

## SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## 1. IDENTIFICATION

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# 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

GHS classification

PHYSICAL HAZARDS

**HEALTH HAZARDS** 

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS**

GHS label elements, including precautionary statements Pictograms or hazard symbols

Signal word

No signal word

Hazard statements

none

Precautionary statements

## 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Components:Iron CAS No.:7439-89-6 Chemical Formula:Fe

# 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

4.1

Description of necessary first-aid measures

If inhaled

Move the victim into fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. If not breathing, give artificial respiration and consult a doctor immediately. Do not use mouth to mouth resuscitation if the victim ingested or inhaled the chemical.

Following skin contact

Take off contaminated clothing immediately. Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a doctor.

Following eye contact

Rinse with pure water for at least 15 minutes. Consult a doctor.

Following ingestion

Rinse mouth with water. Do not induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Call a doctor or Poison Control Center immediately.

4.2

Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed

Excerpt from ERG Guide 133 [Flammable Solids]: Fire may produce irritating and/or toxic gases. Contact may cause burns to skin and eyes. Contact with molten substance may cause severe burns to skin and eyes. Runoff from fire control may cause pollution. (ERG, 2016)

4.3

Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed, if necessary

In treatment of superficial rust rings, or deposits in cornea from iron foreign bodies, deferoxamine...remove stain in vitro and 10% ophthalmic ointment or eyedrops have been used and found to hasten disappearance of rust rings...

# 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

5.1

Suitable extinguishing media

Special mixtures of dry chemical.

5.2

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Excerpt from ERG Guide 133 [Flammable Solids]: Flammable/combustible material. May be ignited by friction, heat, sparks or flames. Some may burn rapidly with flare-burning effect. Powders, dusts, shavings, borings, turnings or cuttings may explode or burn with explosive violence. Substance may be transported in a molten form at a temperature that may be above its flash point. May re-ignite after fire is extinguished. (ERG, 2016)

5.3

Special protective actions for fire-fighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

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Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing mist, gas or vapours. Avoid contacting with skin and eye. Use personal protective equipment. Wear chemical impermeable gloves. Ensure adequate ventilation. Remove all sources of ignition. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak.

6.2

**Environmental precautions** 

Prevent further spillage or leakage if it is safe to do so. Do not let the chemical enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

6.3

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Collect and arrange disposal. Keep the chemical in suitable and closed containers for disposal. Remove all sources of ignition. Use spark-proof tools and explosion-proof equipment. Adhered or collected material should be promptly disposed of, in accordance with appropriate laws and regulations.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

## Precautions for safe handling

Handling in a well ventilated place.

Wear suitable protective clothing.

Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

Avoid formation of dust and aerosols.

Use non-sparking tools.

Prevent fire caused by electrostatic discharge steam.

## Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store the container tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Store apart from foodstuff containers or incompatible materials.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Occupational Exposure limit values

no data available

Biological limit values

no data available

Ensure adequate ventilation.

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

Set up emergency exits and the risk-elimination area.

# Personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection

Wear tightly fitting safety goggles with side-shields conforming to EN 166(EU) or NIOSH (US).

#### Skin protection

Wear fire/flame resistant and impervious clothing. Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Wash and dry hands. The selected protective gloves have to satisfy the specifications of EU Directive 89/686/EEC and the standard EN 374 derived from it.

## Respiratory protection

If the exposure limits are exceeded, irritation or other symptoms are experienced, use a full-face respirator.

Thermal hazards no data available

# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical state

Grey Solid.

Odour

no data available

Melting point/freezing point

1 565 °C. Atm. press.:Ca. 1 013 hPa.

Boiling point or initial boiling point and boiling range

2750°C(lit.)

**Flammability** 

no data available

Lower and upper explosion limit/flammability limit

no data available

Flash point

21°C

Auto-ignition temperature

no data available

Decomposition temperature

no data available

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no data available

Kinematic viscosity

no data available

Solubility

INSOL IN HOT & COLD WATER, ALKALI, ALC, ETHER; SOL IN ACIDS

Partition coefficient n-octanol/water

no data available

Vapour pressure

1Pa at 1455 deg C (solid); 10 Pa at 1617 deg C; 100 Pa at 1818 deg C; 1 kPa at 2073 deg C; 10 kPa at

2406 deg C; 100 kPa at 2859 deg C

Density and/or relative density

5.25 g/cm<sup>3</sup>. Temperature:25 °C.

Relative vapour density

no data available

Particle characteristics

no data available

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

10.1

Reactivity

Highly flammable. May react with water to give off hydrogen, a flammable gas. The heat from this reaction may ignite the hydrogen. The substance is said to be pyrophoric.

10.2

Chemical stability

Stable in dry air but readily oxidizes in moist air forming "rust" (chiefly oxide, hydrated).

10.3

Possibility of hazardous reactions

Moderate, in form of dust when exposed to heat or flame.IRON, [POWDERED] is pyrophoric [Bretherick, 1979 p. 170-1]. A strong reducing agent and therefore incompatible with oxidizing agents. Burns in chlorine gas [Mellor 2, Supp. 1:380 1956]. Reacts with fluorine with incandescence [Mellor 13:314, 315, 1946-1947].

10.4

Conditions to avoid

no data available

10.5

Incompatible materials

Iron and hydrogen peroxide ignite immediately if a trace of manganese dioxide is present.

10.6

Hazardous decomposition products

no data available

# 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute toxicity

Oral: LD50 - rat (male/female) - > 5 000 mg/kg bw.

Inhalation: discriminating conc. - rat (male/female) - 5.05 mg/L air.

Dermal: no data available

Skin corrosion/irritation

no data available

Serious eye damage/irritation

no data available

Respiratory or skin sensitization

no data available

Germ cell mutagenicity

no data available

Carcinogenicity

A4: Not classifiable as a human carcinogen. Iron oxide (Fe2O3)

Reproductive toxicity

no data available

STOT-single exposure

no data available

STOT-repeated exposure

no data available

Aspiration hazard no data available

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

12.1

**Toxicity** 

Toxicity to fish: LCO - Danio rerio (previous name: Brachydanio rerio) - >= 50 000 mg/L - 96 h.

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates: EC50 - Daphnia magna - > 100 mg/L - 48 h.

Toxicity to algae: EC50 - Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (previous names: Raphidocelis subcapitata, Selenastrum capricornutum) - 18 mg/L - 72 h.

Toxicity to microorganisms: EC50 - activated sludge of a predominantly domestic sewage - > 10 000 mg/L - 3 h.

12.2

Persistence and degradability

no data available

12.3

Bioaccumulative potential

no data available

12.4

Mobility in soil

no data available

12.5

Other adverse effects

no data available

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

**Product** 

The material can be disposed of by removal to a licensed chemical destruction plant or by controlled incineration with flue gas scrubbing. Do not contaminate water, foodstuffs, feed or seed by storage or disposal. Do not discharge to sewer systems.

#### Contaminated packaging

Containers can be triply rinsed (or equivalent) and offered for recycling or reconditioning. Alternatively, the packaging can be punctured to make it unusable for other purposes and then be disposed of in a sanitary landfill. Controlled incineration with flue gas scrubbing is possible for combustible packaging materials.

# 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

14.1

**UN Number** 

ADR/RID: Not dangerous goods. (For reference only, please check.)

IMDG: Not dangerous goods. (For reference only, please check.)

IATA: Not dangerous goods. (For reference only, please check.)

14.2

**UN Proper Shipping Name** 

ADR/RID: Not dangerous goods. (For reference only, please check.)

IMDG: Not dangerous goods. (For reference only, please check.)

IATA: Not dangerous goods. (For reference only, please check.)

14.3

Transport hazard class(es)

ADR/RID: Not dangerous goods. (For reference only, please check.)

IMDG: Not dangerous goods. (For reference only, please check.)

IATA: Not dangerous goods. (For reference only, please check.)

14.4

Packing group, if applicable

ADR/RID: Not dangerous goods. (For reference only, please check.)

IMDG: Not dangerous goods. (For reference only, please check.)

IATA: Not dangerous goods. (For reference only, please check.)

14.5

**Environmental hazards** 

ADR/RID: No IMDG: No IATA: No 14.6

Special precautions for user

no data available

14.7

Transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

no data available

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

EC number

231-096-4

European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS)

Listed.

**EC** Inventory

Listed.

United States Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory

Listed.

China Catalog of Hazardous chemicals 2015

Not Listed.

New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals (NZIoC)

Listed.

Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances (PICCS)

Listed.

Vietnam National Chemical Inventory

Listed.

Chinese Chemical Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances (China IECSC)

Listed.

Korea Existing Chemicals List (KECL)

Listed.

## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

This SDS was prepared sincerely on the basis of the information we could obtained, however, any warranty shall not be given regarding the data contained and the assessment of hazards and toxicity. Prior to use, please investigate not only the hazards and toxicity information but also the laws and regulations of the organization, area and country where the products are to be used, which shall be given the first priority. The products are supposed to be used promptly after purchase in consideration of safety. Some new information or amendments may be added afterwards. If the products are to be used far behind the expected time of use or you have any questions, please feel free to contact us. The stated cautions are for normal handling only. In case of special handling, sufficient care should be taken, in addition to the safety measures suitable for the situation. All chemical products should be treated with the recognition of "having unknown hazards and toxicity", which differ greatly depending on the conditions and handling when in use and/or the conditions and duration of storage. The products must be handled only by those who are familiar with specialized knowledge and have experience or under the guidance of those specialists throughout use from opening to storage and disposal. Safe usage conditions shall be set up on each user's own responsibility.