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Section 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1. Product identifier

Product name: COPPER

REACH registered number(s): 02-2119899138-21-0000

CAS number: 7440-50-8

EINECS number: 231-159-6

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

Use of substance / mixture: PC21: Laboratory chemicals. PROC15: Use as laboratory reagent

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company name: Elemental Microanalysis Ltd

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	Devon
	EX20 1UB
	United Kingdom
Tel:	44(0)183754446
Fax:	44(0)183754544
Email:	info@microanalysis.co.uk

1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency tel: +44 (0) 7990 767375

(office hours only)

### Section 2: Hazards identification

### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification under CLP: Aquatic Acute 1: H400; Aquatic Chronic 2: H411

Most important adverse effects: Very toxic to aquatic life. Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

2.2. Label elements

Label elements:

Hazard statements: \* H400: Very toxic to aquatic life.

H411: Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Hazard pictograms: GHS09: Environmental



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 Signal words:
 Warning

 Precautionary statements:
 P273: Avoid release to the environment.

 P391: Collect spillage.
 P301: Dispose of contents/container to hazardous or special waste collection point.

 2.3. Other hazards

**PBT:** This product is not identified as a PBT/vPvB substance.

#### Section 3: Composition/information on ingredients

#### 3.1. Substances

Chemical identity: COPPER.

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Section 4: First aid measures

#### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

Skin contact: Wash immediately with plenty of soap and water.

Eye contact: Bathe the eye with running water for 15 minutes.

**Ingestion:** Wash out mouth with water.

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

Skin contact: There may be mild irritation at the site of contact.

Eye contact: There may be irritation and redness.

**Ingestion:** There may be irritation of the throat.

Inhalation: There may be irritation of the throat with a feeling of tightness in the chest.

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

Immediate / special treatment: Not applicable.

# Section 5: Fire-fighting measures

5.1. Extinguishing media

Extinguishing media: Suitable extinguishing media for the surrounding fire should be used.

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

Exposure hazards: In combustion emits toxic fumes.

5.3. Advice for fire-fighters

Advice for fire-fighters: Wear self-contained breathing apparatus. Wear protective clothing to prevent contact

with skin and eyes.

### Section 6: Accidental release measures

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

Personal precautions: Refer to section 8 of SDS for personal protection details. Mark out the contaminated area

with signs and prevent access to unauthorised personnel.

#### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions: Do not discharge into drains or rivers.

#### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Clean-up procedures: Transfer to a closable, labelled salvage container for disposal by an appropriate

method.

#### 6.4. Reference to other sections

Reference to other sections: Refer to section 8 of SDS.

### Section 7: Handling and storage

#### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Handling requirements: Wash hands after working with substance. Ensure there is sufficient ventilation of the

area.

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

Storage conditions: Store in a cool, well ventilated area. Keep container tightly closed.

#### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

Specific end use(s): No data available.

### Section 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1. Control parameters

#### Hazardous ingredients:

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#### Workplace exposure limits:

#### Respirable dust:

State	8 hour TWA	15 min. STEL	8 hour TWA	15 min. STEL
EU	0.2mg/m3	-	1.0mg/m3	2.0mg/m3

### **DNEL/PNEC** Values

#### DNEL / PNEC No data available.

### 8.2. Exposure controls

Respiratory protection: Respiratory protective device with particle filter.

Hand protection: Protective gloves.

Eye protection: Safety glasses. Ensure eye bath is to hand.

Skin protection: Protective clothing.

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COPPER Section 9: Physical and chemical properties 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties State: Wire Colour: Orange Odour: Odourless Solubility in water: Slightly soluble Boiling point/range°C: 2567 Melting point/range°C: 1085 Relative density: 9.1 9.2. Other information Other information: No data available. Section 10: Stability and reactivity 10.1. Reactivity Reactivity: Stable under recommended transport or storage conditions. 10.2. Chemical stability Chemical stability: Stable under normal conditions. 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions Hazardous reactions: Hazardous reactions will not occur under normal transport or storage conditions. Decomposition may occur on exposure to conditions or materials listed below. 10.4. Conditions to avoid Conditions to avoid: Heat. 10.5. Incompatible materials Materials to avoid: Strong oxidising agents. Strong acids. 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products Haz. decomp. products: In combustion emits toxic fumes. Section 11: Toxicological information 11.1. Information on toxicological effects Toxicity values: No data available. Symptoms / routes of exposure Skin contact: There may be mild irritation at the site of contact. Eye contact: There may be irritation and redness.

Ingestion: There may be irritation of the throat.

Inhalation: There may be irritation of the throat with a feeling of tightness in the chest.

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#### Section 12: Ecological information

#### 12.1. Toxicity

### Hazardous ingredients:

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ALGAE	96H ErC50	47	µg/l
Daphnia magna	48H EC50	0.04	mg/l
FISH	96H LC50	0.15	mg/l

### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

Persistence and degradability: Not biodegradable.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulative potential: Bioaccumulation potential.

12.4. Mobility in soil

Mobility: No data available.

### 12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

**PBT identification:** This product is not identified as a PBT/vPvB substance.

#### 12.6. Other adverse effects

Other adverse effects: Toxic to aquatic organisms. Toxic to soil organisms.

### Section 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

**Disposal operations:** Transfer to a suitable container and arrange for collection by specialised disposal company.

**NB:** The user's attention is drawn to the possible existence of regional or national regulations regarding disposal.

### Section 14: Transport information

14.1. UN number

UN number: \* UN3077

14.2. UN proper shipping name

Shipping name: \* ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S.

### 14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

Transport class: \* 9

14.4. Packing group

Packing group: \* III

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### 14.5. Environmental hazards

Environmentally hazardous: Yes

Marine pollutant: No

### 14.6. Special precautions for user

Special precautions: No special precautions.

Tunnel code: -

Transport category: \* 3

## Section 15: Regulatory information

## 15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

Specific regulations: Not applicable.

### 15.2. Chemical Safety Assessment

Chemical safety assessment: A chemical safety assessment has not been carried out for the substance or the mixture

by the supplier.

## Section 16: Other information

### Other information

Other information:	according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH) with its amendment Regulation
	(EU) 2015/830
	This safety data sheet is prepared in accordance with Commission Regulation (EC) No
	1272/2008.
	* indicates text in the SDS which has changed since the last revision.
Phrases used in s.2 and s.3:	H400: Very toxic to aquatic life.
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