

### **Safety Data Sheet**

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#### 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

#### 1.1 Product identifiers

Product name : Copper Powder

Product Number : 0291HW CAS-No. : 7440-50-8

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

Identified uses: Laboratory chemicals, Manufacture of substances

### 1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company: Nanostructured & Amorphous Materials Inc.

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Katy, TX 77494, USA

Telephone: +1 281-858-6571 Fax: +1 281-858-6507

### 1.4 Emergency telephone number

Emergency Phone #: +1 832-800-0355

#### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

### GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)

Flammable solids (Category 1), H228 Acute aquatic toxicity (Category 1), H400 Chronic aquatic toxicity (Category 3), H412

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

## 2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram





Signal word Danger

Hazard statement(s)

H228 Flammable solid. H400 Very toxic to aquatic life.

H412 Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary statement(s)

P210 Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking.

P240 Ground/bond container and receiving equipment.

P241 Use explosion-proof electrical/ ventilating/ lighting/ equipment.

P273 Avoid release to the environment.

P280 Wear protective gloves/ eye protection/ face protection.

P370 + P378 In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol-resistant foam for

extinction.

P391 Collect spillage.

P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

## 2.3 Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS - none

#### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

#### 3.1 Substances

Formula: Cu

Molecular weight: 63.55 g/mol CAS-No.: 7440-50-8 EC-No.: 231-159-6

**Hazardous components** 

Component	Classification	Concentration
Copper		
	Flam. Sol. 1; Aquatic Acute 1; Aquatic Chronic 3; H228, H400, H412	<= 100 %

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

#### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

#### General advice

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Move out of dangerous area.

#### If inhaled

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.

#### In case of skin contact

Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

### In case of eye contact

Flush eyes with water as a precaution.

#### If swallowed

Do NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

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

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11

# 4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No data available

### 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

### 5.1 Extinguishing media

#### Suitable extinguishing media

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

#### 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Copper oxides

#### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

#### 5.4 Further information

Use water spray to cool unopened containers.

#### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

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

Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Remove all sources of ignition. Evacuate personnel to safe areas.

For personal protection see section 8.

### 6.2 Environmental precautions

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

#### 6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Sweep up and shovel. Contain spillage, and then collect with an electrically protected vacuum cleaner or by wet-brushing and place in container for disposal according to local regulations (see section 13). Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal. Contain spillage, pick up with an electrically protected vacuum cleaner or by wet-brushing and transfer to a container for disposal according to local regulations (see section 13).

### 6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

#### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Further processing of solid materials may result in the formation of combustible dusts. The potential for combustible dust formation should be taken into consideration before additional processing occurs. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols.

Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking. Take measures to prevent the buildup of electrostatic charge. For precautions see section 2.2.

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

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.

Keep in a dry place.

Storage class (TRGS 510): Flammable solid hazardous materials

## 7.3 Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

## 8.1 Control parameters

Components with workplace control parameters

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Component	CAS-No.	Value	Control parameters	Basis			
Copper 7440	50	8 TWA	1.000000	USA. ACGIH Threshold			
			mg/m3	Limit Values			
				(TLV)			
	Remarks	Irritation					
		Gastrointestinal metal fume fever					
		TWA	1.000000 mg/m3	USA. NIOSH			
				Recommended			
		TWA	1.000000 mg/m3	USA. Occupational			
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				(OSHA) - Table Z-1			
				Limits for Air			
				Contaminants			
		TWA	0.200000 mg/m3	USA. ACGIH Threshold			
			5.250000 mg/mo	Limit Values			
				(TLV)			
		Irritation		1 (127)			
		Gastrointestinal					
		metal fume feve	r				
		TWA	USA. Occupational				
		IVVA	1.000000 mg/m3				
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## 8.2 Exposure controls

### **Appropriate engineering controls**

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

#### Personal protective equipment

#### Eye/face protection

Safety glasses with side-shields conforming to EN166 Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

#### Skin protection

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

Full contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm Break through time: 480 min Material tested: Dermatril®

Splash contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm Break through time: 480 min Material tested: Dermatril®

Test method: EN374

If used in solution, or mixed with other substances, and under conditions which differ from EN 374, contact the supplier of the CE approved gloves. This recommendation is advisory only and must be evaluated by an industrial hygienist and safety officer familiar with the specific situation of anticipated use by our customers. It should not be construed as offering an approval for any specific use scenario.

#### **Body Protection**

Flame retardant antistatic protective clothing., The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the

specific workplace.

### Respiratory protection

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face particle respirator type N100 (US) or type P3 (EN 143) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. If the respirator is the sole means of protection, use a full-face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

### Control of environmental exposure

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

#### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

#### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

a) Appearance Form: powder

Colour: light red

b) Odour No data available

c) Odour Threshold No data available

d) pH No data available

e) Melting point/freezing

point

Melting point/range: 1,083.4 °C (1,982.1 °F) - lit.

f) Initial boiling point and

boiling range

2,567 °C (4,653 °F) - lit.

g) Flash point No data available

h) Evaporation rate No data available

i) Flammability (solid, gas) The substance or mixture is a flammable solid with the category 1.

j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits No data available

k) Vapour pressure No data available

I) Vapour density

No data available

m) Relative density 8.94 g/mL at 25 °C (77 °F)

n) Water solubility No data available

o) Partition coefficient:

n-octanol/water

No data available

p) Auto-ignition temperature

No data available

temperature

r) Viscosity No data available

s) Explosive properties 
No data available

## 9.2 Other safety information

No data available

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

#### 10.1 Reactivity

No data available

#### 10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

No data available

#### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Heat, flames and sparks.

#### 10.5 Incompatible materials

Strong acids, Strong oxidizing agents, Acid chlorides, Halogens

## 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Other decomposition products - No data available

In the event of fire: see section 5

### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

#### **Acute toxicity**

No data available

Inhalation: No data available Dermal: No data available

LD50 Intraperitoneal - Mouse - 3.5 mg/kg

#### Skin corrosion/irritation

May irritate skin.

## Serious eye damage/eye irritation

May irritate eyes.

## Respiratory or skin sensitisation

No data available

### Germ cell mutagenicity

No data available

#### Carcinogenicity

IARC: No component 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 component 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 component 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 component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

#### Reproductive toxicity

No data available No data available

#### Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

May cause respiratory irritation.

### Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

No data available

#### **Aspiration hazard**

No data available

#### Additional Information

RTECS: GL5325000

Symptoms of systemic copper poisoning may include: capillary damage, headache, cold sweat, weak pulse, and kidney and liver damage, central nervous system excitation followed by depression, jaundice, convulsions, paralysis, and coma. Death may occur from shock or renal failure. Chronic copper poisoning is typified by hepatic cirrhosis, brain damage and demyelination, kidney defects, and copper deposition in the cornea as exemplified by humans with Wilson's \ disease. It has also been reported that copper poisoning has lead to hemolytic anemia and accelerates arteriosclerosis., Damage to the lungs., Vomiting, Diarrhoea, Abdominal pain, Blood disorders

Liver - Irregularities - Based on Human Evidence Liver - Irregularities - Based on Human Evidence

#### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### 12.1 Toxicity

Toxicity to fish mortality LOEC - Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) -0.022 mg/l - 96 h

Toxicity to daphnia and mortality NOEC - Daphnia (water flea) - 0.004 mg/l - 24 h

other aquatic invertebrates

EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 0.04 - 0.05 mg/l - 48 h

### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

Biodegradability Result: - Readily biodegradable

#### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulation Cyprinus carpio (Carp) - 40 d

- 200 mg/l

Bioconcentration factor (BCF): 108

#### 12.4 Mobility in soil

No data available

### 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted

#### 12.6 Other adverse effects

An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal. Very toxic to aquatic life.

Avoid release to the environment.

#### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

#### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

#### **Product**

Burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber but exert extra care in igniting as this material is highly flammable. Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company.

#### Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

#### DOT (US)

UN number: 3089 Class: 4.1 Packing group: II Proper shipping name: Metal powders, flammable, n.o.s.

Reportable Quantity (RQ): 5000 lbs

Poison Inhalation Hazard: No

#### **IMDG**

UN number: 3089 Class: 4.1 Packing group: II EMS-No: F-G, S-G

Proper shipping name: METAL POWDER, FLAMMABLE, N.O.S.

Marine pollutant: yes

#### IATA

UN number: 3089 Class: 4.1 Packing group: II Proper shipping name: Metal powder, flammable, n.o.s.

#### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

#### **SARA 302 Components**

No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

#### **SARA 313 Components**

The following components are subject to reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section

313: CAS-No. Revision Date 7440-50-8 2007-07-01

Copper

SARA 311/312 Hazards

Fire Hazard, Chronic Health Hazard

**Massachusetts Right To Know Components** 

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Pennsylvania Right To Know Components

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**New Jersey Right To Know Components** 

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Copper

### California Prop. 65 Components

This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.

#### 16. OTHER INFORMATION

## Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3.

Aquatic Acute Acute aquatic toxicity
Aquatic Chronic Chronic aquatic toxicity

Flam. Sol. Flammable solids

H228 Flammable solid.

H400 Very toxic to aquatic life.

H412 Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

#### **HMIS Rating**

Health hazard: 0

Chronic Health Hazard: \*

Flammability: 3 Physical Hazard 3

#### **NFPA Rating**

Health hazard: 0 Fire Hazard: 3 Reactivity Hazard: 3

#### **Further information**

Employers should use this information only as a supplement to other information gathered by them, and should make independent judgment of suitability of this information to ensure proper use and protect the health and safety of employees. This information is furnished without warranty,

and any use of the product not in conformance with this Safety Data Sheet, or in combination with any other product or process, is the responsibility of the user.