

Safety Data Sheet per OSHA HazCom 2012

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1 Identification

Product identifier

Product name: Tantalum(V) methoxide

Stock number: 18839 CAS Number:

865-35-0

Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against. Identified use: SU24 Scientific research and development

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet Manufacturer/Supplier:
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2 Hazard(s) identification

Classification of the substance or mixture in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)



GHS02 Flame

Flam. Sol. 2 H228 Flammable solid.



Acute Tox. 4 H302 Harmful if swallowed.

Skin Irrit. 2 H315 Causes skin irritation.

Eye Irrit. 2A H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

STOT SE 3 H335 May cause respiratory irritation. Hazards not otherwise classified No information known.

Label elements

GHS label elements The product is classified and labeled in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS) Hazard pictograms





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Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. No smoking.
Wear protective gloves / protective clothing.

+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. WHMIS classification

B4 - Flammable solid D2B - Toxic material causing other toxic effects



Classification system HMIS ratings (scale 0-4) (Hazardous Materials Identification System)



ALTH D Health (acute effects) = 3
RE 2 Flammability = 2
FACTIVITY 2 Physical Hazard = 2

Other hazards Results of PBT and vPvB assessment PBT: Not applicable. vPvB: Not applicable.

3 Composition/information on ingredients

Chemical characterization: Substances CAS# Description: 865-35-0 Tantalum(V) methoxide

4 First-aid measures

Description of first aid measures

After inhalation
Supply fresh air. If required, provide artificial respiration. Keep patient warm.
Seek immediate medical advice.

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After skin contact

Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.
Seek immediate medical advice.

After eye contact Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Then consult a doctor.

After swallowing Seek medical treatment Information for doctor

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed No further relevant information available.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed No further relevant information available.

5 Fire-fighting measures

Extinguishing media
Suitable extinguishing agents Use carbon dioxide, extinguishing powder or foam. Water may be ineffective but may be used for cooling exposed containers.
Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture
If this product is involved in a fire, the following can be released:
Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide
Metal oxide
Advice for firefinite.

Metal Oxide Advice for firefighters Protective equipment: Wear self-contained respirator.

Wear fully protective impervious suit.

6 Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures
Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.
Ensure adequate ventilation
Keep away from ignition sources
Environmental precautions: Do not allow material to be released to the environment without proper governmental permits.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:
Keep away from ignition sources.
Dispose of contaminated material as waste according to section 13.
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.

7 Handling and storage

Handling
Precautions for safe handling
Handle under dry protective gas.
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

Storage
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.
Store away from water/moisture.

Further information about storage conditions: Store under dry inert gas.

This product is moisture sensitive.
Keep container tightly sealed.
Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed containers.
Protect from humidity and water.

Specific end use(s) No further relevant information available.

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: Not required.

Additional information: No data

Exposure controls

Personal protective equipment

General protective and hygienic measures

The usual precautionary measures for handling chemicals should be followed.

Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.

Remove all soiled and contaminated clothing immediately.

Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.

Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

Maintain an ergonomically appropriate working environment.

Breathing equipment: Use suitable respirator when high concentrations are present.

Protection of hands:

Impervious gloves
Check protection of values
Check protective gloves prior to each use for their proper condition.
The selection of suitable gloves not only depends on the material, but also on quality. Quality will vary from manufacturer to manufacturer.

Eye protection: Safety glasses
Body protection: Protective work clothing.

9 Physical and chemical properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

General Information

Crystalline White

Appearance: Form: Color:

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(Contd. of page 2) Odor: Odor threshold: Not determined Not determined. pH-value: Not applicable. Change in condition Melting point/Melting range: Boiling point/Boiling range: 50 °C (122 °F) 189 °C (372 °F) (10mm Hg) Not determined Sublimation temperature / start: Not applicable Flash point: Highly flammable.
Not determined Flammability (solid, gaseous) Ignition temperature: Decomposition temperature: Not determined Auto igniting: Not determined Danger of explosion: Not determined. Explosion limits: Lower: Upper: Not determined Not determined Vapor pressure: Density: Relative density Not applicable. Not determined Not determined Napor density Evaporation rate Solubility in / Miscibility with Not applicable. Not applicable. Not determined Water: Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water): Not determined. Viscosity:

10 Stability and reactivity

Reactivity No information known.

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 No dangerous reactions known

Conditions to avoid No further relevant information available.

Incompatible materials:

Oxidizing agents

Water/moisture

Not applicable. No further relevant information available.

dynamic: kinematic:

Other information

Hazardous decomposition products: Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide

Metal oxide fume

11 Toxicological information

Information on toxicological effects
Acute toxicity: Harmful if swallowed.
LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification: No data
Skin irritation or corrosion:

Corrosive effect on skin and mucous membranes. Causes skin irritation.

Eye irritation or corrosion: Strong corrosive effect.

Strong corrosive effect.
Causes serious eye irritation.
Sensitization: No sensitizing effects known.
Germ cell mutagenicity: No effects known.
Carcinogenicity: No classification data on carcinogenic properties of this material is available from the EPA, IARC, NTP, OSHA or ACGIH.

Not applicable.

Reproductive toxicity: No effects known.

Specific target organ system toxicity - repeated exposure: No effects known.

Specific target organ system toxicity - single exposure: May cause respiratory irritation.

Aspiration hazard: No effects known.

Subacute to chronic toxicity: Tantalum compounds may cause skin and eye irritation.

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Subacute to chronic toxicity:

Methanol, if present or generated, may cause intoxication, headache, drowsiness, nausea, vomiting, blurred vision, blindness, coma and death. Methanol is a defatting agent and can cause skin and eye irritation. Absorption through the skin is possible. Chronic exposure may cause liver and eye injury.

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

12 Ecological information

Aquatic toxicity: No further relevant information available.

Persistence and degradability No further relevant information available.

Bioaccumulative potential No further relevant information available.

Mobility in soil No further relevant information available.

Additional ecological information:

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General notes:
Do not allow material to be released to the environment without proper governmental permits.
Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.
Avoid transfer into the environment.
Results of PBT and vPvB assessment
PBT: Not applicable.
vPvB: Not applicable.
Other adverse effects No further relevant information available.

13 Disposal considerations

Waste treatment methods

Recommendation Consult state, local or national regulations to ensure proper disposal.

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Uncleaned packagings:	(Contd. of page 3)
Recommendation: Disposal must be made according to official regulations.	
14 Transport information	
UN-Number DOT, IMDG, IATA	UN3181
UN proper shipping name DOT IMDG, IATA	Metal salts of organic compounds, flammable, n.o.s. (Tantalum(V) methoxide) METAL SALTS OF ORGANIC COMPOUNDS, FLAMMABLE, N.O.S. (Tantalum(V) methoxide)
Transport hazard class(es)	
DOT	
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Class Label Class	4.1 Flammable solids, self-reactive substances and solid desensitised explosives.4.14.1 (F3) Flammable solids, self-reactive substances and solid desensitised
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Packing group DOT, IMDG, IATA	III
Environmental hazards:	Not applicable.
Special precautions for user	Warning: Flammable solids, self-reactive substances and solid desensitised explosives
EMS Number: Segregation groups	explosives F-A,S-I Heavy metals and their salts (including their organometallic compounds)
Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code Not applicable.	
Transport/Additional information:	
DOT Marine Pollutant (DOT):	No
UN "Model Regulation":	UN3181, Metal salts of organic compounds, flammable, n.o.s. (Tantalum(V) methoxide), 4.1, III

15 Regulatory information

Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture GHS label elements The product is classified and labeled in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS) Hazard pictograms





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National regulations
This product is not listed in the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Toxic Substances Control Act Chemical Substance Inventory. Use of this product is restricted to research and development only. This product must be used by or directly under the supervision of a technically qualified individual as defined by TSCA. This product must not be used for commercial purposes or in formulations for commercial purposes.

SARA Section 313 (specific toxic chemical listings) Substance is not listed.

California Proposition 65
Prop 65 - Chemicals known to cause cancer Substance is not listed.

Prop 65 - Developmental toxicity Substance is not listed.

Prop 65 - Developmental toxicity, female Substance is not listed.

Prop 65 - Developmental toxicity, male Substance is not listed.

Information about limitation of use: For use only by technically qualified individuals.

Other regulations, limitations and prohibitive regulations

Substance of Very High Concern (SVHC) according to the REACH Regulations (EC) No. 1907/2006. Substance is not 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.

Substance is not listed Annex XIV of the REACH Regulations (requiring Authorisation for use) Substance is not listed. Chemical safety assessment: A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

16 Other information

Employers should use this information only as a supplement to other information gathered by them, and should make independent judgement of suitability of this information to ensure proper use and protect the health and safety of employees. This information is furnished without warranty, and any use of the product not in conformance with this Material Safety Data Sheet, or in combination with any other product or process, is the responsibility of the user.



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Department issuing SDS: Global Marketing Department
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RID: Règlement international concernant le transport des marchandises dangereuses par chemin de fer (Regulations Concerning the International Transport of Dangerous Goods by Rail)
IATA-DGR: Dangerous Goods Regulations by the "International Air Transport Association" (IATA)
ICAO: International Civil Aviation Organization
ICAO: International Civil Aviation Organization
ICAO: The service auropede sure le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)
IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods
DOT: US Department of Transportation
IATA: International Air Transport Association
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VEMIS: Workplace Heardous Materials Information System (Canada)
LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent
VPUS: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative
ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists (USA)
OSHA: Occupational Safety and Health Administration (USA)
IATA: International Agency for Research on Cancer
EPA: Environmental Protection Agency (USA)