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## **SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION**

Product name : DAVIS COLORS SYNTHETIC IRON OXIDE BUFF 5237

#### Manufacturer or supplier's details

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#### Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use : Industrial use

Colouring agents, pigments

# **SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

#### GHS classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910.1200

Not a hazardous substance or mixture.

## **GHS** label elements

Not a hazardous substance or mixture.

# Other hazards

Handling and/or processing of this material may generate a dust which can cause mechanical irritation of the eyes, skin, nose and throat.

## SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Substance / Mixture : Mixture

#### Components

Chemical name	CAS-No.	Concentration (% w/w)
diiron trioxide	1309-37-1	13 - 30

The specific chemical identity and/or exact percentage (concentration) of composition may be withheld as a trade secret.



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## **SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES**

General advice : Consult a physician.

If inhaled : If breathed in, move person into fresh air.

Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

: Wash off with soap and water. In case of skin contact

Call a physician if irritation develops or persists.

In case of eye contact : Rinse with water.

If eye irritation persists, consult a specialist.

If swallowed : Rinse mouth with water.

If material has been swallowed and the exposed person is

conscious, give small quantities of water to drink. DO NOT induce vomiting unless directed to do so by a

physician or poison control center. If symptoms persist, call a physician.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and

delayed

Dust contact with the eyes can lead to mechanical irritation. Inhalation of dust may cause shortness of breath, tightness of

the chest, a sore throat and cough.

The product is not irritant but as with all fine powders can absorb moisture and natural oils from the surface of the skin

during prolonged exposure.

Individuals with sensitive skin may experience skin drying on

prolonged or repeated exposure.

No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without Protection of first-aiders

suitable training.

Notes to physician : No specific measures identified.

## **SECTION 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

Suitable extinguishing media Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local

circumstances and the surrounding environment.

Water spray Foam Dry powder

Carbon dioxide (CO2)

Unsuitable extinguishing

media

High volume water jet

Specific hazards during

firefighting

Cool closed containers exposed to fire with water spray.

Hazardous combustion

products

No hazardous combustion products are known



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Specific extinguishing

methods

: Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local

circumstances and the surrounding environment.

Further information : Standard procedure for chemical fires.

Special protective equipment

for firefighters

: In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

#### **SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures : Use personal protective equipment.

Ensure adequate ventilation.

Avoid dust formation.

Remove all sources of ignition.

Never return spills in original containers for re-use.

Treat recovered material as described in the section "Disposal

considerations".

For disposal considerations see section 13.

Environmental precautions : No special envi

: No special environmental precautions required.

Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages

cannot be contained.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable

container for disposal.

Avoid creating dusty conditions and prevent wind dispersal. Clean contaminated floors and objects thoroughly while

observing environmental regulations.

#### **SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

Advice on protection against

fire and explosion

Avoid dust formation.

Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust

is formed.

Advice on safe handling : Minimize dust generation and accumulation.

Avoid formation of respirable particles.

Avoid inhalation, ingestion and contact with skin and eyes. Avoid exposure - obtain special instructions before use.

For personal protection see section 8.

Smoking, eating and drinking should be prohibited in the

application area.

Provide sufficient air exchange and/or exhaust in work rooms. Dispose of rinse water in accordance with local and national

regulations.

Conditions for safe storage

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

Observe label precautions.

Electrical installations / working materials must comply with the

 $technological\ safety\ standards.$ 



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Further information on storage stability

Keep in a dry place.

## SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

## Components with workplace control parameters

Components	CAS-No.	Value type (Form of exposure)	Control parameters / Permissible concentration	Basis
diiron trioxide	1309-37-1	TWA (Respirable fraction)	5 mg/m3	ACGIH
		TWA (Fumes)	10 mg/m3	OSHA Z-1
		TWA (total dust)	15 mg/m3	OSHA Z-1
		TWA (respirable fraction)	5 mg/m3	OSHA Z-1

**Engineering measures** : Maintain air concentrations below occupational exposure

standards.

Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection : Use respiratory protection unless adequate local exhaust

ventilation is provided or exposure assessment demonstrates that exposures are within recommended exposure guidelines

Hand protection

Directive : Use gloves approved to relevant standards e.g. EN 374

(Europe), F739 (US).

Eye protection : Safety glasses

Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close

to the workstation location.

Skin and body protection : Personal protective equipment for the body should be

selected based on the task being performed and the risks involved and should be approved by a specialist before

handling this product.

Protective measures : Wear suitable protective equipment.

Hygiene measures : Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling

the product.

Remove contaminated clothing and protective equipment

before entering eating areas.

Barrier creams may help to protect the exposed areas of skin, they should however not be applied once exposure has

occurred.



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#### SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance : powder

Colour : yellow

Odour : odourless

Odour Threshold : No data is available on the product itself.

pH : 4 - 8Concentration: 10 %

Melting point : > 1,832 °F / > 1,000 °C

Boiling point/boiling range : Not applicable

Flash point : Not applicable

Evaporation rate : Not applicable

Flammability (solid, gas) : Will not burn

Flammability (liquids) : Not applicable

Upper explosion limit / Upper

flammability limit

: Not applicable

Lower explosion limit / Lower

flammability limit

: Not applicable

Vapour pressure : Not applicable

Relative vapour density : Not applicable

Relative density : No data is available on the product itself.

Density : No data is available on the product itself.

Solubility(ies)

Water solubility : insoluble

Solubility in other solvents : No data is available on the product itself.

Partition coefficient: n-

octanol/water

: No data is available on the product itself.

Auto-ignition temperature : Not applicable

Thermal decomposition : No data is available on the product itself.

Self-Accelerating

decomposition temperature

(SADT)

: No data is available on the product itself.



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Viscosity

Viscosity, kinematic : Not applicable

Explosive properties : Not expected to form explosive dust-air mixtures.

Oxidizing properties : No data is available on the product itself.

Particle size : No data is available on the product itself.

#### **SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Reactivity : No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.

Chemical stability : From ca. 60°C, transformation of black iron oxide to Fe2O3

will occur as an exothermic reaction. Yellow iron oxide will lose water of hydration at 180°C and convert to Fe2O3.

Possibility of hazardous

reactions

: Stable under recommended storage conditions.

No hazards to be specially mentioned.

Conditions to avoid : No data available

Incompatible materials : peroxides, for example hydrogen peroxide

aluminum dust calcium hypochlorite

hydrazine Ethylene oxide caesium carbide

Hazardous decomposition

products

No hazardous decomposition products are known.

#### **SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Information on likely routes of : No data is available on the product itself.

exposure

Acute toxicity

Components:

diiron trioxide:

Acute oral : LD50 (Rat, male and female): > 5,000 mg/kg

toxicityComponents Method: EC Directive 92/69/EEC B.1 Acute Toxicity (Oral)

LD50 (Rat, male): > 10,000 mg/kg Method: OECD Test Guideline 401

**Components:** 

diiron trioxide:

Acute inhalation toxicity : LC50 (Rat, male and female): 5 mg/l

Exposure time: 4 h

Test atmosphere: dust/mist Method: OECD Test Guideline 403



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Assessment: The substance or mixture has no acute

inhalation toxicity

Acute dermal toxicity : No data available

Acute toxicity (other routes of : No data available

administration)

## Skin corrosion/irritation

#### Components:

diiron trioxide: Species: Rabbit Exposure time: 4 h

Assessment: No skin irritation Method: OECD Test Guideline 404

Result: No skin irritation

## Serious eye damage/eye irritation

#### **Components:**

diiron trioxide: Species: Rabbit Result: No eye irritation

Exposure time: 24 h

Assessment: No eye irritation Method: OECD Test Guideline 405

# Respiratory or skin sensitisation

#### **Components:**

diiron trioxide:

Exposure routes: Dermal

Species: No information available.

Assessment: Did not cause sensitisation on laboratory animals.

Method: Other guidelines

Result: Does not cause skin sensitisation.

Exposure routes: Skin Species: Mouse

Method: OECD Test Guideline 429 Result: Does not cause skin sensitisation.

No data available Assessment:

# Germ cell mutagenicity

# Components:

diiron trioxide:

Genotoxicity in vitro : Test Type: Ames test

Test system: Salmonella typhimurium

Concentration: 8 - 40 - 200 - 1000 - 5000 µg/

Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation

Method: reverse mutation assay



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Result: negative

Test Type: Chromosome aberration test in vitro Test system: Chinese hamster lung cells Concentration: 0, 6.25, 12.5 and 25 µg/ml

Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation

Method: OECD Test Guideline 473

Result: negative

**Components:** 

diiron trioxide:

Genotoxicity in vivo : Test Type: in vivo assay

Species: Rat (female)

Dose: 0, 500, 1000, or 2000 mg/kg bw

Result: negative

Test Type: in vivo assay Species: Rat (male) Dose: 3.75 mg/kg bw Result: negative

## Carcinogenicity

#### Components:

diiron trioxide:

Species: Rat, male and female

Application Route: Intraperitoneal injection

Exposure time: 790 - 914 days

Result: negative

Species: Rat, male and female

Application Route: Intraperitoneal injection

Exposure time: 798 days

Result: negative

Carcinogenicity -

Assessment

: No data available

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.

ACGIH No component of this product present at levels greater than or

equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential

carcinogen by ACGIH.

OSHA No component of this product present at levels greater than or

equal to 0.1% is on OSHA's list of regulated carcinogens.

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.

Reproductive toxicity

Effects on fertility : No data available



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Effects on foetal development

: No data available

Reproductive toxicity -

Assessment

: No data available

STOT - single exposure

No data available

STOT - repeated exposure

No data available

Repeated dose toxicity

Components:

diiron trioxide: Species: Rat, male >= 30 mg/m3

Application Route: inhalation (dust/mist/fume)

Test atmosphere: dust/mist Exposure time: 5 days

Repeated dose toxicity -

: No data available

Assessment

Aspiration toxicity

No data available

Experience with human exposure

General Information: No data available

Inhalation: No data available

Skin contact: No data available

Eye contact: No data available

Ingestion: No data available

Toxicology, Metabolism, Distribution

No data available

**Neurological effects** 

No data available

Further information



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Ingestion: No data available

#### **SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**Ecotoxicity** 

Components:

diiron trioxide:

Toxicity to fish : EC50 (Brachydanio rerio (zebrafish)): > 50,000 mg/l

Exposure time: 96 h Test Type: static test

Components:

diiron trioxide:

Toxicity to daphnia and other

aquatic invertebrates

: EC50: > 100 mg/l Exposure time: 48 h Test Type: static test

Method: OECD Test Guideline 202

Components:

diiron trioxide:

Toxicity to algae/aquatic

plants

M-Factor (Acute aquatic

toxicity)

: EC50 (Other): > 100 mg/l

No data available

Toxicity to fish (Chronic

toxicity)

: No data available

Toxicity to daphnia and other

aquatic invertebrates (Chronic toxicity)

: No data available

M-Factor (Chronic aquatic

toxicity)

: No data available

Components:

diiron trioxide:

Toxicity to microorganisms : EC50 (activated sludge): > 10,000 mg/l

Exposure time: 3 h Test Type: static test Method: ISO 8192

Toxicity to soil dwelling

organisms

: No data available

Plant toxicity : No data available



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Sediment toxicity : No data available

Toxicity to terrestrial

organisms

: No data available

**Ecotoxicology Assessment** 

Acute aquatic toxicity : No data available

Chronic aquatic toxicity : No data available

Toxicity Data on Soil : No data available

Other organisms relevant to

the environment

: No data available

Persistence and degradability

Biodegradability - Product : Result: Not readily biodegradable.

Components:

diiron trioxide:

Biochemical Oxygen

Demand (BOD)

: 0 mgO2/g

Components:

diiron trioxide:

Chemical Oxygen Demand

(COD)

: 0 mgO2/g

BOD/COD : No data available

ThOD : No data available

BOD/ThOD : No data available

Dissolved organic carbon

(DOC)

: No data available

Physico-chemical

removability

: No data available

Stability in water : No data available

Photodegradation : No data available

Impact on Sewage

Treatment

: No data available

Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulation - Product : Remarks: Bioaccumulation is unlikely.

Partition coefficient: n-

octanol/water

: No data available



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Mobility in soil

Mobility : No data available

Distribution among

environmental compartments

: No data available

Stability in soil : No data available

Other adverse effects

Environmental fate and

pathways

: No data available

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment - Product

: 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.

Endocrine disrupting

potential

: No data available

Adsorbed organic bound

halogens (AOX)

: No data available

Hazardous to the ozone layer

Ozone-Depletion Potential : Regulation: 40 CFR Protection of Environment; Part 82

Protection of Stratospheric Ozone - CAA Section 602 Class I

Substances

Remarks: This product neither contains, nor was

manufactured with a Class I or Class II ODS as defined by the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 602 (40 CFR 82, Subpt. A, App.A +

B١

Additional ecological

information

: No data available

Global warming potential

(GWP)

: No data available

## **SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

Disposal methods

Waste from residues : Do not dispose of waste into sewer.

Do not contaminate ponds, waterways or ditches with

chemical or used container.

Dispose of wastes in an approved waste disposal facility.

Contaminated packaging : Empty remaining contents.

Dispose of as unused product. Do not re-use empty containers.



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#### **SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

#### International Regulations

#### **IATA**

Not regulated as dangerous goods

#### **IMDG**

Not regulated as dangerous goods

#### Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable for product as supplied.

#### **National Regulations**

#### **DOT Classification**

Not regulated as dangerous goods

## **SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

# EPCRA - Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act

## **CERCLA Reportable Quantity**

This material does not contain any components with a CERCLA RQ.

SARA 313 : This material does not contain any chemical components with

known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

This product does not contain any hazardous air pollutants (HAP), as defined by the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 112 (40 CFR 61).

#### California Prop. 65

WARNING! This product can expose you to chemicals, as trace impurities and not intentionally added, known to the State of California to cause cancer (C), birth defects (M) or other reproductive (R) harm. For more information, go to www.P65Warnings.ca.gov.

# The components of this product are reported in the following inventories:

CH INV : On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory DSL : All components of this product are on the Canadian DSL **AICS** On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory **NZloC** On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory **ENCS** On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory **KECI** On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory **PICCS** On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory **IECSC** On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory TCSI On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory **TSCA** All substances listed as active on the TSCA inventory

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AICS (Australia), DSL (Canada), IECSC (China), REACH (European Union), ENCS (Japan), ISHL (Japan), KECI (Korea), NZIoC (New Zealand), PICCS (Philippines), TCSI (Taiwan), TSCA (USA)

# TSCA - 5(a) Significant New Use Rule List of Chemicals

No substances are subject to a Significant New Use Rule.

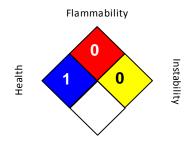
# US. Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpt D)

No substances are subject to TSCA 12(b) export notification requirements.

#### **SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION**

## **Further information**

## NFPA 704:



Special hazard.

#### HMIS® IV:



HMIS® ratings are based on a 0-4 rating scale, with 0 representing minimal hazards or risks, and 4 representing significant hazards or risks. The "\*" represents a chronic hazard, while the "/" represents the absence of a chronic hazard.

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LABEL CODE: N/A

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Sources of key data used to compile the Safety Data Sheet

: Information taken from reference works and the literature.,

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ACGIH : USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)

OSHA Z-1 : USA, Occupational Exposure Limits (OSHA) - Table Z-1

Limits for Air Contaminants

ACGIH / TWA : 8-hour, time-weighted average OSHA Z-1 / TWA : 8-hour time weighted average

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