



SAFETY DATA SHEET

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SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

1.1. Product identifier

Product Description: Tellurium, powder
Cat No. : 420020000; 420020100; 420021000
Synonyms Telloy
CAS-No 13494-80-9
EC-No. 236-813-4
Molecular Formula Te

1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Recommended Use Laboratory chemicals
Uses advised against No Information available

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company Acros Organics BVBA
Janssen Pharmaceuticaaan 3a
2440 Geel, Belgium
E-mail address begel.sdsdesk@thermofisher.com

1.4. Emergency telephone number

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SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

CLP Classification - Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Physical hazards

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

Health hazards

Acute Inhalation Toxicity - Dusts and Mists

Category 4

Skin Sensitization

Category 1

Environmental hazards

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

Chronic aquatic toxicity

Category 4

Classification according to EU Directives 67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC

Symbol(s)

Xn - Harmful

R-phrases

R20 - Harmful by inhalation

R43 - May cause sensitization by skin contact

R53 - May cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment

SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

For the full text of the R-phrases and H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16

2.2. Label elements**Signal Word****Warning****Hazard Statements**

- H332 - Harmful if inhaled
- H317 - May cause an allergic skin reaction
- H413 - May cause long lasting harmful effects to aquatic life

Precautionary Statements

- P261 - Avoid breathing dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapors/ spray
- P304 + P340 - IF INHALED: Remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing
- P312 - Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician if you feel unwell
- P280 - Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing
- P302 + P352 - IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water

2.3. Other hazards

No information available.

SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**3.1. Substances**

Component	CAS-No	EC-No.	Weight %	CLP Classification - Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008	DSD Classification - 67/548/EEC
Tellurium	13494-80-9	EEC No. 236-813-4	>95	Acute Tox. 4 (H332) Skin Sens. 1 (H317) Aquatic Chronic 4 (H413)	Xn; R20 Xi; R43 R53

For the full text of the R-phrases and H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16

SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES**4.1. Description of first aid measures****General Advice**

If symptoms persist, call a physician.

Eye Contact

Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Obtain medical attention.

Skin Contact

Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Obtain medical attention.

Ingestion

Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

Inhalation

Move to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Obtain medical attention.

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Protection of First-aiders

Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, take precautions to protect themselves and prevent spread of contamination

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

None reasonably foreseeable. May cause allergic skin reaction.. Symptoms of allergic reaction may include rash, itching, swelling, trouble breathing, tingling of the hands and feet, dizziness, lightheadedness, chest pain, muscle pain or flushing.

4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**Notes to Physician**

Treat symptomatically

SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**5.1. Extinguishing media****Suitable Extinguishing Media**

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons

No information available.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors

Hazardous Combustion Products

None under normal use conditions

5.3. Advice for firefighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Should not be released into the environment.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

6.4. Reference to other sections

Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 8 and 13.

SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE**7.1. Precautions for safe handling**

Wear personal protective equipment. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Avoid dust formation. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid ingestion and inhalation.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.

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7.3. Specific end use(s)

Use in laboratories

SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**8.1. Control parameters****Exposure limits**

List source(s):

UK - EH40/2005 Containing the workplace exposure limits (WELs) for use with the Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations (COSHH) 2002 (as amended). Updated by September 2006 official press release and October 2007 Supplement.

IRE - 2010 Code of Practice for the Safety, Health and Welfare at Work (Chemical Agents) Regulations 2001. Published by the Health and Safety Authority.

Component	European Union	The United Kingdom	France	Belgium	Spain
Tellurium		STEL: 0.3 mg/m ³ 15 min TWA: 0.1 mg/m ³ 8 hr	TWA / VME: 0.1 mg/m ³ (8 heures).	TWA: 0.1 mg/m ³ 8 uren	TWA / VLA-ED: 0.1 mg/m ³ (8 horas)
Component	Italy	Germany	Portugal	The Netherlands	Finland
Tellurium			TWA: 0.1 mg/m ³ 8 horas		TWA: 0.1 mg/m ³ 8 tunteina STEL: 0.3 mg/m ³ 15 minuutteina
Component	Austria	Denmark	Switzerland	Poland	Norway
Tellurium	STEL: 0.5 mg/m ³ 15 Minuten TWA: 0.1 mg/m ³ 8 Stunden	TWA: 0.1 mg/m ³ 8 timer	STEL: 0.2 mg/m ³ 15 Minuten MAK: 0.1 mg/m ³ 8 Stunden	NDSch: 0.03 mg/m ³ 15 minutach TWA: 0.01 mg/m ³ 8 godzinach	TWA: 0.1 mg/m ³ 8 timer STEL: 0.3 mg/m ³ 15 minutter.
Component	Bulgaria	Croatia	Ireland	Cyprus	Czech Republic
Tellurium	TWA: 0.1 mg/m ³	TWA: 0.1 mg/m ³ 8 satima.	TWA: 0.1 mg/m ³ 8 hr.		TWA: 0.1 mg/m ³ 8 hodinách. Ceiling: 0.5 mg/m ³
Component	Estonia	Gibraltar	Greece	Hungary	Iceland
Tellurium	TWA: 0.1 mg/m ³ 8 tundides.		TWA: 0.1 mg/m ³		TWA: 0.1 mg/m ³ 8 klukkustundum. powder Ceiling: 0.2 mg/m ³ powder
Component	Latvia	Lithuania	Luxembourg	Malta	Romania
Tellurium	TWA: 0.01 mg/m ³	TWA: 0.1 mg/m ³			TWA: 0.05 mg/m ³ 8 ore STEL: 0.15 mg/m ³ 15 minute
Component	Russia	Slovak Republic	Slovenia	Sweden	Turkey
Tellurium	MAC: 0.01 mg/m ³	TWA: 0.1 mg/m ³	TWA: 0.1 mg/m ³ 8 urah inhalable fraction STEL: 0.4 mg/m ³ 15 minutah inhalable fraction	LLV: 0.1 mg/m ³ 8 timmar.	

Biological limit values

List source(s):

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Component	Italy	Finland	Denmark	Bulgaria	Romania
Tellurium					Tellurium: 20 µg/L urine end of shift

Monitoring methods

BS EN 14042:2003 Title Identifier: Workplace atmospheres. Guide for the application and use of procedures for the assessment of exposure to chemical and biological agents.

MDHS14/3 General methods for sampling and gravimetric analysis of respirable and inhalable dust

Derived No Effect Level (DNEL) No information available.

Route of exposure	Acute effects (local)	Acute effects (systemic)	Chronic effects (local)	Chronic effects (systemic)
Oral Dermal Inhalation				

Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC) No information available.

8.2. Exposure controls

Engineering Measures

Use only under a chemical fume hood. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location. Wherever possible, engineering control measures such as the isolation or enclosure of the process, the introduction of process or equipment changes to minimise release or contact, and the use of properly designed ventilation systems, should be adopted to control hazardous materials at source.

Personal protective equipment

Eye Protection Goggles (European standard - EN 166)

Hand Protection Protective gloves

Glove material	Breakthrough time	Glove thickness	EU standard	Glove comments
Natural rubber Nitrile rubber Neoprene PVC	See manufacturers recommendations	-	EN 374	(minimum requirement)

Skin and body protection Long sleeved clothing

Inspect gloves before use.

Please observe the instructions regarding permeability and breakthrough time which are provided by the supplier of the gloves. (Refer to manufacturer/supplier for information)

Ensure gloves are suitable for the task: Chemical compatibility, Dexterity, Operational conditions, User susceptibility, e.g. sensitisation effects, also take into consideration the specific local conditions under which the product is used, such as the danger of cuts, abrasion. Remove gloves with care avoiding skin contamination.

Respiratory Protection When workers are facing concentrations above the exposure limit they must use appropriate certified respirators
To protect the wearer, respiratory protective equipment must be the correct fit and be used and maintained properly.

Large scale/emergency use Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 136 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced..
Recommended Filter type: Particulates filter conforming to EN 143.

Small scale/Laboratory use Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149:2001 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced.
Recommended half mask:- Particle filtering: EN149:2001
When RPE is used a face piece Fit Test should be conducted.

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Hygiene Measures Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

Environmental exposure controls No information available.

SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	Silver	
Physical State	Solid, Powder.	
Odor	odorless	
Odor Threshold	No data available	
pH	No information available.	
Melting Point/Range	450°C / 842°F	
Softening Point	No data available	
Boiling Point/Range	990°C / 1814°F	
Flash Point	No information available.	Method - No information available.
Evaporation Rate	Not applicable	Solid
Flammability (solid,gas)	No information available.	
Explosion Limits	No data available.	
Vapor Pressure	1 mmHg @ 520 °C	
Vapor Density	Not applicable	Solid
Specific Gravity / Density	No data available	
Bulk Density	No data available	
Water Solubility	Insoluble	
Solubility in other solvents	No information available.	
Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water)		
Autoignition Temperature	Not applicable	
Decomposition temperature	No data available	
Viscosity	Not applicable	Solid
Explosive Properties	No information available.	
Oxidizing Properties	No information available.	

9.2. Other information

Molecular Formula	Te
Molecular Weight	127.6

SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

10.1. Reactivity None known, based on information available.

10.2. Chemical stability Stable under normal conditions.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous Polymerization Hazardous polymerization does not occur.
Hazardous Reactions None under normal processing.

10.4. Conditions to avoid Incompatible products, Excess heat, Avoid dust formation.

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10.5. Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

None under normal use conditions

SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**11.1. Information on toxicological effects****Product Information****(a) acute toxicity;**

Oral

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

Dermal

No data available

Inhalation

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Component	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Tellurium	>5000 mg/kg (Rat)		>2420 mg/m ³ (Rat) 4 h

(b) skin corrosion/irritation;

No data available

(c) serious eye damage/irritation;

No data available

(d) respiratory or skin sensitization;

Respiratory

No data available

Skin

Category 1

No information available.

(e) germ cell mutagenicity;

No data available

(f) carcinogenicity;

No data available

There are no known carcinogenic chemicals in this product

(g) reproductive toxicity;

No data available

(h) STOT-single exposure;

No data available

(i) STOT-repeated exposure;

No data available

Target Organs

None known., Blood, Central nervous system (CNS), Skin.

(j) aspiration hazard;

Not applicable

Solid

Other Adverse Effects

The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated. See actual entry in RTECS for complete information

Symptoms / effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms of allergic reaction may include rash, itching, swelling, trouble breathing, tingling of the hands and feet, dizziness, lightheadedness, chest pain, muscle pain or flushing.

SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**12.1. Toxicity****Ecotoxicity effects**

Do not empty into drains. Harmful to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

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Component	Freshwater Fish	Water Flea	Freshwater Algae	Microtox
Tellurium	LC50>37.1 mg/L 96h	EC50 = 5.7 mg/L 48h		

12.2. Persistence and degradability**Persistence**

Insoluble in water.

Degradability

Not relevant for inorganic substances.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

May have some potential to bioaccumulate

12.4. Mobility in soil

Spillage unlikely to penetrate soil. Is not likely mobile in the environment due its low water solubility.

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

No data available for assessment

12.6. Other adverse effects**Endocrine Disruptor Information**

This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors

Persistent Organic Pollutant

This product does not contain any known or suspected substance

Ozone Depletion Potential

This product does not contain any known or suspected substance

SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**13.1. Waste treatment methods****Waste from Residues / Unused Products**

Waste is classified as hazardous. Dispose of in accordance with the European Directives on waste and hazardous waste. Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

Contaminated Packaging

Dispose of this container to hazardous or special waste collection point..

European Waste Catalogue (EWC)

According to the European Waste Catalogue, Waste Codes are not product specific, but application specific.

Other Information

Waste codes should be assigned by the user based on the application for which the product was used. Do not empty into drains.

SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION**IMDG/IMO**

Not regulated

14.1. UN number**14.2. UN proper shipping name****14.3. Transport hazard class(es)****14.4. Packing group****ADR**

Not regulated

14.1. UN number**14.2. UN proper shipping name****14.3. Transport hazard class(es)****14.4. Packing group****IATA**

Not regulated

14.1. UN number**14.2. UN proper shipping name****14.3. Transport hazard class(es)****14.4. Packing group****14.5. Environmental hazards**

No hazards identified

14.6. Special precautions for user

No special precautions required

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14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code Not applicable, packaged goods

SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

International Inventories X = listed

Component	EINECS	ELINCS	NLP	TSCA	DSL	NDSL	PICCS	ENCS	CHINA	AICS	KECL
Tellurium	236-813-4	-		X	X	-	X	-	X	X	X

National Regulations

Take note of Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations (COSHH) 2002 and 2005 Amendment

Take note of Dir 94/33/EC on the protection of young people at work

Take note of Directive 98/24/EC on the protection of the health and safety of workers from the risks related to chemical agents at work

15.2. Chemical safety assessment

A Chemical Safety Assessment/Report (CSA/CSR) has not been conducted

SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

Full text of R-phrases referred to under sections 2 and 3

R53 - May cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment

R43 - May cause sensitization by skin contact

R20 - Harmful by inhalation

Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3

H332 - Harmful if inhaled

H317 - May cause an allergic skin reaction

H413 - May cause long lasting harmful effects to aquatic life

Legend

CAS - Chemical Abstracts Service

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances/EU List of Notified Chemical Substances

PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

IECSC - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

KECL - Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

WEL - Workplace Exposure Limit

ACGIH - American Conference of Industrial Hygiene

DNEL - Derived No Effect Level

RPE - Respiratory Protective Equipment

LC50 - Lethal Concentration 50%

NOEC - No Observed Effect Concentration

PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative, Toxic

ADR - European Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road

IMO/IMDG - International Maritime Organization/International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code

OECD - Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

BCF - Bioconcentration factor

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

ENCS - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances

AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

TWA - Time Weighted Average

IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer

PNEC - Predicted No Effect Concentration

LD50 - Lethal Dose 50%

EC50 - Effective Concentration 50%

POW - Partition coefficient Octanol:Water

vPvB - very Persistent, very Bioaccumulative

ICAO/IATA - International Civil Aviation Organization/International Air Transport Association

MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships

ATE - Acute Toxicity Estimate

VOC - Volatile Organic Compounds

Key literature references and sources for data

Suppliers safety data sheet,
Chemadvisor - LOLI,
Merck index,
RTECS

Training Advice

Chemical hazard awareness training, incorporating labelling, Safety Data Sheets (SDS), Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) and hygiene.

Use of personal protective equipment, covering appropriate selection, compatibility, breakthrough thresholds, care, maintenance, fit and standards.

First aid for chemical exposure, including the use of eye wash and safety showers.

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