



## Safety Data Sheet

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### 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

#### 1.1 Product identifiers

Product name : Copper (I) Oxide Powder  
Product Number : 2113HW  
CAS-No. : 1317-39-1

#### 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.  
1526 Katy Gap Road, Suite #302,  
Katy, TX 77494, USA

Telephone : +1 281-858-6571  
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#### 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)** 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

Warning

Hazard statement(s)

H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.  
H412 Chronic aquatic toxicity (Category 3), H412

Precautionary statement(s)

P273 Avoid release to the environment.  
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**

Synonymes : Cupric Oxide  
Formula :  $\text{Cu}_2\text{O}$   
CAS-No. : 1317-39-1

Component	Classification	Concentration
Copper oxide	Aquatic Acute 1; Aquatic Chronic 3; H400, H412	90- 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

**If inhaled**

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

**In case of skin contact**

Wash off with soap and plenty of water.

**In case of eye contact**

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician

**If swallowed**

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water.

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

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labeling (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**

No data available

### **5.3 Advice for firefighters**

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

### **5.4 Further information**

No data available

## **6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

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

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid breathing dust. 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**

Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. Sweep up and shovel. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

### **6.4 Reference to other sections**

For disposal see section 13.

## **7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

### **7.1 Precautions for safe handling**

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols. 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. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. 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.

### **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**

Component	CAS-No.	Value	Control parameters	Basis
Copper (I) Oxide	1317-39-1	TWA	0.100000 mg/m3	USA. NIOSH Recommended Exposure Limits
	Remarks	Also see specific listing for Copper (dusts and mists)		
		TWA	0.100000 mg/m3	USA. NIOSH Recommended Exposure Limits
		Also see specific listing for Copper (dusts and mists)		
		TWA	0.1 mg/m3	USA. NIOSH Recommended Exposure Limits
		Also see specific listing for Copper (dusts and mists)		

## 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**

Impervious 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**

For nuisance exposures use type P95 (US) or type P1 (EU EN 143) particle respirator. For higher level protection use type OV/AG/P99 (US) or type ABEK-P2 (EU EN 143) respirator cartridges. 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
b) Odour	No data available
c) Odour Threshold	No data available
d) pH	No data available
e) Melting point/freezing point	Melting point/range: 1,336 °C (2,437 °F)
f) Initial boiling point and boiling range	No data available
g) Flash point	No data available
h) Evaporation rate	No data available
i) Flammability (solid, gas)	No data available
j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	No data available
k) Vapour pressure	No data available
l) Vapour density	No data available
m) Relative density	6.320 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
n) Water solubility	0.0001 g/l - insoluble
o) Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	No data available

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| p) Auto-ignition temperature | No data available  |
| q) Decomposition temperature | No data available  |
| r) Viscosity                 | No data available  |
| s) Explosive properties      | No data available  |
| t) Oxidizing properties      | The substance or mixture is not classified as oxidizing. |

**9.2 Other safety information**

Bulk density 1.25 g/l

**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**

No data available

**10.5 Incompatible materials**

Reducing agents, Hydrogen sulfide gas, Aluminum, Alkali metals, Powdered metals

**10.6 Hazardous decomposition products**

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Copper oxides

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**

LD50 Oral - Rat - > 2,500 mg/kg  
(OECD Test Guideline 423)

LC50 Inhalation - No data available

LD50 Dermal - Rat - > 2,000 mg/kg  
(OECD Test Guideline 402)

No data available

**Skin corrosion/irritation**

Skin - Rabbit

Result: No skin irritation

(OECD Test Guideline 404)

**Serious eye damage/eye irritation**

Eyes - Rabbit

Result: Mild eye irritation

(OECD Test Guideline 405)

**Respiratory or skin sensitisation**

Maximisation Test - Guinea pig

Does not cause skin sensitisation.

(OECD Test Guideline 406)

**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.

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**

No data available

**Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure**

No data available

**Aspiration hazard**

No data available

**Additional Information**

RTECS: GL7900000

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., To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

**12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**12.1 Toxicity**

Toxicity to fish

LC50 - Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) - 0.19 - 0.21 mg/l - 96 h

Toxicity to daphnia and EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 0.011 - 0.039 mg/l - 48 h  
other aquatic

Toxicity to algae                      NOEC - Lamellibranchia (mussel) - 0.007 mg/l - 288 h  
    NOEC - Phaeodactylum tricornutum - 0.0057 mg/l - 72 h

**12.2 Persistence and degradability**

The methods for determining the biological degradability are not applicable to inorganic substances

**12.3 Bioaccumulative potential**

No data available

**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.

**13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

**13.1 Waste treatment methods**

**Product**

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company.

**Contaminated packaging**

Dispose of as unused product.

**14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

**DOT (US)**

Not dangerous goods

**IMDG**

Not dangerous goods

**IATA**

Not dangerous goods

**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
Copper oxide	1317-38-0	2007-07-01



**SARA 311/312 Hazards**

No SARA Hazards

**Massachusetts Right To Know Components**

No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act

**Pennsylvania Right To Know Components**

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Copper (I) Oxide	1317-39-1	2007-07-01

**New Jersey Right To Know Components**

	CAS-No.	Revision Date
Copper (I) Oxide	1317-39-1	2007-07-01

**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
H400	Very toxic to aquatic life.
H412	Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects

**HMIS Rating**

Health hazard:	0
Chronic Health Hazard:	*
Flammability:	0
Physical Hazard:	0

**NFPA Rating**

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

**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.