

3. Composition/information on ingredients

Mixture

Chemical properties	CAS Number	Concentration (%)
Nickel	7440-02-0	50 - 95
Vanadium	7440-62-2	5 - 50

4. First aid measures

First aid measures for different exposure routes

Inhalation	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 center or doctor/physician.
Skin contact	Wash off with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.
Eye contact	Rinse with water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.
Ingestion	Rinse mouth. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.
Most important symptoms and effects	May cause an allergic skin reaction.
Personal protection for first-aid responders	If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible).
Notes to physician	Treat symptomatically.

5. Fire-fighting measures

Extinguishing media	Powder. Dry sand. Water Spray or Fog.
Extinguishing media to avoid	Carbon dioxide (CO ₂).
Specific hazards during fire fighting	No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted.
Special fire fighting procedures	Move containers from fire area if you can do so without risk.
Protection of fire-fighters	Wear suitable protective equipment.
General fire hazards	No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted.
Specific methods	Use standard firefighting procedures and consider the hazards of other involved materials.

6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions	Keep unnecessary personnel away. Wear appropriate protective equipment and clothing during clean-up. For personal protection, see section 8 of the SDS.
Environmental precautions	Avoid discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground.
Spill cleanup methods	Stop the flow of material, if this is without risk. For waste disposal, see section 13 of the SDS.

7. Handling and storage

Handling	Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment. Wash hands thoroughly after handling.
Storage	Store locked up. Store away from incompatible materials (see Section 10 of the SDS).

8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Exposure limits

OELs. (Standards on Workplace Atmosphere of Dangerous and Hazardous Materials)

Components	Type	Value
Nickel (CAS 7440-02-0)	TWA	1 mg/m ³
Taiwan. OELs (Standards of Permissible Exposure Limits at Workplace, OSHA No. 10302007931), as amended		
Components	Type	Value
Nickel (CAS 7440-02-0)	STEL	2 mg/m ³

US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values

Components	Type	Value	Form
Nickel (CAS 7440-02-0)	TWA	1.5 mg/m ³	Inhalable fraction.
Biological limit values	No biological exposure limits noted for the ingredient(s).		
Appropriate engineering controls	Good general ventilation 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. General ventilation normally adequate.		
Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment			
Eye/face protection	If contact is likely, safety glasses with side shields are recommended.		
Skin protection			
Hand protection	Wear gloves to prevent metal cuts and skin abrasions during handling.		
Other	Use personal protective equipment as required.		
Respiratory protection	In case of inadequate ventilation, use respiratory protection.		
Thermal hazards	Wear appropriate thermal protective clothing, when necessary.		
General hygiene considerations	Observe any medical surveillance requirements. Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.		

9. Physical and chemical properties

Appearance

Physical state	Solid.
Form	Solid.
Color	Metallic.
Odor	None.
Odor threshold	Not applicable.
Melting point/freezing point	2651 °F (1455 °C) estimated / Not applicable.
pH	Not applicable.
Boiling point, initial boiling point, and boiling range	Not applicable.
Flammability (solid, gas)	None known.
Flash point	Not applicable.
Decomposition temperature	Not applicable.
Auto-ignition temperature	Not applicable.
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	
Explosive limit - lower (%)	Not applicable.
Explosive limit - lower (%) temperature	Not applicable.
Explosive limit - upper (%)	Not applicable.
Explosive limit - upper (%) temperature	Not applicable.
Vapor pressure	Not applicable.
Vapor density	Not applicable.
Density	7.94 g/cm ³ estimated
Solubility(ies)	
Solubility (water)	Insoluble.
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water)	Not applicable.
Evaporation rate	Not applicable.
Other data	
Explosive properties	Not explosive.
Oxidizing properties	Not oxidizing.

Viscosity Not applicable.

10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity The product is stable and non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.

Stability Material is stable under normal conditions.

Possibility of hazardous reactions No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.

Conditions to avoid Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. Contact with incompatible materials.

Incompatible materials Strong acids.

Hazardous decomposition products No hazardous decomposition products are known.

11. Toxicological information

Information on likely routes of exposure

Inhalation Prolonged inhalation may be harmful.

Skin contact May cause an allergic skin reaction.

Eye contact Not likely, due to the form of the product.

Ingestion Expected to be a low ingestion hazard.

Symptoms May cause an allergic skin reaction.

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity None known.

Skin corrosion/irritation May cause skin irritation.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation Not likely, due to the form of the product.

Respiratory or skin sensitization

Respiratory sensitization Not a respiratory sensitizer.

Skin sensitization May cause an allergic skin reaction.

Germ cell mutagenicity Not classified.

Carcinogenicity Suspected of causing cancer.

ACGIH Carcinogens

Nickel (CAS 7440-02-0) A5 Not suspected as a human carcinogen.

IARC Monographs. Overall Evaluation of Carcinogenicity

Nickel (CAS 7440-02-0) 2B Possibly carcinogenic to humans.

Reproductive toxicity Not classified.

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure Not classified.

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

Aspiration hazard Not an aspiration hazard.

Chronic effects Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

12. Ecological information

Ecotoxicity The product is not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does not exclude the possibility that large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging effect on the environment.

Persistence and degradability No data is available on the degradability of any ingredients in the mixture.

Bioaccumulation No data available.

Mobility in soil No data available for this product.

Other hazardous effects No other adverse environmental effects (e.g. ozone depletion, photochemical ozone creation potential, endocrine disruption, global warming potential) are expected from this component.

13. Disposal considerations

Disposal instructions	Collect and reclaim or dispose in sealed containers at licensed waste disposal site. Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.
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	Since emptied containers may retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is emptied. Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal.
Local disposal regulations	Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.

14. Transport information

IATA	Not regulated as dangerous goods.
IMDG	Not regulated as dangerous goods.
Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code	Not applicable.

15. Regulatory information

Applicable regulations	Methods and Facilities Standards for the Storage, Clearance and Disposal of Industrial Waste Regulations for the Labeling and Hazard Communication of Hazardous Chemicals Toxic Chemical Substances Control Act Toxic Chemical Substances Labeling and Materials Safety Data Sheets Regulations This material safety data sheet was prepared in accordance with the Regulation of Labeling and Hazard Communication of Hazardous Chemicals.
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Methods and Facilities Standards for the Storage, Clearance and Disposal of Industrial Waste

Nickel (CAS 7440-02-0) Listed.

Priority Management Chemical List (Regulations on Handling Priority Managed Chemicals), as amended

Nickel (CAS 7440-02-0)

Toxic Chemical Substances (TCS) List (EPA Toxic Substances Notice No. 0960095331E, Tables 1-3, Dec. 17, 2007, as amended)

Not listed.

Standards on Workplace Atmosphere of Dangerous and Hazardous Materials

Nickel (CAS 7440-02-0) Listed.

Specified Hazardous Chemicals (Guidelines for Prevention of Danger Posed by Special Hazardous Chemicals (CLA No. 659306)

Nickel (CAS 7440-02-0) Class 3 Category C

GHS Classification List: GHS implementation phase 1, 2 and 3 (CLA No. 0980145063, 0990146707, and 1020146801)

Nickel (CAS 7440-02-0)

International regulations

Stockholm Convention

Not applicable.

Rotterdam Convention

Not applicable.

Montreal Protocol

Not applicable.

Kyoto protocol

Not applicable.

Basel Convention

Not applicable.

International Inventories

Country(s) or region	Inventory name	On inventory (yes/no)*
Australia	Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS)	Yes

Country(s) or region	Inventory name	On inventory (yes/no)*
Canada	Domestic Substances List (DSL)	Yes
Canada	Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)	No
China	Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China (IECSC)	Yes
Europe	European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS)	Yes
Europe	European List of Notified Chemical Substances (ELINCS)	No
Japan	Inventory of Existing and New Chemical Substances (ENCS)	No
Korea	Existing Chemicals List (ECL)	Yes
New Zealand	New Zealand Inventory	Yes
Philippines	Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances (PICCS)	Yes
Taiwan	Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory (TCSI)	Yes
United States & Puerto Rico	Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory	Yes

*A "Yes" indicates that all components of this product comply with the inventory requirements administered by the governing country(s)

A "No" indicates that one or more components of the product are not listed or exempt from listing on the inventory administered by the governing country(s).

16. Other information

References

ACGIH
EPA: ACQUIRE database
NLM: Hazardous Substances Data Base
US. IARC Monographs on Occupational Exposures to Chemical Agents
Taiwan. Dangerous Materials (Rules on Hazard Communication of Dangerous Materials and Toxic Materials)
Taiwan. Industrial Precursor Chemicals (Categories and Regulations Governing Inspection and Declaration of Industrial Precursor Chemicals, MOEA Decree No. 87, as amended)
Taiwan. OELs. (Standards on Workplace Atmosphere of Dangerous and Hazardous Materials)
Taiwan. Toxic Chemical Substances (TCS) (List of Toxic Chemical Substances announced by the Environmental Protection Administration)
Taiwan. Toxic Materials (Rules on Hazard Communication of Dangerous Materials and Toxic Materials)

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