

ALFAA39471

## Niobium silicide

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

产品说明: Product Description:	硅化铌 Niobium silicide
Cat No. :	39471
CAS No	12060-34-3
Molecular Formula	Nb <sub>5</sub> Si <sub>3</sub>
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E-mail address	begel.sdsdesk@thermofisher.com
Recommended Use	Laboratory chemicals.
Uses advised against	No Information available

### SECTION 2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

Physical State Solid	Appearance No information available	Odor No information available
Emergency Overview May cause respiratory irritation.		

#### Classification of the substance or mixture

Specific target organ toxicity - (single exposure)	Category 3
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#### Label Elements

None required



Signal Word

Warning

#### Hazard Statements

H335 - May cause respiratory irritation

**Precautionary Statements****Prevention**

P261 - Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray

P271 - Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area

**Response**

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

P312 - Call a POISON CENTER or doctor if you feel unwell

**Storage**

P403 + P233 - Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed

**Disposal**

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

**Physical and Chemical Hazards**

None identified.

**Health Hazards**

May cause respiratory irritation.

**Environmental hazards**

Contains no substances known to be hazardous to the environment or not degradable in waste water treatment plants.

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

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

Component	CAS No	Weight %
Niobium silicide	12060-34-3	<=100

**SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES****General Advice**

If symptoms persist, call a physician.

**Eye Contact**

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

**Skin Contact**

Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. If skin irritation persists, call a physician.

**Inhalation**

Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

**Ingestion**

Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

**Most important symptoms and effects**

None reasonably foreseeable.

**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.

**Notes to Physician**

Treat symptomatically.

**SECTION 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES****Suitable Extinguishing Media**

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

**Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons**

No information available.

**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. Use personal protective equipment as required. Avoid dust formation.

**Environmental Precautions**

Should not be released into the environment. See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information.

**Methods for Containment and Clean Up**

Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 8 and 13.

**SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE****Handling**

Wear personal protective equipment/face protection. Ensure adequate ventilation. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Avoid ingestion and inhalation. Avoid dust formation.

**Storage**

Keep container tightly closed in a dry 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****Engineering Measures**

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. 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**

Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles) (European standard - EN 166)

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## Hand Protection

Protective gloves

Glove material	Breakthrough time	Glove thickness	EU standard	Glove comments
Natural rubber	See manufacturers	-	EN 374	(minimum requirement)
Nitrile rubber	recommendations			
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 compatibility, 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

Long sleeved clothing

## 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 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

## 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

**Method -** No information available  
Solid

## Flammability (solid,gas)

No information available

## Explosion Limits

No data available

## Vapor Pressure

No data available

## Vapor Density

Not applicable

Solid

## Specific Gravity / Density

No data available

## Bulk Density

No data available

## Water Solubility

No information available

## Solubility in other solvents

No information available

## Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water)

## Autoignition Temperature

No data available

## Decomposition Temperature

No data available

## Viscosity

Not applicable

Solid

<b>Explosive Properties</b>	No information available
<b>Oxidizing Properties</b>	No information available

<b>Molecular Formula</b>	Nb5 Si3
<b>Molecular Weight</b>	548.79

**SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

<b>Stability</b>	Stable under normal conditions.
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<b>Hazardous Reactions</b>	None under normal processing.
<b>Hazardous Polymerization</b>	No information available.

<b>Conditions to Avoid</b>	None known.
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<b>Materials to avoid</b>	No information available.
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**Hazardous Decomposition Products** None under normal use conditions.

**SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION****Product Information**

**(a) acute toxicity;**

<b>(b) skin corrosion/irritation;</b>	No data available
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<b>(c) serious eye damage/irritation;</b>	No data available
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**(d) respiratory or skin sensitization;**

<b>Respiratory</b>	No data available
<b>Skin</b>	No data available

<b>(e) germ cell mutagenicity;</b>	No data available
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<b>(f) carcinogenicity;</b>	No data available
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There are no known carcinogenic chemicals in this product

<b>(g) reproductive toxicity;</b>	No data available
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<b>(h) STOT-single exposure;</b>	Category 3
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<b>Results / Target organs</b>	Respiratory system
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<b>(i) STOT-repeated exposure;</b>	No data available
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<b>Target Organs</b>	No information available.
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<b>(j) aspiration hazard;</b>	Not applicable
	Solid

**Symptoms / effects, both acute and** No information available

delayed

**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** No information available  
**Degradability** Not relevant for inorganic substances.

**Bioaccumulative Potential** No information available

**Mobility in soil** No information available

**Endocrine Disruptor Information** This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors  
**Persistent Organic Pollutant** This product does not contain any known or suspected substance  
**Ozone Depletion Potential** 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.

**SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

**Road and Rail Transport** Not Regulated

**IMDG/IMO** Not regulated

**IATA** Not regulated

**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).

**National Regulations**

## SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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**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

**EINECS/ELINCS** - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances/EU List of Notified Chemical Substances

**PICCS** - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

**IECSC** - Chinese Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

**KECL** - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

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

**DSL/NDSL** - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

**ENCS** - Japanese Existing and New Chemical Substances

**AICS** - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

**NZIoC** - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

**WEL** - Workplace Exposure Limit

**ACGIH** - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

**DNEL** - Derived No Effect Level

**RPE** - Respiratory Protective Equipment

**LC50** - Lethal Concentration 50%

**NOEC** - No Observed Effect Concentration

**PBT** - Persistent, Bioaccumulative, Toxic

**TWA** - Time Weighted Average

**IARC** - International Agency for Research on Cancer

**PNEC** - Predicted No Effect Concentration

**LD50** - Lethal Dose 50%

**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 Ships

**ATE** - Acute Toxicity Estimate

**VOC** - (Volatile Organic Compound)

**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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