

## SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION

## 1.1 Product identifiers

Product name : Silver(I) oxide

Product Number : 221163  
Brand : SIGALD  
CAS-No. : 20667-12-3

## 1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Synthesis of substances

Uses advised against : The product is being supplied under the TSCA R&D Exemption (40 CFR Section 720.36). It is the recipient's responsibility to comply with the requirements of the R&D exemption. The product may not be used for a non-exempt commercial purpose under TSCA unless appropriate consent is granted in writing by MilliporeSigma.

## 1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company : Sigma-Aldrich Inc.  
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ST. LOUIS MO 63103  
UNITED STATES

Telephone : +1 314 771-5765  
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## 1.4 Emergency telephone

Emergency Phone # : 800-424-9300 CHEMTREC (USA) +1-703-527-3887 CHEMTREC (International) 24 Hours/day; 7 Days/week

## SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

**GHS classification in accordance with the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)**

Oxidizing solids : Category 1

Serious eye damage : Category 1

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Short-term (acute) aquatic hazard : Category 1

Long-term (chronic) aquatic hazard : Category 1

#### Other hazards

None known.

#### GHS label elements

Hazard pictograms :



Signal Word : Danger

Hazard Statements : H271 May cause fire or explosion; strong oxidizer.  
H318 Causes serious eye damage.  
H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary Statements : **Prevention:**  
P210 Keep away from heat.  
P220 Keep/Store away from clothing/ combustible materials.  
P221 Take any precaution to avoid mixing with combustibles.  
P273 Avoid release to the environment.  
P280 Wear protective gloves/ eye protection/ face protection.  
P283 Wear fire/ flame resistant/ retardant clothing.  
**Response:**  
P305 + P351 + P338 + P310 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/ doctor.  
P306 + P360 IF ON CLOTHING: rinse immediately contaminated clothing and skin with plenty of water before removing clothes.  
P370 + P378 In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol-resistant foam to extinguish.  
P371 + P380 + P375 In case of major fire and large quantities: Evacuate area. Fight fire remotely due to the risk of explosion.  
P391 Collect spillage.  
**Disposal:**  
P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

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### SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Substance / Mixture : Substance

#### Components

Chemical name	CAS No./Unique ID	Concentration (% w/w)	Trade secret
Disilver oxide	20667-12-3*	$\geq 90 - \leq 100$	-

\* Indicates that the identifier is a CAS No.

Actual concentration is withheld as a trade secret

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### SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

General advice : Show this material safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

If inhaled : After inhalation: fresh air.

In case of skin contact : In case of skin contact: Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower.

In case of eye contact : After eye contact: rinse out with plenty of water. Immediately call in ophthalmologist. Remove contact lenses.

If swallowed : After swallowing: immediately make victim drink water (two glasses at most). Consult a physician.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed : The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11

Protection of first-aiders : For personal protection see section 8.

Notes to physician : No data available

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### SECTION 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

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

Unsuitable extinguishing media : For this substance/mixture no limitations of extinguishing agents are given.

Specific hazards during : Not combustible.

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Has a fire-promoting effect due to release of oxygen.

Ambient fire may liberate hazardous vapours.

Hazardous combustion products	: Silver/silver oxides
Specific extinguishing methods	: No data available
Further information	: Prevent fire extinguishing water from contaminating surface water or the ground water system.
Special protective equipment for fire-fighters	: In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

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## SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures	: Advice for non-emergency personnel: Avoid inhalation of dusts. Avoid substance contact. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate the danger area, observe emergency procedures, consult an expert. Advice for emergency responders: For personal protection see section 8.
Environmental precautions	: Do not let product enter drains.
Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up	: Cover drains. Collect, bind, and pump off spills. Observe possible material restrictions (see sections 7 and 10). Take up dry. Dispose of properly. Clean up affected area. Avoid generation of dusts.

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## SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

For precautions see section 2.2.

Advice on protection against fire and explosion	: Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition.
Further information on storage conditions	: Tightly closed. Separately or together with other oxidising substances only and away from sources of ignition and heat. Because of their oxidation potential these products can raise the burning rate of combustible substances substantially or ignite combustible substances on contact with them.
Storage class	: 5.1A, Strongly oxidizing hazardous materials
Recommended storage temperature	: Recommended storage temperature see product label.
Further information on storage stability	: Light sensitive.
Packaging material	: Suitable material: Amber Glass Bottle/Jar, LDPE Bottle/Jar

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## SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### **Ingredients with workplace control parameters**

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

**Engineering measures** : No data available

### **Personal protective equipment**

Respiratory protection : required when dusts are generated.

Our recommendations on filtering respiratory protection are based on the following standards: DIN EN 143, DIN 14387 and other accompanying standards relating to the used respiratory protection system.

Recommended Filter type: : Filter type P2

The entrepreneur has to ensure that maintenance, cleaning and testing of respiratory protective devices are carried out according to the instructions of the producer. These measures have to be properly documented.

Hand protection

Material : Nitrile rubber  
Break through time : 480 min

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Glove thickness : 0.11 mm  
Protective index : Full contact  
Manufacturer : KCL 741 Dermatril® L

Material : Nitrile rubber  
Break through time : 480 min  
Glove thickness : 0.11 mm  
Protective index : Splash contact  
Manufacturer : KCL 741 Dermatril® L

Remarks : This recommendation applies only to the product stated in the safety data sheet, supplied by us and for the designated use. When dissolving in or mixing with other substances and under conditions deviating from those stated in EN 16523-1 please contact the supplier of CE-approved gloves (e.g. KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, Internet: [www.kcl.de](http://www.kcl.de)).

Eye protection : Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).  
Tightly fitting safety goggles

Skin and body protection : protective clothing

Hygiene measures : Change contaminated clothing. Wash hands after working with substance.

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## SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance : powder

Color : dark gray

Odor : odorless

Odor Threshold : No data available

pH : No data available

Melting point : No data available

Boiling point/boiling range : No data available

Flash point : Not applicable

Evaporation rate : No data available

Burning rate	: No data available
Upper explosion limit / Upper flammability limit	: No data available
Lower explosion limit / Lower flammability limit	: No data available
Vapor pressure	: No data available
Relative vapor density	: No data available
Relative density	: No data available
Density	: 7.143 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Solubility(ies) Water solubility	: 0.0016 g/l slightly soluble (68 °F / 20 °C)
Partition coefficient: n- octanol/water	: No data available
Autoignition temperature	: No data available
Decomposition temperature	: 446 °F / 230 °C
Viscosity, dynamic	: No data available
Viscosity, kinematic	: No data available
Flow time	: No data available
Explosive properties	: No data available
Oxidizing properties	: The substance or mixture is classified as oxidizing with the category 1.
Molecular weight	: 231.74 g/mol
Particle characteristics Particle size	: No data available

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## SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity	: No data available
Chemical stability	: The product is chemically stable under standard ambient conditions (room temperature) .

Possibility of hazardous reactions	: Risk of explosion with: Aluminum Ammonia ethanol hydrazines sodium organic nitro compounds Carbon monoxide Risk of ignition or formation of inflammable gases or vapours with: sulfur hydrogen sulphide selenium Sulfides phosphorus combustible substances Exothermic reaction with: magnesium
Conditions to avoid	: Light.  no information available
Incompatible materials	: No data available
Hazardous decomposition products	: In the event of fire: see section 5

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## SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

#### Acute toxicity

LD50 Oral - Rat - male and female - 3,804 mg/kg  
(OECD Test Guideline 401)  
Inhalation: No data available  
Dermal: No data available  
No data available

#### Skin corrosion/irritation

Skin - Rabbit  
Result: No skin irritation - 4 h  
(OECD Test Guideline 404)

#### Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Eyes - Rabbit  
Result: Risk of serious damage to eyes.  
(OECD Test Guideline 405)

#### Respiratory or skin sensitization

No data available

#### Germ cell mutagenicity

No data available



### **Carcinogenicity**

- IARC: No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.
- NTP: No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.
- OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is on OSHA's list of regulated carcinogens.

### **Reproductive toxicity**

No data available  
No data available

### **Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure**

No data available

### **Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure**

No data available

### **Aspiration hazard**

No data available

## **11.2 Additional Information**

RTECS: VW4900000

May cause argyria (a slate-gray or bluish discoloration of the skin and deep tissues due to the deposit of insoluble albuminate of silver)., To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

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## **SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

### **Ecotoxicity**

#### **Components:**

#### **Disilver oxide:**

Toxicity to fish : Remarks: No data available

M-Factor (Acute aquatic toxicity) : 10

### **Persistence and degradability**

#### **Components:**

#### **Disilver oxide:**

Biodegradability : Remarks: No data available

### **Bioaccumulative potential**

#### **Components:**

#### **Disilver oxide:**

Bioaccumulation : Remarks: No data available

### **Mobility in soil**

#### **Components:**

#### **Disilver oxide:**

Stability in soil : Remarks: No data available

### **Other adverse effects**

#### **Product:**

Ozone-Depletion Potential : Regulation: 40 CFR Protection of Environment; Part 82 Protection of Stratospheric Ozone - CAA Section 602 Class I Substances  
Remarks: This product neither contains, nor was manufactured with a Class I or Class II ODS as defined by the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 602 (40 CFR 82, Subpt. A, App.A + B).

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## **SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

### **Disposal methods**

Waste from residues : Waste material must be disposed of in accordance with the national and local regulations. Leave chemicals in original containers. No mixing with other waste. Handle uncleaned containers like the product itself.

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## **SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

### **International Regulations**

#### **IATA-DGR**

UN/ID No. : UN 1479  
Proper shipping name : Oxidizing solid, n.o.s.  
(Disilver oxide)  
Class : 5.1  
Packing group : I  
Labels : Division 5.1 - Oxidizing substances  
Packing instruction (cargo : 561  
aircraft)  
Packing instruction : 557  
(passenger aircraft)

#### **IMDG-Code**

UN number : UN 1479  
Proper shipping name : OXIDIZING SOLID, N.O.S.  
(Disilver oxide)  
Class : 5.1  
Packing group : I

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Labels : 5.1  
EmS Code : F-A, S-Q  
Marine pollutant : yes

### Transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

Not applicable for product as supplied.

### National regulation

#### 49 CFR Road

UN/ID/NA number : UN 1479  
Proper shipping name : Oxidizing solid, n.o.s.  
(Disilver oxide)  
Class : 5.1  
Packing group : I  
Labels : Division 5.1 - Oxidizing substances  
ERG Code : 140  
Marine pollutant : no

Poison Inhalation Hazard : No

### Special precautions for user

The transport classification(s) provided herein are for informational purposes only, and solely based upon the properties of the unpackaged material as it is described within this Safety Data Sheet. Transportation classifications may vary by mode of transportation, package sizes, and variations in regional or country regulations.

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## SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

### CERCLA Reportable Quantity

This material does not contain any components with a CERCLA RQ.

### SARA 304 Extremely Hazardous Substances Reportable Quantity

This material does not contain any components with a section 304 EHS RQ.

### SARA 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances Threshold Planning Quantity

This material does not contain any components with a section 302 EHS TPQ.

**SARA 313** : The following components are subject to reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313:

Disilver oxide	20667-12-3	>= 90 - <= 100 %
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### Clean Air Act

This product neither contains, nor was manufactured with a Class I or Class II ODS as defined by the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 602 (40 CFR 82, Subpt. A, App.A + B).

This product does not contain any hazardous air pollutants (HAP), as defined by the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 112 (40 CFR 61).

This product does not contain any chemicals listed under the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 112(r) for Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130, Subpart F).

This product does not contain any chemicals listed under the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 111 SOCM I Intermediate or Final VOC's (40 CFR 60.489).

## Clean Water Act

This product does not contain any Hazardous Substances listed under the U.S. CleanWater Act, Section 311, Table 116.4A.

This product does not contain any Hazardous Chemicals listed under the U.S. CleanWater Act, Section 311, Table 117.3.

This product contains the following toxic pollutants listed under the U.S. Clean Water Act Section 307

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This product does not contain any priority pollutants related to the U.S. Clean Water Act

## US State Regulations

### Massachusetts Right To Know

No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

### Pennsylvania Right To Know

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### Maine Chemicals of High Concern

Product does not contain any listed chemicals

### Vermont Chemicals of High Concern

Product does not contain any listed chemicals

### Washington Chemicals of High Concern

Product does not contain any listed chemicals

## The ingredients of this product are reported in the following inventories:

TSCA : All substances listed as active on the TSCA inventory

### TSCA list

No substances are subject to a Significant New Use Rule.

No substances are subject to TSCA 12(b) export notification requirements.

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## SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

### Full text of other abbreviations

AIIC - Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals; ASTM - American Society for the Testing of Materials; bw - Body weight; CERCLA - Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act; CMR - Carcinogen, Mutagen or Reproductive Toxicant; DIN - Standard of the German Institute for Standardisation; DOT - Department of Transportation; DSL - Domestic Substances List (Canada); ECx - Concentration associated with x% response; EHS - Extremely Hazardous Substance; ELx - Loading rate associated with x% response; EmS - Emergency Schedule; ENCS - Existing and New Chemical Substances (Japan); ErCx - Concentration associated with x% growth rate response; ERG - Emergency Response Guide; GHS - Globally Harmonized System; GLP - Good Laboratory Practice; HMIS - Hazardous Materials Identification System; IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer; IATA - International Air Transport Association; IBC - International Code for the Construction and Equipment of Ships carrying Dangerous Chemicals in Bulk; IC50 - Half maximal inhibitory

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concentration; ICAO - International Civil Aviation Organization; IECSC - Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China; IMDG - International Maritime Dangerous Goods; IMO - International Maritime Organization; ISHL - Industrial Safety and Health Law (Japan); ISO - International Organisation for Standardization; KECI - Korea Existing Chemicals Inventory; LC50 - Lethal Concentration to 50 % of a test population; LD50 - Lethal Dose to 50% of a test population (Median Lethal Dose); MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships; MSHA - Mine Safety and Health Administration; n.o.s. - Not Otherwise Specified; NFPA - National Fire Protection Association; NO(A)EC - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Concentration; NO(A)EL - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Level; NOELR - No Observable Effect Loading Rate; NTP - National Toxicology Program; NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals; OECD - Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development; OPPTS - Office of Chemical Safety and Pollution Prevention; PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic substance; PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances; (Q)SAR - (Quantitative) Structure Activity Relationship; RCRA - Resource Conservation and Recovery Act; REACH - Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals; RQ - Reportable Quantity; SADT - Self-Accelerating Decomposition Temperature; SARA - Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act; SDS - Safety Data Sheet; TCSI - Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory; TECI - Thailand Existing Chemicals Inventory; TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act (United States); UN - United Nations; UNRTDG - United Nations Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods; vPvB - Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative

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