

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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

Product Identifier: (5N) 99.999% Germanium(IV) Isopropoxide

Product Code: GE-IP-05

CAS Number: 21154-48-3

Relevant identified uses of the substance: Scientific research and development

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### **SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS) Flammable liquids (Category 3), H226 Skin corrosion (Category 1B), H314 Serious eye damage (Category 1), H318

2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram Signal word Danger Hazard statement(s) H226 Flammable liquid and vapor. H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage. Precautionary statement(s) P210 Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking. P233 Keep container tightly closed. P240 Ground/bond container and receiving equipment. P241 Use explosion-proof electrical/ ventilating/ lighting/ equipment. P242 Use only non-sparking tools.

P243 Take precautionary measures against static discharge.

P264 Wash skin thoroughly after handling.

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

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

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

P304 + P340 IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position 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/ physician.

P321 Specific treatment (see supplemental first aid instructions on this label).

P363 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

P370 + P378 In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol-resistant foam for extinction.

P403 + P235 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.

P405 Store locked up.

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

2.3 Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS - none

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

3.1 Substances Synonyms : Tetraisopropoxygermanium Formula : C12H28GeO4 Molecular Weight : 308.99 g/mol CAS-No. : 21154-48-3 Hazardous components Component Classification Concentration Germanium(IV) isopropoxide Flam. Liq. 3; Skin Corr. 1B; Eye Dam. 1; H226, H314

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

4.1 Description of first aid measures

General advice

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Move out of dangerous area.

If inhaled

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.

In case of skin contact

Take off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately. Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

In case of eye contact

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician.Continue rinsing eyes during

transport to hospital. If swallowed Do NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician. 4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11 4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed no data available

# **SECTION 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media

For small (incipient) fires, use media such as "alcohol" foam, dry chemical, or carbon dioxide. For large fires, apply

water from as far as possible. Use very large quantities (flooding) of water applied as a mist or spray; solid streams of

water may be ineffective. Cool all affected containers with flooding quantities of water.

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Carbon oxides, Germanium oxides

5.3 Advice for firefighters

Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary.

5.4 Further information

Use water spray to cool unopened containers.

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

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid breathing Vapors, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Remove all

sources of ignition. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Beware of Vapors accumulating to form explosive

concentrations. Vapors can accumulate in low areas.

For personal protection see section 8.

6.2 Environmental precautions

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains.

6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Contain spillage, and then collect with an electrically protected vacuum cleaner or by wet-brushing and place in

container for disposal according to local regulations (see section 13).

6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

#### **SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid inhalation of Vapor or mist.

Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking. Take measures to prevent the build up of

electrostatic charge.
For precautions see section 2.2.
7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities
Store in cool place. Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Containers which are opened must
be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage.
Moisture sensitive.
7.3 Specific end use(s)
Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

## SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

8.1 Control parameters Components with workplace control parameters Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values. 8.2 Exposure controls Appropriate engineering controls Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday. Personal protective equipment Eye/face protection Tightly fitting safety goggles. Faceshield (8-inch minimum). Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU). Skin protection Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands. Body Protection Complete suit protecting against chemicals, Flame retardant antistatic protective clothing, The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace. Respiratory protection Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face respirator with multipurpose combination (US) or type ABEK (EN 14387) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. If the respirator is the sole means of protection, use a full-face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU). Control of environmental exposure Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains.

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

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

a) Appearance Form: liquid

b) Odor no data available c) Odor Threshold no data available d) pH no data available e) Melting point/freezing point no data available f) Initial boiling point and boiling range 167 °C (333 °F) - lit. g) Flash point 60 °C (140 °F) - closed cup h) EVaporation rate no data available i) Flammability (solid, gas) no data available i) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits no data available k) Vapor pressure no data available I) Vapor density no data available m) Relative density 1.033 g/cm3 at 25 °C (77 °F) n) Water solubility no data available o) Partition coefficient: noctanol/ water no data available p) Auto-ignition temperature no data available q) Decomposition temperature no data available r) Viscosity no data available s) Explosive properties no data available t) Oxidizing properties no data available 9.2 Other safety information no data available

#### SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

10.1 Reactivity
no data available
10.2 Chemical stability
Stable under recommended storage conditions.
10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions
no data available
10.4 Conditions to avoid
Avoid moisture.
Heat, flames and sparks.
10.5 Incompatible materials
Strong oxidizing agentsStrong oxidizing agents, acids
10.6 Hazardous decomposition products
Other decomposition products - no data available
In the event of fire: see section 5

#### SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

11.1 Information on toxicological effects Acute toxicity no data available Inhalation: no data available Dermal: no data available no data available Skin corrosion/irritation no data available Serious eye damage/eye irritation no data available Respiratory or skin sensitisation no data available Germ cell mutagenicity no data available Carcinogenicity IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC. ACGIH: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH. NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP. OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA. Reproductive toxicity no data available no data available Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure no data available Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure no data available Aspiration hazard no data available Additional Information **RTECS:** Not available Material is extremely destructive to tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract, eyes, and skin., spasm, inflammation and edema of the larynx, spasm, inflammation and edema of the bronchi, pneumonitis, pulmonary edema, burning sensation, Cough, wheezing, laryngitis, Shortness of breath, Headache, Nausea

### **SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

12.1 Toxicity
no data available
12.2 Persistence and degradability
no data available
12.3 Bioaccumulative potential
no data available
12.4 Mobility in soil

no data available 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted 12.6 Other adverse effects no data available

## **SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

13.1 Waste treatment methods
Product
Burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber but exert extra care in igniting as this
material is highly flammable. Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company.
Contaminated packaging
Dispose of as unused product.

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

DOT (US) UN number: 2920 Class: 8 (3) Packing group: II Proper shipping name: Corrosive liquids, flammable, n.o.s. (Germanium(IV) isopropoxide) Marine pollutant: No Poison Inhalation Hazard: No IMDG UN number: 2920 Class: 8 (3) Packing group: II EMS-No: F-E, S-C Proper shipping name: CORROSIVE LIQUID, FLAMMABLE, N.O.S. (Germanium(IV) isopropoxide) Marine pollutant: No IATA UN number: 2920 Class: 8 (3) Packing group: II Proper shipping name: Corrosive liquid, flammable, n.o.s. (Germanium(IV) isopropoxide)

# SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

SARA 302 Components SARA 302: No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302. SARA 313 Components SARA 313: This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313. SARA 311/312 Hazards Fire Hazard Massachusetts Right To Know Components No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act. Pennsylvania Right To Know Components Germanium(IV) isopropoxide CAS-No. 21154-48-3 **Revision Date** 

New Jersey Right To Know Components Germanium(IV) isopropoxide CAS-No. 21154-48-3 Revision Date California Prop. 65 Components This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.

## **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 additional terms and conditions of sale. COPYRIGHT 1997-2022 AMERICAN ELEMENTS. LICENSED GRANTED TO MAKE UNLIMITED PAPER COPIES FOR INTERNAL USE ONLY.