- **12.4 Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.
- **Ecotoxicological effects:**
- **Remark:** Toxic for fish
- **Additional ecological information:**
- **General notes:**  
Water hazard class 1 (German Regulation) (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water  
Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities of it to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.  
Also poisonous for fish and plankton in water bodies.  
Toxic for aquatic organisms
- **12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.
- **12.6 Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.

### SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

- **13.1 Waste treatment methods**
- **Recommendation**  
Must not be disposed together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.

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- **Uncleaned packaging:**
- **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

### SECTION 14: Transport information

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|---|---|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· <b>14.1 UN-Number</b></li> <li>· <b>ADR, IMDG, IATA</b></li> <li>· <b>14.2 UN proper shipping name</b></li> <li>· <b>ADR</b></li> </ul>  | <p>UN3264</p> <p>3264 CORROSIVE LIQUID, ACIDIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (NITRIC ACID), ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS</p>  |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· <b>IMDG, IATA</b></li> <li>· <b>14.3 Transport hazard class(es)</b></li> <li>· <b>ADR</b></li> </ul>   | <p>CORROSIVE LIQUID, ACIDIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (NITRIC ACID)</p>  |
| <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: center;">   </div>   |   |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· <b>Class</b></li> <li>· <b>Label</b></li> </ul>  | <p>8 Corrosive substances.</p> <p>8</p>   |
|   |   |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· <b>IMDG, IATA</b></li> </ul>   |   |
| <div style="display: flex; justify-content: center; align-items: center;">  </div>   |   |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· <b>Class</b></li> <li>· <b>Label</b></li> <li>· <b>14.4 Packing group</b></li> <li>· <b>ADR, IMDG, IATA</b></li> <li>· <b>14.5 Environmental hazards:</b></li> <li>· <b>Marine pollutant:</b></li> <li>· <b>Special marking (ADR):</b></li> <li>· <b>14.6 Special precautions for user</b></li> <li>· <b>Danger code (Kemler):</b></li> <li>· <b>EMS Number:</b></li> <li>· <b>Segregation groups</b></li> <li>· <b>Stowage Category</b></li> <li>· <b>Stowage Code</b></li> <li>· <b>14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol and the IBC Code</b></li> </ul> | <p>8 Corrosive substances.</p> <p>8</p> <p>III</p> <p>No</p> <p>Symbol (fish and tree)</p> <p>Warning: Corrosive substances.</p> <p>80</p> <p>F-A,S-B</p> <p>Acids</p> <p>A</p> <p>SW2 Clear of living quarters.</p> <p>Not applicable.</p> |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· <b>Transport/Additional information:</b></li> </ul>  |   |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· <b>ADR</b></li> <li>· <b>Limited quantities (LQ)</b></li> <li>· <b>Transport category</b></li> <li>· <b>Tunnel restriction code</b></li> <li>· <b>UN "Model Regulation":</b></li> </ul>  | <p>5L</p> <p>3</p> <p>E</p> <p>UN 3264 CORROSIVE LIQUID, ACIDIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (NITRIC ACID), 8, III, ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS</p>   |

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### SECTION 15: Regulatory information

- **15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**
- **Directive 2012/18/EU**
- **Named dangerous substances - ANNEX I** None of the ingredients is listed.
- **Seveso category** E2 Hazardous to the Aquatic Environment
- **Qualifying quantity (tonnes) for the application of lower-tier requirements** 200 t
- **Qualifying quantity (tonnes) for the application of upper-tier requirements** 500 t
- **REGULATION (EC) No 1907/2006 ANNEX XVII** Conditions of restriction: 3, 28, 30
- **National regulations:**
- **Other regulations, limitations and prohibitive regulations**
- **Substances of very high concern (SVHC) according to REACH, Article 57**  
10141-05-6 cobalt dinitrate
- **15.2 Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

### SECTION 16: Other information

This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

- **Relevant phrases**  
H272 May intensify fire; oxidiser.  
H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.  
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.  
H350i May cause cancer by inhalation.  
H360F May damage fertility.  
H400 Very toxic to aquatic life.  
H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.
- **Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**  
The classification of the mixture is generally based on the calculation method using substance data according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008.
- **Department issuing SDS:** product safety department
- **Contact:** msds@scharlab.com
- **Abbreviations and acronyms:**  
RID: Règlement international concernant le transport des marchandises dangereuses par chemin de fer (Regulations Concerning the International Transport of Dangerous Goods by Rail)  
ICAO: International Civil Aviation Organisation  
ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)  
IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods  
IATA: International Air Transport Association  
GHS: Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals  
EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances  
ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances  
CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)  
PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic  
SVHC: Substances of Very High Concern  
vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative  
Ox. Liq. 2: Oxidizing liquids – Category 2  
Skin Corr. 1A: Skin corrosion/irritation – Category 1A  
Skin Irrit. 2: Skin corrosion/irritation – Category 2  
Eye Irrit. 2: Serious eye damage/eye irritation – Category 2  
Resp. Sens. 1: Respiratory sensitisation – Category 1  
Skin Sens. 1: Skin sensitisation – Category 1  
Muta. 2: Germ cell mutagenicity – Category 2

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Carc. 1B: Carcinogenicity – Category 1B

Repr. 1B: Reproductive toxicity – Category 1B

Aquatic Acute 1: Hazardous to the aquatic environment - acute aquatic hazard – Category 1

Aquatic Chronic 1: Hazardous to the aquatic environment - long-term aquatic hazard – Category 1

Aquatic Chronic 2: Hazardous to the aquatic environment - long-term aquatic hazard – Category 2