

## Safety Data Sheet

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### SECTION 1: Identification of the substance or mixture and of the supplier

- **1.1 Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** Tungsten Microcarrier
- **Article number:** 1652266
- **CAS Number:**  
7440-33-7
- **EC number:**  
231-143-9
- **1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**  
No further relevant information available.
- **Application of the substance / the mixture** Laboratory chemicals
- **1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**  
Bio-Rad Laboratories Pty Ltd  
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Albany, Auckland  
New Zealand
- **Information department:** sales.nz@bio-rad.com
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### SECTION 2: Hazards identification

- **2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture**
- **Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**  
Flam. Sol. 1 H228 Flammable solid.  
Skin Irrit. 2 H315 Causes skin irritation.  
Eye Irrit. 2 H319 Causes serious eye irritation.
- **2.2 Label elements**
- **Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**  
The substance is classified and labelled according to the CLP regulation.
- **Hazard pictograms**



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- **Signal word** Danger
- **Hazard statements**  
H228 Flammable solid.  
H315 Causes skin irritation.  
H319 Causes serious eye irritation.
- **Precautionary statements**  
P210 Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.  
P240 Ground and bond container and receiving equipment.  
P241 Use explosion-proof [electrical/ventilating/lighting] equipment.

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P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P332+P313 If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

### 2.3 Other hazards

#### Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

• **PBT:** Not applicable.

• **vPvB:** Not applicable.

## SECTION 3: Composition/Information on ingredients

### 3.1 Chemical characterisation: Substances

#### CAS No. Description:

7440-33-7 tungsten powder

#### Identification number(s):

• **EC number:** 231-143-9

• **Additional information:** For the wording of the listed risk phrases refer to section 16.

## SECTION 4: First aid measures

### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

• **General information** Immediately remove any clothing soiled by the product.

• **After inhalation** Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of complaints.

#### After skin contact

Generally the product does not irritate the skin.

Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.

Immediately rinse with water.

• **After eye contact** Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. If symptoms persist, consult a doctor.

• **After swallowing** Rinse mouth with water. Seek medical attention and appropriate follow-up.

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

• **4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

No further relevant information available.

## SECTION 5: Fire fighting measures

### 5.1 Extinguishing media

• **Suitable extinguishing agents** Use fire fighting measures that suit the environment.

• **5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture** No further relevant information available.

### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

• **Protective equipment:** Wear self-contained respiratory protective device.

## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

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

Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.

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- Wear protective clothing.
- **6.2 Environmental precautions:** No special measures required.
- **6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:** Ensure adequate ventilation.
- **6.4 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.

### SECTION 7: Handling and storage

- **7.1 Precautions for safe handling** No special measures required.
- **Information about protection against explosions and fires:**  
 Keep ignition sources away - Do not smoke.  
 Protect against electrostatic charges.
- **7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **Storage**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** According to product specification
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.
- **Further information about storage conditions:** Keep receptacle tightly sealed.
- **7.3 Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

### SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

- **Additional information about design of technical systems:** No further data; see item 7.
- **8.1 Control parameters**

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

#### 7440-33-7 tungsten powder

WES (New Zealand, (English))	Short-term value: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Long-term value: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> as W
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- **Additional information:** The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.
- **8.2 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.  
 Avoid contact with the eyes.  
 Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.
- **Protection of hands:** Protective gloves.
- **Material of gloves** Synthetic gloves
- **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.

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- **Eye protection:**  
Safety glasses  
Tightly sealed goggles.

### SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

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

##### · General Information

##### · Appearance:

Form:	Solid.
Colour:	Dark grey
· Odour:	Odourless
· Odour threshold:	Not determined.

· **pH-value:** Not applicable.

##### · Change in condition

Melting point/freezing point:	3,390 °C
Initial boiling point and boiling range:	5,500 °C

· **Flash point:** Not applicable  
Not determined.

· **Flammability (solid, gaseous)** Product is not flammable.

· **Decomposition temperature:** Not determined.

· **Self igniting:** Not determined.

· **Explosive properties:** Not determined.

##### · Explosion limits:

Lower:	Not determined.
Upper:	Not determined.

· **Vapour pressure:** Not applicable.

· **Density at 20 °C:** 19.27 g/cm<sup>3</sup>

· <b>Bulk density:</b>	4,000 kg/m <sup>3</sup>
· <b>Relative density</b>	Not determined.
· <b>Vapour density</b>	Not applicable.
· <b>Evaporation rate</b>	Not applicable.

##### · Solubility in / Miscibility with

Water: Fully miscible

· **Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water:** Not determined.

##### · Viscosity:

dynamic:	Not applicable.
kinematic:	Not applicable.

**Solids content:** 100.0 %

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· **9.2 Other information** No further relevant information available.

### SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

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

### SECTION 11: Toxicological information

- **11.1 Information on toxicological effects**
- **Acute toxicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **Skin corrosion/irritation**  
Causes skin irritation.
- **Serious eye damage/irritation**  
Causes serious eye irritation.
- **Respiratory or skin sensitisation** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **CMR effects (carcinogenicity, mutagenicity and toxicity for reproduction)**
- **Germ cell mutagenicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Carcinogenicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Reproductive toxicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **STOT-single exposure** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **STOT-repeated exposure** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Aspiration hazard** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

### SECTION 12: Ecological information

- **12.1 Toxicity**
- **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.
- **12.2 Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.
- **12.3 Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.
- **12.4 Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.
- **Additional ecological information:**
- **General notes:** Generally not hazardous for water.
- **12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.
- **12.6 Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.

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### SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

#### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

##### Recommendation

Must not be disposed of together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.  
Dispose of waste in accordance to applicable national, regional, or local regulations.

##### Uncleaned packagings:

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

### SECTION 14: Transport information

#### 14.1 UN-Number

ADR, IMDG, IATA

UN3189

#### 14.2 UN proper shipping name

ADR

3189 METAL POWDER, SELF-HEATING, N.O.S.

METAL POWDER, SELF-HEATING, N.O.S. (tungsten powder)

IMDG, IATA

METAL POWDER, SELF-HEATING, N.O.S.

#### 14.3 Transport hazard class(es)

ADR, IMDG, IATA

Class

4.2 Substances liable to spontaneous combustion.

Label

4.2

#### 14.4 Packing group

ADR, IMDG, IATA

III

#### 14.5 Environmental hazards:

Marine pollutant:

No

#### 14.6 Special precautions for user

EMS Number:

Warning: Substances liable to spontaneous combustion.

F-G,S-J

Segregation groups

Heavy metals and their salts (including their organometallic compounds), powdered metals

Stowage Category

E

Handling Code

H1 Keep as dry as reasonably practicable

Segregation Code

SG26 In addition: from goods of classes 2.1 and 3 when stowed on deck of a containership a minimum distance of two container spaces athwartship shall be maintained, when stowed on ro-ro ships a distance of 6 m athwartship shall be maintained.

#### 14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol and the IBC Code

Not applicable.

Transport/Additional information:

Not dangerous according to the above specifications.

ADR

Limited quantities (LQ)

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· <b>Excepted quantities (EQ)</b>	Code: E1 Maximum net quantity per inner packaging: 30 g Maximum net quantity per outer packaging: 1000 g
· <b>IMDG</b>	
· <b>Limited quantities (LQ)</b>	0
· <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>	UN 3189 METAL POWDER, SELF-HEATING, N.O.S., 4.2, III

### SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

##### · **New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals**

Substance is listed.

##### · **HSNO Approval numbers**

Substance is not listed.

##### · **Directive 2012/18/EU**

##### · **Named dangerous substances - ANNEX I** Substance is not listed.

##### · **National regulations**

##### · **Water hazard class:** Generally not hazardous for water.

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

### SECTION 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.

#### · **Department issuing SDS:** Environmental Health and Safety.

#### · **Contact:**

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Diagnostic Group, Environmental Health and Safety, 4000 Alfred Nobel Drive, Hercules, California, 94547: 1(510) 724-7000

#### · **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

IATA: International Air Transport Association

GHS: Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

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

PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic

vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative

Flam. Sol. 1: Flammable solids – Category 1

Skin Irrit. 2: Skin corrosion/irritation – Category 2

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Eye Irrit. 2: Serious eye damage/eye irritation – Category 2  
• \* **Data compared to the previous version altered.**

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