



MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

MATERION

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

Company name Materion Advanced Materials

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Importer

Company name See above.

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	Not available.
• 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.
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

A. Source of information	Not available.
B. Issue date	10-17-2019
C. Number of revisions and date of most recent revision	07-27-2021 (02 revision)
Further information	Transportation Emergency Call Chemtrec at: International: 703.741.5970 Spain: 900.868.538 Switzerland: 0800.564.402

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Other information Revised information in Section 16.