

Safety Data Sheet

Ferric Sulfate, Hydrated, Crystal Reagent

1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name: Ferric Sulfate, Hydrated, Crystal Reagent

Synonyms/Generic Names: Ferris Sulfate

Product Number: 2235

Product Use: Industrial, Manufacturing or Laboratory use

Manufacturer: Columbus Chemical Industries, Inc.

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In Case of Emergency Call: CHEMTREC - 800-424-9300 or 703-527-3887 (24 Hours/Day, 7 Days/Week)

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Hazard Not Otherwise Classified (HNOC): None

Signal Word: Danger

Pictograms:



GHS Classification:

Acute toxicity, Oral	Category 4
Skin irritation	Category 2
Eye irritation	Category 1

GHS Label Elements, including precautionary statements:

Hazard Statements:

H302	Harmful if swallowed.
H315	Causes skin irritation.
H318	Causes serious eye damage.

Precautionary Statements:

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	P264	Wash hands thoroughly after handling.
	P270	Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
	P280	Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
		IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor/physician if you feel
	P301+P312	unwell.
	P302+P352	IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water.

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P305+P351+P338	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove
	contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P310	Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor/physician.
P330	Rinse mouth.
P332+P313	If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
P362+P364	Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.
P501	Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local regulations.

Potential Health Effects

Eyes	Causes eye irritation.	
Inhalation	May be harmful if inhaled. Causes respiratory tract irritation.	
Skin	Harmful if absorbed through skin. Causes skin irritation.	
Ingestion	estion Harmful if swallowed.	

NFPA Ratings

Health	2
Flammability	0
Reactivity	0
Specific hazard	Not Available

HMIS Ratings

Health	2
Fire	0
Reactivity	0

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Component	Weight %	CAS#	EINECS# / ELINCS#	Formula	Molecular Weight
Ferric Sulfate, Hydrated	>99	10028-22-5	233-072-9	Fe ₂ O ₁₂ S ₃ •xH ₂ O	N/A

4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

Rinse with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and seek medical attention.
Move casualty to fresh air and keep at rest. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Get medical attention.
Immediately flush with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and wash using soap. Get medical attention.
Do Not Induce Vomiting! Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If conscious, wash out mouth with water. Get medical attention.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable (and unsuitable)	Product is not flammable. Use appropriate media for adjacent fire.	
extinguishing media	Cool containers with water.	
Special protective equipment	Wear self-contained, approved breathing apparatus and full protective	
and precautions for	clothing, including eye protection and boots.	
firefighters		
Specific hazards arising from	n Emits toxic fumes (sulfur oxides, iron oxides) under fire conditions.	
the chemical	(See also Stability and Reactivity section).	

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions,	See section 8 for recommendations on the use of
protective equipment and	personal protective equipment.
emergency procedures	

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Environmental precautions	Prevent spillage from entering drains. Any release to the environment	
	may be subject to federal/national or local reporting requirements.	
Methods and materials for	Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. Sweep up and	
containment and cleaning up	shovel. Clean surfaces thoroughly with water to remove residual	
	contamination. Dispose of all waste and cleanup materials in	
	accordance with regulations.	

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

See section 8 for recommendations on the use of personal protective equipment. Use with adequate ventilation. Wash thoroughly after using. Keep container closed when not in use. Avoid formation of dusts.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store in cool, dry well ventilated area. Keep away from incompatible materials (see section 10 for incompatibilities). Material is hygroscopic and light sensitive.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Occupational exposure controls:

Component	Exposure Limits	Basis	Entity
Ferric Sulfate Hydrated	1 mg/m ³	TLV	ACGIH
	1 mg/m ³	PEL	OSHA
	1 mg/m ³	REL	NIOSH

TWA: Time Weighted Average over 8 hours of work. TLV: Threshold Limit Value over 8 hours of work.

REL: Recommended Exposure Limit PEL: Permissible Exposure Limit

STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit during x minutes. IDLH: Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health WEEL: Workplace Environmental Exposure Levels

CEIL: Ceiling

Personal Protection

Eyes	Wear chemical safety glasses with side shields or goggles.	
Inhalation	Provide local exhaust, preferably mechanical. If exposure levels are excessive, use an approved respirator.	
Skin	Wear nitrile or rubber gloves, apron or lab coat.	
Other	Not Available	

Other Recommendations

Provide eyewash stations, quick-drench showers and washing facilities accessible to areas of use and handling.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance (physical state, color, etc.)	Grey to yellow crystals
Odor	Not Available
Odor threshold	Not Available
pH	Not Available
Melting point/freezing point	Decomposes. (480°C or 896°F)
Initial boiling point and boiling range	Not Available

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Flash point	Not Flammable
Evaporation rate	Not Available
Flammability (solid, gas)	Not Flammable
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limit	Not Flammable
Vapor pressure	Not Available
Vapor density	Not Available
Density	Not Available
Solubility (ies)	Not Available
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	Not Available
Auto-ignition temperature	Not Available
Decomposition temperature	480°C (896°F)

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Chemical Stability	Stable
Possibility of Hazardous Reactions	Will not occur.
Conditions to Avoid	Avoid moisture. Light.
Incompatible Materials	Strong oxidizing agents.
Hazardous Decomposition	Sulfur oxides, iron oxides.
Products	

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute Toxicity

Ferric Sulfate Hydrated

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	Skin	Not Available	
	Eyes	Not Available	
	Respiratory	Not Available	
	Ingestion	Not Available	

Carcinogenicity

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IARC	No components of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is
	identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.
ACGIH	No components of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is
	identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH.
NTP	No components of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is
	identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.
OSHA	No components of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is
	identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

Signs & Symptoms of Exposure

Skin	Irritation, redness, itchiness.
Eyes	Irritation, redness, watering eyes, itchiness.
Respiratory	Irritation, coughing, and wheezing.
Ingestion	Overdose of iron compounds may have a corrosive effect on the gastrointestinal mucosa and be followed by necrosis, perforation, and stricture formation. Several hours may elapse before symptoms that can include epigastric pain, diarrhea, vomiting, nausea, and hematemesis occur. After apparent recovery a person may experience metabolic acidosis, convulsions, and coma hours or days later. Further complications may develop leading to acute liver necrosis that can result in death due to hepatic coma

Chronic Toxicity	Not Available
Teratogenicity	Not Available
Mutagenicity	Not Available

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Embryotoxicity	Not Available
Specific Target Organ Toxicity	Inhalation - May cause respiratory irritation. Liver.
Reproductive Toxicity	Not Available

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

Aquatic Vertebrate	Not Available
Aquatic	Not Available
Invertebrate	
Terrestrial	Not Available

Persistence and Degradability	Not Available
Bioaccumulative Potential	Not Available
Mobility in Soil	Not Available
PBT and vPvB Assessment	Not Available
Other Adverse Effects	Not Available

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Product or	Users should review their operations in terms of the applicable federal/national or
Residues	local regulations and consult with appropriate regulatory agencies if necessary
	before disposing of waste product or residue.
Product	Users should review their operations in terms of the applicable federal/national or
Containers	local regulations and consult with appropriate regulatory agencies if necessary
	before disposing of waste product container.

The information offered in section 13 is for the product as shipped. Use and/or alterations to the product may significantly change the characteristics of the material and alter the waste classification and proper disposal methods.

14. TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

US DOT	Not Dangerous Goods
TDG	Not Dangerous Goods
IMDG	Not Dangerous Goods
Marine Pollutant	No
IATA/ICAO	Not Dangerous Goods

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

TSCA Inventory Status	All ingredients are listed on the TSCA Active
	inventory.
DSL / NDSL	All ingredients are listed on the DSL inventory.
California Proposition 65	Not Listed
Rhode Island: Hazardous Substance List	Listed: Ferric Sulfate, Hydrated
Massachusetts: Toxic or Hazardous Substance List,	Listed: Ferric Sulfate, Hydrated
Right to Know	
Pennsylvania: Hazardous Substance List	Listed: Ferric Sulfate, Hydrated
New Jersey: Right to Know Hazardous Substance	Listed: Ferric Sulfate, Hydrated
List	
SARA 302	Not Listed

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SARA 304	Not Listed
SARA 311	Acute Health Hazard.
SARA 312	Acute Health Hazard.
SARA 313	Not Listed
WHMIS Canada	Not Listed

16. OTHER INFORMATION

Revision	Date
Original	07/19/2012
Revision 1	06/29/2015
Revision 2	10/08/2021

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