



# SAFETY DATA SHEET

**MATERION**

## SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

### 1.1. Product identifier

**Name of the substance** Arsenic selenide (As<sub>2</sub>Se<sub>3</sub>)  
**Identification number** 215-119-5 (EC number)  
**Synonyms** Arsenic selenide (As<sub>2</sub>Se<sub>3</sub>) \* Aresenic selenide \* Diarsenic triselenide  
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### 1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

**Identified uses** Not available.  
**Uses advised against** None known.

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

#### Supplier

**Company name** Materion Advanced Chemicals Inc.  
**Address** 407 N. 13th Street  
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Milwaukee, WI 53233  
United States  
**Division** Milwaukee  
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**Contact person** Noreen Atkinson

### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

## SECTION 2: Hazards identification

### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

The substance has been assessed and/or tested for its physical, health and environmental hazards and the following classification applies.

#### Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 as amended

##### Environmental hazards

Hazardous to the aquatic environment, acute aquatic hazard Category 1 H400 - Very toxic to aquatic life.  
Hazardous to the aquatic environment, long-term aquatic hazard Category 1 H410 - Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

**Hazard summary** Dangerous for the environment if discharged into watercourses.

### 2.2. Label elements

#### Label according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 as amended

**Contains:** arsenic selenide

#### Hazard pictograms



**Signal word** Warning

#### Hazard statements

H400 Very toxic to aquatic life.  
H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

#### Precautionary statements

##### Prevention

P273 Avoid release to the environment.

<b>Response</b>	P391	Collect spillage.
<b>Storage</b>		Store away from incompatible materials.
<b>Disposal</b>		Dispose of waste and residues in accordance with local authority requirements.
<b>Supplemental label information</b>		None.
<b>2.3. Other hazards</b>		None known.

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.1. Substances

#### General information

Chemical name	%	CAS-No. / EC No.	REACH Registration No.	INDEX No.	Notes
arsenic selenide	100	1303-36-2 215-119-5	-	-	
<b>Classification:</b>	Aquatic Acute 1;H400, Aquatic Chronic 1;H410				

#### List of abbreviations and symbols that may be used above

CLP: Regulation No. 1272/2008.

DSD: Directive 67/548/EEC.

M: M-factor

vPvB: very persistent and very bioaccumulative substance.

PBT: persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic substance.

#: This substance has been assigned Community workplace exposure limit(s).

**Composition comments** The full text for all R- and H-phrases is displayed in section 16.

## SECTION 4: First aid measures

#### General information

Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to protect themselves.

#### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

##### Inhalation

Move to fresh air. Call a physician if symptoms develop or persist.

##### Skin contact

Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

##### Eye contact

Rinse with water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

##### Ingestion

Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.

#### 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.

#### 4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treat symptomatically.

## SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

#### General fire hazards

No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted.

#### 5.1. Extinguishing media

##### Suitable extinguishing media

Water fog. Foam. Dry chemical powder. Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>).

##### Unsuitable extinguishing media

None known.

#### 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

During fire, gases hazardous to health may be formed.

#### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

##### Special protective equipment for firefighters

Wear suitable protective equipment.

##### Special firefighting procedures

Use water spray to cool unopened containers.

#### Specific methods

Use standard firefighting procedures and consider the hazards of other involved materials.

## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

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

**For non-emergency personnel** Keep unnecessary personnel away. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Wear appropriate protective equipment and clothing during clean-up. Ensure adequate ventilation. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained. For personal protection, see section 8 of the SDS.

**For emergency responders** Keep unnecessary personnel away. Use personal protection recommended in Section 8 of the SDS.

**6.2. Environmental precautions** Avoid release to the environment. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Inform appropriate managerial or supervisory personnel of all environmental releases.

**6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up** Stop the flow of material, if this is without risk. Prevent product from entering drains. Following product recovery, flush area with water.

**6.4. Reference to other sections** For personal protection, see section 8 of the SDS. For waste disposal, see section 13 of the SDS.

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

**7.1. Precautions for safe handling** Provide adequate ventilation. Avoid prolonged exposure. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment. Avoid release to the environment. Observe good industrial hygiene practices.

**7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities** Store in original tightly closed container. Store away from incompatible materials (see Section 10 of the SDS).

**7.3. Specific end use(s)** Not available.

## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1. Control parameters

#### Occupational exposure limits

##### Austria. MAK List, OEL Ordinance (GwV), BGBl. II, no. 184/2001

Material	Type	Value	Form
arsenic selenide (CAS 1303-36-2)	MAK	0,1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Inhalable fraction.
	STEL	0,3 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Inhalable fraction.

##### Austria. TRK List, OEL Ordinance (GwV), BGBl. II, no. 184/2001

Material	Type	Value	Form
arsenic selenide (CAS 1303-36-2)	STEL	0,4 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Inhalable fraction.
	TWA	0,1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Inhalable fraction.

##### Finland. Workplace Exposure Limits

Material	Type	Value
arsenic selenide (CAS 1303-36-2)	STEL	0,3 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

##### Germany. DFG MAK List (advisory OELs). Commission for the Investigation of Health Hazards of Chemical Compounds in the Work Area (DFG)

Material	Type	Value	Form
arsenic selenide (CAS 1303-36-2)	TWA	0,02 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Inhalable fraction.

##### Germany. TRGS 900, Limit Values in the Ambient Air at the Workplace

Material	Type	Value	Form
arsenic selenide (CAS 1303-36-2)	AGW	0,05 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Inhalable fraction.

##### Hungary. OELs. Joint Decree on Chemical Safety of Workplaces

Material	Type	Value
arsenic selenide (CAS 1303-36-2)	Ceiling	0,01 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
	STEL	0,4 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
	TWA	0,1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

##### Latvia. OELs. Occupational exposure limit values of chemical substances in work environment

Material	Type	Value
arsenic selenide (CAS 1303-36-2)	STEL	0,04 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

**Latvia. OELs. Occupational exposure limit values of chemical substances in work environment**

Material	Type	Value
	TWA	0,01 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

**Poland. MACs. Regulation regarding maximum permissible concentrations and intensities of harmful factors in the work environment, Annex 1**

Material	Type	Value
arsenic selenide (CAS 1303-36-2)	STEL	0,3 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

**Slovakia. OELs for carcinogens and mutagens. Regulation No. 46/2002 on carcinogenic and mutagenic substances**

Material	Type	Value	Form
arsenic selenide (CAS 1303-36-2)	TWA	0,1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Inhalable fraction.

**Slovakia. OELs. Regulation No. 300/2007 concerning protection of health in work with chemical agents**

Material	Type	Value
arsenic selenide (CAS 1303-36-2)	TWA	0,1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

**Slovenia. OELs. Regulations concerning protection of workers against risks due to exposure to chemicals while working (Official Gazette of the Republic of Slovenia)**

Material	Type	Value	Form
arsenic selenide (CAS 1303-36-2)	TWA	0,1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Inhalable fraction.

**Switzerland. SUVA Grenzwerte am Arbeitsplatz**

Material	Type	Value	Form
arsenic selenide (CAS 1303-36-2)	STEL	0,16 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Inhalable dust.
	TWA	0,02 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Inhalable dust.

**Biological limit values****Croatia. BLV. Dangerous Substance Exposure Limit Values at Workplace, Annexes 4 (as amended)**

Material	Value	Determinant	Specimen	Sampling time
arsenic selenide (CAS 1303-36-2)	70 µg/l	Arsenic	Urine	*
	0,93 µmol/l	Arsenic	Urine	*

\* - For sampling details, please see the source document.

**Finland. HTP-arvot, App 2., Biological Limit Values, (BRA/BGV), Social Affairs and Ministry of Health**

Material	Value	Determinant	Specimen	Sampling time
arsenic selenide (CAS 1303-36-2)	70 nmol/l	Inorganic arsenic	Urine	*

\* - For sampling details, please see the source document.

**France. Biological indicators of exposure (IBE) (National Institute for Research and Security (INRS, ND 2065)**

Material	Value	Determinant	Specimen	Sampling time
arsenic selenide (CAS 1303-36-2)	0,05 mg/g	Métabolites de l'arsenic inorganique	Creatinine in urine	*

\* - For sampling details, please see the source document.

**Spain. Biological Limit Values (VLBs), Occupational Exposure Limits for Chemical Agents, Table 4**

Material	Value	Determinant	Specimen	Sampling time
arsenic selenide (CAS 1303-36-2)	35 µg/l	Arsénico inorgánico más metabolitos metilados como As	Urine	*

\* - For sampling details, please see the source document.

**Recommended monitoring procedures** Follow standard monitoring procedures.

**Derived no effect levels (DNELs)** Not available.

**Predicted no effect concentrations (PNECs)** Not available.

## 8.2. Exposure controls

**Appropriate engineering controls** Good general ventilation (typically 10 air changes per hour) should be used. Ventilation rates should be matched to conditions. If applicable, use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to maintain airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If exposure limits have not been established, maintain airborne levels to an acceptable level.

### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

**General information** Personal protection equipment should be chosen according to the CEN standards and in discussion with the supplier of the personal protective equipment.

**Eye/face protection** Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles).

#### Skin protection

**- Hand protection** Wear appropriate chemical resistant gloves. Suitable gloves can be recommended by the glove supplier.

**- Other** Personal protection equipment should be chosen according to the CEN standards and in discussion with the supplier of the personal protective equipment.

**Respiratory protection** In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment.

**Thermal hazards** Wear appropriate thermal protective clothing, when necessary.

**Hygiene measures** Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing after handling the material and before eating, drinking, and/or smoking. Routinely wash work clothing and protective equipment to remove contaminants.

**Environmental exposure controls** Inform appropriate managerial or supervisory personnel of all environmental releases.

## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

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

#### Appearance

**Physical state** Solid.

**Form** Solid.

**Colour** Not available.

**Odour** Not available.

**Odour threshold** Not available.

**pH** Not available.

**Melting point/freezing point** Not available.

**Initial boiling point and boiling range** Not available.

**Flash point** Not available.

**Evaporation rate** Not available.

**Flammability (solid, gas)** Not available.

#### Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits

**Flammability limit - lower (%)** Not available.

**Flammability limit - upper (%)** Not available.

**Vapour pressure** < 0,0000001 kPa at 25 °C

**Vapour density** Not available.

**Relative density** Not available.

#### Solubility(ies)

**Solubility (water)** Not available.

**Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water)** Not available.

**Auto-ignition temperature** Not available.

**Decomposition temperature** Not available.

**Viscosity** Not available.

**Explosive properties** Not explosive.

**Oxidising properties** Not oxidising.

## 9.2. Other information

**Molecular formula** As<sub>2</sub>Se<sub>3</sub>

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

<b>10.1. Reactivity</b>	Not available.
<b>10.2. Chemical stability</b>	Material is stable under normal conditions.
<b>10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions</b>	No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.
<b>10.4. Conditions to avoid</b>	Contact with incompatible materials.
<b>10.5. Incompatible materials</b>	None known.
<b>10.6. Hazardous decomposition products</b>	No hazardous decomposition products are known.

## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

**General information** Occupational exposure to the substance or mixture may cause adverse effects.

### Information on likely routes of exposure

<b>Inhalation</b>	Prolonged inhalation may be harmful.
<b>Skin contact</b>	Due to lack of data the classification is not possible.
<b>Eye contact</b>	Due to lack of data the classification is not possible.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Due to lack of data the classification is not possible.

**Symptoms** Exposure may cause temporary irritation, redness, or discomfort.

### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

<b>Acute toxicity</b>	No data available.
<b>Skin corrosion/irritation</b>	Due to partial or complete lack of data the classification is not possible.
<b>Serious eye damage/eye irritation</b>	Due to partial or complete lack of data the classification is not possible.
<b>Respiratory sensitisation</b>	Due to partial or complete lack of data the classification is not possible.
<b>Skin sensitisation</b>	Due to partial or complete lack of data the classification is not possible.
<b>Germ cell mutagenicity</b>	Due to partial or complete lack of data the classification is not possible.
<b>Carcinogenicity</b>	Due to partial or complete lack of data the classification is not possible.

**Hungary. 26/2000 EüM Ordinance on protection against and preventing risk relating to exposure to carcinogens at work (as amended)**

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<b>Reproductive toxicity</b>	Due to partial or complete lack of data the classification is not possible.
<b>Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure</b>	Due to partial or complete lack of data the classification is not possible.
<b>Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure</b>	Due to partial or complete lack of data the classification is not possible.
<b>Aspiration hazard</b>	Due to partial or complete lack of data the classification is not possible.
<b>Mixture versus substance information</b>	No information available.
<b>Other information</b>	This product has no known adverse effect on human health.

## SECTION 12: Ecological information

<b>12.1. Toxicity</b>	Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.
<b>12.2. Persistence and degradability</b>	No data is available on the degradability of this product.
<b>12.3. Bioaccumulative potential</b>	No data available.
<b>Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (log K<sub>ow</sub>)</b>	Not available.
<b>Bioconcentration factor (BCF)</b>	Not available.
<b>12.4. Mobility in soil</b>	No data available.
<b>12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment</b>	Not available.
<b>12.6. Other adverse effects</b>	No other adverse environmental effects (e.g. ozone depletion, photochemical ozone creation potential, endocrine disruption, global warming potential) are expected from this component.

## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

<b>Residual waste</b>	Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe manner (see: Disposal instructions).
<b>Contaminated packaging</b>	Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal.
<b>EU waste code</b>	Not available.
<b>Disposal methods/information</b>	Collect and reclaim or dispose in sealed containers at licensed waste disposal site.
<b>Special precautions</b>	Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.

## SECTION 14: Transport information

**ADR**

<b>14.1. UN number</b>	UN1557
<b>14.2. UN proper shipping name</b>	Arsenic compounds, solid, n.o.s. inorganic, including arsenates, n.o.s.; arsenites, n.o.s.; arsenic sulfides, n.o.s.; and organic compounds of arsenic, n.o.s.
<b>14.3. Transport hazard class(es)</b>	
<b>Class</b>	6.1(PGI, II)
<b>Subsidiary risk</b>	-
<b>Label(s)</b>	6.1
<b>Hazard No. (ADR)</b>	Not available.
<b>Tunnel restriction code</b>	Not available.
<b>14.4. Packing group</b>	II
<b>14.5. Environmental hazards</b>	No.
<b>14.6. Special precautions for user</b>	Read safety instructions, SDS and emergency procedures before handling.

**RID**

<b>14.1. UN number</b>	UN1557
<b>14.2. UN proper shipping name</b>	Arsenic compounds, solid, n.o.s. inorganic, including arsenates, n.o.s.; arsenites, n.o.s.; arsenic sulfides, n.o.s.; and organic compounds of arsenic, n.o.s.
<b>14.3. Transport hazard class(es)</b>	
<b>Class</b>	6.1(PGI, II)
<b>Subsidiary risk</b>	-
<b>Label(s)</b>	6.1
<b>14.4. Packing group</b>	II
<b>14.5. Environmental hazards</b>	No.
<b>14.6. Special precautions for user</b>	Read safety instructions, SDS and emergency procedures before handling.

**ADN**

<b>14.1. UN number</b>	UN1557
<b>14.2. UN proper shipping name</b>	Arsenic compounds, solid, n.o.s. inorganic, including arsenates, n.o.s.; arsenites, n.o.s.; arsenic sulfides, n.o.s.; and organic compounds of arsenic, n.o.s.
<b>14.3. Transport hazard class(es)</b>	
<b>Class</b>	6.1(PGI, II)
<b>Subsidiary risk</b>	-
<b>Label(s)</b>	6.1
<b>14.4. Packing group</b>	II
<b>14.5. Environmental hazards</b>	No.
<b>14.6. Special precautions for user</b>	Read safety instructions, SDS and emergency procedures before handling.

**IATA**

<b>14.1. UN number</b>	UN1557
<b>14.2. UN proper shipping name</b>	Arsenic compounds, solid, n.o.s. inorganic, including arsenates, n.o.s.; arsenites, n.o.s.; arsenic sulfides, n.o.s.; and organic compounds of arsenic, n.o.s.
<b>14.3. Transport hazard class(es)</b>	
<b>Class</b>	6.1(PGI, II)
<b>Subsidiary risk</b>	-
<b>Label(s)</b>	6.1
<b>14.4. Packing group</b>	II

**14.5. Environmental hazards** No.

**14.6. Special precautions for user** Read safety instructions, SDS and emergency procedures before handling.

#### IMDG

**14.1. UN number** UN1557

**14.2. UN proper shipping name** Arsenic compounds, solid, n.o.s. inorganic, including arsenates, n.o.s.; arsenites, n.o.s.; arsenic sulfides, n.o.s.; and organic compounds of arsenic, n.o.s.

**14.3. Transport hazard class(es)**

**Class** 6.1(PGI, II)

**Subsidiary risk** -

**Label(s)** 6.1

**14.4. Packing group** II

**14.5. Environmental hazards**

**Marine pollutant** No.

**EmS** Not available.

**14.6. Special precautions for user** Read safety instructions, SDS and emergency procedures before handling.

#### ADN; ADR; IATA; IMDG; RID



## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

#### EU regulations

**Regulation (EC) No. 1005/2009 on substances that deplete the ozone layer, Annex I and II, as amended**

Not listed.

**Regulation (EC) No. 850/2004 On persistent organic pollutants, Annex I as amended**

Not listed.

**Regulation (EU) No. 649/2012 concerning the export and import of dangerous chemicals, Annex I, Part 1 as amended**

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**Regulation (EU) No. 649/2012 concerning the export and import of dangerous chemicals, Annex I, Part 2 as amended**

Not listed.

**Regulation (EU) No. 649/2012 concerning the export and import of dangerous chemicals, Annex I, Part 3 as amended**

Not listed.

**Regulation (EU) No. 649/2012 concerning the export and import of dangerous chemicals, Annex V as amended**

Not listed.

**Regulation (EC) No. 166/2006 Annex II Pollutant Release and Transfer Registry, as amended**

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**Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006, REACH Article 59(10) Candidate List as currently published by ECHA**

Not listed.

#### Authorisations

**Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006, REACH Annex XIV Substances subject to authorization, as amended**

Not listed.

#### Restrictions on use

**Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006, REACH Annex XVII Substances subject to restriction on marketing and use as amended**

Not listed.



**Directive 2004/37/EC: on the protection of workers from the risks related to exposure to carcinogens and mutagens at work, as amended.**

Not listed.

**Other EU regulations**

**Directive 2012/18/EU on major accident hazards involving dangerous substances, as amended**

Not listed.

**Other regulations**

The product is classified and labelled in accordance with EC directives or respective national laws. This Safety Data Sheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006.

**National regulations**

Follow national regulation for work with chemical agents.

**15.2. Chemical safety assessment**

No Chemical Safety Assessment has been carried out.

**SECTION 16: Other information**

**List of abbreviations**

Not available.

**Information on evaluation method leading to the classification of mixture**

Not applicable.

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