



MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. Chemical product and company identification

A. Product name Niobium Targets

Other means of identification

SDS number G23

B. Recommended use and Limitations on use

Recommended use Industrial uses: Uses of substances as such or in preparations at industrial sites

Limitations on use Consumer uses: Private households (= general public = consumers)

C. Supplier information

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MSDS number G23

2. Hazards identification

A. Hazard category/Classification

Physical hazards Not classified.

Health hazards Not classified.

Environmental hazards Not classified.

B. Warning label items including precautionary statement

• **Pictogram** None.

• **Signal word** None.

• **Hazard statement** The material as sold in solid form is generally not considered hazardous. However, if the process involves grinding, melting, cutting or any other process that causes a release of dust or fumes, hazardous levels of airborne particulate could be generated.

• Precautionary statement

Prevention Observe good industrial hygiene practices.

Response Wash hands after handling.

Storage Store away from incompatible materials.

Disposal
P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

C. Other hazards not included in the hazard category criteria (e.g. dust explosion hazard) None known.

Supplemental information For further information, please contact the Product Stewardship Department at +1.216.383.4019.

3. Composition/information on ingredients

Chemical identity	Common and alternative names	CAS number	ID number	Content in percent (%)
Niobium		7440-03-1	2013-3-5602	100

4. First aid measures

A. In case of eye contact Rinse with water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

B. In case of skin contact Wash off with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

C. In case of inhalation	Call a physician if symptoms develop or persist.
D. In case of swallowing	Rinse mouth. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.
E. Note to physician	Treat symptomatically.
Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed	None known.
General advice	If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible). Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to protect themselves.

5. Fire-fighting measures

A. Suitable (and unsuitable) extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media Powder. Dry sand.

Unsuitable extinguishing media None known.

B. Specific hazards arising from the chemical (example: hazardous combustion products) This product is not flammable.

C. Specific methods of fire-fighting

Special protective equipment for firefighters Wear suitable protective equipment.

Special fire fighting procedures 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

A. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency measures Keep unnecessary personnel away. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment.

B. Environmental precautions Collect spillage.

C. Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up Collect spillage.

7. Handling and storage

A. Precautions for safe handling Wash thoroughly after handling. Observe good industrial hygiene practices.

B. Conditions for safe storage (including any incompatibilities) Store away from incompatible materials (see Section 10 of the MSDS).

8. Exposure controls/personal protection

A. Exposure limit values, biological limit values, etc

No exposure limits noted for ingredient(s).

Biological limit values No biological exposure limits noted for the ingredient(s).

Exposure guidelines This material does not have established exposure limits.

B. 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.

C. Personal protective equipment

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

• **Eye protection** If contact is likely, safety glasses with side shields are recommended.

• **Hand protection** Wear gloves to prevent metal cuts and skin abrasions during handling.

• **Body protection** Use personal protective equipment as required.

Hygiene measures Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing after handling the material and before eating, drinking, and/or smoking.

9. Physical and chemical properties

A. Appearance

Physical state	Solid.
Form	Solid.
Color	Grey.

B. Odor None.

C. Odor threshold Not applicable.

D. pH Not applicable.

E. Melting point/freezing point

Melting point	4474.4 °F (2468 °C)
Freezing point	Not applicable.

F. Boiling point, initial boiling point, and boiling range Not applicable.

G. Flash point Not applicable.

H. Evaporation rate Not applicable.

I. Flammability (solid, gas) None known.

J. Upper/lower limit on flammability or explosive limits

Flammability limit - lower (%) Not applicable.

Flammability limit - lower (%) temperature Not applicable.

Flammability limit - upper (%) Not applicable.

Flammability limit - upper (%) temperature Not applicable.

Explosive limit - lower (%) Not applicable.

Explosive limit - lower (%) temperature Not applicable.

Explosive limit - upper (%) Not applicable.

Explosive limit - upper (%) temperature Not applicable.

K. Vapor pressure Not applicable.

L. Solubility

Solubility (water) Insoluble.

M. Vapor density Not applicable.

N. Specific gravity Not applicable.

O. n-octanol/water partition coefficient Not applicable.

P. Auto-ignition temperature Not applicable.

Q. Decomposition temperature Not applicable.

R. Viscosity Not applicable.

S. Molecular weight 92.91 g/mol

Other data

Density 8.57 g/cm³ at 25°C

Explosive properties Not explosive.

Molecular formula Nb

Oxidizing properties Not oxidizing.

10. Stability and reactivity

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

A. Stability and hazardous reaction potential

Stability Material is stable under normal conditions.

Hazardous reaction potential	No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.
B. Conditions to avoid (e.g. static discharge, shock or vibration, etc)	Contact with incompatible materials.
C. Incompatible materials	Strong bases. Strong oxidizing agents. Halogens.
D. Hazardous decomposition products	No hazardous decomposition products are known.

11. Toxicological information

A. Information on likely routes of exposure

- **Respiratory organs** Not likely, due to the form of the product.
- **Skin** Not likely, due to the form of the product.
- **Eyes** Not likely, due to the form of the product.
- **Mouth** Expected to be a low ingestion hazard.

B. Information on health hazards

- **Acute toxicity (list all possible routes of exposure)** None known.
- **Corrosivity or irritation to the skin** Not classified.
- **Serious eye damage/eye irritation** Not likely, due to the form of the product.
- **Respiratory sensitization** Not a respiratory sensitizer.
- **Skin sensitization** Not a skin sensitizer.
- **Carcinogenic properties /Carcinogenicity** Not classified.
- **Mutagenic properties /Mutagenicity** Not classified.
- **Reproductive toxicity** Not classified.
- **Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure** Not classified.
- **Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure** Not classified.
- **Aspiration hazard** Not an aspiration hazard.

12. Ecological information

A. Ecotoxicity

Hazardous to the aquatic environment, acute hazard 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.

B. Persistence/degradability No data is available on the degradability of this product.

C. Bioaccumulative potential No data available.

D. Mobility in soil Not applicable.

E. Other adverse 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

A. Method of disposal

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 related regulations).

B. Disposal considerations (including disposal of contaminated containers or 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.

Waste code

The waste code should be assigned in discussion between the user, the producer and the waste disposal company.

14. Transport information**IATA**

- A. UN number** Not applicable.
- B. UN proper shipping name** Not applicable.
- C. Transport hazard class(es)**
 - Class** Not applicable.
 - Subsidiary risk** -
- D. Packing group** Not applicable.
- E. Environmental hazards** No.
- F. Special precautions for user** Not applicable.

IMDG

- A. UN number** Not applicable.
- B. UN proper shipping name** Not applicable.
- C. Transport hazard class(es)**
 - Class** Not applicable.
 - Subsidiary risk** -
- D. Packing group** Not applicable.
- E. Environmental hazards**
 - Marine pollutant** No.
- EmS** Not applicable.
- F. Special precautions for user** Not applicable.

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code Not applicable.

15. Regulatory information**A. Restrictions under the Industrial Safety and Health Law****Harmful Substances Prohibited from Manufacturing**

Not regulated.

Harmful Substances Requiring Permission for Manufacture or Use

Not regulated.

Controlled Hazardous Substances

Not regulated.

Harmful Substances Requiring Special Medical Examination

Not regulated.

Workplace Environmental Monitoring Harmful Materials

Not regulated.

Occupational Exposure Limit

Not regulated.

B. Restrictions under the Chemicals Control Law (Previously Toxic Chemicals Control Law)**Accidental Release Prevention Substances**

Not regulated.

Act on the Registration and Evaluation of Chemicals**Banned Toxic Chemicals**

Not regulated.

Designated Existing Chemicals Subject to Registration (PEC) (MoE No. 2015-92)

Not listed.

Restricted Chemical Substances

Not regulated.

Toxic Chemicals

Not regulated.

C. Restrictions under the Dangerous Substance Safety Management Act

D. Restrictions under the Wastes Control Act

Halogenated Materials in Waste Organic Solvents

Not regulated.

Hazardous Substances

Not regulated.

E. Restrictions under other foreign or domestic laws

Clean Air Conservation Act

Air Pollutants

Not regulated.

Prior Informed Consent Procedure for Certain Hazardous Chemicals and Pesticides (Rules on PIC, MoE No. 2014-252, Dec. 31, 2014; Standards for Pesticides, RDA No. 2014-26), as amended

Not listed.

Specific Air Pollutants

Not regulated.

Inventory status

Country(s) or region	Inventory name	On inventory (yes/no)*
Korea	Existing Chemicals List (ECL)	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

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