



Material Safety Data Sheet

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Fire Hazard	1							
Reactivity	0							

Section 1. Chemical Product and Company Identification			Page Number: 1
Common Name/ Trade Name	Tungsten oxide	Catalog Number(s).	T1142
Manufacturer	SPECTRUM CHEMICAL MFG. CORP. 14422 S. SAN PEDRO STREET GARDENA, CA 90248	CAS#	1314-35-8
Commercial Name(s)	Not available.	RTECS	YO7760000
Synonym	Not available.	TSCA	TSCA 8(b) inventory: Tungsten oxide
Chemical Name		CI#	77901
Chemical Family	Not available.	IN CASE OF EMERGENCY CHEMTREC (24hr) 800-424-9300 CALL (310) 516-8000	
Chemical Formula	WO ₃		
Supplier	SPECTRUM CHEMICAL MFG. CORP. 14422 S. SAN PEDRO STREET GARDENA, CA 90248		

Section 2. Composition and Information on Ingredients					
		<i>Exposure Limits</i>			
Name	CAS #	TWA (mg/m ³)	STEL (mg/m ³)	CEIL (mg/m ³)	% by Weight
1) Tungsten oxide	1314-35-8	5	10		100
Toxicological Data on Ingredients		Tungsten oxide: ORAL (LD50): Acute: 1059 mg/kg [Rat].			

Section 3. Hazards Identification	
Potential Acute Health Effects	Hazardous in case of eye contact (irritant), of ingestion, of inhalation. Slightly hazardous in case of skin contact (irritant).
Potential Chronic Health Effects	CARCINOGENIC EFFECTS: Not available. MUTAGENIC EFFECTS: Not available. TERATOGENIC EFFECTS: Not available. DEVELOPMENTAL TOXICITY: Not available. Repeated or prolonged exposure is not known to aggravate medical condition.

Section 4. First Aid Measures

Eye Contact	Check for and remove any contact lenses. Do not use an eye ointment. Seek medical attention.
Skin Contact	After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of water. Gently and thoroughly wash the contaminated skin with running water and non-abrasive soap. Be particularly careful to clean folds, crevices, creases and groin. Cover the irritated skin with an emollient. If irritation persists, seek medical attention. Wash contaminated clothing before reusing.
Serious Skin Contact	Not available.
Inhalation	Allow the victim to rest in a well ventilated area. Seek immediate medical attention.
Serious Inhalation	Not available.
Ingestion	Do not induce vomiting. Examine the lips and mouth to ascertain whether the tissues are damaged, a possible indication that the toxic material was ingested; the absence of such signs, however, is not conclusive. Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband. If the victim is not breathing, perform mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. Seek immediate medical attention.
Serious Ingestion	Not available.

Section 5. Fire and Explosion Data

Flammability of the Product	May be combustible at high temperature.
Auto-Ignition Temperature	Not available.
Flash Points	Not available.
Flammable Limits	Not available.
Products of Combustion	Some metallic oxides.
Fire Hazards in Presence of Various Substances	Not available.
Explosion Hazards in Presence of Various Substances	Risks of explosion of the product in presence of mechanical impact: Not available. Risks of explosion of the product in presence of static discharge: Not available.
Fire Fighting Media and Instructions	SMALL FIRE: Use DRY chemical powder. LARGE FIRE: Use water spray, fog or foam. Do not use water jet.
Special Remarks on Fire Hazards	Not available.
Special Remarks on Explosion Hazards	Not available.

Section 6. Accidental Release Measures

Small Spill	Use appropriate tools to put the spilled solid in a convenient waste disposal container. Finish cleaning by spreading water on the contaminated surface and dispose of according to local and regional authority requirements.
Large Spill	Use a shovel to put the material into a convenient waste disposal container. Finish cleaning by spreading water on the contaminated surface and allow to evacuate through the sanitary system. Be careful that the product is not present at a concentration level above TLV. Check TLV on the MSDS and with local authorities.

Section 7. Handling and Storage

Precautions	Keep away from heat. Keep away from sources of ignition. Empty containers pose a fire risk, evaporate the residue under a fume hood. Ground all equipment containing material. Do not ingest. Do not breathe dust. Avoid contact with eyes. Wear suitable protective clothing. In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment. If ingested, seek medical advice immediately and show the container or the label.
Storage	Keep container dry. Keep in a cool place. Ground all equipment containing material. Keep container tightly closed. Keep in a cool, well-ventilated place. Combustible materials should be stored away from extreme heat and away from strong oxidizing agents.

Section 8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Engineering Controls	Use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to keep airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If user operations generate dust, fume or mist, use ventilation to keep exposure to airborne contaminants below the exposure limit.
Personal Protection	Splash goggles. Lab coat. Dust respirator. Be sure to use an approved/certified respirator or equivalent. Gloves.
Personal Protection in Case of a Large Spill	Splash goggles. Full suit. Dust respirator. Boots. Gloves. A self contained breathing apparatus should be used to avoid inhalation of the product. Suggested protective clothing might not be sufficient; consult a specialist BEFORE handling this product.
Exposure Limits	TWA: 5 STEL: 10 (mg/m ³) Consult local authorities for acceptable exposure limits.

Section 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Physical state and appearance	Solid.	Odor	Not available.
Molecular Weight	231.85 g/mole	Taste	Not available.
pH (1% soln/water)	Not applicable.	Color	Not available.
Boiling Point	Not available.		
Melting Point	1473°C (2683.4°F)		
Critical Temperature	Not available.		
Specific Gravity	7.16 (Water = 1)		
Vapor Pressure	Not applicable.		
Vapor Density	Not available.		
Volatility	Not available.		
Odor Threshold	Not available.		
Water/Oil Dist. Coeff.	Not available.		
Ionicity (in Water)	Not available.		
Dispersion Properties	Not available.		
Solubility	Insoluble in cold water.		

Section 10. Stability and Reactivity Data

Stability The product is stable.

Instability Temperature Not available.

Conditions of Instability Not available.

Incompatibility with various substances Not available.

Corrosivity Non-corrosive in presence of glass.

Special Remarks on Reactivity Not available.

Special Remarks on Corrosivity Not available.

Polymerization No.

Section 11. Toxicological Information

Routes of Entry Eye contact. Inhalation. Ingestion.

Toxicity to Animals Acute oral toxicity (LD50): 1059 mg/kg [Rat].

Chronic Effects on Humans Not available.

Other Toxic Effects on Humans Hazardous in case of ingestion, of inhalation.
Slightly hazardous in case of skin contact (irritant).

Special Remarks on Toxicity to Animals Not available.

Special Remarks on Chronic Effects on Humans Not available.

Special Remarks on other Toxic Effects on Humans Not available.

Section 12. Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity Not available.

BOD5 and COD Not available.

Products of Biodegradation Possibly hazardous short term degradation products are not likely. However, long term degradation products may arise.

Toxicity of the Products of Biodegradation The products of degradation are as toxic as the original product.

Special Remarks on the Products of Biodegradation Not available.

Section 13. Disposal Considerations**Waste Disposal****Section 14. Transport Information****DOT Classification** Not a DOT controlled material (United States).**Identification** Not applicable.**Special Provisions for Transport** Not applicable.**DOT (Pictograms)****Section 15. Other Regulatory Information and Pictograms****Federal and State Regulations** TSCA 8(b) inventory: Tungsten oxide**California Proposition 65 Warnings****Other Regulations** Not available..**Other Classifications** **WHMIS (Canada)** Not controlled under WHMIS (Canada).**DSCL (EEC)** R22- Harmful if swallowed.
R36- Irritating to eyes.**HMIS (U.S.A.)**

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Fire Hazard	1
Reactivity	0
Personal Protection	E

National Fire Protection Association (U.S.A.)

Health



Flammability

Reactivity

Specific hazard

WHMIS (Canada) (Pictograms)**DSCL (Europe) (Pictograms)****TDG (Canada) (Pictograms)**

**ADR (Europe)
(Pictograms)****Protective Equipment**

Gloves.



Lab coat.



Dust respirator. Be sure to use an approved/certified respirator or equivalent.



Splash goggles.

Section 16. Other Information**MSDS Code** T4123**References** Not available.**Other Special Considerations** Not available.

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Notice to Reader

All chemicals may pose unknown hazards and should be used with caution. This Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) applies only to the material as packaged. If this product is combined with other materials, deteriorates, or becomes contaminated, it may pose hazards not mentioned in this MSDS. It shall be the user's responsibility to develop proper methods of handling and personal protection based on the actual conditions of use. While this MSDS is based on technical data judged to be reliable, Spectrum Quality Products, Inc. assumes no responsibility for the completeness or accuracy of the information contained herein.