



SAFETY DATA SHEET

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

Product Identifier

CAS No.	7440-58-6
Product Name	Hafnium powder
Molecular Formula	Hf

Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Recommended use	Alloy product manufacture.
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Details of the supplier

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Section 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

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

GHS label elements not applicable

Hazard pictograms not applicable

Signal word danger

Hazard statements H228 Flammable solid.

Precautionary statements

P210 Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces - No smoking, P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection, P370+P378 In case of fire: Use Class D dry chemical extinguishing agent for extinction.

Section 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical characterization: solid powder

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Description: Hafnium powder

Section 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

Description of first aid measures

If inhaled

Remove to fresh air, keep warm and quiet, give oxygen if breathing is difficult. Seek medical attention.

In case of skin contact

Remove contaminated clothing, brush material off skin, wash affected area with soap and water. Seek medical attention if irritation develops or persists.

In case of eye contact

Flush eyes with lukewarm water, including under upper and lower eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Seek medical attention if irritation develops or persists.

If swallowed

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Rinse mouth with water. Do not induce vomiting. Seek medical attention. Never induce vomiting or give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

May cause irritation. See section 11 for more information.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No other relevant information available.

Section 5: FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Extinguishing media Suitable

Use Class D dry powder extinguishing agent or dry table salt.

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Fine dust dispersed in air in sufficient concentrations, and in the presence of an ignition source, is a potential dust explosion hazard. May release hafnium oxide fume if involved in a fire.

Advice for firefighters

Wear full face, self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing

Section 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Wear appropriate respiratory and protective equipment specified in section 8. Isolate spill area and provide ventilation. Avoid breathing dust or fume. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Eliminate all sources of ignition.

Environmental precautions

Do not allow to enter drains or to be released to the environment.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Avoid dust formation. Use only non-sparking tools and natural bristle brushes. Do not push powder for long distances across the floor. Keep in small piles away from each other. Place in non-sparking or anti-static containers.

Section 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

Handle in an enclosed, controlled process. Use non-sparking tools. Protect from sources of ignition. Avoid creating dust. Avoid breathing dust or fumes. Provide adequate ventilation if dusts are created. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Wash thoroughly before eating or smoking. See section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store in a cool, dry area. Store material tightly sealed in properly labeled containers. Storage area should be free of combustibles and ignition sources. See section 10 for more information on incompatible materials.

Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls

When working with finely divided powders, handle in a controlled, enclosed environment. Ensure adequate ventilation to maintain exposures below occupational limits. Whenever possible the use of local exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls is the preferred method of controlling exposure to airborne dust and fume to meet established occupational exposure limits. Use good housekeeping and sanitation practices. Do not use tobacco or food in work area. Wash thoroughly before eating or smoking. Do not blow dust off clothing or skin with compressed air.

Personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection

In the case of particles coming in contact with eyes during processing, treat as with any foreign object.

Skin protection

Impermeable gloves, protective work clothing as necessary.

Respiratory protection

When particulates/fumes/gases are generated and if exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, proper approved respiratory protection should be worn. Positive-pressure supplied air respirators may be required for high airborne contaminant concentrations. Respiratory protection must be provided in accordance with current local regulations.

Section 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

- a) Appearance: powder
- b) Odor: Odorless
- c) Odor Threshold: no data available
- d) pH: N/A

- e) Melting point/freezing point: 2227±20℃
- f) Initial boiling point and boiling range: 4602℃
- g) Flash point: N/A
- h) Evaporation rate: N/A
- i) Flammability (solid, gas): Flammable solid
- j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits: no data available
- k) Vapor pressure: no data available
- l) Vapor density: no data available
- m) Relative density: 13.31 g/cc @ 20℃
- n) Water solubility: insoluble
- o) Partition coefficient - octanol/water: no data available
- p) Auto-ignition temperature: no data available
- q) Decomposition temperature: no data available
- r) Viscosity: N/A
- s) Explosive properties: no data available
- t) Oxidizing properties: no data available

Other safety information

No data available

Section 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity	No data available
Chemical stability	Stable under recommended storage conditions
Possibility of hazardous reactions	Dust dispersed in air may be explosive. Keep fine turnings completely dry, or very wet. If wet, the water content should be more than 25% by weight for maximum safety in handling. Severe explosions can result from ignition of hafnium powder or machining fines containing moisture in the concentration range of 5 to 10%.
Conditions to avoid	All sources of ignition. Dusting conditions.
Incompatible Conditions	Hydrofluoric acid, hydrofluoric-nitric acid mixture, fluorine, chlorine, bromine, iodine, halocarbons, carbon tetrachloride, carbon tetrafluoride, freons, nitryl-fluoride.
Hazardous Decomposition Products	Hafnium oxide fume.

Section 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute toxicity: no data available

Inhalation: no data available **Dermal:** no data available

Skin corrosion/irritation: no data available

Serious eye damage/eye irritation: no data available

Respiratory or skin sensitization: no data available

Germ cell mutagen city : no data available

Carcinogenicity

IARC: Not identified as carcinogenic

NTP: Not identified as carcinogenic

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure: no data available

Aspiration hazard : no data available

Section 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity	No further relevant information available.
Persistence and degradability	No information available.
Bioaccumulation	No information available.
Mobility	No information available.
Results of PBT and vPvB assessment	No information available.
Other adverse effects	Do not allow material to be released to the environment. No further relevant information available.

Section 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste treatment methods

Product

Reuse or recycle material whenever possible. Dispose of in accordance with Federal, State and Local regulations.

Contaminated packaging

Dispose of in accordance with Federal, State and Local regulations.

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Section 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT (US)

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

IMDG

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

IATA

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

Section 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

SARA 302 Components

No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

SARA 313 Components

This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

SARA 311/312 Hazards

No SARA Hazards

Section 16: OTHER INFORMATION

Disclaimer

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