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## 1. Identification of the substance and of the company

\* Identification of the substance: W,WL10,WL15, WL20, WC20,WVM, WVMW, WK, WLZ \* Use of the substance: products such as for lighting- and welding technology, components for high temperature furnace construction, quartz glass production, ion implantation, thin film technology, medical applications \*Company: PLANSEE SE, A-6600 Reutte, e-mail: <a href="mailto:environment.management@plansee.com">environment.management@plansee.com</a> \*Emergency number: phone +43 (5672)600-0

## 2. Hazards Identification

\*Classification: not hazardous material pursuant to Regulation (EC) no. 1272/2008 EC or EC Directive 67/548/EEC \*Compact Metal / Alloy with no Risk to Human Health or the Environment.

## 3. Composition/Information on ingredients

\*Summary: tungsten, addition of oxides of La, Zr and Ce, Al- and K-silicate, < 3 % mass fraction EC no. 231-143-9

CAS no. 7440-33-7
\*Hazardous components: none

4. First-aid measures

\*Inhalation: no exposure when used as directed. \*Skin contact: wash dust off thoroughly with soap and water. \* Doctor is needed or advisable: consult a physician after prolonged exposure to dust.

5. Fire-fighting measures

\*Suitable extinguishing media: The product itself is not flammable. \*Adapt extinguishing measures to surroundings. \*Special hazard: increased fire hazard during dust formation. \*Protective equipment: breathing protection in the presence of dust.

6. Accidental release measures

\*Personnel-related precautionary measures: dust should be suction cleaned directly at source.
\*Environmental protection measures: no particular environmental protection measures are required.

7. Handling and storage

\*Handling: Avoid dust formation. Use suction cleaning if unavoidable and when processing at high temperatures (sublimate formation, see item 10). \*Storage: no special measures required.

8. Exposure controls/personal protection

\*Exposure thresholds: workplace: 5 mg/m³ inhalable fraction, mean daily value \*Dust-like emissions: General 5 mg/m³ \*Wastewater emissions: 5 mg/l \*Workplace exposure: install suction cleaning when working with dust and sublimate and use at least one FFP2 respirator. \*Environmental exposure: install suction cleaning with filter when working with dust formation. \*Do not empty into drains.

9. Physical and chemical properties

\*Appearance: solid grey material \*Melting point: 3410 °C \*Density: 19,3 g/cm³ at 20°C \*Solubility: insoluble in water, acids and bases; soluble only in hydrofluoric acid or a base in combination with a strong oxidizing agent.

10. Stability and reactivity

\*Conditions to be avoided: high temperatures in air (strong oxidation beginning around 400°C, sublimation of WO₃ beginning around 850°C).
\*Substances to be avoided: none

11. Toxicological information

\*No known toxic effects.

12. Ecological information

\*Ecotoxicity: No known ecotoxic effects. \*Mobility: low mobility due to low solubility. \*Persistence and degradability: stable inorganic material. \*Bioaccumulation potential: no evidence of bioaccumulation potential.

13. Disposal considerations

\*Dispose of residues as metal waste. \*Obey national or regional regulations.

14. Transport information

\*ADR / RID / ADN / IATA (ICAO) / IMDG: not a dangerous good pursuant to international transport regulations.

15. Regulatory information

\*No labeling required. \*The exposure thresholds given under item 8 pertain to Austrian legal regulations. \*Obey national regulations.

16. Other information

\*Above information corresponds to our current state of knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

\*Detailed results of the toxicological and ecotoxicological effects are described in the chemical safety report for REACH registration

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