# SAFETY DATA SHEET



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## 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE MATERIAL AND SUPPLIER

**Product identifier** 

Product Name COPPER GLUCONATE

**Product Code(s)** 000000033223

Other means of identification

Proper shipping name ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. (COPPER

GLUCONATE)

UN number 3077

**CAS No.** 527-09-3

Chemical name Copper, bis(D-gluconato)-

Synonyms Copper Gluconate 13%; Copper Gluconate (13% Copper)

Pure substance/mixture Substance

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use Pharmaceutical.

Uses advised against No information available.

**Supplier** 

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Please ensure you refer to the limitations of this Safety Data Sheet as set out in the "Other Information" section at the end of this Data Sheet.

### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### GHS Classification

Classified as dangerous goods in accordance with the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail

(ADG).

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Classified as a hazardous chemical in accordance with the criteria of Safe Work Australia - Globally Harmonized System (GHS).

Acute toxicity - Oral	Category 4 - (H302)
Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure)	Category 2 - (H373)
Acute aquatic toxicity	Category 1 - (H400)
Chronic aquatic toxicity	Category 2 - (H411)

### **SIGNAL WORD**

Warning

#### Label elements

**Exclamation mark** 

Health hazard Environment

### **Hazard statements**

H302 - Harmful if swallowed

H373 - May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure

H400 - Very toxic to aquatic life

H411 - Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

### **Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product

Do not breathe fume, gas, mist, vapours, spray

Avoid release to the environment

### **Precautionary Statements - Response**

Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell

IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell

Rinse mouth

Collect spillage

#### **Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

#### Other hazards which do not result in classification

May form combustible dust concentrations in air

General Hazards Dust can form an explosive mixture with air

Poisons Schedule (SUSMP)

### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Substance

Chemical name	CAS No.	Weight-%
Copper gluconate	527-09-3	100

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

**Description of first aid measures** 

General advice Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

**Emergency telephone number** Poisons Information Center, Australia: 13 11 26

Poisons Information Center, New Zealand: 0800 764 766

Inhalation Remove to fresh air. Call a physician if symptoms occur.

Eye contact Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, lifting lower and upper eyelids.

Consult a physician.

Skin contact Wash skin with soap and water. Call a physician if symptoms occur.

Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Do NOT induce vomiting. Ingestion

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Call a physician.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

**Symptoms** No information available.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Note to physicians Treat symptomatically.

### 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable Extinguishing Media

**Suitable Extinguishing Media** Dry chemical, CO2, water spray or regular foam.

Unsuitable extinguishing media Do not use straight streams.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Specific hazards arising from the

chemical

Combustible material. Dust can form an explosive mixture with air. Environmentally hazardous. Fire residues and contaminated fire extinguishing water must be disposed of in

accordance with local regulations.

Carbon oxides. Copper compounds. **Hazardous combustion products** 

Special protective actions for fire-fighters

Special protective equipment for

fire-fighters

Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full firefighting turnout

gear. Use personal protection equipment.

Hazchem code 2Z

### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

#### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid breathing dust or spray mist. Avoid generation of

dust. Ensure adequate ventilation. Do not touch or walk through spilled material. Remove all sources of ignition. Take precautionary measures against static discharges. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Use personal protective equipment as required. Wash thoroughly

after handling.

**Other information** Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 7 and 8.

**Environmental precautions** 

Environmental precautions See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information. Prevent further leakage or spillage if

safe to do so. Prevent product from entering drains.

### Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for containment Stop leak if you can do it without risk. Do not touch or walk through spilled material. Keep

out of drains, sewers, ditches and waterways.

**Methods for cleaning up**Take precautionary measures against static discharges. Use appropriate personal

protective equipment (PPE). Carefully shovel or sweep up spilled material and place in

suitable container. Avoid generating dust.

### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

### Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Ensure adequate

ventilation. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid breathing dust or spray mist. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Fine dust dispersed in air, in sufficient concentrations, and in the presence of an ignition source is a potential dust explosion hazard. Avoid generation of dust. Ground and bond all lines and equipment associated with

product system. All equipment should be non-sparking and explosion proof. Take

precautionary measures against static discharges.

General hygiene considerations Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace. Regular cleaning

of equipment, work area and clothing is recommended. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product. Wear suitable gloves and eye/face protection. Do

not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

#### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep in properly

labelled containers. Keep out of the reach of children. Store away from sources of heat or

ignition.

This material is a Scheduled Poison and must be stored, maintained and used in

accordance with the relevant regulations.

**Incompatible materials** Strong oxidizing agents.

Poisons Schedule (SUSMP) 6

### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### **Control parameters**

#### **Exposure Limits**

No value assigned for this specific material by Safe Work Australia. However, Workplace Exposure Standard(s) for constituent(s):

Chemical name	Australia	ACGIH TLV
Copper gluconate 527-09-3		TWA: 1 mg/m³ Cu dust and mist

Copper (fume): 8hr TWA = 0.2 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

Copper dusts & mists (as Cu): 8hr TWA = 1 mg/m<sup>3</sup> Dusts not otherwise classified: 8hr TWA = 10 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

As published by Safe Work Australia Workplace Exposure Standards for Airborne Contaminants.

TWA - The time-weighted average airborne concentration of a particular substance when calculated over an eight-hour working day, for a five-day working week.

These Workplace Exposure Standards are guides to be used in the control of occupational health hazards. All atmospheric contamination should be kept to as low a level as is workable. These workplace exposure standards should not be used as fine dividing lines between safe and dangerous concentrations of chemicals. They are not a measure of relative toxicity.

### **Appropriate engineering controls**

**Engineering controls** Apply technical measures to comply with the occupational exposure limits.

If in the handling and application of this material, safe exposure levels could be exceeded, the use of engineering controls such as local exhaust ventilation must be considered and the results documented. If achieving safe exposure levels does not require engineering controls, then a detailed and documented risk assessment using the relevant Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) (refer to PPE section below) as a basis must be carried out to determine the minimum PPE requirements.

### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

The selection of PPE is dependent on a detailed risk assessment. The risk assessment should consider the work situation, the physical form of the chemical, the handling methods, and environmental factors.

OVERALLS, SAFETY SHOES, SAFETY GLASSES, GLOVES, DUST MASK.











Eye/face protection

Glasses.

Skin and body protection

Wear suitable protective clothing. Overalls. Antistatic boots.

Hand protection

Impervious gloves.

Respiratory protection

If determined by a risk assessment an inhalation risk exists, wear a dust mask/respirator meeting the requirements of AS/NZS 1715 and AS/NZS 1716.

**Environmental exposure controls** 

No information available.

### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state Powder

Appearance No information available.

Color light blue

Odor No information available.
Odor threshold No information available.

Property <u>Values</u> <u>Remarks • Method</u>

**pH** 4.5 10 g/l @ 20 °C

Melting point / freezing point 155 - 157 °C No data available Boiling point / boiling range None known Flash point No data available None known No data available None known **Evaporation rate** Flammability (solid, gas) No data available None known Flammability Limit in Air None known

Upper flammability or explosive No data available

limits

Lower flammability or explosive No data available

limits

Vapor pressureNo data availableNone knownVapor densityNo data availableNone knownRelative densityNo data availableNone known

Water solubility 400-500 g/l @ 20 °C

Solubility(ies) Soluble in water

Partition coefficientNo data availableNone knownAutoignition temperatureNo data availableNone knownDecomposition temperatureNo data availableNone knownKinematic viscosityNo data availableNone knownDynamic viscosityNo data availableNone known

Other information

### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity\_

**Reactivity** No information available.

**Chemical stability** 

**Stability** Stable under normal conditions.

**Explosion data** 

Sensitivity to mechanical impact None.

Sensitivity to static discharge Fine dust dispersed in air, in sufficient concentrations, and in the presence of an ignition

source is a potential dust explosion hazard.

Possibility of hazardous reactions

Possibility of hazardous reactions Dust can form an explosive mixture with air.

**Conditions to avoid** 

**Conditions to avoid** Dust formation. Static discharge (electrostatic discharge).

**Incompatible materials** 

**Incompatible materials** Strong oxidizing agents.

**Hazardous decomposition products** 

Hazardous decomposition products Carbon oxides. Copper compounds.

### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### **Acute toxicity**

### Information on likely routes of exposure

**Product Information**No adverse health effects expected if the chemical is handled in accordance with this

Safety Data Sheet and the chemical label. Symptoms or effects that may arise if the

chemical is mishandled and overexposure occurs are:

**Inhalation** May cause irritation of respiratory tract. Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not

available.

Eye contact Dust contact with the eyes can lead to mechanical irritation.

**Skin contact**Contact with dust can cause mechanical irritation or drying of the skin.

Ingestion Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhoea. Specific test

data for the substance or mixture is not available. Harmful if swallowed. (based on

components).

**Symptoms** No information available.

Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information

**Component Information** 

Chemical name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Copper gluconate	= 66 mg/kg (Rat)	-	-
	= 1709 mg/kg ( Rat )		

See section 16 for terms and abbreviations

### Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

**Skin corrosion/irritation**No information available.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation No information available.

**Respiratory or skin sensitization** No information available.

Germ cell mutagenicity No information available.

**Carcinogenicity** No information available.

**Reproductive toxicity** No information available.

**STOT - single exposure** No information available.

**STOT - repeated exposure** May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

Aspiration hazard No information available.

### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Ecotoxicity** 

**Ecotoxicity**Very toxic to aquatic life. Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects. Keep out of

waterways.

Chemical name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Toxicity to	Crustacea
			microorganisms	
Copper gluconate	EC50: = 0.126 mg/L	LC50: = 0.37  mg/L  (96h)	-	EC50: = 0.74  mg/L (48h,
	(72h, Pseudokirchneriella	Oncorhynchus mykiss)		Daphnia magna)
	subcapitata)			

Persistence and degradability

**Persistence and degradability** Not readily biodegradable.

Bioaccumulative potential

**Bioaccumulation** No information available.

**Mobility** 

Mobility in soil No information available.

Other adverse effects

### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste treatment methods

Waste from residues/unused

products

Should not be released into the environment. Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Dispose of waste in accordance with environmental legislation.

**Contaminated packaging** Dispose of in accordance with federal, state and local regulations.

### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

### **ADG**

Classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the Australian Dangerous Goods Code (ADG Code) for Transport by Road and Rail; DANGEROUS GOODS.

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UN number 3077

**Proper shipping name** ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. (COPPER

GLUCONATE)

Hazard class 9
Packing group III
Environmental hazard Yes
Hazchem code 2Z

IATA

Classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the International Air Transport Association (IATA) Dangerous Goods Regulations for transport by air; DANGEROUS GOODS.

UN number 3077

UN proper shipping name ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. (COPPER

GLUCONATE)

Transport hazard class(es) 9
Packing group III

**IMDG** 

Classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code (IMDG Code) for transport by sea: DANGEROUS GOODS.

UN number 3077

UN proper shipping name ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. (COPPER

GLUCONATE)

Transport hazard class(es)

Packing group

IMDG EMS Fire

F-A

IMDG EMS Spill

S-F

Marine pollutant

9

III

F-A

Yes

### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

### Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

### **National regulations**

### Australia

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See section 8 for national exposure control parameters

### Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP)

Classified as a scheduled poison according to the Standard for Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP)

Poisons Schedule (SUSMP) 6

#### National pollutant inventory

Subject to reporting requirement

Chemical name	National pollutant inventory
Copper gluconate - 527-09-3	10 tonne/yr Threshold category 1
	2000 tonne/yr Threshold category 2b
	60000 MWH Threshold category 2b
	20 MW Threshold category 2b

**International Inventories** 

AICS This material is listed on the Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals.

NZIOC This material is listed on the New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals.

#### Legend:

- Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals

### **International Regulations**

The Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer Not applicable

The Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants Not applicable

The Rotterdam Convention Not applicable

### 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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**Reason(s) For Issue:** Revised Primary SDS Change in Hazardous Chemical Classification

Change from non-DG to DG

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This Safety Data Sheet has been prepared by Ixom Operations Pty Ltd (Toxicology and SDS Services).

#### **Revision Note:**

The symbol (\*) in the margin of this SDS indicates that this line has been revised.

### Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet

Legend Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

TWA TWA (time-weighted average) STEL STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit)

Ceiling Maximum limit value \* Skin designation

C Carcinogen

#### Key literature references and sources for data used to compile the SDS

EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)

Acute Exposure Guideline Level(s) (AEGL(s))

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency High Production Volume Chemicals

Food Research Journal

Hazardous Substance Database

International Uniform Chemical Information Database (IUCLID)

Japan GHS Classification

Australian Industrial Chemicals Introduction Scheme (AICIS)

NIOSH (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)

National Library of Medicine's ChemID Plus (NLM CIP)

National Library of Medicine's PubMed database (NLM PUBMED)

National Toxicology Program (NTP)

New Zealand's Chemical Classification and Information Database (CCID)

Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development Environment, Health, and Safety Publications

Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development High Production Volume Chemicals Program

Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development Screening Information Data Set

RTECS (Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances)

World Health Organization

#### Disclaimer

This SDS summarises to our best knowledge at the date of issue, the chemical health and safety hazards of the material and general guidance on how to safely handle the material in the workplace. Since Ixom Operations Pty Ltd cannot anticipate or control the conditions under which the product may be used, each user must, prior to usage, assess and

control the risks arising from its use of the material.

If clarification or further information is needed, the user should contact their Bronson & Jacobs representative or Ixom Operations Pty Ltd at the contact details on page 1.

Ixom Operations Pty Ltd's responsibility for the material as sold is subject to the terms and conditions of sale, a copy of which is available upon request.

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**End of Safety Data Sheet**