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# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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# Germanium(II) iodide

# SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

产品说明: 二碘化锗(II), 99.999% (metals basis)

Product Description: Germanium(II) iodide

 Cat No. :
 14013

 CAS No
 13573-08-5

 Molecular Formula
 Ge I2

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Recommended Use Laboratory chemicals.
Uses advised against No Information available

# **SECTION 2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION**

Physical State Appearance Odor

Solid Yellow No information available

**Emergency Overview** 

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage. Moisture sensitive. Lachrymator (substance which increases the flow of tears).

#### Classification of the substance or mixture

Skin Corrosion/Irritation	Category 1 B
Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation	Category 1

#### **Label Elements**



Signal Word Danger

**Hazard Statements** 

H314 - Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

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#### **Precautionary Statements**

#### Prevention

P264 - Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling

P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

#### Response

P301 + P330 + P331 - IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting

P303 + P361 + P353 - IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water or shower

P304 + P340 - IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing

P305 + P351 + P338 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing

P310 - Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor

P362 + P364 - Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse

#### Storage

P403 - Store in a well-ventilated place

#### Disposal

P501 - Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant

#### **Physical and Chemical Hazards**

None identified.

# Health Hazards

Corrosive. Causes skin and eye burns. Lachrymator (substance which increases the flow of tears).

#### Environmental hazards

Contains no substances known to be hazardous to the environment or not degradable in waste water treatment plants. Will likely be mobile in the environment due to its water solubility. The product is water soluble, and may spread in water systems.

#### Other Hazards

Lachrymator (substance which increases the flow of tears)

This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors.

# **SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Component	CAS No	Weight %		
Germanium iodide (Gel2)	13573-08-5	> 99.99		

# **SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES**

#### **Eve Contact**

Immediate medical attention is required. Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes.

#### **Skin Contact**

Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated clothes and shoes. Immediate medical attention is required.

#### Inhalation

Remove from exposure, lie down. Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Get medical attention.

#### Ingestion

Do NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Drink plenty of water. Call a physician immediately. If possible drink milk afterwards.

# Most important symptoms and effects

Causes burns by all exposure routes. Product is a corrosive material. Use of gastric lavage or emesis is contraindicated. Possible perforation of stomach or esophagus should be investigated: Ingestion causes severe swelling, severe damage to the delicate tissue and danger of perforation

# Self-Protection of the First Aider

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

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**Notes to Physician** 

Treat symptomatically.

## **SECTION 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

## **Suitable Extinguishing Media**

Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). Dry chemical. Chemical foam.

# Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons

Water.

# **Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical**

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors.

# **Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters**

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

# **SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

#### **Personal Precautions**

Ensure adequate ventilation.

#### **Environmental Precautions**

See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information.

## Methods for Containment and Clean Up

Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal.

Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 8 and 13.

# **SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

# Handling

Do not breathe dust. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Handle product only in closed system or provide appropriate exhaust ventilation.

#### Storage

Keep in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. Corrosives area. Keep under nitrogen. Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.

# Specific Use(s)

Use in laboratories

# **SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

#### **Control Parameters**

# **Monitoring methods**

BS EN 14042:2003 Title Identifier: Workplace atmospheres. Guide for the application and use of procedures for the assessment of exposure to chemical and biological agents. MDHS14/3 General methods for sampling and gravimetric analysis of respirable and inhalable dust

# **Exposure Controls**

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# **Engineering Measures**

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location. Wherever possible, engineering control measures such as the isolation or enclosure of the process, the introduction of process or equipment changes to minimise release or contact, and the use of properly designed ventilation systems, should be adopted to control hazardous materials at source.

# Personal protective equipment

**Eye Protection** Goggles (European standard - EN 166)

Hand Protection Protective gloves

<b>Glove material</b> Natural rubber Nitrile rubber	Breakthrough time See manufacturers recommendations	Glove thickness	<b>EU standard</b> EN 374	Glove comments (minimum requirement)
Neoprene				
PVC				

Inspect gloves before use.

Please observe the instructions regarding permeability and breakthrough time which are provided by the supplier of the gloves. (Refer to manufacturer/supplier for information)

Ensure gloves are suitable for the task: Chemical compatability, Dexterity, Operational conditions, User susceptibility, e.g. sensitisation effects, also take into consideration the specific local conditions under which the product is used, such as the danger of cuts, abrasion.

Remove gloves with care avoiding skin contamination.

Skin and body protection Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure

**Respiratory Protection** When workers are facing concentrations above the exposure limit they must use

appropriate certified respirators.

To protect the wearer, respiratory protective equipment must be the correct fit and be used

Method - No information available

Solid

and maintained properly

Large scale/emergency use Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 136 approved respirator if exposure limits

are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced **Recommended Filter type:** Particulates filter conforming to EN 143

Small scale/Laboratory use Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149:2001 approved respirator if exposure

limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced.

**Recommended half mask:-** Particle filtering: EN149:2001 When RPE is used a face piece Fit Test should be conducted

Hygiene Measures Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

Environmental exposure controls No information available.

# **SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

Appearance Yellow Physical State Solid

Odor No information available

Odor Threshold No data available

pH No information available

Melting Point/Range No data available Softening Point No data available

Boiling Point/Range No information available Flash Point No information available

**Evaporation Rate** Not applicable

Flammability (solid,gas) No information available

Explosion Limits No data available

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Vapor Pressure No data available

Vapor Density Not applicable Solid

Specific Gravity / Density 5.370

Bulk Density No data available 
Water Solubility may decompose

Solubility in other solvents No information available

Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water)

Autoignition Temperature

Decomposition Temperature

Viscosity

No data available
No data available
Not applicable

Explosive Properties No information available Oxidizing Properties No information available

Molecular FormulaGe I2Molecular Weight326.4

# **SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Solid

**Stability** Moisture sensitive.

**Hazardous Reactions** No information available.

**Hazardous Polymerization** Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

Conditions to Avoid Incompatible products.

Materials to avoid Strong oxidizing agents. Halogens. Finely powdered metals.

Hazardous Decomposition Products None under normal use conditions.

## **SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**Product Information**No acute toxicity information is available for this product

(a) acute toxicity;

(b) skin corrosion/irritation; Category 1 B

(c) serious eye damage/irritation; Category 1

(d) respiratory or skin sensitization;

Respiratory No data available Skin No data available

(e) germ cell mutagenicity; No data available

(f) carcinogenicity; No data available

There are no known carcinogenic chemicals in this product

(g) reproductive toxicity; No data available

(h) STOT-single exposure; No data available

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(i) STOT-repeated exposure; No data available

No information available. **Target Organs** 

(j) aspiration hazard; Not applicable

Solid

delayed

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# **SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**Ecotoxicity effects** Contains no substances known to be hazardous to the environment or that are not

degradable in waste water treatment plants.

Persistence and Degradability

**Persistence** Degradability Soluble in water, Persistence is unlikely, based on information available.

Not relevant for inorganic substances.

**Bioaccumulative Potential** Bioaccumulation is unlikely

The product is water soluble, and may spread in water systems. Will likely be mobile in the Mobility in soil

environment due to its water solubility Highly mobile in soils

**Endocrine Disruptor Information** 

**Persistent Organic Pollutant Ozone Depletion Potential** 

This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors

This product does not contain any known or suspected substance This product does not contain any known or suspected substance

# **SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

Waste from Residues/Unused

**Products** 

Waste is classified as hazardous. Dispose of in accordance with the European Directives

on waste and hazardous waste. Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

**Contaminated Packaging** Dispose of this container to hazardous or special waste collection point.

Other Information Waste codes should be assigned by the user based on the application for which the product

was used. Do not empty into drains. Do not flush to sewer. Large amounts will affect pH

and harm aquatic organisms.

# **SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

**Road and Rail Transport** 

**UN-No** 

Corrosive solid, acidic, inorganic, n.o.s. **Proper Shipping Name** 

**Technical Shipping Name** Germanium iodide (Gel2)

**Hazard Class** Ш **Packing Group** 

IMDG/IMO

UN3260 **UN-No** 

Corrosive solid, acidic, inorganic, n.o.s. Proper Shipping Name

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Technical Shipping Name Germanium iodide (Gel2)

Hazard Class 8
Packing Group III

<u>IATA</u>

UN-No UN3260

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Special Precautions for User No special precautions required

# **SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

#### International Inventories

X = listed, China (IECSC), Europe (EINECS/ELINCS/NLP), U.S.A. (TSCA), Canada (DSL/NDSL), Philippines (PICCS), Japan (ENCS), Japan (ISHL), Australia (AICS), Korea (KECL).

Component	The Inventory of Hazardous Chemicals (2015 Edition)		TCSI	IECSC	EINECS	TSCA	DSL	PICCS	ENCS	ISHL	AICS	KECL
Germanium iodide (Gel2)	-	-	Х	-	236-998-1	Х	-	-	-		-	KE-17599

## **National Regulations**

# **SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION**

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**Revision Summary** New emergency telephone response service provider.

# **Training Advice**

Chemical hazard awareness training, incorporating labelling, Safety Data Sheets (SDS), Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) and hygiene.

Use of personal protective equipment, covering appropriate selection, compatibility, breakthrough thresholds, care, maintenance, fit and standards.

First aid for chemical exposure, including the use of eye wash and safety showers.

#### Legend

CAS - Chemical Abstracts Service

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b)

Inventory

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic

Substances/EU List of Notified Chemical Substances

Substances List

ENCS - Japanese Existing and New Chemical Substances

**PICCS** - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances **IECSC** - Chinese Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances
NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

**IECSC** - Chinese Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances **KECL** - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

TWA - Time Weighted Average

ACGIH - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer

**DNEL** - Derived No Effect Level

WEL - Workplace Exposure Limit

PNEC - Predicted No Effect Concentration

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RPE - Respiratory Protective Equipment

LC50 - Lethal Concentration 50% NOEC - No Observed Effect Concentration PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative, Toxic

EC50 - Effective Concentration 50% POW - Partition coefficient Octanol:Water vPvB - very Persistent, very Bioaccumulative

ICAO/IATA - International Civil Aviation Organization/International Air **Transport Association** 

ADR - European Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road

**OECD** - Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

**BCF** - Bioconcentration factor

IMO/IMDG - International Maritime Organization/International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code

MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from

ATE - Acute Toxicity Estimate VOC - (Volatile Organic Compound)

LD50 - Lethal Dose 50%

# Key literature references and sources for data

https://echa.europa.eu/information-on-chemicals Suppliers safety data sheet, Chemadvisor - LOLI, Merck index, RTECS

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