

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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### **SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION**

Product Name: CdSeTe/ZnS Quantum Dots

**Product Number:** All applicable American Elements product codes, e.g. CST-ZNS-01-QD.720E, CST-ZNS-01-QD.760E, CST-ZNS-01-QD.860E, CST-ZNS-01-QD.880E, CST-ZNS-01-QD.840E, CST-ZNS-01-QD.780E, CST-ZNS-01-QD.700E, CST-ZNS-01-QD.820E

CAS #:

Relevant identified uses of the substance: Scientific research and development

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# **SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

Classification of the substance or mixture GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS) Flammable liquids(Category 2), H225 Acute toxicity, Oral(Category 4), H302 Acute toxicity, Inhalation(Category 3), H331 Skin corrosion(Category 1B), H314 Serious eye damage(Category 1), H318 Carcinogenicity(Category 1A), H350 Reproductive toxicity(Category 2), H361 Specific target organ toxicity -single exposure(Category 3), Central nervous system, H336 Specific target organ toxicity -repeated exposure(Category 2), H373 Specific target organ toxicity -repeated exposure, Oral(Category 2), Kidney, Bone, H373 Aspiration hazard(Category 1), H304 Acute aquatic toxicity(Category 1), H400 Chronic aquatic toxicity(Category 1), H410 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements Pictogram



Signal word Danger Hazard statement(s) H225 Highly flammable liquid and Vapor. H302 Harmful if swallowed. H304 May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways. H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage. H331 Toxic if inhaled. H336 May cause drowsiness or dizziness. H350 May cause cancer. H361 Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child. H373 May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure. H373 May cause damage to organs (Kidney, Bone) through prolonged or repeated exposure if swallowed. H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects. Precautionary statement(s) P201 Obtain special instructions before use. P202 Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. 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. P260 Do not breathe dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ Vapors/ spray. P264 Wash skin thoroughly after handling. P270 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. P271 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. P273 Avoid release to the environment.

P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection. P301 + P310 IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor. P301 + P330 + P331 IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. P303 + P361 + P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower. P304 + P340 + P310 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor. P305 + P351 + P338 + P310 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor. P308 + P313 IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention. P363 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. P370 + P378In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol-resistant foam to extinguish. P391 Collect spillage. P403 + P233 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. 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. Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS-none

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

Formula: CdSeTe/ZnS

Toluene Cas number: 108-88-3

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

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. Take victim immediately to hospital. 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.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2) and/or in section 11

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

# **SECTION 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

Extinguishing media Suitable extinguishing media Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture No data available Advice for firefighters Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary. Further information Use water spray to cool unopened containers.

# SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Wear respiratory protection. 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.

Environmental precautions

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

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).

Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

# SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid inhalation of Vapor or mist.

Use explosion-proof equipment.

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

For precautions see section 2.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

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. Recommended storage temperature 2 -8 °C Light sensitive. Handle and store under inert gas. Specific end use(s) Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1 no other specific uses are stipulated

# SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls

Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

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 multi-purpose 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. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

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

Information on basic physical and chemical properties Appearance Form: liquid Odor aromatic, solvent-like Odor Threshold No data available pH No data available Melting point/freezing point No data available Initial boiling point and boiling range

100 -120 °C (212 -248 °F) Flash point 9 °C (48 °F) Evaporation rate No data available Flammability (solid, gas) No data available Upper/lower flammability or Upper explosion limit: 7 %(V) Vapor pressure No data available Vapor density No data available Relative density 0.86 g/cm3 at 20 °C (68 °F) Water solubility No data available Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water No data available Auto-ignition temperature No data available Decomposition temperature No data available Viscosity No data available **Explosive** properties No data available Oxidizing properties No data available Other safety information No data available

#### SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity No data available Chemical stability Stable under recommended storage conditions. Possibility of hazardous reactions Vapors may form explosive mixture with air. Conditions to avoid Heat, flames and sparks. Incompatible materials Strong acids and oxidizing agents Hazardous decomposition products Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions.-Carbon oxides, Nitrogen oxides (NOx), Sulphur oxides, Oxides of phosphorus, Cadmium/cadmium oxides, Zinc/zinc oxides, Selenium/selenium oxides Other decomposition products No data available Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. -Carbon oxides, Nitrogen oxides (NOx), Sulphur oxides, Oxides of phosphorus, Cadmium/cadmium oxides, Zinc/zinc oxides, Selenium/selenium oxides

### SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

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 This is or contains a component that has been reported to be carcinogenic based on its IARC, OSHA, ACGIH, NTP, or EPA classification. Chronic exposure to cadmium may cause lung and prostate cancer. IARC: 1-Group 1: Carcinogenic to humans(Cadmium selenide) 3-Group 3: Not classifiable as to its carcinogenicity to humans(Cadmium selenide) 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: OSHA specifically regulated carcinogen(Cadmium selenide) 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 Lung irritation, chest pain, pulmonary edema, Inhalation studies on toluene have demonstrated the development of inflammatory and ulcerous lesions of the penis, prepuce, and scrotum in animals. Stomach-Irregularities-Based on Human Evidence Stomach-Irregularities-Based on Human Evidence(Toluene)

# SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Toxicity No data available Persistence and degradability No data available Bioaccumulative potential No data available Mobility in soil No data available Results of PBT and vPvB assessment PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted Other adverse effects An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal. Very toxic to aquatic life.

# **SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

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. Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material. Contaminated packaging Dispose of as unused product.

# **SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

DOT (US) UN number: 2924 Class: 3(8) Packing group: II Proper shipping name: Flammable liquids, corrosive, n.o.s.(Toluene) Reportable Quantity(RQ): 1078 lbs Poison Inhalation Hazard: No IMDG UN number: 2924 Class: 3(8) Packing group: II EMS-No: F-E, S-C Proper shipping name: FLAMMABLE LIQUID, CORROSIVE, N.O.S.(Toluene) IATA UN number: 2924 Class: 3(8) Packing group: II Proper shipping name: Flammable liquid, corrosive, n.o.s.(Toluene)

# **SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

SARA 302 Components No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302. SARA 313 Components The following components are subject to reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313: Toluene CAS-No. 108-88-3 **Revision Date** 2007-07-01 Zinc sulphide 1314-98-3 2007-07-01 SARA 311/312 Hazards Fire Hazard, Acute Health Hazard, Chronic Health Hazard Massachusetts Right To Know Components Toluene CAS-No. 108-88-3 **Revision Date** 2007-07-01 Aliphatic amine 1993-04-24 Pennsylvania Right To Know Components Toluene CAS-No. 108-88-3 **Revision Date** 2007-07-01 Zinc sulphide 1314-98-3 2007-07-01 Aliphatic carboxylic acid Aliphatic amine 1993-04-24 Trioctylphosphine 4731-53-7 New Jersey Right To Know Components Toluene CAS-No. 108-88-3 **Revision Date** 2007-07-01 Zinc sulphide 1314-98-3 2007-07-01 Aliphatic carboxylic acid Aliphatic amine 1993-04-24 Trioctylphosphine 4731-53-7 California Prop. 65 Components WARNING: This product contains a chemical known to the State of California to cause birth defects or other reproductive harm. Toluene CAS-No.

### **SECTION 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.