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

1.1. Product identifier

Product form: Substance
Physical state: Solid
Substance name: CERIUM(III) OXALATE, nonahydrate
Product code: CXCE070
Formula: C₆Ce₂O₁₂·9H₂O
Synonyms: CEROUS OXALATE
Chemical family: RARE EARTH COMPOUND

1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Use of the substance/mixture: Chemical intermediate
For research use only

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

GELEST, INC.
11 East Steel Road
Morrisville, PA 19067
USA
T 215-547-1015 - F 215-547-2484 - (M-F): 8:00 AM - 5:30 PM EST
info@gelest.com - www.gelest.com

1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number: CHEMTREC: 1-800-424-9300 (USA); +1 703-527-3887 (International)

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification (GHS-US)
Eye Irrit. 2A H319
Full text of H-phrases: see section 16

2.2. Label elements

GHS-US labeling
Hazard pictograms (GHS-US):

Signal word (GHS-US): Warning
Hazard statements (GHS-US): H319 - Causes serious eye irritation
Precautionary statements (GHS-US):
P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection
P264 - Wash hands thoroughly after handling
P305+P351+P338 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing
P337+P313 - IF eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention

2.3. Other hazards

No additional information available

2.4. Unknown acute toxicity (GHS US)

No data available

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1. Substance

Substance type: Mono-constituent
Name: CERIUM(III) OXALATE, nonahydrate
CAS No: 15750-47-7

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SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures general: Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label where possible). If possible show this sheet; if not available show packaging or label.

First-aid measures after inhalation: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice.

First-aid measures after skin contact: Wash with plenty of soap and water.

First-aid measures after eye contact: Immediately flush eyes thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get medical advice/attention.

First-aid measures after ingestion: Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical advice/attention.

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms/injuries after inhalation: May cause irritation to the respiratory tract.

Symptoms/injuries after skin contact: May cause skin irritation.

Symptoms/injuries after eye contact: Causes serious eye irritation.

Symptoms/injuries after ingestion: May be harmful if swallowed.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1. Extinguishing media


Unsuitable extinguishing media: None known.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Fire hazard: Irritating fumes and organic acid vapors may develop when material is exposed to elevated temperatures or open flame.

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Firefighting instructions: Use water spray to cool exposed surfaces. Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire.

Protection during firefighting: Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not breathe dust.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Protective equipment: Wear protective equipment as described in Section 8.

Emergency procedures: Evacuate unnecessary personnel.

6.1.2. For emergency responders

Protective equipment: Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. Equip cleanup crew with proper protection. For further information refer to section 8: "Exposure controls/personal protection".

6.2. Environmental precautions

Prevent entry to sewers and public waters. Notify authorities if product enters sewers or public waters.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up: Sweep or shovel spills into appropriate container for disposal.

6.4. Reference to other sections

See Heading 8. Exposure controls and personal protection.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling: Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not breathe dust. Provide local exhaust or general room ventilation to minimize exposure to dust. Avoid dust formation. Once opened, inert products before resealing.

Hygiene measures: Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage conditions: Keep container tightly closed.
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Incompatible materials: Oxidizing agent.
Storage area: Store in a well-ventilated place. Store away from heat.

7.3. Specific end use(s)
No additional information available

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

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8.2. Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls: Provide local exhaust or general room ventilation.
Personal protective equipment: Avoid all unnecessary exposure. Emergency eye wash fountains and safety showers should be available in the immediate vicinity of any potential exposure.

Hand protection: Neoprene or nitrile rubber gloves.
Eye protection: Chemical goggles. Contact lenses should not be worn.
Skin and body protection: Wear suitable protective clothing.
Respiratory protection: Where exposure through inhalation may occur from use, respiratory protection equipment is recommended. NIOSH-certified dust and mist (orange cartridge) respirator.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

- Physical state: Solid
- Appearance: Powder.
- Molecular mass: 544.29/706.44 g/mol
- Color: Off-white to slightly pink.
- Odor: No data available
- Odor threshold: No data available
- Refractive index: No data available
- pH: No data available
- Relative evaporation rate (butyl acetate=1): No data available
- Melting point: > 300 °C decomposes
- Freezing point: No data available
- Boiling point: No data available
- Flash point: No data available
- Auto-ignition temperature: No data available
- Decomposition temperature: No data available
- Flammability (solid, gas): No data available
- Vapor pressure: < 0.1 mm Hg @ 25°C
- Relative vapor density at 20 °C: No data available
- Relative density: > 1
- VOC content: < 3 %
- Solubility: Insoluble in water.
- Log Pow: No data available
- Log Kow: No data available
- Viscosity, kinematic: No data available
- Viscosity, dynamic: No data available
- Explosive properties: No data available
- Oxidizing properties: No data available
- Explosion limits: No data available

9.2. Other information
No additional information available

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity
No additional information available

10.2. Chemical stability
Stable.
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10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions
No additional information available

10.4. Conditions to avoid
Heat. Open flame. Sparks.

10.5. Incompatible materials
Oxidizing agent.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on toxicological effects
Acute toxicity : Not classified
Skin corrosion/irritation : Not classified
Serious eye damage/irritation : Causes serious eye irritation.
Respiratory or skin sensitization : Not classified
Germ cell mutagenicity : Not classified
Carcinogenicity : Not classified
Reproductive toxicity : Not classified
Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) : Not classified
Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure) : Not classified
Aspiration hazard : Not classified
Potential Adverse human health effects and symptoms : Compounds of cerium are generally of low toxicity. Workers exposed to cerium compounds have experienced sensitivity to heat, itching and skin lesions. Large doses to experimental animals have caused writhing, ataxia, labored respiration, sedation, hypotension and death by cardiovascular collapse. The toxicity of cerium oxalate, nonahydrate has not been studied.

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Symptoms/injuries after skin contact : May cause skin irritation.
Symptoms/injuries after eye contact : Causes serious eye irritation.
Symptoms/injuries after ingestion : May be harmful if swallowed.
Reason for classification : Expert judgment

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity
No additional information available

12.2. Persistence and degradability
No additional information available

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential
No additional information available

12.4. Mobility in soil
No additional information available

12.5. Other adverse effects
Effect on ozone layer : No additional information available
Effect on the global warming : No known ecological damage caused by this product.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods
Waste disposal recommendations : Dispose of solid materials or residues at a licensed site. Dispose in a safe manner in accordance with local/national regulations.
Ecology - waste materials : Avoid release to the environment.

SECTION 14: Transport information

14.1. UN number
Not regulated for transport.

14.2. UN proper shipping name
Not applicable
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14.3. Additional information

Other information : No supplementary information available.

Transport by sea

No additional information available

Air transport

No additional information available

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1. US Federal regulations

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15.2. International regulations

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15.3. US State regulations

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No significance risk level (NSRL)

SECTION 16: Other information

Abbreviations and acronyms : Abbreviations: ND: Not Determined, No Data; NA: Not Applicable; LD: Lethal Dose; LC: Lethal Concentration; ATE: Acute Toxicity Estimates; H: hour; °: °C unless otherwise stated; mm: millimeters Hg, torr; PEL: permissible exposure level; TWA: time weighted average; TLV: threshold limit value; TG: Test Guideline; NIOSH: National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health; IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer; NTP: National Toxicology Program; HMIS: Hazardous Material Information System; CAS No.: Chemical Abstract Service Registration Number; EC No.: European Commission Registration Number; EC Index No.: European Commission Index Number; OECD: The Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development.

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HMIS III Rating

Health : 2 Moderate Hazard - Temporary or minor injury may occur
Flammability : 1 Slight Hazard
Physical : 0 Minimal Hazard

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