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according to WHMIS

Conostan Single-Element Standard, Cobalt (Co) 1000 ppm

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2. Hazard identification

Classification of the substance or mixture

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- Carcinogenicity: Carc. 1B
- Reproductive toxicity: Repr. 1B
- Respiratory or skin sensitization: Resp. Sens. 1
- Respiratory or skin sensitization: Skin Sens. 1
- Aspiration hazard: Asp. Tox. 1

Label elements

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Signal word: Danger

Pictograms:



Hazard statements

- May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.
- May cause an allergic skin reaction.
- May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.
- May cause cancer.
- May damage fertility or the unborn child.

Precautionary statements

- IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water.
- Obtain special instructions before use.
- Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.
- Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.
- Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.
- Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection/hearing protection.
- Wear respiratory protection.
- IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.
- Do NOT induce vomiting.
- Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.
- IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
- If experiencing respiratory symptoms: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor.
- IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.
- Store locked up.
- Dispose of contents/container to an appropriate recycling or disposal facility.

Other hazards

No data available

3. Composition/information on ingredients

Mixtures

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Relevant ingredients

CAS No	Chemical name	Quantity
8042-47-5	White mineral oil, petroleum	80 - 100 % (*)
7440-48-4	cobalt	0.1 - < 1 % (*)

(*) The actual concentration is withheld as a trade secret.

Further Information

No data available

4. First-aid measures

Description of first aid measures

General information

No data available

After inhalation

Provide fresh air.
Call a doctor if you feel unwell.

After contact with skin

Wash immediately with: Water, Soap
Take off immediately all contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.
In case of skin irritation, consult a physician.

After contact with eyes

Rinse immediately carefully and thoroughly with eye-bath or water.
Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
In case of eye irritation consult an ophthalmologist.

After ingestion

Observe risk of aspiration if vomiting occurs.
Call a physician immediately.

Most important symptoms and effects, whether acute or delayed

Gastrointestinal complaints
Pneumonia
Vapours may cause drowsiness and dizziness.
Dizziness
Depression of central nervous system
Headache

Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Aspiration hazard

5. Fire-fighting measures

Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media

Foam
Carbon dioxide (CO₂)
Extinguishing powder
Water

Unsuitable extinguishing media

no restriction

Specific hazards arising from the hazardous product

Combustible liquids

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Hazardous combustion products

In case of fire may be liberated:

Carbon dioxide (CO₂)

Carbon monoxide

In case of warming:

Vapours are heavier than air, spread along floors and form explosive mixtures with air.

Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters

In case of fire: Wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

Additional information

Collect contaminated fire extinguishing water separately. Do not allow entering drains or surface water.

Use water spray jet to protect personnel and to cool endangered containers.

Move undamaged containers from immediate hazard area if it can be done safely.

6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

General advice

In case of warming:

Vapours are heavier than air, spread along floors and form explosive mixtures with air.

Take precautionary measures against static discharges.

For non-emergency personnel

Provide adequate ventilation.

Use personal protection equipment.

Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothes.

Remove persons to safety.

Emergency procedures

Consult an expert

Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.

For emergency responders

Precautionary statements For emergency responders : Personal protection equipment: see section 8

Environmental precautions

Do not allow to enter into surface water or drains.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

For containment

Cover drains.

Prevent spread over a wide area (e.g. by containment or oil barriers).

Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomaceous earth, acid- or universal binding agents).

Collect in closed and suitable containers for disposal.

For cleaning up

Clean contaminated articles and floor according to the environmental legislation.

Other information

Provide adequate ventilation.

Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.

Wear breathing apparatus if exposed to vapours/dusts/aerosols.

Reference to other sections

Safe handling: see section 7

Personal protection equipment: see section 8

Disposal: see section 13

7. Handling and storage

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Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling

- Read label before use. Handle and open container with care.
- When using do not eat, drink, smoke, sniff. Keep container tightly closed.
- Use personal protection equipment.
- Do not breathe vapour/aerosol.
- Provide adequate ventilation.

Advice on protection against fire and explosion

- Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.
- Take precautionary measures against static discharges.
- In case of warming:
Vapours are heavier than air, spread along floors and form explosive mixtures with air.

Advice on general occupational hygiene

- Keep away from food, drink and animal feedingstuffs.
- The choice of body protection depends on the concentration and quantity of hazardous substances. The chemical resistance of protective agents must be clarified with their suppliers.

Further information on handling

- Take off immediately all contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.
- Draw up and observe skin protection programme.
- Wash hands and face before breaks and after work and take a shower if necessary.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Requirements for storage rooms and vessels

- Keep container tightly closed.

Hints on joint storage

- National regulations

Further information on storage conditions

- Keep cool. Protect from sunlight.

8. Exposure controls/Personal protection

Control parameters

Exposure limits (ACGIH)

CAS No	Chemical name	ppm	mg/m ³	Category	Origin
7440-48-4	Cobalt (inhalable particulate matter)		0.02	TWA (8 h)	ACGIH-2025
-	Mineral oil, excluding metal working fluids (inhalable fraction); Pure, highly and severely refined		5	TWA (8 h)	ACGIH-2025

Biological limit values

CAS No	Chemical name	Parameter	Value	Test material	Sampling time
7440-48-4	COBALT (ACGIH 2025)	Cobalt	15 µg/L	urine	End of shift at end of workweek

Additional advice on limit values

- Observe in addition any national regulations!

Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls

- Technical measures and the application of suitable work processes have priority over personal protection

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equipment.

If handled uncovered, arrangements with local exhaust ventilation have to be used.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection

goggles

Face protection umbrella

Hand protection

Tested protective gloves must be worn

The quality of the protective gloves resistant to chemicals must be chosen as a function of the specific working place concentration and quantity of hazardous substances.

For special purposes, it is recommended to check the resistance to chemicals of the protective gloves mentioned above together with the supplier of these gloves.

Skin protection

Take off immediately all contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

Wash hands and face before breaks and after work and take a shower if necessary.

Draw up and observe skin protection programme.

Respiratory protection

Respiratory protection necessary at: aerosol or mist formation

The entrepreneur has to ensure that maintenance, cleaning and testing of respiratory protective devices are carried out according to the instructions of the producer. These measures have to be properly documented.

Thermal hazards

No data available

Environmental exposure controls

Do not allow to enter into surface water or drains.

9. Physical and chemical properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state:	Liquid
Colour:	colourless clear
Odour:	like: Hydrocarbons
Odour threshold:	No data available
Melting point/freezing point:	No data available
Boiling point or initial boiling point and boiling range:	218-800 (424.4-1472°F) °C
Flammability:	No data available
Lower explosive limits:	No data available
Upper explosive limits:	No data available
Flash point:	No data available
Auto-ignition temperature:	No data available
Decomposition temperature:	No data available
pH-Value:	No data available
Viscosity / kinematic:	No data available
Water solubility:	No data available
Solubility in other solvents	
No data available	
Dissolution rate:	No data available
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water:	No data available
Dispersion stability:	No data available
Vapour pressure:	No data available
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Density:	No data available
Relative density:	No data available
Bulk density:	No data available
Relative vapour density:	No data available
Particle characteristics:	No data available

Other information

Information with regard to physical hazard classes

Explosive properties

In case of warming:

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Sustained combustibility:

No data available

Self-ignition temperature

Solid:

No data available

Gas:

No data available

Oxidizing properties

No data available

Other safety characteristics

Evaporation rate:

No data available

Solvent separation test:

No data available

Solvent content:

100%

Solid content:

No data available

Sublimation point:

No data available

Softening point:

No data available

Pour point:

No data available

No data available

Viscosity / dynamic:

No data available

Flow time:

No data available

Further Information

No data available

10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity

In case of warming:

Vapours may form explosive mixtures with air.

Chemical stability

The product is stable under storage at normal ambient temperatures.

Possibility of hazardous reactions

Oxidising agent

Conditions to avoid

Heat

Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.

Incompatible materials

No data available

Hazardous decomposition products

in case of fire, see:

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

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11. Toxicological information
Information on toxicological effects
Toxicokinetics, metabolism and distribution

No data available

Acute toxicity

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

ATEmix calculated

ATE (oral) > 2000 mg/kg; ATE (dermal) > 2000 mg/kg; ATE (inhalation vapour) > 20 mg/l; ATE (inhalation dust/mist) > 5 mg/l

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	Route of exposure	Dose	Species	Source	Method
8042-47-5	White mineral oil, petroleum				
	oral	LD50 > 5000 mg/kg	Rat	Study report (1987)	OECD Guideline 401
	dermal	LD50 > 2000 mg/kg	Rabbit	Study report (1987)	OECD Guideline 402
7440-48-4	cobalt				
	oral	ATE 500 mg/kg			
	inhalation vapour	ATE 0,5 mg/l			
	inhalation dust/mist	ATE 0,05 mg/l			

Irritation and corrosivity

Skin corrosion/irritation: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Sensitizing effects

May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled. (cobalt)

May cause an allergic skin reaction. (cobalt)

Carcinogenic/mutagenic/toxic effects for reproduction

May cause cancer. (cobalt)

May damage fertility or the unborn child. (cobalt)

Germ cell mutagenicity: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

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

May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.

Information on likely routes of exposure

No data available

Specific effects in experiment on an animal

No data available

Additional information on tests

No data available

Practical experience

No data available

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Information on other hazards

Endocrine disrupting properties

This substance does not have endocrine disrupting properties with respect to non-target organisms.

Other information

No data available

Further information

Gastrointestinal complaints

Pneumonia

Vapours may cause drowsiness and dizziness.

Dizziness

Depression of central nervous system

Headache

12. Ecological information

Persistence and degradability

No data available

Mobility in soil

No data available

Endocrine disrupting properties

This product does not contain a substance that has endocrine disrupting properties with respect to non-target organisms as no components meets the criteria.

Other adverse effects

Do not allow to enter into surface water or drains.

Further information

Avoid release to the environment.

13. Disposal considerations

Waste treatment methods

Disposal recommendations

Send to a physico-chemical treatment facility under observation of official regulations.

Do not allow to enter into surface water or drains.

Waste disposal according to directive 2008/98/EC, covering waste and dangerous waste.

Contaminated packaging

Handle contaminated packages in the same way as the substance itself.

14. Transport information

Canadian TDG

Proper shipping name:

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

Marine transport (IMDG)

UN number or ID number:

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

United Nations proper shipping name:

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

name:

Transport hazard class(es):

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

Packing group:

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

Air transport (ICAO-TI/IATA-DGR)

UN number or ID number:

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United Nations proper shipping name:

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No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

Packing group:

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

Environmental hazards

ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS: No

15. Regulatory information

Canadian regulations

16. Other information

Changes

This data sheet contains changes from the previous version in section(s): 1,2,3.

Further Information

The above information describes exclusively the safety requirements of the product and is based on our present-day knowledge. The information is intended to give you advice about the safe handling of the product named in this safety data sheet, for storage, processing, transport and disposal. The information cannot be transferred to other products. In the case of mixing the product with other products or in the case of processing, the information on this safety data sheet is not necessarily valid for the new made-up material.

The information is based on the present level of our knowledge. It does not, however, give assurance of product properties and establishes no contract legal rights.

The receiver of our product is singularly responsible for adhering to existing laws and regulations.

Provide appropriate information, instructions and training to users

(The data for the relevant ingredients were taken respectively from the last version of the sub-contractor's safety data sheet.)