# BRANDT

## SAFETY DATA SHEET

#### 1. Identification

Product identifier Brandt Cobalt Sulfate - Powder

Other means of identification

Product code 34002

Synonym(s) COBALT SULFATE MONOHYDRATE \* Sulfuric acid, cobalt(2+) salt (1:1)

Recommended use Agriculture - Micronutrient - Refer to product label

**Recommended restrictions** None known.

Manufacturer/Importer/Supplier/Distributor information

Manufacturer

Company name

Address

Brandt Consolidated, Inc.
2935 South Koke Mill Road
Springfield, IL 62711 US

US

**Telephone** Corporate Office 1-217-547-5800

Website www.brandt.co
E-mail wsds@brandt.co

Contact person EH&S / Regulatory Department

**Emergency phone number** Not available.

CHEMTREC (24 hours):

USA, Canada, Puerto Rico 1-800-424-3900 Virgin Islands 1-800-424-3900 International Maritime +1 (703) 527-3887

## 2. Hazard(s) identification

Physical hazards Not classified.

Health hazards Acute toxicity, oral Category 4

Sensitization, respiratory

Sensitization, skin

Category 1

Germ cell mutagenicity

Carcinogenicity (inhalation)

Reproductive toxicity (fertility)

Category 1B

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OSHA defined hazards Not classified.

Label elements



Signal word Danger

**Hazard statement** Harmful if swallowed. May cause an allergic skin reaction. May cause allergy or asthma

symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled. Suspected of causing genetic defects. May cause

cancer by inhalation. May damage fertility.

Precautionary statement

**Prevention** Obtain special instructions before use. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read

and understood. Avoid breathing dust. Wash thoroughly after handling. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Contaminated work clothing must not be allowed out of the workplace. Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection. In case of inadequate

ventilation wear respiratory protection.

Response If swallowed: Call a poison center/doctor if you feel unwell. If on skin: Wash with plenty of water. If

inhaled: If breathing is difficult, remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. If exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention. Specific treatment (see this label). Rinse mouth. If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention. If experiencing respiratory

symptoms: Call a poison center/doctor. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

Storage Store locked up.

**Disposal** Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

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Hazard(s) not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Not classified.

**Environmental hazards** Hazardous to the aquatic environment, acute

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Hazardous to the aquatic environment,

Category 1

Category 1

long-term hazard

**Supplemental information** 

Hazard statement

Very toxic to aquatic life. Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

**Precautionary statement** 

**Prevention** Avoid release to the environment.

Response Collect spillage.

Not applicable.

## 3. Composition/information on ingredients

#### **Mixtures**

**Hazardous components** 

Chemical nameCommon name and synonymsCAS number%Cobalt Sulfate, Monohydrate10124-43-390 - 100

#### 4. First-aid measures

**Inhalation** If dust from the material is inhaled, remove the affected person immediately to fresh air. Oxygen or

artificial respiration if needed. Do not use mouth-to-mouth method if victim inhaled the substance. Induce artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other proper respiratory medical device. If experiencing respiratory symptoms: Call a POISON CENTER

or doctor/physician.

**Skin contact** Wash off with soap and plenty of water. If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical

advice/attention. For minor skin contact, avoid spreading material on unaffected skin.

Eye contact Rinse with water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

Ingestion IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell. Rinse mouth.

Most important

symptoms/effects, acute and

delayed

May cause allergic skin reaction. May cause allergic respiratory reaction.

Indication of immediate medical attention and special

treatment needed
General information

Provide general supportive measures and treat symptomatically. In case of shortness of breath, give oxygen. Keep victim warm. Keep victim under observation. Symptoms may be delayed.

Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to protect themselves. IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

### 5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable extinguishing media

Water. Water fog. Foam. Dry chemical powder.

Unsuitable extinguishing

media

Carbon dioxide (CO2).

Specific hazards arising from

the chemical

During fire, gases hazardous to health may be formed.

Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

Self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.

Fire-fighting

equipment/instructions

In the event of fire, cool tanks with water spray.

Specific methods

Cool containers exposed to flames with water until well after the fire is out.

## 6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures Keep out of low areas. Keep unnecessary personnel away. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Use a NIOSH/MSHA approved respirator if there is a risk of exposure to dust/fume at levels exceeding the exposure limits. Wear appropriate protective equipment and clothing during clean-up. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing. Avoid inhalation of dust. Ensure adequate ventilation. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained. For personal protection, see section 8 of the MSDS.

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<sup>\*</sup>Designates that a specific chemical identity and/or percentage of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Minimize dust generation and accumulation. Collect spillage. If sweeping of a contaminated area is necessary use a dust suppressant agent which does not react with the product. Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal. Collect dust using a vacuum cleaner equipped with HEPA filter. Avoid dust formation. Prevent entry into waterways, sewer, basements or confined areas. Following product recovery, flush area with water. For waste disposal, see section 13 of the MSDS.

**Environmental precautions** 

Avoid release to the environment. Contact local authorities in case of spillage to drain/aquatic environment. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not contaminate water. Avoid discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground.

## 7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling

Obtain special instructions before use. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Minimize dust generation and accumulation. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. Do not taste or swallow. Avoid breathing dust. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid contact during pregnancy/while nursing. Avoid prolonged exposure. Provide adequate ventilation. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment. Use personal protective equipment as required. Observe good industrial hygiene practices. When using, do not eat, drink or smoke. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Practice good housekeeping. Avoid release to the environment. Do not empty into drains.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store locked up. Keep container tightly closed. Store in a cool, dry place out of direct sunlight. Store in a well-ventilated place. Guard against dust accumulation of this material. Store away from incompatible materials (see Section 10 of the MSDS).

## 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

#### Occupational exposure limits

US ACGIH Threshold Limit Values

Components	Туре	Value
Cobalt Sulfate, Monohydrat e (CAS 10124-43-3)	TWA	0.02 mg/m3

#### **Biological limit values**

## **ACGIH Biological Exposure Indices**

Components	Value	Determinant	Specimen	Sampling Time
Cobalt Sulfate, Monohydrat e (CAS 10124-43-3)	15 μg/l	Cobalt	Urine	*
,	1 μg/l	Cobalt	Blood	*

<sup>\* -</sup> For sampling details, please see the source document.

## Appropriate engineering controls

Ventilation should be sufficient to effectively remove and prevent buildup of any dusts or fumes that may be generated during handling or thermal processing. If engineering measures are not sufficient to maintain concentrations of dust particulates below the Occupational Exposure Limit (OEL), suitable respiratory protection must be worn.

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

a full-face respirator, if needed.

Skin protection

Hand protection Wear protective gloves.

Other Wear suitable protective clothing.

Respiratory protection Wear respirator with dust filter. Use a NIOSH/MSHA approved respirator if there is a risk of

exposure to dust/fume at levels exceeding the exposure limits.

**Thermal hazards** Wear appropriate thermal protective clothing, when necessary.

General hygiene considerations

When using, do not eat, drink or smoke. Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing after handling the material and before eating, drinking, and/or smoking. Routinely wash work clothing and protective equipment to remove contaminants. Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace. Wash hands after handling and before eating.

#### 9. Physical and chemical properties

#### **Appearance**

Physical state Solid.
Form Powder.
Color Red to. Pink
Odor Not available.
Odor threshold Not available.
ph Not available.

Not available. Salt-Out / Crystallization Temp

1355 °F (735 °C) estimated Melting point/freezing point

Initial boiling point and boiling

range

Not available.

Not available. Flash point Not available **Evaporation rate** Flammability (solid, gas) Not available. Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits

Flammability limit - lower

Not available.

Flammability limit - upper

(%)

Not available.

Explosive limit - lower (%) Not available. Not available. Explosive limit - upper (%) 0 hPa estimated Vapor pressure Not available. Vapor density

Not available. Relative density

Solubility(ies) 400 mg/l (@ 20 oC) estimated

Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water)

Not available.

Not available. **Auto-ignition temperature Decomposition temperature** Not available. Not available. **Viscosity** 

Other information

**Bulk density** 55 - 59 lb/ft3 (Typical) pH in aqueous solution 5.5 - 5.9 (5% Solution)

## 10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity The product is stable and non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.

**Chemical stability** Material is stable under normal conditions. Possibility of hazardous Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

reactions

Conditions to avoid Avoid dispersal of dust in the air (i.e., clearing dust surfaces with compressed air).

Incompatible materials Strong oxidizing agents.

Hazardous decomposition

products

No hazardous decomposition products are known.

## 11. Toxicological information

## Information on likely routes of exposure

Ingestion Harmful if swallowed.

Inhalation Contains a substance which may cause cancer by inhalation. Prolonged inhalation may be

harmful. May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled. Inhalation of

dusts may cause respiratory irritation.

Skin contact May cause an allergic skin reaction.

Dust in the eyes will cause irritation. Due to lack of data the classification is not possible. Eye contact

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.

#### Information on toxicological effects

**Acute toxicity** Harmful if swallowed. May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.

May cause allergic skin reaction.

Material name: Brandt Cobalt Sulfate - Powder

Product	Species	Test Results
Brandt Cobalt Sulfate - Po	owder (CAS 10124-43-3)	
Acute		
Oral		
LD50	Mouse	584 mg/kg, estimated
	Rabbit	1800 mg/kg, estimated
	Rat	424 mg/kg, estimated

**Test Results** 

Cobalt Sulfate, Monohydrate (CAS 10124-43-3)

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Acute		
Oral		
LD50	Mouse	584 mg/kg
	Rabbit	1800 mg/kg
	Rat	424 mg/kg
Other		
LD100	Dog	16.2 mg/kg
LD50	Mouse	27.1 mg/kg
	Rat	18.2 mg/kg

<sup>\*</sup> Estimates for product may be based on additional component data not shown.

**Skin corrosion/irritation** Due to lack of data the classification is not possible.

**Species** 

Serious eye damage/eye

Dust in the eyes will cause irritation.

irritation

Components

Respiratory sensitization May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.

Skin sensitizationMay cause an allergic skin reaction.Germ cell mutagenicitySuspected of causing genetic defects.

Carcinogenicity May cause cancer.

US. National Toxicology Program (NTP) Report on Carcinogens

Cobalt Sulfate, Monohydrate (CAS 10124-43-3)

Reasonably Anticipated to be a Human Carcinogen.

**Reproductive toxicity** May damage fertility.

Specific target organ toxicity -

single exposure

Due to lack of data the classification is not possible.

Specific target organ toxicity -

repeated exposure

Due to lack of data the classification is not possible.

**Aspiration hazard** Due to lack of data the classification is not possible.

Chronic effects Prolonged inhalation may be harmful.

## 12. Ecological information

**Ecotoxicity** Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects. Accumulation in aquatic organisms is expected.

Product		Species	Test Results	
Brandt Cobalt Sulfate - Powder (CAS 10124-43-3)				
Fish	LC50	Fish	19.64 mg/l, 96 hours, estimated	
Components		Species	Test Results	

Cobalt Sulfate, Monohydrate (CAS 10124-43-3)

Aquatic

Fish LC50 Fathead minnow (Pimephales promelas) 2.67 - 4.57 mg/l, 96 hours

Persistence and degradability No data is available on the degradability of this product.

Bioaccumulative potential Not available.

Mobility in soil Not available.

Other adverse effects No other adverse environmental effects (e.g. ozone depletion, photochemical ozone creation

potential, endocrine disruption, global warming potential) are expected from this component.

<sup>\*</sup> Estimates for product may be based on additional component data not shown.

## 13. Disposal considerations

**Disposal instructions**Collect and reclaim or dispose in sealed containers at licensed waste disposal site. This material

and its container must be disposed of as hazardous waste. Do not allow this material to drain into sewers/water supplies. Do not contaminate ponds, waterways or ditches with chemical or used container. Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international

regulations.

Hazardous waste code

The waste code should be assigned in discussion between the user, the producer and the waste

disposal company.

Waste from residues / unused

products

Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe manner (see:

Disposal instructions).

Contaminated packaging Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal.

Since emptied containers may retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is

emptied.

## 14. Transport information

**General** IMDG Regulated Marine Pollutant.

DOT

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

**IATA** 

UN number UN3077

**UN proper shipping name** Environmentally hazardous substance, solid, n.o.s. (Cobalt Sulfate, Monohydrate)

Transport hazard class(es) 9
Packing group III
ERG code 9L

Special precautions for user Read safety instructions, SDS and emergency procedures before handling.

**IMDG** 

UN number UN3077

UN proper shipping name ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. (Cobalt Sulfate, Monohydrate)

Transport hazard class(es) 9
Packing group ||||

**Environmental hazards** 

Marine pollutant Yes nS F-A, S-F

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL

Not applicable.

73/78 and the IBC Code

**General information** IMDG Regulated Marine Pollutant.

IATA; IMDG



## Marine pollutant



#### IATA; IMDG



#### Marine pollutant



## 15. Regulatory information

**US federal regulations** 

This product is a "Hazardous Chemical" as defined by the OSHA Hazard Communication

Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200.

TSCA Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpt. D)

Not regulated.

CERCLA Hazardous Substance List (40 CFR 302.4)

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US. OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1050)

Not listed.

SARA 304 Emergency release notification

Not regulated.

Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)

No

Hazard categories Immediate Hazard - Yes

Delayed Hazard - Yes Fire Hazard - Yes Pressure Hazard - No Reactivity Hazard - No

SARA 302 Extremely

hazardous substance

SARA 311/312 Hazardous No

chemical

Other federal regulations

Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) List

Cobalt Sulfate, Monohydrate (CAS 10124-43-3)

Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112(r) Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130)

Not regulated.

Safe Drinking Water Act

Not regulated.

(SDWA)

Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA). List 2, Essential Chemicals (21 CFR 1310.02(b) and 1310.04(f)(2) and Chemical Code Number

Not listed.

Food and Drug

Not regulated.

Administration (FDA)

**US** state regulations

US. Massachusetts RTK - Substance List

Not regulated.

US. New Jersey Worker and Community Right-to-Know Act

Cobalt Sulfate, Monohydrate (CAS 10124-43-3) 500 lbs

US. Pennsylvania RTK - Hazardous Substances

Not regulated.

#### **US. Rhode Island RTK**

Cobalt Sulfate, Monohydrate (CAS 10124-43-3)

#### **US. California Proposition 65**

WARNING: This product contains a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer.

#### US - California Proposition 65 - CRT: Listed date/Carcinogenic substance

Cobalt Sulfate, Monohydrate (CAS 10124-43-3) Listed: May 20, 2005

#### **International Inventories**

Country(s) or region	Inventory name	On inventory (yes/no)*
Australia	Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS)	Yes
Canada	Domestic Substances List (DSL)	Yes
Canada	Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)	No
China	Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China (IECSC)	Yes
Europe	European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS)	Yes
Europe	European List of Notified Chemical Substances (ELINCS)	No
Japan	Inventory of Existing and New Chemical Substances (ENCS)	Yes
Korea	Existing Chemicals List (ECL)	Yes
New Zealand	New Zealand Inventory	Yes
Philippines	Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances (PICCS)	Yes
United States & Puerto Rico	Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory	Yes

<sup>\*</sup>A "Yes" indicates this product complies with the inventory requirements administered by the governing country(s)

## 16. Other information, including date of preparation or last revision

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**Further information** Not available.

Disclaimer

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