

according to Regulation UK SI 2019/758 and UK SI 2020/1577 as amended

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

### 1.1. Product identifier

Product Description:	Tungsten foil
Cat No. :	10417
CAS No	7440-33-7

1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Recommended Use	Laboratory chemicals.
Uses advised against	No Information available

### 1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company

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### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

For information **US** call: 001-800-227-6701 / **Europe** call: +32 14 57 52 11 Emergency Number **US**:001-201-796-7100 / **Europe**: +32 14 57 52 99 **CHEMTREC** Tel. No. **US**:001-800-424-9300 / **Europe**:001-703-527-3887

### **SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

### CLP Classification - According to GB-CLP Regulations UK SI 2019/720 and UK SI 2020/1567

### Physical hazards

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

### Health hazards

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

### Environmental hazards

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

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Full text of Hazard Statements: see section 16

### 2.2. Label elements None required

### 2.3. Other hazards

In accordance with Annex XIII of the REACH Regulation, inorganic substances do not require assessment

This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors

# SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

### 3.1. Substances

Component	CAS No	EC No	Weight %	CLP Classification - According to GB-CLP Regulations UK SI 2019/720 and UK SI 2020/1567
Tungsten	7440-33-7	EEC No. 231-143-9	<=100	-

### Full text of Hazard Statements: see section 16

# **SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES**

### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

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. Get medical attention immediately if symptoms occur.		
Ingestion	Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.		
Inhalation	Remove to fresh air. Get medical attention immediately if symptoms occur.		
Self-Protection of the First Aider	No special precautions required.		
4.2. Most important symptoms and	effects, both acute and delayed		
	None reasonably foreseeable.		
4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed			
Notes to Physician	Treat symptomatically.		

# SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

### 5.1. Extinguishing media

### Suitable Extinguishing Media

approved class D extinguishers.

#### **Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons** Water may be ineffective.

### 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

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

### **Hazardous Combustion Products**

Tungsten oxides.

### 5.3. Advice 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**

### 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment as required. Avoid dust formation. No special precautions required.

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Should not be released into the environment. See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information. Do not allow material to contaminate ground water system. Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system.

### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. Avoid dust formation. Pick up and transfer to properly labelled containers.

### 6.4. Reference to other sections

Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 8 and 13.

## **SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE**

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Wear personal protective equipment/face protection. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Avoid ingestion and inhalation. Avoid dust formation.

### **Hygiene Measures**

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Remove and wash contaminated clothing and gloves, including the inside, before re-use. Wash hands before breaks and after work.

### 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep in a dry place. Keep away from acids.

Technical Rules for Hazardous Substances (TRGS) 510Class 13Storage Class (LGK) (Germany)Class 13

### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

Use in laboratories

### SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### 8.1. Control parameters

### Exposure limits

List source(s): **UK** - EH40/2005 Work Exposure Limits, Fourth edition. Published 2020. **IRE -** 2021 Code of Practice for the Chemical Agents Regulations, Schedule 1. Published by the Health and Safety Authority

Component	The United Kingdom	European Union	Ireland
Tungsten	STEL: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15 min		TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 hr. metal W
	TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 hr		STEL: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15 min

### **Biological limit values**

This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with biological limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies

### Derived No Effect Level (DNEL) / Derived Minimum Effect Level (DMEL)

See table for values

Component	Acute effects local (Dermal)	Acute effects systemic (Dermal)	Chronic effects local (Dermal)	Chronic effects systemic (Dermal)
Tungsten 7440-33-7(<=100)				DNEL = 1.7mg/kg bw/day

Component	Acute effects local (Inhalation)	Acute effects systemic (Inhalation)	Chronic effects local (Inhalation)	Chronic effects systemic (Inhalation)
Tungsten 7440-33-7(<=100)				DNEL = 5.8mg/m <sup>3</sup>

### **Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)**

See values below.

Γ	Component	Fresh water	Fresh water	Water Intermittent	Microorganisms in	Soil (Agriculture)
			sediment		sewage treatment	
Γ	Tungsten	PNEC = 0.338mg/L	PNEC = 960mg/kg	PNEC = 0.31mg/L	PNEC = 5.86mg/L	PNEC = 2.17mg/kg
	7440-33-7 ( <=100 )	-	sediment dw	-		soil dw

Component	Marine water	Marine water sediment	Marine water intermittent	Food chain	Air
Tungsten	PNEC =	PNEC = 96mg/kg		PNEC = 0.011g/kg	
7440-33-7 ( <=100 )	0.0338mg/L	sediment dw		food	

### 8.2. Exposure controls

### Engineering Measures

None under normal use conditions.

### Personal protective equipment Eye Protection

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Hand Protection	No special protective equipment required			
Glove material	Breakthrough time	e Glove thickness	EU standard	Glove comments
Disposable gloves	See manufacturers	; -	EN 374	(minimum requirement)
	recommendations			
Skin and body prot	ection Long s	leeved clothing.		
Respiratory Protect	piratory ProtectionNo protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions.cale/emergency useUse a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 136 approved respirator if e are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced			approved respirator if exposure limits
Small scale/Laboratory		Recommended Filter type: Particle filter Maintain adequate ventilation		
Environmental exposu	re controls No info	No information available.		

# SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical State	Solid disc Target Wire	
Appearance Odor Odor Threshold Melting Point/Range Softening Point Boiling Point/Range Flammability (liquid) Flammability (solid,gas) Explosion Limits	Grey Odorless No data available 3410 °C / 6170 °F No data available 5900 °C / 10652 °F Not applicable No information available No data available	Solid
Flash Point Autoignition Temperature Decomposition Temperature pH	No information available No data available No data available No information available	Method - No information available
Viscosity Water Solubility Solubility in other solvents	Not applicable Insoluble in water No information available	Solid
Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/wat		
Vapor Pressure Density / Specific Gravity Bulk Density	No data available 19.3 g/cm3 4000 kg/m <sup>3</sup>	@ 20 °C
Vapor Density Particle characteristics	Not applicable No data available	Solid
9.2. Other information		
Evaporation Rate	Not applicable - Solid	

# SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

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### 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous Polymerization Hazardous Reactions	No information available. None under normal processing.
10.4. Conditions to avoid	Incompatible products. Excess heat.
10.5. Incompatible materials	None known.

### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Tungsten oxides.

## **SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

### 11.1. Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

### **Product Information**

(a) acute toxicity;	
Oral	No data available
Dermal	No data available
Inhalation	No data available

Component	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Tungsten	-	LD50 > 2000 mg/kg (Rat)	-

(b) skin corrosion/irritation;	No data available
(c) serious eye damage/irritation;	No data available
(d) respiratory or skin sensitization Respiratory Skin	; No data available 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
(i) STOT-repeated exposure;	No data available
Target Organs	No information available.

Symptoms / effects,both acute and No information available. delayed

11.2. Information on ot	her hazards
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Endocrine Disrupting Properties	Assess endocrine disrupting properties for human health. This product does not contain any
	known or suspected endocrine disruptors.

## **SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

### 12.1. Toxicity Ecotoxicity effects

May cause long-term adverse effects in the environment. Do not allow material to contaminate ground water system.

12.2. Persistence and degradability Persistence Degradability Degradation in sewage treatment plant	Product contains heavy metals. Discharge into the environment must be avoided. Special pre-treatment is necessary Insoluble in water, May persist. Not relevant for inorganic substances. Contains substances known to be hazardous to the environment or not degradable in waste water treatment plants.
12.3. Bioaccumulative potential	May have some potential to bioaccumulate; Product has a high potential to bioconcentrate
<u>12.4. Mobility in soil</u>	Spillage unlikely to penetrate soil Is not likely mobile in the environment due its low water solubility.
12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment	In accordance with Annex XIII of the REACH Regulation, inorganic substances do not require assessment.
<u>12.6. Endocrine disrupting</u> properties Endocrine Disruptor Information	This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors
12.7. Other adverse effects	

# Persistent Organic PollutantThis product does not contain any known or suspected substanceOzone Depletion PotentialThis product does not contain any known or suspected substance

## **SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

#### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

Waste from Residues/Unused Products	Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. Consult local, regional, and national hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.
Contaminated Packaging	Empty remaining contents. Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Do not re-use empty containers.
European Waste Catalogue (EWC)	According to the European Waste Catalog, Waste Codes are not product specific, but application specific.

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**Other Information** 

Waste codes should be assigned by the user based on the application for which the product was used.

**SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION** 

### Not regulated IMDG/IMO 14.1. UN number 14.2. UN proper shipping name 14.3. Transport hazard class(es) 14.4. Packing group <u>ADR</u> Not regulated 14.1. UN number 14.2. UN proper shipping name 14.3. Transport hazard class(es) 14.4. Packing group ΙΑΤΑ Not regulated 14.1. UN number 14.2. UN proper shipping name 14.3. Transport hazard class(es) 14.4. Packing group No hazards identified 14.5. Environmental hazards 14.6. Special precautions for user No special precautions required. Not applicable, packaged goods 14.7. Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments **SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION**

15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

### International Inventories

Europe (EINECS/ELINCS/NLP), China (IECSC), Taiwan (TCSI), Korea (KECL), Japan (ENCS), Japan (ISHL), Canada (DSL/NDSL), Australia (AICS), New Zealand (NZIoC), Philippines (PICCS). US EPA (TSCA) - Toxic Substances Control Act, (40 CFR Part 710)

Component	CAS No	EINECS	ELINCS	NLP	IECSC	TCSI	KECL	ENCS	ISHL
Tungsten	7440-33-7	231-143-9	-	-	Х	Х	KE-35000	Х	-
Component	CAS No	TSCA	TSCA In notific Active-	ation -	DSL	NDSL	AICS	NZIoC	PICCS
Tungsten	7440-33-7	Х	ACT	IVE	Х	-	Х	Х	Х

Legend: X - Listed '-' - Not Listed KECL - NIER number or KE number (http://ncis.nier.go.kr/en/main.do)

### Authorisation/Restrictions according to EU REACH

Not applicable

Component	CAS No	REACH (1907/2006) -	REACH (1907/2006) -	<b>REACH Regulation (EC</b>
-		Annex XIV - Substances	Annex XVII - Restrictions	1907/2006) article 59 -
		Subject to Authorization	on Certain Dangerous	Candidate List of
		-	Substances	Substances of Very High

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				Concern (SVHC)
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### Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC)

Component	CAS No	Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC) - Qualifying Quantities for Major Accident Notification	Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC) - Qualifying Quantities for Safety Report Requirements
Tungsten	7440-33-7	Not applicable	Not applicable

# Regulation (EC) No 649/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 4 July 2012 concerning the export and import of dangerous chemicals

Not applicable

Contains component(s) that meet a 'definition' of per & poly fluoroalkyl substance (PFAS)? Not applicable

Take note of Directive 98/24/EC on the protection of the health and safety of workers from the risks related to chemical agents at work .

### **National Regulations**

UK - Take note of Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations (COSHH) 2002 and 2005 Amendment

### WGK Classification

See table for values

Component	Germany - Water Classification (AwSV)	Germany - TA-Luft Class
Tungsten	nwg	

### 15.2. Chemical safety assessment

A Chemical Safety Assessment/Report (CSA/CSR) has not been conducted

### **SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION**

### Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3

### Legend

CAS - Chemical Abstracts Service	<b>TSCA</b> - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory
<b>EINECS/ELINCS</b> - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances/EU List of Notified Chemical Substances <b>PICCS</b> - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances <b>IECSC</b> - Chinese Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances <b>KECL</b> - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances	
WEL - Workplace Exposure Limit	TWA - Time Weighted Average
ACGIH - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists	IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer
DNEL - Derived No Effect Level	Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)
RPE - Respiratory Protective Equipment	LD50 - Lethal Dose 50%
LC50 - Lethal Concentration 50%	EC50 - Effective Concentration 50%
NOEC - No Observed Effect Concentration	POW - Partition coefficient Octanol:Water

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**PBT** - Persistent, Bioaccumulative, Toxic

vPvB - very Persistent, very Bioaccumulative

ICAO/IATA - International Civil Aviation Organization/International Air Transport Association MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships ATE - Acute Toxicity Estimate

**VOC** - (Volatile Organic Compound)

ADR - European Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road IMO/IMDG - International Maritime Organization/International Maritime

Dangerous Goods Code OECD - Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development BCF - Bioconcentration factor

### Key literature references and sources for data

https://echa.europa.eu/information-on-chemicals

Suppliers safety data sheet, Chemadvisor - LOLI, Merck index, RTECS

### Training Advice

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

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