



**Chromium (III) Oxide Green**  
**CAS No 1308-38-9**

**MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET**  
**SDS/MSDS**

**SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking**

**1.1 Product identifiers**

Product name : **Chromium (III) Oxide Green**

CAS-No. : 1308-38-9

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

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Industrial & for professional use only.

**1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**

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**1.4 Emergency telephone number**

Emergency Phone # : +91 11 49404040 (9:00am - 6:00 pm) [Office hours]

**SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

**2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture**

Not a hazardous substance or mixture according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008.

**2.2 Label elements**

**Labelling according Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**

Pictogram none

Signal word none

Hazard statement(s) none

Precautionary statement(s) none

Supplemental Hazard Statements none

Safety data sheet available on request.

**2.3 Other hazards**

This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.1 Substances

Synonyms	:	Chromia
Formula	:	Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>
Molecular weight	:	151.99 g/mol
CAS-No.	:	1308-38-9
EC-No.	:	215-160-9

#### Hazardous ingredients according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Component	Classification	Concentration
<b>Chromium (III) oxide</b>		
CAS-No.	1308-38-9	<= 100 %
EC-No.	215-160-9	

## SECTION 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. Consult a physician.

#### In case of skin contact

Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

#### In case of eye contact

Flush eyes with water as a precaution.

#### If swallowed

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

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

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11

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

No data available

## SECTION 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

Chromium oxides

### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

### 5.4 Further information

No data available

## SECTION 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**

Do not let product enter drains.

## **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.

## **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

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

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**

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

hygroscopic Handle and store under inert gas.

Storage class (TRGS 510): Non Combustible Solids

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

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

## **SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

### **8.1 Control parameters**

### **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.

##### **Body Protection**

Choose body protection in relation to its type, to the concentration and amount of dangerous substances, and to the specific work-place., The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

##### **Respiratory protection**

Respiratory protection is not required. Where protection from nuisance le (EN 143) dust masks. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

##### **Control of environmental exposure**

Do not let product enter drains.

## **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

### **9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

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|---------------|-------------------------------|
| a) Appearance | Form: powder<br>Colour: green |
| b) Odour      | No data available             |

c) Odour Threshold	No data available
d) pH	No data available
e) Melting point/freezing point	Melting point/freezing point: 2,435 °C
f) Initial boiling point and boiling range	4,000 °C
g) Flash point	Not applicable
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	5.210 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
n) Water solubility	insoluble
o) Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	No data available
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	No data available

## 9.2 Other safety information

No data available

## SECTION 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

Avoid moisture.

### 10.5 Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents

### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Chromium oxides

Other decomposition products - No data available

In the event of fire: see section 5

## **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

### **11.1 Information on toxicological effects**

#### **Acute toxicity**

LD50 Oral - Rat - male - > 15,000 mg/kg(Chromium (III) oxide)  
(OECD Test Guideline 401)

LC50 Inhalation - Rat - male and female - 4 h - > 5.41 mg/l(Chromium (III) oxide)  
(OECD Test Guideline 403)

#### **Skin corrosion/irritation**

Skin - Rabbit(Chromium (III) oxide)  
Result: Mild skin irritation

#### **Serious eye damage/eye irritation**

Eyes - Rabbit(Chromium (III) oxide)  
Result: Mild eye irritation

#### **Respiratory or skin sensitisation**

No data available(Chromium (III) oxide)

#### **Germ cell mutagenicity**

OECD Test Guideline 474(Chromium (III) oxide)  
Mouse - male and female  
Result: negative

#### **Carcinogenicity**

This product is or contains a component that is not classifiable as to its classification.(Chromium (III) oxide)

IARC: 3 - Group 3: Not classifiable as to its carcinogenicity to humans (Chromium (III) oxide)

#### **Reproductive toxicity**

No data available(Chromium (III) oxide)

#### **Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure**

No data available(Chromium (III) oxide)

#### **Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure**

No data available

#### **Aspiration hazard**

No data available(Chromium (III) oxide)

#### **Additional Information**

Repeated dose toxicity - Rat - male and female - No observed adverse effect level - 2,000 mg/kg(Chromium (III) oxide)  
RTECS: GB6475000

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.(Chromium (III) oxide)

## **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

### **12.1 Toxicity**

Toxicity to fish static test LC50 - Danio rerio (zebra fish) - > 10,000 mg/l - 96 h(Chromium (III) oxide)

### **12.2 Persistence and degradability**

No data available

### **12.3 Bioaccumulative potential**

No data available

#### 12.4 Mobility in soil

No data available(Chromium (III) oxide)

#### 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

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#### 12.6 Other adverse effects

No data available

### SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

#### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

##### Product

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company. Dissolve or mix the material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chem scrubber.

##### Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

### SECTION 14: Transport information

#### 14.1 UN number

ADR/RID: -

IMDG: -

IATA: -

#### 14.2 UN proper shipping name

ADR/RID: Not dangerous goods

IMDG: Not dangerous goods

IATA: Not dangerous goods

#### 14.3 Transport hazard class(es)

ADR/RID: -

IMDG: -

IATA: -

#### 14.4 Packaging group

ADR/RID: -

IMDG: -

IATA: -

#### 14.5 Environmental hazards

ADR/RID: no

IMDG Marine pollutant: no

IATA: no

#### 14.6 Special precautions for user

No data available

### SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

This safety datasheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006.

#### 15.2 Chemical safety assessment

For this product a chemical safety assessment was not carried out

### SECTION 16: Other information

#### Further information

The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. The information in this document is based on the present state of our knowledge and is applicable to the product with regard to appropriate safety precautions. It does not represent any guarantee of the properties of the product. Central Drug House (P) Ltd and its Affiliates shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product. See [www.cdhfinechemical.com](http://www.cdhfinechemical.com) for additional terms and conditions of sale.