

Australian statement of hazardous nature : Classified as hazardous according to criteria of Safe Work Australia

Section 1 - Identification

Product Name Antimony powder

CAS No 7440-36-0

Synonyms Antimony Black; Antimony Regulus

Product Code **14640**

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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

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Physical hazards

No hazards identified

Health hazards

Carcinogenicity
Specific target organ toxicity - (repeated exposure)

Category 2
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Environmental hazards

No hazards identified

Label Elements



Health Hazard

Signal Word**Warning****Hazard Statements**

H351 - Suspected of causing cancer

H373 - May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure

Precautionary Statements

P201 - Obtain special instructions before use

P202 - Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood

P260 - Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray

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

P308 + P313 - IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention

P403 - Store in a well-ventilated place

P501 - Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant

Other information

Section 3 - Composition and Information on Ingredients

| Component | CAS No | Weight % |
|------------------|-----------|----------|
| Antimony, powder | 7440-36-0 | >95 |

Section 4 - First Aid Measures

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| Inhalation | Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Get medical attention 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. If skin irritation persists, call a physician. |
| Eye Contact | Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention. |
| General Advice | If symptoms persist, call a physician. |
| Self-Protection of the First Aider | Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, take precautions to protect themselves and prevent spread of contamination. |
| 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

Dry chemical.

Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons

No information available.

Hazardous Decomposition Products

Antimony oxide.

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.

Environmental Precautions

Should not be released into the environment. 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

Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

Clean-up methods - large spillage

Typically only supplied in small quantities as packaged goods.

If extremely toxic or used in larger quantities ensure a spillage action plan is in place. Evacuate area. Control the source and/or contain the spill if safe and able to do so. Use temporary diking, sand bags, dry sand, earth or proprietary booms/absorbent pads if available. Obtain advice on containment, neutralisation and clean-up from local emergency responders.

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. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Avoid ingestion and inhalation. Avoid dust formation. Ensure adequate ventilation.

Conditions for Safe Storage, Including any Incompatibilities

Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep under nitrogen.

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 |
|------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|---|---------|
| Antimony, powder | TWA: 0.5 mg/m ³ | TWA: 0.5 mg/m ³ | TWA: 0.5 mg/m ³ | STEL: 1.5 mg/m ³ 15 min TWA: 0.5 mg/m ³ 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**

Use only under a chemical fume hood. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.

Wherever possible, engineering control measures such as the isolation or enclosure of the process, the introduction of process or equipment changes to minimise release or contact, and the use of properly designed ventilation systems, should be adopted to control hazardous materials at source

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

Protective gloves

| Glove material | Breakthrough time | Glove thickness | AUS/NZ Standard | Glove comments |
|---|-----------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------------|
| Natural rubber Nitrile rubber Neoprene PVC | See manufacturers recommendations | - | AS/NZS 2161 | (minimum requirement) |

Inspect gloves before use.

Please observe the instructions regarding permeability and breakthrough time which are provided by the supplier of the gloves. (Refer to manufacturer/supplier for information)

Ensure gloves are suitable for the task: Chemical compatibility, Dexterity, Operational conditions, User susceptibility, e.g. sensitisation effects, also take into consideration the specific local conditions under which the product is used, such as the danger of cuts, abrasion.

Remove gloves with care avoiding skin contamination.

Skin and body protection

Long sleeved clothing

Respiratory 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 must be the correct fit and be used and maintained in line with AS/NZS 1715 on the use and maintenance of respiratory protective devices (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

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|---|--------------------------|--|
| Odor | No information available | |
| Odor Threshold | No data available | |
| pH | No information available | |
| Melting Point/Range | 630 °C / 1166 °F | |
| Softening Point | No data available | |
| Boiling Point/Range | 1635 °C / 2975 °F | @ 760 mmHg |
| 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 | 1 mmHg @ 886 °C | |
| Vapor Density | Not applicable | Solid |
| Specific Gravity / Density | No data available | |
| Bulk Density | No data available | |
| Water Solubility | Insoluble | |
| Solubility in other solvents | No information available | |
| Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water) | | |
| Autoignition Temperature | 330 - °C / 626 - °F | |
| Decomposition Temperature | No data available | |
| Viscosity | Not applicable | Solid |
| Explosive Properties | No information available | |
| Oxidizing Properties | No information available | |
| Other information | | |
| Molecular Formula | Sb | |
| Molecular Weight | 121.75 | |

Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

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| Reactivity | None known, based on information available |
| Stability | Stable under normal conditions. Air sensitive. |
| Conditions to Avoid | Incompatible products, Excess heat, Avoid dust formation, Exposure to air. |
| Incompatible Materials | Strong oxidizing agents. |
| Hazardous Decomposition Products | Antimony oxide. |
| Hazardous Polymerization | Hazardous polymerization does not occur. |

Section 11 - Toxicological Information

Information on Toxicological Effects

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| Product Information | No acute toxicity information is available for this product |
| (a) acute toxicity; | |
| Oral | Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met |
| Dermal | No data available |
| Inhalation | No data available |

| Component | LD50 Oral | LD50 Dermal | LC50 Inhalation |
|------------------|-----------------------|-------------|-----------------|
| Antimony, powder | LD50 = 7 g/kg (Rat) | | |

(b) skin corrosion/irritation; No data available

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

(d) respiratory or skin sensitization;

Respiratory No data available
Skin No data available

(e) germ cell mutagenicity; No data available

(f) carcinogenicity; Category 2

Limited evidence of a carcinogenic effect The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen

| Component | Australia | New Zealand | New South Wales | Western Australia | IARC | EU | UK | Germany |
|------------------|-----------|-------------|-----------------|-------------------|------|----|----|---------|
| Antimony, powder | | | | | | | | Cat. 2 |

(g) reproductive toxicity; No data available

(h) STOT-single exposure; No data available

(i) STOT-repeated exposure; Category 2

Route of exposure Inhalation
Target Organs Lungs.

(j) aspiration hazard; Not applicable
Solid

Other Adverse Effects The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated.

Symptoms / effects, both acute and delayed No information available

Section 12 - Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity effects Do not empty into drains. May cause long-term adverse effects in the environment. Do not allow material to contaminate ground water system.

| Component | Freshwater Fish | Water Flea | Freshwater Algae | Microtox |
|------------------|--|------------|------------------|----------|
| Antimony, powder | Cyprinodon variegatus: LC50 = 6.2-8.3 mg/L/96h | | | |

Persistence and Degradability Product contains heavy metals. Discharge into the environment must be avoided. Special pre-treatment is necessary

Persistence Insoluble in water, May persist.

Degradability Not relevant for inorganic substances.

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

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

Dispose of this container to hazardous or special waste collection point.

Other Information

Chemical wastes should be disposed through a licensed commercial waste collection service. Waste codes should be assigned by the user based on the application for which the product was used. Do not empty into drains.

Section 14 - Transport Information

IMDG/IMO

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| UN-No | UN2871 |
| Proper Shipping Name | Antimony powder |
| Hazard Class | 6.1 |
| Packing Group | III |

ADG

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| UN-No | UN2871 |
| Proper Shipping Name | Antimony powder |
| Hazard Class | 6.1 |
| Packing Group | III |

| Component | Hazchem Code |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|
| Antimony, powder 7440-36-0 (>95) | 2X |

IATA

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|----------------------|-----------------|
| UN-No | UN2871 |
| Proper Shipping Name | Antimony powder |
| Hazard Class | 6.1 |
| Packing Group | III |

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**National Regulations** Australia

See section 8 for national exposure control parameters.

Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons

Classified as a scheduled poison according to the Standard for Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons.

| Component | Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons |
|------------------------------|---|
| Antimony, powder - 7440-36-0 | Schedule 4 listed - for therapeutic use except when separately specified in these Schedules |

Australian Industrial Chemicals Introduction Scheme (AICIS)

| Component | Australian Industrial Chemicals Introduction Scheme (AICIS) | Additional information |
|------------------------------|---|------------------------|
| Antimony, powder - 7440-36-0 | Present | - |

Australian - Illicit Drug Precursors/Reagents Substance List

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

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 Subject to reporting requirements

| Component | National pollutant inventory |
|------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Antimony, powder - 7440-36-0 | 10 tonne/yr. Threshold category 1 |

Prohibition or notification/licensing requirements

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

This product does not contain any substance(s) subject to Prohibition, Authorization or Restriction.

International Inventories

| Component | AICS | NZIoC | EINECS | ELINCS | TSCA | DSL | NDSL | PICCS | ENCS | ISHL | IECSC | KECL |
|------------------|------|-------|-----------|--------|------|-----|------|-------|------|------|-------|----------|
| Antimony, powder | X | X | 231-146-5 | - | X | X | - | X | X | | X | KE-01834 |

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 disposal

Take note that wastes may be subject to export, import, or transit controls pursuant to the Basel convention and/or local regulations implementing the Basel convention.

| Component | Basel Convention (Hazardous Waste) | Australian Hazardous Waste Act - Categories of Wastes to Be Controlled |
|------------------------------|------------------------------------|--|
| Antimony, powder - 7440-36-0 | Annex I - Y27 | Y27 |

| Component | CAS No | OECD HPV | Restriction of | Seveso III Directive | Seveso III Directive |
|-----------|--------|----------|----------------|----------------------|----------------------|
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| | | | Hazardous Substances (RoHS) | (2012/18/EC) - Qualifying Quantities for Major Accident Notification | (2012/18/EC) - Qualifying Quantities for Safety Report Requirements |
|------------------|-----------|--------|-----------------------------|--|---|
| Antimony, powder | 7440-36-0 | Listed | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable |

Authorisation/Restrictions according to EU REACH

| Component | REACH (1907/2006) - Annex XIV - Substances Subject to Authorization | REACH (1907/2006) - Annex XVII - Restrictions on Certain Dangerous Substances | REACH Regulation (EC 1907/2006) article 59 - Candidate List of Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC) |
|------------------|---|---|---|
| Antimony, powder | - | Use restricted. See item 75. (see link for restriction details) | - |

<https://echa.europa.eu/substances-restricted-under-reach>

Section 16 - Other Information

Legend

AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances
TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory
DSL/NDL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List
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)

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
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, Chemadviser - 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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Revision Summary

Not applicable.

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