Material Safety Data Sheet
Cesium Chloride

ACC# 04470

Section 1 - Chemical Product and Company Identification

MSDS Name: Cesium Chloride
Catalog Numbers: BP1595 1, BP1595 500, BP1595-1, BP1595-500, BP15951, BP1595500, BP210 1, BP210 100, BP210 500, BP210-1, BP210-100, BP210-500, BP2101, BP210100, BP210500, C24 25, C24-25, C2425
Synonyms: Cesium Monochloride, Dicesium Dichloride
Company Identification:
Fisher Scientific
1 Reagent Lane
Fairlawn, NJ 07410
For information, call: 201-796-7100
Emergency Number: 201-796-7100
For CHEMTREC assistance, call: 800-424-9300
For International CHEMTREC assistance, call: 703-527-3887

Section 2 - Composition, Information on Ingredients

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Section 3 - Hazards identification

EMERGENCY OVERVIEW
Appearance: white. **Caution!** Hygroscopic. This is expected to be a low hazard for usual industrial handling. May cause eye and skin irritation. May cause respiratory and digestive tract irritation. **Target Organs:** None.

**Potential Health Effects**

**Eye:** May cause eye irritation. Dust may cause mechanical irritation.

**Skin:** May cause skin irritation. Low hazard for usual industrial handling.

**Ingestion:** Ingestion of large amounts may cause gastrointestinal irritation.

**Inhalation:** May cause respiratory tract irritation. Low hazard for usual industrial handling.

**Chronic:** No information found.

### Section 4 - First Aid Measures

**Eyes:** Flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, occasionally lifting the upper and lower lids. If irritation develops, get medical aid.

**Skin:** Flush skin with plenty of soap and water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. Get medical aid if irritation develops or persists. Wash clothing before reuse.

**Ingestion:** Do NOT induce vomiting. If victim is conscious and alert, give 2-4 cupfuls of milk or water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

**Get medical aid.**

**Inhalation:** Remove from exposure to fresh air immediately. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical aid if cough or other symptoms appear.

**Notes to Physician:** Treat symptomatically and supportively.

### Section 5 - Firefighting Measures

**General Information:** As in any fire, wear a self-contained breathing apparatus in pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent), and full protective gear. During a fire, irritating and highly toxic gases may be generated by thermal decomposition or combustion. Vapors may be heavier than air. They can spread along the ground and collect in low or confined areas.

**Extinguishing Media:** In case of fire, use water, dry chemical, chemical foam, or alcohol-resistant foam. Use agent most appropriate to extinguish fire. Do NOT get water inside containers.

**Autoignition Temperature:** Not applicable.

**Flash Point:** Not applicable. (Estimated) Health: 0; Flammability: 0; Reactivity: 0

**Explosion Limits, Lower:** Not available. Upper: Not available.

### Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

**General Information:** Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8.

**Spills/Leaks:** Vacuum or sweep up material and place into a suitable disposal container. Clean up spills immediately, observing precautions in the Protective Equipment section. Avoid generating dusty conditions. Provide ventilation. Do not
get water inside containers.

Section 7 - Handling and Storage

Handling: Wash hands before eating. Use only in a well ventilated area. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Keep container tightly closed. Avoid ingestion and inhalation. Wash clothing before reuse.
Storage: Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area away from incompatible substances. Keep containers tightly closed. Store protected from moisture.

Section 8 - Exposure Controls, Personal Protection

Engineering Controls: Use adequate ventilation to keep airborne concentrations low.

Exposure Limits

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OSHA Vacated PELs: CESIUM CHLORIDE: No OSHA Vacated PELs are listed for this chemical.
Personal Protective Equipment
Eyes: Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by OSHA's eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard EN166.
Skin: Wear appropriate gloves to prevent skin exposure.
Clothing: Wear appropriate protective clothing to minimize contact with skin.
Respirators: Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard EN 149. Always use a NIOSH or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator when necessary.

Section 9 - Physical and Chemical Properties

Physical State: Solid
Appearance: white
Odor: None reported
pH: Not available.
Vapor Pressure: Negligible.
Vapor Density: 5.8
Evaporation Rate:
Viscosity: Not available.
Boiling Point: 1303 deg C
Freezing/Melting Point: 646 deg C
Decomposition Temperature: Not available.
Solubility: Soluble in water.
Specific Gravity/Density: 3.988
Molecular Formula: CsCl
Molecular Weight:
Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

Chemical Stability: Stable at room temperature in closed containers under normal storage and handling conditions.
Conditions to Avoid: Incompatible materials, dust generation, moisture, excess heat.
Incompatibilities with Other Materials: Incompatible with bromine trifluoride.
Hazardous Decomposition Products: Chlorine, none, chloride fumes.
Hazardous Polymerization: Has not been reported.

Section 11 - Toxicological Information

RTECS#: 
CAS# 7647-17-8: FK9625000
LD50/LC50:
CAS# 7647-17-8:
Oral, mouse: LD50 = 2306 mg/kg;
Oral, rat: LD50 = 2600 mg/kg;
Carcinogenicity:
CAS# 7647-17-8: Not listed by ACGIH, IARC, NIOSH, NTP, or OSHA.
Epidemiology: No information available.
Teratogenicity: No information available.
Reproductive Effects: No information available.
Neurotoxicity: No information available.
Mutagenicity: No information available.
Other Studies: No data available.

Section 12 - Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity: Not available.
Environmental Fate: Not available.
Physical/Chemical: Not available.
Other: Not available.

Section 13 - Disposal Considerations

Dispose of in a manner consistent with federal, state, and local regulations.
RCRA D-Series Maximum Concentration of Contaminants: None listed.
RCRA D-Series Chronic Toxicity Reference Levels: None listed.
RCRA F-Series: None listed.
RCRA P-Series: None listed.
RCRA U-Series: None listed.

Section 14 - Transport Information
US FEDERAL

TSCA
CAS# 7647-17-8 is listed on the TSCA inventory.

Health & Safety Reporting List
None of the chemicals are on the Health & Safety Reporting List.

Chemical Test Rules
None of the chemicals in this product are under a Chemical Test Rule.

Section 12b
None of the chemicals are listed under TSCA Section 12b.

TSCA Significant New Use Rule
None of the chemicals in this material have a SNUR under TSCA.

SARA

Section 302 (RQ)
None of the chemicals in this material have an RQ.

Section 302 (TPQ)
None of the chemicals in this product have a TPQ.

Section 313
No chemicals are reportable under Section 313.

Clean Air Act:
This material does not contain any hazardous air pollutants. This material does not contain any Class 1 Ozone depleters. This material does not contain any Class 2 Ozone depletors.

Clean Water Act:
None of the chemicals in this product are listed as Hazardous Substances under the CWA. None of the chemicals in this product are listed as Priority Pollutants under the CWA. None of the chemicals in this product are listed as Toxic Pollutants under the CWA.

OSHA:
None of the chemicals in this product are considered highly hazardous by OSHA.

STATE
CAS# 7647-17-8 is not present on state lists from CA, PA, MN, MA, FL, or NJ.

California No Significant Risk Level: None of the chemicals in this product are listed. European/International Regulations
European Labeling in Accordance with EC Directives

Hazard Symbols:
Not available.

Risk Phrases:

Safety Phrases:

WGK (Water Danger/Protection)
CAS# 7647-17-8: 1
Canada
CAS# 7647-17-8 is listed on Canada’s DSL/NDSL List.
This product has a WHMIS classification of Not controlled.
CAS# 7647-17-8 is not listed on Canada’s Ingredient Disclosure List.

Exposure Limits

Section 16 - Additional Information

MSDS Creation Date: 4/28/1995
Revision #8 Date: 8/27/1998
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