

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## SECTION 1 PRODUCT AND COMPANY INFORMATION

PRODUCT NAME: Europium (III) oxide

PRODUCT NUMBER: 1788

CAS NUMBER: 1308-96-9

SYNONYMS: Dieuropium trioxide

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# SECTION 2 HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### **CLASSIFICATION OF SUBSTANCE OR MIXTURE**

Not a dangerous substance according to the GHS

**HMIS CLASSIFICATION:** 

Health: 1 Flammability: 0 Reactivity: 0

**NFPA RATING:** 

Health: 1 Fire: 0 Reactivity Hazard: 0

**EYE CONTACT:** May cause slight to mild irritation of the eyes. **SKIN CONTACT:** May cause slight to mild irritation of the skin.

**INHALATION:** May be irritating to the nose, mucous membranes, and respiratory tract.

INGESTION: May be harmful if swallowed.

### SECTION 3 COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Formula: Eu<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>

Molecular Weight: 351.92

CHEMICAL NAME	CAS#	%
Europium (III) oxide	1308-96-9	100

## SECTION 4 FIRST AID MEASURES

**EYE EXPOSURE:** Immediately flush the eyes with copious amounts of water (lukewarm if possible). Assure flushing under eyelids. A victim may need assistance in keeping their eyelids open. Get immediate competent medical attention.

**SKIN EXPOSURE**: Wash affected area with water. Remove contaminated clothes if necessary. Seek medical assistance if irritation persists.

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## SECTION 4 FIRST AID MEASURES (Cont.)

**INHALATION:** Remove victim to fresh air. Closely monitor the victim for signs of respiratory problems, such as difficulty in breathing, coughing, wheezing, or pain. In such cases, seek immediate medical assistance.

**INGESTION:** Seek medical assistance immediately. Keep the victim calm. Give the victim water (only if conscious). Induce vomiting only if directed by medical personnel.

## SECTION 5 FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

FLASH POINT: Product is not flammable.
AUTO IGNITION TEMPERATURE: None

**EXPLOSION LIMITS: None** 

EXTINGUISHING MEDIUM: Use fire fighting measures that suit the surrounding fire.

SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES: If involved in a fire, fire fighters should be equipped with a NIOSH approved

positive self-contained breathing apparatus, flame and chemical resistant clothing, hats, boots, and gloves.

HAZARDOUS COMBUSTION AND DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS: None

### SECTION 6 ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**PERSONAL PRECAUTIONS:** Wear approved personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing dust, vapors, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation.

ENVIRONMENTAL PRECAUTIONS: Do not let product enter drains or allow to be released into the environment.

**METHODS AND MATERIALS FOR CONTAINMENT AND CLEANING UP:** Small spills can be mixed with vermiculite or sodium carbonate and swept up.

## SECTION 7 HANDLING AND STORAGE

**PRECAUTIONS FOR SAFE HANDLING:** Wear approved personal protective equipment. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust. Ensure adequate ventilation.

CONDITIONS FOR SAFE STORAGE: Keep container tightly closed and store in a cool, dry, and well-ventilated place. Hygroscopic.

# SECTION 8 EXPOSURE CONTROLS AND PERSONAL PROTECTION

**EYE PROTECTION**: Always wear approved safety glasses with side shields, safety goggles, or face shield when handling a chemical substance in the laboratory.

SKIN PROTECTION: Chemical resistant gloves.

**VENTILATION:** Handle in an efficient chemical fume hood.

RESPIRATOR: If in form of fine dust and ventilation is not available a respirator should be worn. The use of respirators requires a

Respirator Protection Program to be in compliance with 29 CFR 19-10.134

#### SECTION 9 PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

COLOR AND FORM: White powder MOLECULAR WEIGHT: 351.92
BOILING POINT: No data available

MELTING POINT: 2350° C SPECIFIC GRAVITY: 7.42 gm/ml VAPOR PRESSURE: Not applicable

**SOLUBILITY:** Insoluble

# **SECTION 10 STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

**STABILITY:** Air and moisture stable

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION: No hazardous polymerization

CONDITIONS TO AVOID: No data available

**INCOMPATIBILITY:** Active metals, strong acids, oxidizing agents, water, and moisture.

**DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS:** None

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### SECTION 11 TOXICOLOGICAL DATA

ACUTE TOXICITY: LD50 Oral - rat - > 5,000 mg/kg

CARCINOGENIC EFFECTS: No components of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a confirmed

carcinogen by IARC, ACGIH, NTP, and OSHA.

MUTAGENIC EFFECTS: Not available

TETRATOGENIC EFFECTS: Not available

To the best of our knowledge the toxicological effects of this compound have not been fully investigated.

### SECTION 12 ECOLOGICAL DATA

No information available

### SECTION 13 DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Dispose of in according to local, state, and federal regulations.

### SECTION 14 TRANSPORTATION DATA

Non-hazardous material

#### SECTION 15 REGULATORY INFORMATION

TSCA: Listed in the TSCA inventory

**SARA 313 COMPONENTS:** This material does not contain any chemical components with know CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

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

SARA 311/312 HAZARDS: Acute Health Hazard

MASSACHUSETTS RIGHT TO KNOW COMPONENTS: No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right To Know Act.

PENNSYLVANIA RIGHT TO KNOW COMPONENTS: Europium (III) oxide NEW JERSEY RIGHT TO KNOW COMPONENTS: Europium (III) oxide

**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.

## **SECTION 16 OTHER INFORMATION**

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