

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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#### **SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION**

Product Identifier: (3N5) 99.95% Indium Arsenide Wafer

Product Code: IN-AS-035-WF

CAS Number: 1303-11-3

Relevant identified uses of the substance: Scientific research and development

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## **SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

Classification of the substance or mixture Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 GHS06 Skull and crossbones Acute Tox. 3 H301 Toxic if swallowed. Acute Tox. 3 H331 Toxic if inhaled. Hazards not otherwise classified No data available Label elements Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 The substance is classified and labeled according to the CLP regulation. Hazard pictograms



GHS06 Signal word Danger Hazard statements H301+H331 Toxic if swallowed or if inhaled. Precautionary statements

P261 Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray. P304+P340 IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. P321 Specific treatment (see on this label). P405 Store locked up. P403+P233 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/ national/international regulations. WHMIS classification D1A - Very toxic material causing immediate and serious toxic effects D2A - Very toxic material causing other toxic effects Classification system HMIS ratings (scale 0-4) (Hazardous Materials Identification System) Health (acute effects) = 3Flammability = 0Physical Hazard = 1 Other hazards Results of PBT and vPvB assessment PBT: N/A vPvB: N/A

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

Substances CAS No. / Substance Name: 1303-11-3 Indium arsenide Identification number(s): EC number: 215-115-3 Index number: 033-002-00-5

## **SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES**

Description of first aid measures

General information

Immediately remove any clothing soiled by the product.

Remove breathing apparatus only after contaminated clothing has been completely removed. In case of irregular breathing or respiratory arrest provide artificial respiration.

If inhaled:

Supply patient with fresh air. If not breathing, provide artificial respiration. Keep patient warm. Seek immediate medical advice.

In case of skin contact:

Immediately wash with soap and water; rinse thoroughly.

Seek immediate medical advice.

In case of eye contact:

Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Consult a physician.

If swallowed:

Do not induce vomiting; immediately call for medical help.

Information for doctor

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed:

No data available Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed No data available

#### **SECTION 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

Extinguishing media Suitable extinguishing agents Product is not flammable. Use fire-fighting measures that suit the surrounding fire. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture If this product is involved in a fire, the following can be released: Toxic metal oxide fume Advice for firefighters Protective equipment: Wear self-contained respirator. Wear fully protective impervious suit.

#### **SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures Use personal protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away. Ensure adequate ventilation Environmental precautions: Do not allow material to be released to the environment without official permits. Methods and materials for containment and cleanup: Dispose of contaminated material as waste according to section 13. Ensure adequate ventilation. Prevention of secondary hazards: No special measures required. Reference to other sections See Section 7 for information on safe handling See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment. See Section 13 for disposal information

## SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### Handling

Precautions for safe handling Keep container tightly sealed.

Store in cool, dry place in tightly closed containers.

Ensure good ventilation at the workplace.

Open and handle container with care.

Information about protection against explosions and fires:

The product is not flammable

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities Storage

Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:

No special requirements.

Information about storage in one common storage facility:

Store away from oxidizing agents. Further information about storage conditions: Keep container tightly sealed. Store in cool, dry conditions in well-sealed containers. Specific end use(s) No data available

## SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Additional information about design of technical systems: Properly operating chemical fume hood designed for hazardous chemicals and having an average face velocity of at least 100 feet per minute. **Control parameters** Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace: Arsenic, elemental, and inorganic compounds (except arsine), as As mg/m3 ACGIH TLV 0.01; Confirmed human carcinogen Belgium TWA 0.2 Denmark TWA 0.05 Finland TWA Carcinogen France VME 0.2 Hungary 0.5-STEL; Carcinogen Korea TWA 0.01; Confirmed human carcinogen Norway 0.02 Poland TWA 0.01 Sweden NGV 0.03; Carcinogen Switzerland TWA 0.1; Carcinogen United Kingdom TWA 0.1; Carcinogen **USA PEL 0.01** Indium and compounds mg/m3 ACGIH TLV 0.1(In) Belgium TWA 0.1 Denmark TWA 0.1(In) Finland TWA 0.1 Korea TLV 0.1(In) Netherlands MAC-TGG 0.1 Norway TWA 0.1 Switzerland MAK-W 0.1 United Kingdom TWA 0.1(In); 0.3(In)-STEL USA PEL 0.1(In) 1303-11-3 Indium arsenide (100.0%) PEL (USA) Long-term value: 0.01 mg/m<sup>3</sup> as As; 29CFR1910.1018 REL (USA) Ceiling limit value: 0.002 mg/m<sup>3</sup> as As; 15min; See Pocket Guide App. A TLV (USA) Long-term value: 0.01 mg/m<sup>3</sup> as As: BEI EL (Canada) Long-term value: 0.1 mg/m<sup>3</sup> as In

Ingredients with biological limit values:

1303-11-3 Indium arsenide (100.0%) BEI (USA) 35 µg As/L Medium: urine Time: end of workweek Parameter: Inorganic arsenic plus methylated metabolites Additional information: No data Exposure controls Personal protective equipment Follow typical protective and hygienic practices for handling chemicals. Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed. Remove all soiled and contaminated clothing immediately. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work. Store protective clothing separately. Maintain an ergonomically appropriate working environment. Breathing equipment: Refer to 29CFR1910.1018 for regulations on respiratory protection required during exposure to inorganic arsenic. Use self-contained respiratory protective device in emergency situations. Protection of hands: Impervious gloves Inspect gloves prior to use. Suitability of gloves should be determined both by material and quality, the latter of which may vary by manufacturer. Eye protection: Safety glasses Body protection: Protective work clothing.

## SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties Appearance: Form: Powder or solid Color: Grev Odor: Odorless Odor threshold: No data available. pH: N/A Melting point/Melting range: 936 °C (1717 °F) Boiling point/Boiling range: No data available Sublimation temperature / start: No data available Flash point: N/A Flammability (solid, gas) No data available. Ignition temperature: No data available Decomposition temperature: No data available Autoignition: No data available. Danger of explosion: Product does not present an explosion hazard. **Explosion limits:** Lower: No data available Upper: No data available Vapor pressure: N/A Density: No data available

Relative density
No data available.
Vapor density
N/A
Evaporation rate
N/A
Solubility in Water (H <sub>2</sub> O): Insoluble
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water): No data available.
Viscosity:
Dynamic: N/A
Kinematic: N/A
Other information
No data available

#### SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity No data available Chemical stability Stable under recommended storage conditions. Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided: Decomposition will not occur if used and stored according to specifications. Possibility of hazardous reactions No dangerous reactions known Conditions to avoid No data available Incompatible materials: Oxidizing agents Hazardous decomposition products: Toxic metal oxide fume

#### **SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Information on toxicological effects Acute toxicity: Toxic if inhaled. Toxic if swallowed. LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification: No data Skin irritation or corrosion: Irritant to skin and mucous membranes. Eye irritation or corrosion: Irritating effect. Sensitization: No sensitizing effects known. Germ cell mutagenicity: No effects known. Carcinogenicity: EPA-A: human carcinogen: sufficient evidence from epidemiologic studies to support a causal association between exposure and cancer. IARC-1: Carcinogenic to humans: sufficient evidence of carcinogenicity.

ACGIH A1: Confirmed human carcinogen: Agent is carcinogenic to humans based on epidemiologic studies of, or convincing clinical evidence in, exposed humans.

Carcinogen as defined by OSHA.

NTP-K: Known to be carcinogenic: sufficient evidence from human studies.

Reproductive toxicity:

No effects known.

Specific target organ system toxicity - repeated exposure:

No effects known.

Specific target organ system toxicity - single exposure:

No effects known.

Aspiration hazard:

No effects known.

Subacute to chronic toxicity:

Acute arsenic poisoning from ingestion results in marked irritation of the stomach and intestines with nausea, vomiting and diarrhea. In severe cases, the vomitus and stools are bloody and the patient goes into collapse and shock with weak, rapid pulse, cold sweats, coma and death.

Chronic arsenic poisoning may cause disturbances of the digestive system such as loss of appetite, cramps, nausea, constipation or diarrhea.

Exposure to indium compounds may cause pain in the joints and bones, tooth decay, nerv ous and gastrointestinal disorders, heart pain and general debility.

Experiments with animals also indicate that indium may cause reduced food and water c onsumption with weight loss, pulmonary edema, pneumonia, blood, liver and kidney damage, leg paralysis and damage to the brain, heart, adrenals and spleen.

Subacute to chronic toxicity:

No effects known.

Additional toxicological information:

To the best of our knowledge the acute and chronic toxicity of this substance is not fully known. Carcinogenic categories

OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety & Health Administration)

Substance is listed.

## **SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Toxicity Aquatic toxicity: No data available Persistence and degradability No data available Bioaccumulative potential No data available Mobility in soil No data available Ecotoxical effects: Remark: Very toxic for aquatic organisms Additional ecological information: Do not allow material to be released to the environment without official permits. Do not allow product to reach groundwater, water courses, or sewage systems, even in small quantities. Danger to drinking water if even extremely small quantities leak into the ground. Also poisonous for fish and plankton in water bodies. May cause long lasting harmful effects to aquatic life.

Avoid transfer into the environment.

Very toxic for aquatic organisms Results of PBT and vPvB assessment PBT: N/A vPvB: N/A Other adverse effects No data available

#### **SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

Waste treatment methods Recommendation Consult official regulations to ensure proper disposal. Uncleaned packagings: Recommendation: Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

#### **SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

**UN-Number** DOT, IMDG, IATA UN1557 UN proper shipping name DOT Arsenic compounds, solid, n.o.s. (Indium arsenide) IMDG, IATA ARSENIC COMPOUND, SOLID, N.O.S. (Indium arsenide) Transport hazard class(es) DOT Class 6.1 Toxic substances. Label 6.1 Class 6.1 (T5) Toxic substances Label 6.1 IMDG, IATA Class 6.1 Toxic substances. Label 6.1 Packing group DOT, IMDG, IATA Ш Environmental hazards: Environmentally hazardous substance, solid Special precautions for user Warning: Toxic substances Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code N/A Transport/Additional information: DOT Marine Pollutant (DOT): No UN "Model Regulation": UN1557, Arsenic compounds, solid, n.o.s. (Indium arsenide), 6.1, III

## **SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture National regulations All components of this product are listed in the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Toxic Substances Control Act Chemical substance Inventory. All components of this product are listed on the Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL). SARA Section 313 (specific toxic chemical listings) 1303-11-3 Indium arsenide California Proposition 65 Prop 65 - Chemicals known to cause cancer 1303-11-3 Indium arsenide Prop 65 - Developmental toxicity Substance is not listed. Prop 65 - Developmental toxicity, female Substance is not listed. Prop 65 - Developmental toxicity, male Substance is not listed. Information about limitation of use: For use only by technically qualified individuals. This product contains arsenic and is subject to the reporting requirements of section 313 of the Emergency Planning and Community Right to Know Act of 1986 and 40CFR372. Other regulations, limitations and prohibitive regulations Refer to 29CFR1910.1018 for regulations concerning inorganic arsenic. Substance of Very High Concern (SVHC) according to the REACH Regulations (EC) No. 1907/2006. Substance is not listed. The conditions of restrictions according to Article 67 and Annex XVII of the Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH) for the manufacturing, placing on the market and use must be observed. Substance is not listed. Annex XIV of the REACH Regulations (requiring Authorisation for use) Substance is not listed. Chemical safety assessment: A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

## **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

Safety Data Sheet according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH). The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. The information in this document is based on the present state of our knowledge and is applicable to the product with regard to appropriate safety precautions. It does not represent any guarantee of the properties of the product. American Elements shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product. See reverse side of invoice or packing slip for

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