# **Safety Data Sheet**

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#### **1. IDENTIFICATION**

Product identifier Product Name	EarthTec <sup>®</sup> QZ
Other means of identification SDS #	ESL-011
Registration Number(s) UN/ID No	EPA Reg. No. 64962-1 UN3082
Recommended use of the chemical	l and restrictions on use
Recommended Use	For industrial use.
Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet Supplier Address Earth Science Laboratories, Inc. 903 N 47th Street, Suite 105 Rogers, AR 72756 earthsciencelabs.com	
Emergency telephone number Company Phone Number Emergency Telephone	1-800-962-1492 INFOTRAC 1-352-323-3500 (International) 1-800-535-5053 (North America)

# 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Emergency Overview This product is registered by the Environmental Protection Agency and is subject to certain labeling requirements under federal law. These requirements differ from the classification criteria and hazard information required for safety data sheets and for workplace labels of non-EPA registered chemicals. See Section 15 for EPA information.

Appearance Clear blue liquid

Physical state Liquid

Odor Minimal

#### **Classification**

Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 2
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 2

#### <u>Signal Word</u> Warning

<u>Hazard statements</u> Causes skin irritation Causes serious eye irritation



#### **Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling Wear protective gloves/eye protection/face protection

#### **Precautionary Statements - Response**

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water and soap Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention

#### Other hazards

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

#### **3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Chemical name	CAS No	Weight-%
Copper sulfate pentahydrate	7758-99-8	10-30

\*\*If Chemical Name/CAS No is "proprietary" and/or Weight-% is listed as a range, the specific chemical identity and/or percentage of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.\*\*

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

#### Description of first aid measures

Eye Contact	Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
Skin Contact	Wash with plenty of soap and water. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
Inhalation	Remove to fresh air.
Ingestion	Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water.
Most important symptoms and eff	ects, both acute and delayed
Symptoms	May be harmful if swallowed. Causes skin irritation. Causes serious eye irritation.
Indication of any immediate medio	cal attention and special treatment needed
Notes to Physician	Probable mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric lavage. Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor or going for treatment. You may also contact INFOTRAC 1-800-535-5053 for emergencies.

# **5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

#### Suitable Extinguishing Media

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

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media Not determined.

#### Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical

Contact of undiluted product with common metals can generate potentially flammable hydrogen gas.

<u>Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters</u> As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

	6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES	
Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures		
Personal Precautions	Caution should be exercised regarding personal safety and exposure to released product. Keep unnecessary people away, isolate hazard area and deny entry.	
Environmental precautions		
Environmental precautions	See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information.	
Methods and material for containment and cleaning up		
Methods for Containment	Flush with water into retaining area or container.	
Methods for Clean-Up	Neutralize solution with bicarbonate of soda.	
	7. HANDLING AND STORAGE	
Precautions for safe handling		
Advice on Safe Handling	Do not breathe dusts or mists. Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling. Wear protective gloves/protective clothing and eye/face protection.	
Conditions for safe storage, includ	ing any incompatibilities	
Storage Conditions	Store undiluted product in original shipping containers or in containers made with plastic polymers, fiberglass, or other materials compatible with strong acid. Store locked up. Store in a safe place away from pets and keep out of the reach of children. Store away from excessive heat. Product will freeze. Always store product above 32 degrees F (Do Not Freeze). Freezing may cause product separation. Always keep container closed. Keep away from galvanized pipe and any nylon storage or handling equipment.	
Incompatible Materials	Strong bases. Strong reducing agents.	
8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION		

#### Exposure Guidelines

[	Chemical name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
ĺ	Copper sulfate pentahydrate	TWA: 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Cu dust and mist	TWA: 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Cu dust and mist	IDLH: 100 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Cu dust and
	7758-99-8	-	-	mist
				TWA: 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Cu dust and mist

#### Appropriate engineering controls

**Engineering Controls** Showers. Eyewash stations. Ventilation systems.

#### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

**Eye/Face Protection** Wear eye/face protection. Skin and Body Protection Wear long-sleeved shirt, long pants, and shoes plus socks. Chemical resistant protective gloves.

Respiratory Protection Refer to 29 CFR 1910.134 for respiratory protection requirements.

General Hygiene Considerations Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

#### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state Appearance Color	Liquid Clear blue liquid Blue	Odor Odor Threshold	Minimal Not determined
<u>Property</u> pH Melting point / freezing point Initial boiling point and boiling range	<u>Values</u> No data available No data available 220°F	<u>Remarks • Method</u>	
Flash point Evaporation Rate Flammability (Solid, Gas) Flammability Limit in Air	No data available Not determined Liquid-Not applicable		
Upper flammability or explosive limits Lower flammability or explosive limits	No data available No data available		
Vapor Pressure Vapor Density Relative Density Water Solubility Solubility in other solvents Partition Coefficient Autoignition temperature Decomposition temperature Kinematic viscosity Dynamic Viscosity Explosive Properties Oxidizing Properties	0.1 mm at 68°F 1.0 1.165-1.185 Completely soluble Not determined Not determined Not determined Not determined Not determined Not determined Not determined Not determined	(Air=1) (Water=1)	

# **10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

#### **Reactivity**

Not reactive under normal conditions.

#### **Chemical stability**

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

#### Possibility of hazardous reactions

None under normal processing.

Hazardous Polymerization Will not occur.

#### Conditions to Avoid

Incompatible Materials.

#### Incompatible materials

Strong bases. Strong reducing agents.

#### Hazardous decomposition products

Sulfur dioxide. Sulfur trioxide.

# **11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### Information on likely routes of exposure

Product Information	
Eye Contact	Avoid contact with eyes.
Skin Contact	Avoid contact with skin.
Inhalation	Do not inhale.
Ingestion	May be harmful if swallowed.

#### **Component Information**

Chemical name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Copper sulfate pentahydrate	= 472 mg/kg (Rat)	> 8 g/kg (Rabbit)	> 2.95 mg/L (Rat)
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#### Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

Symptoms	Please see section 4 of this SDS for symptoms.	
Delayed and immediate effects as	well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure	
Skin corrosion/irritation	Causes skin irritation.	
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Causes serious eye irritation.	
Carcinogenicity	Based on the information provided, this product does not contain any carcinogens or potential carcinogens as listed by OSHA, IARC or NTP.	
Numerical measures of toxicity		
The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS documentOral LD502,298.90 mg/kgDermal LD5036,781.60 mg/kg		

# **12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### **Ecotoxicity**

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

#### **Component Information**

Chemical name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Crustacea
Copper sulfate pentahydrate		LC50: 0.66 - 1.15mg/L (96h,	EC50: 0.147 - 0.227mg/L (48h,
7758-99-8		Lepomis macrochirus)	Daphnia magna)
		LC50: 0.96 - 1.8mg/L (96h, Lepomis	
		macrochirus)	
		LC50: 0.1478 - 0.165mg/L (96h,	
		Oncorhynchus mykiss)	
		LC50: 0.09 - 0.19mg/L (96h,	
		Oncorhynchus mykiss)	
		LC50: =0.6752mg/L (96h,	
		Pimephales promelas)	

#### Persistence/Degradability

Not determined.

# **Bioaccumulation**

There is no data for this product.

#### Mobility

Not determined

## Other adverse effects

Not determined

# **13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

#### Waste Treatment Methods

Disposal of Wastes	Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.
Contaminated Packaging	Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.

#### California Hazardous Waste Status

Chemical name	California Hazardous Waste Status	
Copper sulfate pentahydrate	Toxic	
7758-99-8		

# **14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

#### <u>Note</u>

Please see current shipping paper for most up to date shipping information, including exemptions and special circumstances.

DOT	
UN/ID No	UN3082
Proper Shipping Name	Environmentally hazardous substance, liquid, n.o.s. (Cupric Sulfate)
Transport hazard class(es)	9
Packing Group	III
Reportable Quantity (RQ)	Cupric sulfate (10 lbs)
Marine Pollutant	This material ships as a marine pollutant when single container exceeds 119 gal/ 882 lbs.

#### IATA

UN number or ID number Proper Shipping Name Transport hazard class(es) Packing group	UN3082 Environmentally hazardous substance, liquid, n.o.s. (Cupric Sulfate) 9 III
Description	This material ships as a marine pollutant when inner packagings exceed 5L/5KG
IMDG UN number or ID number	UN3082
Proper Shipping Name	Environmentally hazardous substance, liquid, n.o.s. (Cupric Sulfate)
Transport hazard class(es)	9
Packing Group	III
Marine Pollutant	This material ships as a marine pollutant when inner packagings exceed 5L/5KG

# **15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

#### International Inventories

Chemical name	TSCA	TSCA Inventory Status	DSL/NDSL	EINECS/ELI NCS	ENCS	IECSC	KECI	PICCS	AIIC
Copper sulfate pentahydrate	Х				Х	Х		Х	Х

#### Legend:

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances

ENCS - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances

IECSC - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

KECL - Korean Existing Chemicals Inventory

PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

#### **US Federal Regulations**

#### **CERCLA**

Chemical name	Hazardous Substances RQs	CERCLA/SARA RQ	Reportable Quantity (RQ)
Copper sulfate pentahydrate	10 lbs	10 lbs	10 lbs
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# SARA 313

Chemical name	CAS No	Weight-%	SARA 313 - Threshold Values %
Copper sulfate pentahydrate - 7758-99-8	7758-99-8	18.25-21.75	1.0

#### CWA (Clean Water Act)

Chemical name	CWA - Reportable Quantities	CWA - Toxic Pollutants	CWA - Priority Pollutants	CWA - Hazardous Substances
Copper sulfate pentahydrate		Х		

#### US State Regulations

#### California Proposition 65

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

#### U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

Chemical name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania
Copper sulfate pentahydrate	Х		Х
7758-99-8			

#### EPA Pesticide Registration Number EPA Reg. No. 64962-1

#### EPA Statement

This chemical is a pesticide product registered by the Environmental Protection Agency and is subject to certain labeling requirements under federal pesticide law. These requirements differ from the classification criteria and hazard information required for safety data sheets, and for workplace labels of non-pesticide chemicals. Following is the hazard information as required on the pesticide label:

#### EPA Pesticide Label

Please see EPA label for additional information

#### Difference between SDS and EPA pesticide label

Please see EPA label for additional information

16. OTHER INFORMATION					
<u>NFPA</u>	Health hazards	Flammability	<b>Instability</b> 0	Special hazards -	
<u>HMIS</u>	Health hazards	Flammability	Physical hazards	Personal Protection X	
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Maximum Use Limit (MUL) associated with NSF certification is 19mg/L, which does not supersede the product label.

#### **Disclaimer**

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#### **End of Safety Data Sheet**