

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006

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## SECTION 1. Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

### 1.1 Product identifier

Catalogue No. 115348

Product name Kjeldahl tablets (without addition of Se and Hg) 5 g/tablet

REACH Registration Number This product is a mixture. REACH Registration Number see section 3.

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

Identified uses Reagent for analysis  
For additional information on uses please refer to the Merck Chemicals portal ([www.merckgroup.com](http://www.merckgroup.com)).

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

Company Merck KGaA \* 64271 Darmstadt \* Germany \* Phone: +49 6151 72-0

Responsible Department LS-QHC \* e-mail: [prodsafe@merckgroup.com](mailto:prodsafe@merckgroup.com)

1.4 Emergency telephone number Please contact the regional company representation in your country.

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## SECTION 2. Hazards identification

### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification (REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008)

Chronic aquatic toxicity, Category 2, H411

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

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## 2.2 Label elements

### Labelling (REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008)

#### *Hazard pictograms*



#### *Hazard statements*

H411 Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

#### *Precautionary statements*

Prevention

P273 Avoid release to the environment.

#### Reduced labelling (≤125 ml)

##### *Hazard pictograms*



## 2.3 Other hazards

None known.

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## SECTION 3. Composition/information on ingredients

Chemical nature

Mixture of inorganic compounds

### 3.1 Substance

Not applicable

### 3.2 Mixture

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## Hazardous components (REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008)

*Chemical name (Concentration)*

CAS-No.            Registration number    Classification

Copper(II) sulphate ( $\geq 1\%$  -  $< 2,5\%$ )

7758-98-7            \*)

Acute toxicity, Category 4, H302

Skin irritation, Category 2, H315

Eye irritation, Category 2, H319

Acute aquatic toxicity, Category 1, H400

Chronic aquatic toxicity, Category 1, H410

M-Factor: 10

\*) A registration number is not available for this substance as the substance or its use are exempted from registration according to Article 2 REACH Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006, the annual tonnage does not require a registration or the registration is envisaged for a later registration deadline.

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

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## SECTION 4. First aid measures

### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

After inhalation: fresh air.

In case of skin contact: Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.

After eye contact: rinse out with plenty of water. Remove contact lenses.

After swallowing: make victim drink water (two glasses at most). Consult doctor if feeling unwell.

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

We have no description of any symptoms of toxicity.

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

No information available.

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## SECTION 5. Firefighting measures

### 5.1 Extinguishing media

*Suitable extinguishing media*

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Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

#### *Unsuitable extinguishing media*

For this substance/mixture no limitations of extinguishing agents are given.

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

Not combustible.

Ambient fire may liberate hazardous vapours.

Fire may cause evolution of:

Sulphur oxides

### **5.3 Advice for firefighters**

#### *Special protective equipment for firefighters*

Stay in danger area only with self-contained breathing apparatus. Prevent skin contact by keeping a safe distance or by wearing suitable protective clothing.

#### *Further information*

Suppress (knock down) gases/vapours/mists with a water spray jet. Prevent fire extinguishing water from contaminating surface water or the ground water system.

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## **SECTION 6. Accidental release measures**

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

Advice for non-emergency personnel: Avoid inhalation of dusts. Evacuate the danger area, observe emergency procedures, consult an expert.

Advice for emergency responders:

Protective equipment see section 8.

### **6.2 Environmental precautions**

Do not let product enter drains.

### **6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up**

Cover drains. Collect, bind, and pump off spills. Observe possible material restrictions (see sections 7 and 10). Take up dry. Dispose of properly. Clean up affected area. Avoid generation of dusts.

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## 6.4 Reference to other sections

Indications about waste treatment see section 13.

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## SECTION 7. Handling and storage

### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

#### *Advice on safe handling*

Observe label precautions.

#### *Hygiene measures*

Change contaminated clothing. Wash hands after working with substance.

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

#### *Storage conditions*

Tightly closed. Dry.

Recommended storage temperature see product label.

### 7.3 Specific end use(s)

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

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## SECTION 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1 Control parameters

### 8.2 Exposure controls

#### **Engineering measures**

Technical measures and appropriate working operations should be given priority over the use of personal protective equipment.

See section 7.1.

#### **Individual protection measures**

Protective clothing needs to be selected specifically for the workplace, depending on concentrations and quantities of the hazardous substances handled. The chemical resistance of the protective equipment should be enquired at the respective supplier.

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## *Eye/face protection*

Safety glasses

## *Hand protection*

full contact:

Glove material:	Nitrile rubber
Glove thickness:	0,11 mm
Break through time:	> 480 min

splash contact:

Glove material:	Nitrile rubber
Glove thickness:	0,11 mm
Break through time:	> 480 min

The protective gloves to be used must comply with the specifications of EC Directive 89/686/EEC and the related standard EN374, for example KCL 741 Dermatril® L (full contact), KCL 741 Dermatril® L (splash contact).

The breakthrough times stated above were determined by KCL in laboratory tests acc. to EN374 with samples of the recommended glove types.

This recommendation applies only to the product stated in the safety data sheet(>,<)> supplied by us and for the designated use. When dissolving in or mixing with other substances and under conditions deviating from those stated in EN374 please contact the supplier of CE-approved gloves (e.g. KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, Internet: [www.kcl.de](http://www.kcl.de)).

## *Respiratory protection*

required when dusts are generated.

Recommended Filter type: P1 filter

The entrepreneur has to ensure that maintenance, cleaning and testing of respiratory protective devices are carried out according to the instructions of the producer. These measures have to be properly documented.

## **Environmental exposure controls**

Do not let product enter drains.

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

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

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Form	tablets
Colour	grey
Odour	odourless
Odour Threshold	Not applicable
pH	No information available.
Melting point	No information available.
Boiling point	No information available.
Flash point	Not applicable
Evaporation rate	No information available.
Flammability (solid, gas)	The product is not flammable.
Lower explosion limit	No information available.
Upper explosion limit	No information available.
Vapour pressure	No information available.
Relative vapour density	No information available.
Density	No information available.
Relative density	No information available.
Water solubility	at 20 °C partly soluble

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Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	No information available.
Auto-ignition temperature	No information available.
Decomposition temperature	No information available.
Viscosity, dynamic	No information available.
Explosive properties	Not classified as explosive.
Oxidizing properties	none

## 9.2 Other data

none

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## SECTION 10. Stability and reactivity

### 10.1 Reactivity

See section 10.3

### 10.2 Chemical stability

The product is chemically stable under standard ambient conditions (room temperature) .

### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

the constituents may react with:

hydroxylamine, Strong oxidizing agents, powdered magnesium

### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

no information available

### 10.5 Incompatible materials

no information available

### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

in the event of fire: See section 5.



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## SECTION 11. Toxicological information

### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

#### Mixture

##### *Acute oral toxicity*

Acute toxicity estimate: > 2.000 mg/kg

Calculation method

##### *Acute inhalation toxicity*

This information is not available.

##### *Acute dermal toxicity*

This information is not available.

##### *Skin irritation*

This information is not available.

##### *Eye irritation*

This information is not available.

##### *Sensitisation*

This information is not available.

##### *Germ cell mutagenicity*

This information is not available.

##### *Carcinogenicity*

This information is not available.

##### *Reproductive toxicity*

This information is not available.

##### *Teratogenicity*

This information is not available.

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

This information is not available.

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

This information is not available.

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## *Aspiration hazard*

This information is not available.

## 11.2 Further information

Other dangerous properties can not be excluded.

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

## Components

### *Copper(II) sulphate*

#### *Acute oral toxicity*

LD50 Rat: 481 mg/kg

OECD Test Guideline 401

LDLO human: 50 mg/kg

(RTECS)

#### *Germ cell mutagenicity*

##### *Genotoxicity in vivo*

Micronucleus test

Result: negative

(Lit.)

#### *Genotoxicity in vitro*

Ames test

Salmonella typhimurium

Result: negative

(Lit.)

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## SECTION 12. Ecological information

### Mixture

#### 12.1 Toxicity

No information available.

#### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

No information available.

#### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No information available.

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## 12.4 Mobility in soil

No information available.

## 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Substance(s) in the mixture do(es) not meet the criteria for PBT or vPvB according to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006, Annex XIII, or a PBT/vPvB assessment was not conducted.

## 12.6 Other adverse effects

*Additional ecological information*

Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

## Components

*Copper(II) sulphate*

*Toxicity to fish*

LC50 Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout): 0,11 mg/l; 96 h  
(ECOTOX Database)

*Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates*

EC50 Daphnia magna (Water flea): 0,02 mg/l; 48 h  
(ECOTOX Database)

*Biodegradability*

The methods for determining the biological degradability are not applicable to inorganic substances.

*M-Factor*

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## SECTION 13. Disposal considerations

### *Waste treatment methods*

See [www.retrologistik.com](http://www.retrologistik.com) for processes regarding the return of chemicals and containers, or contact us there if you have further questions.

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## SECTION 14. Transport information

### Land transport (ADR/RID)

14.1 UN number UN 3077

14.2 Proper shipping name ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID,  
N.O.S. (COPPER(II)-SULPHATE)

14.3 Class 9

14.4 Packing group III

14.5 Environmentally hazardous yes

14.6 Special precautions for user yes

Tunnel restriction code -

Packages smaller than or equal to 5 kg / L , not dangerous goods of Class 9

### Inland waterway transport (ADN)

Not relevant

### Air transport (IATA)

14.1 UN number UN 3077

14.2 Proper shipping name ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID,  
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14.5 Environmentally hazardous yes

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**14.6 Special precautions for user** no

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## Sea transport (IMDG)

**14.1 UN number** UN 3077

**14.2 Proper shipping name** ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. (COPPER(II)-SULPHATE)

**14.3 Class** 9

**14.4 Packing group** III

**14.5 Environmentally hazardous** yes

**14.6 Special precautions for user** yes

EmS F-A S-F

Packages smaller than or equal to 5 kg / L , not dangerous goods of Class 9

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

Not relevant

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## SECTION 15. Regulatory information

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

#### *EU regulations*

Major Accident Hazard SEVESO III

Legislation ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

E2

Quantity 1: 200 t

Quantity 2: 500 t

Occupational restrictions Take note of Dir 94/33/EC on the protection of young people at work.

Regulation (EC) No 1005/2009 on substances that deplete the ozone layer not regulated

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Regulation (EC) No 850/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 29 April 2004 on persistent organic pollutants and amending Directive 79/117/EEC not regulated

Substances of very high concern (SVHC) This product does not contain substances of very high concern according to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH), Article 57 above the respective regulatory concentration limit of  $\geq 0.1\%$  (w/w).

*National legislation*

Storage class 10 - 13

## 15.2 Chemical safety assessment

For this product a chemical safety assessment was not carried out.

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## SECTION 16. Other information

### Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3.

H302	Harmful if swallowed.
H315	Causes skin irritation.
H319	Causes serious eye irritation.
H400	Very toxic to aquatic life.
H410	Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.
H411	Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

### Training advice

Provide adequate information, instruction and training for operators.

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## Labelling

*Hazard pictograms*



*Hazard statements*

H411 Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

*Precautionary statements*

Prevention

P273 Avoid release to the environment.

## Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet

Used abbreviations and acronyms can be looked up at [www.wikipedia.org](http://www.wikipedia.org).

## Regional representation

This information is given on the authorised Safety Data Sheet for your country.

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*The information contained herein is based on the present state of our knowledge. It characterises the product with regard to the appropriate safety precautions. It does not represent a guarantee of any properties of the product.*