

# **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

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1. Identification

Product Name Gallium

Cat No.: AC317990000; AC317990100; AC317990500

**CAS No** 7440-55-3

Synonyms No information available

Recommended Use Laboratory chemicals.

**Uses advised against** Food, drug, pesticide or biocidal product use.

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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# 2. Hazard(s) identification

Classification

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Corrosive to metals Category 1
Acute oral toxicity Category 4

Label Elements

Signal Word

Warning

**Hazard Statements** 

May be corrosive to metals Harmful if swallowed



## **Precautionary Statements**

#### Prevention

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product

Keep only in original container

Ingestion

IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell

Rinse mouth

Spills

Absorb spillage to prevent material damage

Storage

Store in corrosive resistant polypropylene container with a resistant inliner

Disposal

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects

3.	Comi	oosition/	Information on	Ingredients
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Component	CAS No	Weight %
Gallium	7440-55-3	<=100

## 4. 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. Get

medical attention.

**Skin Contact** Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. If skin irritation persists,

call a physician.

**Inhalation** Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Get medical attention if

symptoms occur.

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

symptoms occur.

Most important symptoms and

effects

None reasonably foreseeable.

Notes to Physician Treat symptomatically

## 5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable Extinguishing Media Alcohol resistant foam. Dry chemical. Dry sand.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media No information available

Flash Point No information available No information available

**Autoignition Temperature** 

**Explosion Limits** 

No information available

Upper No data available
Lower No data available
Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact No information available
Sensitivity to Static Discharge No information available

#### **Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical**

Keep product and empty container away from heat and sources of ignition.

#### **Hazardous Combustion Products**

None known.

#### **Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters**

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

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Health	Flammability	Instability	Physical hazards
1	1	1	N/A

## 6. Accidental release measures

Personal Precautions Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment as required. Avoid dust

formation.

Environmental Precautions Should not be released into the environment. Do not flush into surface water or sanitary

sewer system.

**Methods for Containment and Clean** Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. Keep in suitable, closed **Up** containers for disposal.

Handling Wear personal protective equipment/face protection. Ensure adequate ventilation. Do not

get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Avoid ingestion and inhalation. Avoid dust formation.

**Storage.** Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Store under an inert atmosphere. To maintain product quality: Keep refrigerated. Incompatible Materials.

Strong oxidizing agents. Acids. Halogens. Peroxides. Metals. Strong bases.

## 8. Exposure controls / personal protection

<u>Exposure Guidelines</u>

This product does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure

limitsestablished by the region specific regulatory bodies.

**Engineering Measures** Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

**Personal Protective Equipment** 

**Eye/face Protection** Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by

OSHA's eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard

EN166.

**Skin and body protection**Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure.

**Respiratory Protection**No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions.

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

# 9. Physical and chemical properties

Physical StateSolidAppearanceSilverOdorOdorless

Odor Threshold<br/>pHNo information available<br/>No information availableMelting Point/Range29.7 °C / 85.5 °F

Boiling Point/Range 2400 °C / 4352 °F @ 760 mmHg

Flash Point No information available

Evaporation Rate Not applicable

Flammability (solid,gas) No information available

Flammability or explosive limits

Upper
Lower
No data available
No data available
Vapor Pressure
No information available
No applicable

Vapor DensityNot applicableSpecific GravityNo information available

Solubility

Partition coefficient; n-octanol/water

Autoignition Temperature

Decomposition Temperature

Insoluble in water

No data available

No information available

No information available

Viscosity Not applicable

Molecular Formula Ga Molecular Weight 69.72

# 10. Stability and reactivity

Reactive Hazard None known, based on information available

**Stability** Moisture sensitive.

Conditions to Avoid Incompatible products. Excess heat. Avoid dust formation. Exposure to moist air or water.

Incompatible Materials Strong oxidizing agents, Acids, Halogens, Peroxides, Metals, Strong bases

Hazardous Decomposition Products None under normal use conditions

**Hazardous Polymerization** Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

**Hazardous Reactions**None under normal processing.

# 11. Toxicological information

**Acute Toxicity** 

Product Information The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated

**Oral LD50** Category 3. ATE = 50 - 300 mg/kg.

**Component Information** 

Toxicologically Synergistic No information available

**Products** 

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Irritation No information available

Sensitization No information available

**Carcinogenicity** The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen.

Component	CAS No	IARC	NTP	ACGIH	OSHA	Mexico
Gallium	7440-55-3	Not listed				

**Mutagenic Effects** 

Mutagenic effects have occurred in humans.

No information available. **Reproductive Effects** 

**Developmental Effects** No information available.

**Teratogenicity** No information available.

STOT - single exposure None known STOT - repeated exposure None known

No information available Aspiration hazard

Symptoms / effects, both acute and No information available

**Endocrine Disruptor Information** 

delayed

No information available

Other Adverse Effects No information available.

# 12. Ecological information

#### **Ecotoxicity**

Do not empty into drains. Harmful to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment. The product contains following substances which are hazardous for the environment.

Persistence and Degradability Insoluble in water

**Bioaccumulation/ Accumulation** No information available.

**Mobility** Is not likely mobile in the environment due its low water solubility.

# 13. Disposal considerations

**Waste Disposal Methods** 

Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. Chemical waste generators must also consult local, regional, and national hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.

# 14. Transport information

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TDG

**UN-No** UN2803 **Proper Shipping Name GALLIUM Hazard Class Packing Group** Ш

IATA

UN2803 **UN-No GALLIUM Proper Shipping Name Hazard Class Packing Group** Ш

IMDG/IMO

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## Packing Group III

# 15. Regulatory information

#### United States of America Inventory

Component	CAS No	TSCA	TSCA Inventory notification -	TSCA - EPA Regulatory
			Active-Inactive	Flags
Gallium	7440-55-3	X	ACTIVE	-

#### Legend:

TSCA US EPA (TSCA) - Toxic Substances Control Act, (40 CFR Part 710)

X - Listed

'-' - Not Listed

TSCA 12(b) - Notices of Export Not applicable

#### **International Inventories**

Canada (DSL/NDSL), Europe (EINECS/ELINCS/NLP), Philippines (PICCS), Japan (ENCS), Japan (ISHL), Australia (AICS), China (IECSC), Korea (KECL).

	Component	CAS No	DSL	NDSL	EINECS	PICCS	ENCS	ISHL	AICS	IECSC	KECL
Γ	Gallium	7440-55-3	Х	-	231-163-8	Х	Χ		Х	Х	KE-17424

KECL - NIER number or KE number (http://ncis.nier.go.kr/en/main.do)

## U.S. Federal Regulations

SARA 313 Not applicable

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories See section 2 for more information

**CWA (Clean Water Act)** 

Clean Air Act Not applicable

**OSHA** - Occupational Safety and

Health Administration

Not applicable

CERCLA Not applicable

California Proposition 65 This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

# U.S. State Right-to-Know

Regulations

Component	Massachusetts	New Jersey	Pennsylvania	Illinois	Rhode Island
Gallium	-	X	-	-	-

## **U.S. Department of Transportation**

Reportable Quantity (RQ): N
DOT Marine Pollutant N
DOT Severe Marine Pollutant N

#### U.S. Department of Homeland

Security

This product does not contain any DHS chemicals.

Other International Regulations

Mexico - Grade No information available

#### Authorisation/Restrictions according to EU REACH

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

Component	CAS No	OECD HPV	Persistent Organic Pollutant	Ozone Depletion Potential	Restriction of Hazardous Substances (RoHS)
Gallium	7440-55-3	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
Component	CAS No	Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC) - Qualifying Quantities for Major Accident Notification	Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC) - Qualifying Quantities for Safety Report Requirements	Rotterdam Convention (PIC)	Basel Convention (Hazardous Waste)
Gallium	7440-55-3	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable

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replacing the current legislation under 29 CFR 1910.1200 to align with the Globally

Harmonized System of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals (GHS).

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