LTS Research Laboratories, Inc.
Safety Data Sheet
Copper Antimony Sulfide

1. Product and Company Identification

Trade Name:	Copper antimony sulfide
Chemical Formula:	Cu_3SbS_4
Recommended Use:	Scientific research and development
Manufacturer/Supplier:	LTS Research Laboratories, Inc.
Street:	37 Ramland Road
City:	Orangeburg
State:	New York
Zip Code:	10962
Country:	USA
Tel #:	855-587-2436 / 855-lts-chem
24-Hour Emergency Contact:	800-424-9300 (US & Canada) +1-703-527-3887 (International)

2. Hazards Identification

Signal Word: Danger

Hazard Statements:
H302: Harmful if swallowed
H331: Toxic if inhaled

Precautionary Statements:
P261 Avoid breathing dust/fume/vapor
P304+P340: IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing
P311: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician
P301+P312: IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell
P405: Store locked up
P501: Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations

HMIS Health Ratings (0-4):

Health:	2
Flammability:	1
Physical:	1

3. Composition

Chemical Family:	Ceramic
Additional Names:	Famatinite
Copper sulfides (CuS, Cu_2S):	
Percentage:	75 mol%
CAS #:	1317-40-4
EC #:	215-271-2
Antimony sulfide (Sb_2S_3):	
Percentage:	25 mol%
CAS #:	1345-04-6
EC #:	215-713-4

4. First Aid Procedures

General Treatment:	Seek medical attention if symptoms persist.
Special Treatment:	None
Important Symptoms:	None
Inhalation:	Remove victim to fresh air. Supply oxygen if breathing is difficult.
Ingestion:	Seek medical attention.
Skin:	Wash affected area with mild soap and water. Remove any contaminated clothing.
Eyes:	Flush eyes with water, blinking often for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing

5. Firefighting Measures

Flammability:	Somewhat flammable
Extinguishing Media:	Do not use water for metal fires – use CO_2, sand, extinguishing powder.
Spec. Fire Fighting Procedure:	Use full-face, self-contained breathing apparatus with full protective clothing to prevent contact with skin and eyes. See section 10 for decomposition products.

6. Accidental Release Measures

If Material Is Released/Spilled:	Wear appropriate respiratory and protective equipment specified in special protection information. Isolate spill area and provide ventilation. Vacuum up spill using a high efficiency particulate absolute (HEPA) air filter and place in a closed container for disposal. Take care not to raise dust.
Environmental Precautions:	Isolate runoff to prevent environmental pollution.

7. Handling and Storage

Handling Conditions:	Wash thoroughly after handling.
Storage Conditions:	Store in a cool dry place in a tightly sealed container. Store apart from materials and conditions listed in section 10.
Work/Hygienic Maintenance:	Do not use tobacco or food in work area. Wash thoroughly before eating and smoking. Do not blow dust off clothing or skin with compressed air.
Ventilation:	Provide sufficient ventilation to maintain concentration at or below threshold limit.

8. Exposure Controls and Personal Protection

Permissible Exposure Limits:	0.5 mg/m^3 as Sb, long-term value
Threshold Limit Value:	0.5 mg/m^3 as Sb, long-term value
Special Equipment:	None
Respiratory Protection:	Use a respirator with type N95 (USA) or PE (EN 143) cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. Risk assessment should be performed to determine if purifying respirators are appropriate. Only use equipment tested and approved under appropriate government standards.
Protective Gloves:	Rubber gloves
Eye Protection:	Safety glasses or goggles
Body Protection:	Protective work clothing. Wear close-toed shoes and long sleeves/pants.

9. Physical and Chemical Characteristics

Color	Dark grey
Form:	Sputtering target
Odor:	N/A
Water Solubility:	Insoluble
Boiling Point:	N/A
Melting Point:	N/A
Flash Point:	N/A
Autoignition Temperature:	N/A
Density:	4.57
Molecular weight:	440.66 g/mol

10. Reactivity

Stability:	Stable under recommended storage conditions
Reacts With:	Oxidizing agents
Incompatible Conditions:	None
Hazardous Decomposition Products:	Metal oxide fume, Hydrogen sulfide, Sulfur dioxide, Copper oxides, Sulfur oxides (SOx)

11. Toxicological Information

Potential Health Effects:

Eyes:	Causes irritating effect
Skin:	Irritant to skin and mucous membranes
Ingestion:	Harmful if swallowed
Inhalation:	Harmful if inhaled
Chronic:	N/A
Signs & Symptoms:	N/A
Aggravated Medical Conditions:	N/A
Median Lethal Dose:	N/A
Carcinogen:	IARC-3: Not classifiable as to carcinogenicity to humans.

12. Ecological Information

Aquatic Toxicity:	High
Persistent Bioaccumulation Toxicity:	No
Very Persistent, Very Bioaccumulative:	No
Notes:	Very toxic for aquatic organism. May cause long lasting harmful effect on aquatic life. Do not allow material to be released to the environment without proper governmental permits. Do not allow product to reach any water sources. Danger to drinking water if even extremely small quantities leak into the ground. Also poisonous for fish and plankton in water bodies. Toxic to aquatic life

13. Disposal Considerations

Dispose of in accordance with local, state, national, and international regulations.

14. Transportation Data

Hazardous:	Hazardous as powder and pieces
	
Hazard Class:	6.1 Toxic substances
Packing Group:	III
UN Number:	UN1549
Proper Shipping Name:	Antimony compounds, inorganic, solid, n.o.s (Copper antimony sulfide)

15. Regulatory Information

Sec 302 Extremely Hazardous:	No
Sec 304 Reportable Quantities:	N/A
Sec 313 Toxic Chemicals:	Components

16. Other Information

This safety data sheet should be used in conjunction with technical sheets. It does not replace them. The information given is based on our knowledge of this product, at the time of publication. It is given in good faith. The attention of the user is drawn to the possible risks incurred by using the product for any other purpose other than that for which it was intended. This does not in any way excuse the user from knowing and applying all the regulations governing his activity. It is the sole responsibility of the user to take all precautions required in handling the product. The aim of the mandatory regulations mentioned is to help the user to fulfill his obligations regarding the use of hazardous products.

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