

# Safety Data Sheet

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## 1 Identification

- **Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** Cesium fluoride
- **Article number:** 122170
- **CAS Number:**  
13400-13-0
- **EC number:**  
236-487-3
- **Application of the substance / the mixture** Laboratory chemicals for research and development
- **Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**  
BeanTown Chemical  
9 Sagamore Park Road  
Hudson, NH 03051  
USA
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- **Phone:** (603) 402-2234
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- **www.beantownchem.com**
- **Information department:** Technical Support Department
- **Emergency telephone number:**  
During normal operating hours, please call (603) 402-2234  
After hours, please call Chemtrec at (800) 424-9300

## 2 Hazard(s) identification

- **Classification of the substance or mixture**



GHS06 Skull and crossbones

Acute Tox. 3 H301 Toxic if swallowed.

Acute Tox. 3 H311 Toxic in contact with skin.

Acute Tox. 3 H331 Toxic if inhaled.



GHS05 Corrosion

Skin Corr. 1A H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Eye Dam. 1 H318 Causes serious eye damage.

- **Label elements**
- **GHS label elements** The substance is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).
- **Hazard pictograms**



GHS05



GHS06

- **Signal word** Danger

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- **Hazard-determining components of labeling:**

- Cesium fluoride

- **Hazard statements**

- Toxic if swallowed, in contact with skin or if inhaled.

- Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

- **Precautionary statements**

- Do not breathe dusts or mists.

- If swallowed: Immediately call a poison center/doctor.

- IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.

- If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do.

- Continue rinsing.

- Store locked up.

- Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

- **Other hazards**

- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

- **PBT:** Not applicable.

- **vPvB:** Not applicable.

### 3 Composition/information on ingredients

- **Chemical characterization: Substances**

- **CAS No. Description**

- 13400-13-0 Cesium fluoride

- **Identification number(s)**

- **EC number:** 236-487-3

### 4 First-aid measures

- **Description of first aid measures**

- **General information:**

- Immediately remove any clothing soiled by the product.

- Remove breathing apparatus only after contaminated clothing have been completely removed.

- In case of irregular breathing or respiratory arrest provide artificial respiration.

- **After inhalation:**

- Supply fresh air or oxygen; call for doctor.

- In case of unconsciousness place patient stably in side position for transportation.

- **After skin contact:** Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.

- **After eye contact:** Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Then consult a doctor.

- **After swallowing:**

- Do not induce vomiting; immediately call for medical help.

- Drink copious amounts of water and provide fresh air. Immediately call a doctor.

- **Information for doctor:**

- **Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed** No further relevant information available.

- **Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

- No further relevant information available.

### 5 Fire-fighting measures

- **Extinguishing media**

- **Suitable extinguishing agents:**

- CO<sub>2</sub>, extinguishing powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.

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- **Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture** No further relevant information available.
- **Advice for firefighters**
- **Protective equipment:** Mouth respiratory protective device.

## 6 Accidental release measures

- **Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**  
Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.
- **Environmental precautions:**  
Do not allow product to reach sewage system or any water course.  
Inform respective authorities in case of seepage into water course or sewage system.
- **Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**  
Use neutralizing agent.  
Dispose contaminated material as waste according to item 13.  
Ensure adequate ventilation.
- **Reference to other sections**  
See Section 7 for information on safe handling.  
See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.  
See Section 13 for disposal information.

## 7 Handling and storage

- **Handling:**
- **Precautions for safe handling**  
Thorough dedusting.  
Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.  
Open and handle receptacle with care.
- **Information about protection against explosions and fires:** Keep respiratory protective device available.
- **Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **Storage:**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** No special requirements.
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.
- **Further information about storage conditions:** Keep receptacle tightly sealed.
- **Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

## 8 Exposure controls/personal protection

- **Additional information about design of technical systems:**  
Properly operating chemical fume hood designed for hazardous chemicals and having an average face velocity of at least 100 feet per minute
- **Control parameters**

- **Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**

### 13400-13-0 Cesium fluoride

PEL	Long-term value: 2.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> as F
REL	Long-term value: 2.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> as F
TLV	Long-term value: 2.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> as F, BEI

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· **Ingredients with biological limit values:**

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BEI	2 mg/L Medium: urine Time: prior to shift Parameter: Fluoride (background, nonspecific)
	3 mg/L Medium: urine Time: end of shift Parameter: Fluoride (background, nonspecific)

· **Additional information:** The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.

· **Exposure controls**

· **Personal protective equipment:**

· **General protective and hygienic measures:**

- Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.
- Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing.
- Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.
- Store protective clothing separately.
- Avoid contact with the eyes.
- Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

· **Breathing equipment:**

In case of brief exposure or low pollution use respiratory filter device. In case of intensive or longer exposure use respiratory protective device that is independent of circulating air.

· **Protection of hands:**

- Protective gloves
- The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.
- Due to missing tests no recommendation to the glove material can be given for the product/ the preparation/ the chemical mixture.
- Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation

· **Material of gloves**

The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer.

· **Penetration time of glove material**

The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.

· **Eye protection:** Tightly sealed goggles

## 9 Physical and chemical properties

· **Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

· **General Information**

· **Appearance:**

Form:	Powder/Lump
Color:	Not determined.
Odor:	Characteristic
Odour threshold:	Not determined.

· **pH-value:** Not applicable.

· **Change in condition**

Melting point/Melting range: 682 °C (1260 °F)

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<b>Boiling point/Boiling range:</b>	1251 °C (2284 °F)
· <b>Flash point:</b>	Not applicable.
· <b>Flammability (solid, gaseous):</b>	Product is not flammable.
· <b>Ignition temperature:</b>	
<b>Decomposition temperature:</b>	Not determined.
· <b>Auto igniting:</b>	Not determined.
· <b>Danger of explosion:</b>	Product does not present an explosion hazard.
· <b>Explosion limits:</b>	
<b>Lower:</b>	Not determined.
<b>Upper:</b>	Not determined.
· <b>Vapor pressure:</b>	Not applicable.
· <b>Density at 20 °C (68 °F):</b>	4.115 g/cm <sup>3</sup> (34.34 lbs/gal)
· <b>Relative density</b>	Not determined.
· <b>Vapour density</b>	Not applicable.
· <b>Evaporation rate</b>	Not applicable.
· <b>Solubility in / Miscibility with Water:</b>	Insoluble.
· <b>Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):</b>	Not determined.
· <b>Viscosity:</b>	
<b>Dynamic:</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Kinematic:</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Organic solvents:</b>	0.0 %
<b>Solids content:</b>	100.0 %
· <b>Other information</b>	No further relevant information available.

## 10 Stability and reactivity

- **Reactivity**
- **Chemical stability**
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **Possibility of hazardous reactions** No dangerous reactions known.
- **Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.
- **Incompatible materials:** No further relevant information available.
- **Hazardous decomposition products:** No dangerous decomposition products known.

## 11 Toxicological information

- **Information on toxicological effects**
- **Acute toxicity:**
- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **on the skin:** Strong caustic effect on skin and mucous membranes.
- **on the eye:**  
Strong caustic effect.  
Strong irritant with the danger of severe eye injury.
- **Sensitization:** No sensitizing effects known.

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- **Additional toxicological information:**

Swallowing will lead to a strong caustic effect on mouth and throat and to the danger of perforation of esophagus and stomach.

- **Carcinogenic categories**

- **IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)**

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- **NTP (National Toxicology Program)**

Substance is not listed.

- **OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety & Health Administration)**

Substance is not listed.

## 12 Ecological information

- **Toxicity**

- **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.

- **Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.

- **Behavior in environmental systems:**

- **Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.

- **Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.

- **Additional ecological information:**

- **General notes:** Must not reach bodies of water or drainage ditch undiluted or unneutralized.

- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

- **PBT:** Not applicable.

- **vPvB:** Not applicable.

- **Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.

## 13 Disposal considerations

- **Waste treatment methods**

- **Recommendation:**

Must not be disposed of together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.

- **Uncleaned packagings:**

- **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

## 14 Transport information

- **UN-Number**

- **DOT, IMDG, IATA**

UN2923

- **UN proper shipping name**

- **DOT**

Corrosive solids, toxic, n.o.s. (Cesium fluoride)

- **IMDG, IATA**

CORROSIVE SOLID, TOXIC, N.O.S. (Cesium fluoride)

- **Transport hazard class(es)**

- **DOT**

- **Class**

8 Corrosive substances

- **Label**

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· <b>IMDG</b>	
· <b>Class</b>	8 Corrosive substances
· <b>Label</b>	8/6.1
· <b>IATA</b>	
· <b>Class</b>	8 Corrosive substances
· <b>Label</b>	8 (6.1)
· <b>Packing group</b>	
· <b>DOT, IMDG, IATA</b>	III
· <b>Environmental hazards:</b>	
· <b>Marine pollutant:</b>	No
· <b>Special precautions for user</b>	Warning: Corrosive substances
· <b>Danger code (Kemler):</b>	60
· <b>EMS Number:</b>	F-A,S-A
· <b>Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code</b>	Not applicable.
· <b>Transport/Additional information:</b>	
· <b>DOT</b>	
· <b>Quantity limitations</b>	On passenger aircraft/rail: 25 kg On cargo aircraft only: 100 kg
· <b>IMDG</b>	
· <b>Limited quantities (LQ)</b>	5 kg
· <b>Excepted quantities (EQ)</b>	Code: E1 Maximum net quantity per inner packaging: 30 g Maximum net quantity per outer packaging: 1000 g
· <b>UN "Model Regulation":</b>	UN2923, Corrosive solids, toxic, n.o.s. (Cesium fluoride), 8 (6.1), III

## 15 Regulatory information

- Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture
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### · Section 355 (extremely hazardous substances):

Substance is not listed.

### · Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings):

Substance is not listed.

### · TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act):

Substance is listed.

### · Proposition 65

#### · Chemicals known to cause cancer:

Substance is not listed.

#### · Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for females:

Substance is not listed.

#### · Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for males:

Substance is not listed.

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· **Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity:**

Substance is not listed.

· **Carcinogenic categories**

· **EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)**

Substance is not listed.

· **TLV (Threshold Limit Value established by ACGIH)**

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· **NIOSH-Ca (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)**

Substance is not listed.

· **RTECS**

Substance is not listed.

· **Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

## 16 Other information

*This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.*

· **NFPA ratings (scale 0-4)**

Health = 4

Fire = 0

Reactivity = 0

· **HMIS ratings (scale 0-4)**

Health = 4

Fire = 0

Reactivity = 0

· **Department issuing SDS:** Technical Support Department

· **Contact:** Technical Support Department

· **Date of preparation / last revision** 06/18/2015 / -

· **Abbreviations and acronyms:**

ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

DOT: US Department of Transportation

IATA: International Air Transport Association

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

Acute Tox. 3: Acute toxicity, Hazard Category 3

Skin Corr. 1A: Skin corrosion/irritation, Hazard Category 1A

Eye Dam. 1: Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Hazard Category 1