

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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

Product Identifier: (5N) 99.999% Platinum Ruthenium Black

Product Code: PT-RU-05-P.BLCK

CAS Number: 172515-31-0

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 in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS) GHS02 Flame Flam. Sol. 1 H228 Flammable solid. Hazards not otherwise classified No data available GHS label elements, including precautionary statements Hazard pictograms



Signal word Danger Hazard statements H228 Flammable solid. Precautionary statements P210 Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. No smoking. P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection. P240 Ground/bond container and receiving equipment. P241 Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting/equipment. P370+P378 In case of fire: Use for extinction: CO2, powder or water spray. WHMIS classification B4 - Flammable solid Classification system HMIS ratings (scale 0-4) (Hazardous Materials Identification System) HEALTH FIRE REACTIVITY 1 3 1 Health (acute effects) = 1Flammability = 3Physical Hazard = 1 Other hazards Results of PBT and vPvB assessment PBT: N/A vPvB: N/A

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

Chemical characterization: Mixtures Dangerous components: 7440-18-8 Ruthenium Flam. Sol. 2, H228 50.0% Additional information None known. Non-Hazardous Ingredients 7440-06-4 Platinum 50.0%

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

Description of first aid measures 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: Seek medical treatment. 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 Special powder for metal fires. Do not use water. For safety reasons unsuitable extinguishing agents Water Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture If this product is involved in a fire, the following can be released: Platinum oxide Ruthenium oxide 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 Keep away from ignition sources Environmental precautions: Do not allow product to enter drains, sewage systems, or other water courses. Methods and materials for containment and cleanup: Ensure adequate ventilation. Prevention of secondary hazards: Keep away from ignition sources. 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.

Information about protection against explosions and fires: Protect against electrostatic charges. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles: Store in a cool location.

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:

7440-06-4 Platinum (50.0%)

PEL (USA) Long-term value: 0.002 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

soluble salts, as Pt

REL (USA) Long-term value: 1\* 0.002\*\* mg/m<sup>3</sup> \*Metal \*\*soluble salts, as Pt

TLV (USA) Long-term value: 1\* 0.002\*\* mg/m<sup>3</sup> \*metal \*\*soluble salts, as Pt

EL (Canada) Long-term value: 1\* 0.002\*\* mg/m<sup>3</sup> \*metal;\*\*soluble salts (as Pt): S

EV (Canada) Long-term value: 1\* 0.002\*\* mg/m<sup>3</sup> \*metal;\*\*water-soluble compounds (as Pt) 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. Maintain an ergonomically appropriate working environment. Breathing equipment: Use suitable respirator when high concentrations are present. Protection of hands: Impervious gloves Inspect gloves prior to use. The selection of suitable gloves not only depends on the material, but also on guality. Quality will vary from manufacturer to 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: Various forms Odor: No data available Odor threshold: No data available. pH: N/A Melting point/Melting range: No data available Boiling point/Boiling range: No data available Sublimation temperature / start: No data available Flammability (solid, gas) Highly flammable. Ignition temperature: No data available Decomposition temperature: No data available Autoignition: Product is not selfigniting. Danger of explosion: No data available. **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 / Miscibility with Water: Insoluble

Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water): No data available. Viscosity: Dynamic: N/A Kinematic: N/A Solvent content: Organic solvents: 0.0 % Solids content: 100.0 % 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 Reacts with strong oxidizing agents Conditions to avoid No data available Incompatible materials: Oxidizing agents Hazardous decomposition products: Platinum oxide Ruthenium oxide

# SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity: The Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances (RTECS) contains acute toxicity data for components in this product.

LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification: No data

Skin irritation or corrosion: May cause irritation

Eye irritation or corrosion: May cause irritation

Sensitization: No sensitizing effects known.

Germ cell mutagenicity: No effects known.

Carcinogenicity:

The Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances (RTECS) contains tumorigenic and/or carcinogenic and/or neoplastic data for components in this product.

No classification data on carcinogenic properties of this material is available from the EPA, IARC, NTP, OSHA or ACGIH.

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: The Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances (RTECS) contains multiple dose toxicity data for this substance.

Additional toxicological information: To the best of our knowledge the acute and chronic toxicity of this substance is not fully known.

#### **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 Additional ecological information: Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities to reach groundwater, water courses, or sewage systems. Avoid transfer into the environment. 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 UN3089 UN proper shipping name DOT Metal powders, flammable, n.o.s. (Ruthenium powder) IMDG, IATA METAL POWDER, FLAMMABLE, N.O.S. (Ruthenium powder) Transport hazard class(es) DOT Class 4.1 Flammable solids, self-reactive substances and solid desensitised explosives. Label 4.1 Class 4.1 (F3) Flammable solids, self-reactive substances and solid desensitised explosives Label 4.1 IMDG, IATA Class 4.1 Flammable solids, self-reactive substances and solid desensitised explosives. Label 4.1 Packing group DOT, IMDG, IATA II Environmental hazards: Marine pollutant (IMDG): No Special precautions for user Warning: Flammable solids, self-reactive substances and solid desensitised explosives EMS Number: F-G,S-G Segregation groups Heavy metals and their salts (including their organometallic compounds). powdered metals Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code N/A Transport/Additional information: DOT Marine Pollutant (DOT): No

## **SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture GHS label elements, including precautionary statements Hazard pictograms GHS02 Signal word Danger Hazard statements H228 Flammable solid. Precautionary statements P210 Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. No smoking. P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection. P240 Ground/bond container and receiving equipment. P241 Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting/equipment. P370+P378 In case of fire: Use for extinction: CO2, powder or water spray. 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) None of the ingredients are listed. California Proposition 65 Prop 65 - Chemicals known to cause cancer None of the ingredients are listed. Prop 65 - Developmental toxicity None of the ingredients are listed. Prop 65 - Developmental toxicity, female None of the ingredients are listed. Prop 65 - Developmental toxicity, male None of the ingredients are listed. Information about limitation of use: For use only by technically gualified individuals. Other regulations, limitations and prohibitive regulations Substance of Very High Concern (SVHC) according to the REACH Regulations (EC) No. 1907/2006. None of the ingredients are 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. None of the ingredients is listed. Annex XIV of the REACH Regulations (requiring Authorisation for use) None of the ingredients is 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

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