# **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

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### 1. Identification

Product Name Cerium(III) fluoride

**CAS-No** 7758-88-5

Synonyms Ceriumtrifluoride; Cerous fluoride

Recommended Use Laboratory chemicals.

**Uses advised against** Food, drug, pesticide or biocidal product use.

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

### Company

Heeger Materials Inc 230 Steele St Denver, CO 80206

United States Tel: 303-210-3823, 925-385-8104

### **Emergency Telephone Number**

During normal business hours (Monday-Friday, 8am-7pm EST), call (800) 343-0660. After normal business hours, call Carechem 24 at (866) 928-0789.

## 2. Hazard(s) identification

#### Classification

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Acute oral toxicity

Acute Inhalation Toxicity - Dusts and Mists

Category 4
Skin Corrosion/Irritation

Category 2
Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation

Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)

Category 2
Category 3

### Label Elements

### Signal Word

Warning

#### **Hazard Statements**

Causes skin irritation
Causes serious eye irritation
May cause respiratory irritation
Harmful if swallowed or if inhaled

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#### **Precautionary Statements**

#### Prevention

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

#### Inhalation

IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing

Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell

#### Skin

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water

If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention

Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse

#### **Eves**

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention

#### Ingestion

IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell

Rinse mouth

### Storage

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed

Store locked up

#### Disposal

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

#### Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

None identified

## 3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

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Component	CAS-No	Weight %	
Cerium fluoride (CeF3)	7758-88-5	99.9	

### 4. First-aid measures

**General Advice** If symptoms persist, call a physician.

Eye Contact Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Get

medical attention.

**Skin Contact** Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. If skin irritation persists,

call a physician.

**Inhalation** Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Get medical attention if

symptoms occur.

Ingestion Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Get medical attention if

symptoms occur.

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Most important symptoms and

effects

Notes to Physician Treat symptomatically

5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable Extinguishing Media Water spray. Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). Dry chemical. Chemical foam.

None reasonably foreseeable.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media No information available

Flash Point No information available Method - No information available

**Autoignition Temperature** 

**Explosion Limits** 

Not applicable

Upper No data available
Lower No data available
Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact No information available
Sensitivity to Static Discharge No information available

### Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical

Keep product and empty container away from heat and sources of ignition.

### **Hazardous Combustion Products**

Gaseous hydrogen fluoride (HF). Cerium oxide.

#### **Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters**

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

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Health 2 Instability Physical hazards 0 N/A

6. Accidental release measures

Personal Precautions Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment as required. Avoid dust

formation.

Environmental Precautions Should not be released into the environment. Do not allow material to contaminate ground

water system. Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system.

Methods for Containment and Clean Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. Keep in suitable, closed

**Up** containers for disposal.

7. Handling and storage

Handling Wear personal protective equipment/face protection. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid

ingestion and inhalation. Avoid dust formation. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.

Storage Keep in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Refer product specification and/or product

label for specific storage temperature requirement. Keep container tightly closed. Protect

from direct sunlight.

### 8. Exposure controls / personal protection

### **Exposure Guidelines**

Component	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH	Mexico OEL (TWA)	
Cerium fluoride (CeF3)	TWA: 2.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	(Vacated) TWA: 2.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	IDLH: 250 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	TWA: 2.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	
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#### Legend

ACGIH - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

OSHA - Occupational Safety and Health Administration

NIOSH IDLH: NIOSH - National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Ensure that eyewash stations **Engineering Measures** 

and safety showers are close to the workstation location.

Personal Protective Equipment

Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by **Eye/face Protection** 

OSHA's eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard

EN166.

Skin and body protection Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure.

**Respiratory Protection** Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard

EN 149. Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced.

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. **Hygiene Measures** 

### 9. Physical and chemical properties

**Physical State** Powder Solid

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Odor

**Odor Threshold** 

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Melting Point/Range **Boiling Point/Range** 

**Flash Point** 

**Evaporation Rate** 

Flammability (solid,gas)

Flammability or explosive limits

Upper Lower **Vapor Pressure** 

Vapor Density

**Density** 

Specific Gravity Solubility

Partition coefficient; n-octanol/water

**Autoignition Temperature Decomposition Temperature** 

**Viscosity** 

Molecular Formula **Molecular Weight** 

White

No information available

No information available

Not applicable

1460 °C / 2660 °F 2300 °C / 4172 °F

No information available

Not applicable

No information available

No data available

No data available

No information available

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Not applicable

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No information available No information available No data available

Not applicable

No information available

Not applicable

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# 10. Stability and reactivity

**Reactive Hazard** None known, based on information available

Stability Stable. Light sensitive. Moisture sensitive.

Exposure to light. Incompatible products. Exposure to moist air or water. **Conditions to Avoid** 

**Incompatible Materials** Acids

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Hazardous Decomposition Products Gaseous hydrogen fluoride (HF), Cerium oxide

Hazardous Polymerization Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

**Hazardous Reactions** None under normal processing.

### 11. Toxicological information

### **Acute Toxicity**

## Product Information

**Component Information** 

Component	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation		
Cerium fluoride (CeF3) LD50 > 5 g/kg ( Rat )		Not listed	Not listed		

**Toxicologically Synergistic** 

**Products** 

No information available

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Irritation No information available

Sensitization No information available

Carcinogenicity The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen.

Component	CAS-No	IARC	NTP	ACGIH	OSHA	Mexico
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Mutagenic Effects No information available

Reproductive Effects No information available.

**Developmental Effects**No information available.

**Teratogenicity** No information available.

STOT - single exposure None known STOT - repeated exposure None known

Aspiration hazard No information available

Symptoms / effects, both acute and No information available

delayed

Endocrine Disruptor Information No information available

Other Adverse Effects The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated.

### 12. Ecological information

### **Ecotoxicity**

May cause long-term adverse effects in the environment. Do not allow material to contaminate ground water system.

Persistence and Degradability May persist

Bioaccumulation/ Accumulation No information available.

Mobility No information available.

### 13. Disposal considerations

Waste Disposal Methods Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a

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hazardous waste. Chemical waste generators must also consult local, regional, and national hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.

## 14. Transport information

DOT Not regulated Not regulated TDG Not regulated IATA IMDG/IMO Not regulated

## 15. Regulatory information

### **United States of America Inventory**

Component	CAS-No	TSCA	TSCA Inventory notification - Active/Inactive	TSCA - EPA Regulatory Flags
Cerium fluoride (CeF3)	7758-88-5	X	ACTIVE	-

Legend:

TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act, (40 CFR Part 710)

X - Listed

'-' - Not Listed

TSCA 12(b) - Notices of Export Not applicable

**International Inventories** 

Canada (DSL/NDSL), Europe (EINECS/ELINCS/NLP), Philippines (PICCS), Japan (ENCS), Australia (AICS), China (IECSC), Korea (ECL).

Component	CAS-No	DSL	NDSL	EINECS	PICCS	ENCS	AICS	IECSC	KECL
Cerium fluoride (CeF3)	7758-88-5	Х	-	231-841-3	-	Х	Х	Х	KE-05417
J.S. Federal Regulations									
SARA 313	Not appli	cable		Ch					
SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories See section 2 for more information									
CWA (Clean Water Act)  Not applicable									
Clean Air Act	Not appli	cable					AC		

### U.S. Federal Regulations

**OSHA** - Occupational Safety and

Health Administration

Not applicable

**CERCLA** Not applicable

**California Proposition 65** This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

### U.S. State Right-to-Know

Regulations

	Component	Massachusetts	lassachusetts New Jersey Pennsylvania		Illinois	Rhode Island	
Γ	Cerium fluoride (CeF3)	-	X	-	-	X	

#### **U.S. Department of Transportation**

Reportable Quantity (RQ): **DOT Marine Pollutant** Ν **DOT Severe Marine Pollutant** Ν

### U.S. Department of Homeland

Security

This product does not contain any DHS chemicals.

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#### Other International Regulations

Mexico - Grade No information available

### 16. Other information

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