

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

# Section 1 - Identification

Product Name <u>Tungsten plate</u>

**CAS No** 7440-33-7

Product Code 55238

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Recommended Use Laboratory chemicals.

Uses advised against This product does not contain any substance(s) on the Illicit Drug Precursors/Reagents list.

This product does not contain any substance(s) subject to Prohibition, Authorization or Restriction. This product does not contain any substance(s) listed on the voluntary National

Code of Practice for Chemicals of Security Concern.

# Section 2 - Hazard(s) Identification

### Classification under Safe Work Australia

Classified as not hazardous according to criteria of Safe Work Australia.

Physical hazards

No hazards identified

**Health hazards** 

No hazards identified

**Environmental hazards** 

No hazards identified

<u>Label Elements</u> None required

Other information

# Section 3 - Composition and Information on Ingredients

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Component	CAS No	Weight %		
Tungsten	7440-33-7	<=100		

# **Section 4 - First Aid Measures**

**Inhalation** Remove to fresh air. Get medical attention immediately if symptoms occur.

**Ingestion** Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Get medical attention if

symptoms occur.

**Skin Contact** Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention

immediately if symptoms occur.

Eye Contact Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Get

medical attention.

**Self-Protection of the First Aider** No special precautions required.

First Aid Facilities Eyewash, safety shower and washroom.

Most important symptoms and

effects

None reasonably foreseeable.

Notes to Physician Treat symptomatically.

# Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures

#### Suitable Extinguishing Media

approved class D extinguishers.

### Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons

Water may be ineffective.

### **Hazardous Decomposition Products**

Tungsten oxides.

### Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors.

### Special protective equipment and precautions for fire fighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

### Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

#### **Emergency procedures**

Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment as required. Avoid dust formation. No special precautions required.

### **Environmental Precautions**

Should not be released into the environment. See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information. Do not allow material to contaminate ground water system. Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system.

### Methods for Containment and Clean Up

Clean-up methods - small spillage

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Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. Avoid dust formation. Pick up and transfer to properly labelled containers.

### Clean-up methods - large spillage

Not applicable, packaged goods.

### **Reference to Other Sections**

Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 8 and 13.

### Section 7 - Handling and Storage

### **Precautions for Safe Handling**

Wear personal protective equipment/face protection. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Avoid ingestion and inhalation. Avoid dust formation.

### Conditions for Safe Storage, Including any Incompatibilities

Keep in a dry place. Keep away from acids.

AS/NZS 2243.10:2004, Safety in laboratories - Storage of chemicals

# Section 8 - Exposure Controls and Personal Protection

### **Exposure limits**

AUS - Exposure Standards for Atmospheric Contaminants in the Occupational Environment - Guidance Note on the Interpretation of Exposure Standards for Atmospheric Contaminants in the Occupational Environment [NOHSC:3008(1995)] Adopted National Exposure Standards for Atmospheric Contaminants in the Occupational Environment [NOHSC:1003(1995)] updated in August, 2005. Safe Work Australia ACGIH - Threshold Limit Values - Ceiling (TLV-C) guidelines by the American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists (ACGIH) for controlling worker exposure to airborne chemical concentrations in the workplace. **UK** - EH40/2005 Work Exposure Limits. Fourth edition. Published 2020.

Component	Australia	New Zealand WEL ACGIH TLV		The United Kingdom	Germany
Tungsten	STEL: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	TWA: 3 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	STEL: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15 min	
	TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	_	_	TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 hr	

#### **Biological limit values**

This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with biological limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies

### **Exposure Controls Engineering Measures**

None under normal use conditions.

### Personal protective equipment

**Eye Protection** Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles) (Australian/New Zealand Standard

AS/NZS 1337 - Eye protectors for Industrial applications)

**Hand Protection** No special protective equipment required

Glove material	Breakthrough time	Glove thickness	AUS/NZ Standard	Glove comments
Disposable gloves	See manufacturers	-	AS/NZS 2161	(minimum requirement)
	recommendations			

Skin and body protection Long sleeved clothing

**Repiratory Protection** Use an AS/NZS 1716 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or

other symptoms are experienced. To protect the wearer, respiratory protective equipment

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must be the correct fit and be used and maintained in line with AS/NZS 1715 on the use

and maintenance of repiratory protective devices

**Recommended Filter type:** Particle filter (or AUS/NZ equivalent)

**Hygiene Measures** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

**Environmental exposure controls** No information available.

### Section 9 - Physical and Chemical Properties

### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance Grey

Physical State Solid disc Target Wire

**Odor** Odorless

Odor Threshold
pH
No information available
No information available
Melting Point/Range
3410 °C / 6170 °F
Softening Point
No data available
Boiling Point/Range
5900 °C / 10652 °F

Flash Point No information available Method - No information available

Evaporation Rate Not applicable Solid

Flammability (solid,gas) No information available

Explosion Limits No data available

Vapor Pressure No data available

Vapor DensityNot applicableSolidSpecific Gravity / Density19.3 g/cm3@ 20 °C

Bulk Density 4000 kg/m³
Water Solubility Insoluble in water
Solubility in other solvents No information available

Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water)

Autoignition Temperature

No data available

No data available

No data available

Viscosity Not applicable Solid

Explosive Properties No information available Oxidizing Properties No information available

Other information

# Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

**Reactivity** None known, based on information available

**Stability** Stable under normal conditions.

Conditions to Avoid Heat, flames and sparks.

Incompatible Materials None known.

Hazardous Decomposition Products Tungsten oxides.

Hazardous Polymerization No information available.

### Section 11 - Toxicological Information

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### Information on Toxicological Effects

### **Product Information**

(a) acute toxicity;

OralNo data availableDermalNo data availableInhalationNo data available

Component	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Tungsten		LD50 > 2000 mg/kg (Rat)	

(b) skin corrosion/irritation; No data available

(c) serious eye damage/irritation; No data available

(d) respiratory or skin sensitization;

**Respiratory**Skin
No data available
No data available

(e) germ cell mutagenicity; No data available

(f) carcinogenicity; No data available

There are no known carcinogenic chemicals in this product

(g) reproductive toxicity; No data available

(h) STOT-single exposure; No data available

(i) STOT-repeated exposure; No data available

Target Organs No information available.

(j) aspiration hazard; Not applicable

Solid

Symptoms / effects,both acute and No information available delayed

# Section 12 - Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity effects May cause long-term adverse effects in the environment. Do not allow material to

contaminate ground water system.

Persistence and Degradability Product contains heavy metals. Discharge into the environment must be avoided. Special

pre-treatment is necessary Insoluble in water, May persist.

Persistence Insoluble in water, May persist.

Degradability Not relevant for inorganic substances.

**Degradation in sewage**Contains substances known to be hazardous to the environment or not degradable in waste

**treatment plant** water treatment plants.

Bioaccumulative Potential May have some potential to bioaccumulate Product has a high potential to bioconcentrate

Mobility Spillage unlikely to penetrate soil. Is not likely mobile in the environment due its low water

solubility

Endocrine Disruptor Information This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors

Persistent Organic Pollutant This product does not contain any known or suspected substance

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**Ozone Depletion Potential** 

This product does not contain any known or suspected substance

# Section 13 - Disposal Considerations

Waste from Residues/Unused

**Products** 

Do not allow into drains or watercourses or dispose of where ground or surface waters may be affected. Wastes, including emptied containers, are controlled wastes and should be disposed of in accordance with all federal, E.P.A., state and local regulations. Assure

conformity with all applicable regulations.

Contaminated Packaging

Empty remaining contents. Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Do not re-use

empty containers.

Other Information

Chemical wastes should be disposed through a licensed commercial waste collection

# **Section 14 - Transport Information**

IMDG/IMO Not regulated

ADG Not regulated

IATA Not regulated

Environmental hazards No hazards identified

Special Precautions No special precautions required

Additional information None known

# Section 15 - Regulatory Information

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

Australia

National Regulations

See section 8 for national exposure control parameters.

### Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons

No poison schedule number allocated.

### **Australian Industrial Chemicals Introduction Scheme (AICIS)**

Component	Australian Industrial Chemicals Introduction Scheme (AICIS)	Additional information
Tungsten - 7440-33-7	Present	-

### Australian - Illicit Drug Precursors/Reagents Substance List

This product does not contain any substance(s) on the Illicit Drug Precursors/Reagents list.

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### **Chemicals of Security Concern**

This product does not contain any substance(s) listed on the voluntary National Code of Practice for Chemicals of Security Concern

National pollutant inventory Not applicable

#### Prohibition or notification/licensing requirements

Shown below are details of specific prohibition/notifications or licencing requirements when they apply.

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### **International Inventories**

	Component	AICS	NZIoC	EINECS	ELINCS	TSCA	DSL	NDSL	PICCS	<b>ENCS</b>	ISHL	IECSC	KECL
Ī	Tungsten	X	X	231-143-9	-	X	Х	-	Х	X		Х	KE-35000

Legend: X - Listed. '-' - Not Listed. KECL - NIER number or KE number (http://ncis.nier.go.kr/en/main.do)

### International Regulations

Ozone Depletion Potential This product does not contain any known or suspected substance

Persistent Organic Pollutant This product does not contain any known or suspected substance

Rotterdam Convention (PIC) Not applicable

Basel convention on the control of transboundary movements of hazardous wastes and their dispoal Not applicable.

Γ	Component	CAS No	OECD HPV	Restriction of	Seveso III Directive	Seveso III Directive
1	-	Hazardous (2012/18/EC) -		(2012/18/EC) -	(2012/18/EC) -	
				Substances (RoHS) Qualifying Quantities		Qualifying Quantities
1			for Major Accident		for Safety Report	
L					Notification	Requirements
	Tungsten	7440-33-7	Listed	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable

Authorisation/Restrictions according to EU REACH

Not applicable

# **Section 16 - Other Information**

### Legend

AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances
TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b)
Inventory

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

NZIOC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances/EU List of Notified Chemical Substances

**ENCS** - Japanese Existing and New Chemical Substances

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IECSC - Chinese Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

TWA - Time Weighted Average

IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer

ICAO/IATA - International Civil Aviation Organization/International Air Transport Association

**MARPOL** - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships

NZS 5433:2012 - Transport of Dangerous Goods on Land

LD50 - Lethal Dose 50%

EC50 - Effective Concentration 50% WEL - Workplace Exposure Limit DNEL - Derived No Effect Level

**POW** - Partition coefficient Octanol:Water **vPvB** - very Persistent, very Bioaccumulative

VOC - (Volatile Organic Compound)

**KECL** - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

**CAS** - Chemical Abstracts Service

**ACGIH** - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)

**IMO/IMDG** - International Maritime Organization/International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code

ADG Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail

**OECD** - Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

LC50 - Lethal Concentration 50% ATE - Acute Toxicity Estimate

RPE - Respiratory Protective Equipment
NOEC - No Observed Effect Concentration

**BCF** - Bioconcentration factor

PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative, Toxic

### Key literature references and sources for data

https://echa.europa.eu/information-on-chemicals

Suppliers safety data sheet, Chemadvisor - LOLI, Merck index, RTECS

### **Training Advice**

Chemical hazard awareness training, incorporating labelling, Safety Data Sheets (SDS), Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) and hygiene.

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This Safety Data Sheet (SDS) is prepared in accordance to and complies with the requirements of Safe Work Australia - Work Health and Safety Regulations (WHS Regulations).

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