



SAFETY DATA SHEET

MATERION

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

1.1. Product identifier

Trade name or designation of the mixture Aluminum Oxide Cobalt (85Al2O3-15Co)
Synonyms None.
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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.
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1316 W. St. Paul Avenue
Milwaukee, WI 53233
United States
Division Milwaukee
Telephone 414.212.0257
e-mail advancedmaterials@materion.com
Contact person Noreen Atkinson

1.4. Emergency telephone number

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

The mixture 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

Health hazards

Respiratory sensitisation	Category 1	H334 - May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.
Skin sensitisation	Category 1	H317 - May cause an allergic skin reaction.
Carcinogenicity	Category 2	H351 - Suspected of causing cancer.

Hazard summary

Suspected of causing cancer. May cause an allergic skin reaction. Exposure to powder or dusts may be irritating to eyes, nose and throat. May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled. Prolonged exposure may cause chronic effects.

2.2. Label elements

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

Contains: Cobalt

Hazard pictograms



Signal word Danger

Hazard statements

H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.
H334 May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.

H351

Suspected of causing cancer.

Precautionary statements**Prevention**

P201	Obtain special instructions before use.
P202	Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.
P261	Avoid breathing dust.
P272	Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.
P280	Wear protective gloves.
P281	Use personal protective equipment as required.
P285	In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection.

Response

P302 + P352	IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.
P304 + P341	IF INHALED: If breathing is difficult, remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.
P308 + P313	IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.
P321	Specific treatment (see this label).
P333 + P313	If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
P342 + P311	If experiencing respiratory symptoms: Call a POISON CENTRE or doctor/physician.
P363	Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

Storage

P405	Store locked up.
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Disposal

P501	Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.
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Supplemental label information

None.

2.3. Other hazards

None known.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**3.2. Mixtures****General information**

Chemical name	%	CAS-No. / EC No.	REACH Registration No.	INDEX No.	Notes
Cobalt	10 - 20	7440-48-4 231-158-0	-	027-001-00-9	
Classification:	Skin Sens. 1;H317, Resp. Sens. 1;H334, Carc. 2;H351				

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. IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

4.1. Description of first aid measures**Inhalation**

If dust from the material is inhaled, remove the affected person immediately to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Oxygen or artificial respiration if needed. Do not use mouth-to-mouth method if victim inhaled the substance. Induce artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other proper respiratory medical device. If experiencing respiratory symptoms: Call a POISON CENTRE or doctor/physician. Call a physician if symptoms develop or persist.

Skin contact

Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists. If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention. For minor skin contact, avoid spreading material on unaffected skin.

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

May cause allergic skin reaction. May cause allergic respiratory reaction.

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

Provide general supportive measures and treat symptomatically. Treat symptomatically. Keep victim under observation. Symptoms may be delayed.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

General fire hazards No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted.

5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media Powder. Water. Dry sand.

Unsuitable extinguishing media None known.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture Not available.

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Special protective equipment for firefighters Wear suitable protective equipment.

Special firefighting procedures In the event of fire, cool tanks with water spray.

Specific methods Cool containers exposed to flames with water until well after the fire is out.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

For non-emergency personnel Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained. Keep unnecessary personnel away. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Wear a dust mask if dust is generated above exposure limits. Wear appropriate protective equipment and clothing during clean-up. Do not touch or walk through spilled material. Avoid inhalation of dust. Ensure adequate ventilation.

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

6.2. Environmental precautions Avoid discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up If sweeping of a contaminated area is necessary use a dust suppressant agent which does not react with the product. Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal. Collect dust using a vacuum cleaner equipped with HEPA filter. Avoid the generation of dusts during clean-up. 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 Obtain special instructions before use. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Avoid dust formation. Guard against dust accumulation of this material. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. Do not breathe dust from this material. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid prolonged exposure. Use personal protective equipment as required. Practice good housekeeping.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities Store locked up. Keep container tightly closed. Store in a cool, dry place out of direct sunlight. Store in a well-ventilated place. Avoid dust formation. Guard against dust accumulation of this material. Keep out of the reach of children.

7.3. Specific end use(s) Not available.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

Occupational exposure limits

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

Components	Type	Value	Form
Cobalt (CAS 7440-48-4)	STEL	0,4 mg/m3	Inhalable fraction.
	TWA	0,1 mg/m3	Inhalable fraction.

Belgium. Exposure Limit Values.

Components	Type	Value	Form
Cobalt (CAS 7440-48-4)	TWA	0,02 mg/m3	Dust and fume.

Bulgaria. OELs. Regulation No 13 on protection of workers against risks of exposure to chemical agents at work

Components	Type	Value
Cobalt (CAS 7440-48-4)	TWA	0,1 mg/m3

Croatia. Dangerous Substance Exposure Limit Values in the Workplace (ELVs), Annexes 1 and 2, Narodne Novine, 13/09

Components	Type	Value
Cobalt (CAS 7440-48-4)	MAC	0,1 mg/m3

Cyprus. OELs. Control of factory atmosphere and dangerous substances in factories regulation, PI 311/73, as amended.

Components	Type	Value	Form
Cobalt (CAS 7440-48-4)	TWA	0,1 mg/m3	Dust and fume.

Czech Republic. OELs. Government Decree 361

Components	Type	Value
Cobalt (CAS 7440-48-4)	Ceiling	0,1 mg/m3
	TWA	0,05 mg/m3

Denmark. Exposure Limit Values

Components	Type	Value	Form
Cobalt (CAS 7440-48-4)	TLV	0,01 mg/m3	Dust and fume.

Estonia. OELs. Occupational Exposure Limits of Hazardous Substances. (Annex of Regulation No. 293 of 18 September 2001)

Components	Type	Value
Cobalt (CAS 7440-48-4)	TWA	0,05 mg/m3

Finland. Workplace Exposure Limits

Components	Type	Value
Cobalt (CAS 7440-48-4)	TWA	0,02 mg/m3

Greece. OELs (Decree No. 90/1999, as amended)

Components	Type	Value	Form
Cobalt (CAS 7440-48-4)	TWA	0,1 mg/m3	Dust and fume.

Hungary. OELs. Joint Decree on Chemical Safety of Workplaces

Components	Type	Value
Cobalt (CAS 7440-48-4)	STEL	0,4 mg/m3
	TWA	0,1 mg/m3

Iceland. OELs. Regulation 154/1999 on occupational exposure limits

Components	Type	Value	Form
Cobalt (CAS 7440-48-4)	TWA	0,02 mg/m3	Dust and fume.

Ireland. Occupational Exposure Limits

Components	Type	Value
Cobalt (CAS 7440-48-4)	TWA	0,1 mg/m3

Italy. Occupational Exposure Limits

Components	Type	Value
Cobalt (CAS 7440-48-4)	TWA	0,02 mg/m3

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

Components	Type	Value
Cobalt (CAS 7440-48-4)	TWA	0,5 mg/m3

Lithuania. OELs. Limit Values for Chemical Substances, General Requirements

Components	Type	Value
Cobalt (CAS 7440-48-4)	TWA	0,05 mg/m3

Netherlands. OELs (binding)

Components	Type	Value	Form
Cobalt (CAS 7440-48-4)	TWA	0,02 mg/m3	Dust and fume.

Norway. Administrative Norms for Contaminants in the Workplace

Components	Type	Value	Form
Cobalt (CAS 7440-48-4)	TLV	0,02 mg/m ³	Fume.

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

Components	Type	Value
Cobalt (CAS 7440-48-4)	TWA	0,02 mg/m ³

Portugal. VLEs. Norm on occupational exposure to chemical agents (NP 1796)

Components	Type	Value
Cobalt (CAS 7440-48-4)	TWA	0,02 mg/m ³

Romania. OELs. Protection of workers from exposure to chemical agents at the workplace

Components	Type	Value
Cobalt (CAS 7440-48-4)	STEL	0,1 mg/m ³
	TWA	0,05 mg/m ³

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

Components	Type	Value
Cobalt (CAS 7440-48-4)	TWA	0,05 mg/m ³

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

Components	Type	Value	Form
Cobalt (CAS 7440-48-4)	TWA	0,1 mg/m ³	Inhalable fraction.

Spain. Occupational Exposure Limits

Components	Type	Value
Cobalt (CAS 7440-48-4)	TWA	0,02 mg/m ³

Sweden. OELs. Work Environment Authority (AV), Occupational Exposure Limit Values (AFS 2015:7)

Components	Type	Value	Form
Cobalt (CAS 7440-48-4)	TWA	0,02 mg/m ³	Inhalable dust.

Switzerland. SUVA Grenzwerte am Arbeitsplatz

Components	Type	Value	Form
Cobalt (CAS 7440-48-4)	TWA	0,05 mg/m ³	Dust/aerosol, inhalable.

UK. EH40 Workplace Exposure Limits (WELs)

Components	Type	Value
Cobalt (CAS 7440-48-4)	TWA	0,1 mg/m ³

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

Components	Value	Determinant	Specimen	Sampling time
Cobalt (CAS 7440-48-4)	130 nmol/l	Cobalt	Urine	*

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

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

Components	Value	Determinant	Specimen	Sampling time
Cobalt (CAS 7440-48-4)	15 µg/l	Cobalt	Urine	*
	1 µg/l	Cobalt	Blood	*

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

Hungary. Chemical Safety at Workplace Ordinance Joint Decree No. 25/2000 (Annex 2): Permissible limit values of biological exposure (effect) indices

Components	Value	Determinant	Specimen	Sampling time
Cobalt (CAS 7440-48-4)	0,03 mg/g	Cobalt	Creatinine in urine	*
	0,058 µmol/mmol	Cobalt	Creatinine in urine	*

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

Slovakia. BLVs (Biological Limit Value). Regulation no. 355/2006 concerning protection of workers exposed to chemical agents, Annex 2

Components	Value	Determinant	Specimen	Sampling time
Cobalt (CAS 7440-48-4)	20,03 µg/g	Cobalt	Creatinine in urine	*
	30 µg/l	Cobalt	Urine	*

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

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

Components	Value	Determinant	Specimen	Sampling time
Cobalt (CAS 7440-48-4)	15 µg/l	Cobalto	Urine	*
	1 µg/l	Cobalto	Blood	*

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

Switzerland. BAT-Werte (Biological Limit Values in the Workplace as per SUVA)

Components	Value	Determinant	Specimen	Sampling time
Cobalt (CAS 7440-48-4)	30 µg/l	Cobalt	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 Ventilation should be sufficient to effectively remove and prevent buildup of any dusts or fumes that may be generated during handling or thermal processing. If engineering measures are not sufficient to maintain concentrations of dust particulates below the OEL (occupational exposure limit), suitable respiratory protection must be worn.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

General information Use personal protective equipment as required.

Eye/face protection Use personal protective equipment as required. Use tight fitting goggles if dust is generated.

Skin protection

- Hand protection Wear protective gloves. Use personal protective equipment as required.

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

Respiratory protection Wear respirator with dust filter.

Thermal hazards Not available.

Hygiene measures Do not breathe dust. Avoid contact with eyes. Avoid contact with skin. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product. Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practices.

Environmental exposure controls Not available.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

Appearance Powder.

Physical state Solid.

Form Solid. Powder.

Colour Not available.

Odour Not available.

Odour threshold Not available.

pH Not available.

Melting point/freezing point 1495 °C (2723 °F) estimated

Initial boiling point and boiling range 2927 °C (5300,6 °F) estimated

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	0,00001 hPa estimated
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 available.
Oxidising properties	Not available.

9.2. Other information

Density	4,00 g/cm ³ estimated
Specific gravity	4 estimated

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity	Not available.
10.2. Chemical stability	Material is stable under normal conditions.
10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions	No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.
10.4. Conditions to avoid	Avoid spread of dust.
10.5. Incompatible materials	Strong oxidising agents. Acids. Chlorine.
10.6. Hazardous decomposition products	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

Inhalation	May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled. Inhalation of dusts may cause respiratory irritation.
Skin contact	May cause an allergic skin reaction.
Eye contact	Due to lack of data the classification is not possible.
Ingestion	Due to lack of data the classification is not possible.

Symptoms Not available.

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity	May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled. May cause allergic skin reaction.
Skin corrosion/irritation	Due to lack of data the classification is not possible.
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Dust in the eyes will cause irritation.
Respiratory sensitisation	May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.
Skin sensitisation	May cause an allergic skin reaction.
Germ cell mutagenicity	Due to lack of data the classification is not possible.
Carcinogenicity	Suspected of causing cancer.

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

Not listed.

IARC Monographs. Overall Evaluation of Carcinogenicity

Cobalt (CAS 7440-48-4)

2B Possibly carcinogenic to humans.

Reproductive toxicity	Due to lack of data the classification is not possible.
Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure	Due to lack of data the classification is not possible.
Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure	Due to lack of data the classification is not possible.
Aspiration hazard	Due to lack of data the classification is not possible.
Mixture versus substance information	Not available.
Other information	Not available.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity	No toxicity data noted for the ingredient(s).
12.2. Persistence and degradability	No data is available on the degradability of this product.
12.3. Bioaccumulative potential	Not available.
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (log Kow)	Not available.
Bioconcentration factor (BCF)	Not available.
12.4. Mobility in soil	Not available.
12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment	Not a PBT or vPvB substance or mixture.
12.6. Other adverse effects	Not available.
12.7. Additional information	

Estonia Dangerous substances in groundwater Data

Cobalt (CAS 7440-48-4)

Cobalt (Co) 300 UG/L

Cobalt (Co) 5 UG/L

Estonia Dangerous substances in soil Data

Cobalt (CAS 7440-48-4)

Cobalt (Co) 20 mg/kg

Cobalt (Co) 300 mg/kg

Cobalt (Co) 50 mg/kg

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Residual waste	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).
Contaminated packaging	Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal. Since emptied containers may retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is emptied.
EU waste code	The Waste code should be assigned in discussion between the user, the producer and the waste disposal company.
Disposal methods/information	Collect and reclaim or dispose in sealed containers at licensed waste disposal site. This material and its container must be disposed of as hazardous waste. Do not allow this material to drain into sewers/water supplies. Do not contaminate ponds, waterways or ditches with chemical or used container. Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

SECTION 14: Transport information

ADR

14.1. - 14.6.: Not regulated as dangerous goods.

RID

14.1. - 14.6.: Not regulated as dangerous goods.

ADN

14.1. - 14.6.: Not regulated as dangerous goods.

IATA

14.1. - 14.6.: Not regulated as dangerous goods.

IMDG

14.1. - 14.6.: Not regulated as dangerous goods.

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

Not listed.

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

Not listed.

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

Young people under 18 years old are not allowed to work with this product according to EU Directive 94/33/EC on the protection of young people at work.

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 available.

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