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

1.1. Product identifier

Product Description: Cesium

Cat No. : 219190000; 219190010; 219190050

Synonyms None
CAS-No 7440-46-2
EC-No. 231-155-4
Molecular Formula Cs

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 Pharmaceuticalaan 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

Substances/mixtures which, in contact with water, emit flammable gases Category 1

Health hazards

Skin Corrosion/irritation

Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation

Category 1

Reproductive Toxicity

Category 2

Environmental hazards

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

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

Symbol(s) F - Highly flammable

C - Corrosive

R-phrase(s) R34 - Causes burns

R62 - Possible risk of impaired fertility

R14/15 - Reacts violently with water, liberating extremely flammable gases

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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

Danger

Hazard Statements

H260 - In contact with water releases flammable gases which may ignite spontaneously

H314 - Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

H361 - Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child

EUH014 - Reacts violently with water

Precautionary Statements

P223 - Keep away from any possible contact with water, because of violent reaction and possible flash fire

P280 - Wear eye protection/ face protection

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

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

2.3. Other hazards

Water reactive Substance is not considered persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT) / very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB)

No information available.

SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Component	CAS-No	EC-No.	Weight %	CLP Classification - Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008	DSD Classification - 67/548/EEC
Cesium	7440-46-2	EEC No. 231-155-4	>95	Water-react. 1 (H260) Skin Corr. 1B (H314) Eye Dam. 1 (H318) Repr. 2 (H361) (EUH014)	F; 14/15 C; R34 Repr. Cat. 3; R62

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

Eye Contact Immediate medical attention is required. Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the

eyelids, for at least 15 minutes.

Skin Contact Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated clothes

and shoes. Immediate medical attention is required.

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Do not induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Drink plenty Ingestion

of water. Call a physician immediately. If possible drink milk afterwards.

Inhalation Remove from exposure, lie down. Move to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. If not

breathing, give artificial respiration. Immediate medical attention is required.

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

Causes burns by all exposure routes. Product is a corrosive material. Use of gastric lavage or emesis is contraindicated. Possible perforation of stomach or esophagus should be investigated. Ingestion causes severe swelling, severe damage to the delicate tissue and danger of perforation.

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

Dry chemical. approved class D extinguishers. clay. sodium carbonate.

Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons

Water. Carbon dioxide (CO₂). Foam. Do not use halon type extinguisher.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Water reactive. Produce flammable gases on contact with water.

Hazardous Combustion Products

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors, Hydrogen.

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

6.2. Environmental precautions

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Remove all sources of ignition. Use spark-proof tools and explosion-proof equipment. Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal.

6.4. Reference to other sections

Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 8 and 13.

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SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Do not breathe dust. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Use only in area provided with appropriate exhaust ventilation. Wash thoroughly after handling. Use explosion-proof equipment. Use only non-sparking tools. Empty containers retain product residue, (liquid and/or vapor), and can be dangerous. Container should be opened by a technically qualified person.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. Never allow product to get in contact with water during storage. Corrosives area. Store under an inert atmosphere. Keep away from water.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

Use in laboratories

SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

8.1. Control parameters

Exposure limits

This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

Biological limit values

This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with biological limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

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.

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8.2. Exposure controls

Engineering Measures

Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting/equipment. 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

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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

Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure

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 compatability, 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.

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 Gold
Physical State Solid.
Odor Odorless

Odor Threshold No data available pH No information available.

Melting Point/Range 28.5°C / 83.3°F
Softening Point No data available

Boiling Point/Range 705°C / 1301°F @ 760 mmHg

Flash Point No information available. Method - No information available

Evaporation Rate Not applicable Solid

Flammability (solid,gas)

Explosion Limits

No information available

No data available.

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Vapor Pressure
0.0075 hPa (145°C)

Vapor Density Not applicable Solid

Specific Gravity / Density 1.873

Bulk Density
Water Solubility
Reacts with water
Solubility in other solvents
No information available

Partition Coefficient (n-

octanol/water)

Autoignition TemperatureNot applicableDecomposition temperatureNo data available

Viscosity Not applicable Solid

Explosive PropertiesNo information availableOxidizing PropertiesNo information available

9.2. Other information

Molecular Formula Cs Molecular Weight 132.91

SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

10.1. Reactivity

None known, based on information available.

10.2. Chemical stability

Moisture sensitive. Air sensitive.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous Polymerization Hazardous polymerization may occur.

Hazardous Reactions Reacts violently with water, liberating highly flammable gases.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition, Incompatible products,

Exposure to moist air or water.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Acids. Water. Strong oxidizing agents. Alcohols. Halogens. oxygen. Halogenated compounds.

Carbon dioxide (CO2).

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors, Hydrogen.

SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Product Information No acute toxicity information is available for this product

(a) acute toxicity;

OralNo data availableDermalNo data availableInhalationNo data available

(b) skin corrosion/irritation; Category 1 B

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(c) serious eye damage/irritation; Category 1

(d) respiratory or skin sensitization;

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Respiratory No data available Skin No data available

No data available (e) germ cell mutagenicity;

No data available (f) carcinogenicity;

There are no known carcinogenic chemicals in this product

Category 2 (g) reproductive toxicity;

No data available (h) STOT-single exposure;

No data available (i) STOT-repeated exposure;

> No information available. **Target Organs**

Not applicable (j) aspiration hazard;

Solid

Other Adverse Effects The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated. See actual entry in RTECS for

complete information

Symptoms / effects, Product is a corrosive material. Use of gastric lavage or emesis is contraindicated. Possible both acute and delayed perforation of stomach or esophagus should be investigated. Ingestion causes severe swelling,

severe damage to the delicate tissue and danger of perforation.

SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

12.1. Toxicity

Ecotoxicity effects Reacts with water so no ecotoxicity data for the substance is available.

12.2. Persistence and degradability

Persistence Degradability

Degradation in sewage

treatment plant

Persistence is unlikely, based on information available. Not relevant for inorganic substances, Reacts with water.

No information available.. Water reactive.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential Product does not bioaccumulate due to reaction with water

Reacts with water. Is not likely mobile in the environment. 12.4. Mobility in soil

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB

assessment

Water reactive. Substance is not considered persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT) / very

persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB).

12.6. Other adverse effects

Endocrine Disruptor Information Persistent Organic Pollutant Ozone Depletion Potential

This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors

This product does not contain any known or suspected substance This product does not contain any known or suspected substance

SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

13.1. Waste treatment methods

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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.. Empty containers

retain product residue, (liquid and/or vapor), and can be dangerous. Keep product and empty

container away from heat and sources of ignition.

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 dispose of waste into sewer. Can be incinerated, when in compliance with local regulations. Do not empty into drains. Large amounts will affect pH and harm aquatic organisms.

SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

IMDG/IMO

1407 14.1. UN number 14.2. UN proper shipping name **CAESIUM** 14.3. Transport hazard class(es) 4.3 Subsidiary Hazard Class 8 14.4. Packing group I

ADR

14.1. UN number 1407 14.2. UN proper shipping name **CAESIUM** 14.3. Transport hazard class(es) 4.3 14.4. Packing group I

IATA

14.1. UN number 1407 14.2. UN proper shipping name **CAESIUM** 14.3. Transport hazard class(es) 4.3 8 **Subsidiary Hazard Class** 14.4. Packing group

No hazards identified 14.5. Environmental hazards

14.6. Special precautions for user No special precautions required

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

X = listed International Inventories

Component	EINECS E	ELINCS	NLP	TSCA	DSL	NDSL	PICCS	ENCS	IECSC	AICS	KECL
Cesium	231-155-4	-		Χ	-	Χ	Χ	-	-	Χ	Χ

National Regulations

WGK Classification

WGK Classification: Hazardous to water/Class 1

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

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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 - Chinese Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

KECL - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

WEL - Workplace Exposure Limit

ACGIH - American Conference of Governmental Hygienists

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 - Japanese 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 Shins

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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This safety data sheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006

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