

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION

**Product Name:** Gallium Indium Eutectic

**Product Number:** All applicable American Elements product codes, e.g. GA-IN-06-LIQ , GA-IN-02-LIQ , GA-IN-03-LIQ , GA-IN-04-LIQ , GA-IN-05-LIQ

**CAS #:** 37345-62-3

**Relevant identified uses of the substance:** Scientific research and development

**Supplier details:**

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## SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification of the substance or mixture

GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)

Corrosive to Metals (Category 1), H290

Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 4), H302

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure, Inhalation (Category 1), Lungs, H372

Short-term (acute) aquatic hazard (Category 3), H402

Long-term (chronic) aquatic hazard (Category 3), H412

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram



Signal word Danger

Hazard statement(s)

H290 May be corrosive to metals.

H302 Harmful if swallowed.

H372 Causes damage to organs (Lungs) through prolonged or repeated exposure if inhaled.

H412 Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.  
Precautionary statement(s)  
P234 Keep only in original container.  
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.  
P273 Avoid release to the environment.  
P301 + P312 + P330 IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER/ doctor if you feel unwell. Rinse mouth.  
P314 Get medical advice/ attention if you feel unwell.  
P390 Absorb spillage to prevent material damage.  
P406 Store in corrosive resistant container with a resistant inner liner.  
P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.  
Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS - none

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

Mixtures  
Gallium  
CAS-No. 7440-55-3  
EC-No. 231-163-8  
Indium  
CAS-No. 7440-74-6  
EC-No. 231-180-0

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

Description of first-aid measures  
General advice  
Show this material safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.  
If inhaled  
After inhalation: fresh air. Call in physician.  
In case of skin contact  
In case of skin contact: Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower.  
In case of eye contact  
After eye contact: rinse out with plenty of water. Remove contact lenses.  
If swallowed  
After swallowing: immediately make victim drink water (two glasses at most). 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 2.2) and/or in section 11  
Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed  
No data available

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## **SECTION 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

Unsuitable extinguishing media

For this substance/mixture no limitations of extinguishing agents are given.

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

gallium oxides

Not combustible.

Ambient fire may liberate hazardous vapours.

Advice for firefighters

Stay in danger area only with self-contained breathing apparatus. Prevent skin contact by keeping a safe distance or by wearing suitable protective clothing.

Further information

Suppress (knock down) gases/vapors/mists with a water spray jet. Prevent fire extinguishing water from contaminating surface water or the ground water system.

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

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Advice for non-emergency personnel: Avoid generation and inhalation of dusts in all circumstances. Avoid substance contact. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate the danger area, observe emergency procedures, consult an expert.

For personal protection see section 8.

Environmental precautions

Do not let product enter drains.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Cover drains. Collect, bind, and pump off spills. Observe possible material restrictions (see sections 7 and 10). Take up dry. Dispose of properly. Clean up affected area. Avoid generation of dusts.

Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

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

Precautions for safe handling

Work under hood. Do not inhale substance/mixture.

For precautions see section 2.2.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Tightly closed. Dry. Keep in a well-ventilated place. Keep locked up or in an area accessible only to qualified or authorized persons.

Storage class (TRGS 510): 6.1D: Non-combustible, acute toxic Cat.3 / toxic hazardous materials or hazardous materials causing chronic effects

Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

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## SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls

Immediately change contaminated clothing. Apply preventive skin protection. Wash hands and face after working with substance.

Personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection

Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU). Safety glasses

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

protective clothing

Respiratory protection

required when dusts are generated.

Our recommendations on filtering respiratory protection are based on the following standards: DIN EN 143, DIN 14387 and other accompanying standards relating to the used respiratory protection system.

Control of environmental exposure

Do not let product enter drains.

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## SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

a) Appearance Form: liquid

Color: silver

b) Odor No data available

c) Odor Threshold No data available

d) pH No data available

e) Melting

point/freezing point

Melting point/range: 15.7 °C (60.3 °F) - lit.

f) Initial boiling point

and boiling range

No data available

g) Flash point ( )No data available

h) Evaporation rate No data available

i) Flammability (solid, gas)

The product is not flammable.

j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits

No data available

k) Vapor pressure No data available

l) Vapor density No data available

m) Relative density 6.25 g/cm<sup>3</sup> at 25 °C (77 °F)

n) Water solubility No data available

o) Partition coefficient:

n-octanol/water

No data available

p) Autoignition

temperature  
Not applicable  
q) Decomposition temperature  
No data available  
r) Viscosity No data available  
s) Explosive properties No data available  
t) Oxidizing properties No data available  
Other safety information  
No data available

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## **SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Reactivity  
No data available  
Chemical stability  
The product is chemically stable under standard ambient conditions (room temperature) .  
Possibility of hazardous reactions  
No data available  
Conditions to avoid  
no information available  
Incompatible materials  
Strong oxidizing agents Strong oxidizing agents Metals  
Hazardous decomposition products  
Other decomposition products - No data available  
Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - gallium oxides  
In the event of fire: see section 5

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## **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 sensitization  
No data available  
Germ cell mutagenicity  
No data available  
Carcinogenicity  
IARC: No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.  
NTP: No ingredient 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 on OSHA's list of regulated carcinogens.  
Reproductive toxicity

No data available  
Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure  
No data available  
Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure  
Mixture causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure. - Lungs  
Aspiration hazard  
No data available  
Additional Information  
RTECS: Not available  
To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.  
Other dangerous properties can not be excluded.  
Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

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## **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  
No data available

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## **SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

Waste treatment methods  
Product  
Waste material must be disposed of in accordance with the national and local No mixing with other waste. Handle uncleaned containers like the product See [www.retrologistik.com](http://www.retrologistik.com) for processes regarding the return of chemicals and containers, or contact us there if you have further questions.

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## **SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

DOT (US)  
UN number: 2803 Class: 8 Packing group: III  
Proper shipping name: Gallium  
Reportable Quantity (RQ):  
Poison Inhalation Hazard: No  
IMDG  
UN number: 2803 Class: 8 Packing group: III EMS-No: F-A, S-B  
Proper shipping name: GALLIUM  
IATA

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## SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

### SARA 302 Components

This material does not contain any components with a section 302 EHS TPQ.

### SARA 313 Components

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

#### Acute Health Hazard

#### Massachusetts Right To Know Components

No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

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#### Pennsylvania Right To Know Components

Gallium-Indium eutectic CAS-No. -

#### Revision Date

#### New Jersey Right To Know Components

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## 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.