

1. Identification of the	substance
and of the company	

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 74 % mass fraction, rhenium 26 % mass fraction EC no. tungsten: 231-143-9, rhenium: 231-124-5

CAS no. tungsten: 7440-33-7, rhenium: 7440-15-5

*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: tungsten 5 mg/m³ inhalable fraction, mean daily value, *Dust-like emissions: General: 5 mg/m³ *Wastewater emissions: tungsten 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: > 3180°C *Density: 19,4 to 19,7 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 data available.

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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