SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1 Product identifiers

Product name : Tungsten
Product Number : 267538
Brand : Aldrich
CAS-No. : 7440-33-7

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

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Synthesis of substances

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company : Sigma-Aldrich Inc.
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ST. LOUIS MO 63103
UNITED STATES

Telephone : +1 314 771-5765
Fax : +1 800 325-5052

1.4 Emergency telephone

Emergency Phone # : 800-424-9300 CHEMTREC (USA) +1-703-527-3887 CHEMTREC (International) 24 Hours/day; 7 Days/week

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Not a hazardous substance or mixture.

2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Not a hazardous substance or mixture.

2.3 Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS - none

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1 Substances

Formula : W
Aldrich - 267538
The life science business of Merck KGaA, Darmstadt, Germany operates as MilliporeSigma in the US and Canada

Molecular weight : 183.84 g/mol  
CAS-No. : 7440-33-7  
EC-No. : 231-143-9

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<td>Tungsten rod, foil, wire, mesh, nut, lump, tube, washer, insulating wire (where insulating property comes from the presence of insulating polymers like Polyimide, Polyester, PTFE (Polytetrafluoroethylene), Nylon etc. along with the metal )</td>
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SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1 Description of first-aid measures

If inhaled
After inhalation: fresh air.

In case of skin contact
In case of skin contact: Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.

In case of eye contact
After eye contact: rinse out with plenty of water. Remove contact lenses.

If swallowed
After swallowing: make victim drink water (two glasses at most). Consult doctor if feeling unwell.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed
The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed
No data available

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1 Extinguishing media

Unsuitable extinguishing media
For this substance/mixture no limitations of extinguishing agents are given.

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture
Tungsten oxide

5.3 Advice for firefighters
In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

5.4 Further information
none
**SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

6.1 **Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**
Advice for non-emergency personnel: Avoid inhalation of dusts. Evacuate the danger area, observe emergency procedures, consult an expert.
For personal protection see section 8.

6.2 **Environmental precautions**
No special precautionary measures necessary.

6.3 **Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up**
Observe possible material restrictions (see sections 7 and 10). Take up dry. Dispose of properly. Clean up affected area. Avoid generation of dusts.

6.4 **Reference to other sections**
For disposal see section 13.

**SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

7.1 **Precautions for safe handling**
For precautions see section 2.2.

7.2 **Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**

   **Storage conditions**
   Tightly closed. Dry.

   **Storage class**
   Storage class (TRGS 510): 11: Combustible Solids

7.3 **Specific end use(s)**
Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

**SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

8.1 **Control parameters**

   **Ingredients with workplace control parameters**
Component | CAS-No. | Value | Control parameters | Basis |
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Tungsten rod, foil, wire, mesh, nut, lump, tube, washer, insulating wire (where insulating property comes from the presence of insul) | 7440-33-7 | PEL | 5 mg/m³ | California permissible exposure limits for chemical contaminants (Title 8, Article 107) |
 |  | TWA | 3 mg/m³ | USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV) |
 |  | TWA | 5 mg/m³ | USA. NIOSH Recommended Exposure Limits |
 |  | ST | 10 mg/m³ | USA. NIOSH Recommended Exposure Limits |

### 8.2 Exposure controls

**Appropriate engineering controls**
Change contaminated clothing. Wash hands after working with substance.

**Personal protective equipment**

**Eye/face protection**
Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU). Safety glasses

**Skin protection**
Handle with impervious gloves.

This recommendation applies only to the product stated in the safety data sheet, supplied by us and for the designated use. When dissolving in or mixing with other substances and under conditions deviating from those stated in EN 16523-1 please contact the supplier of CE-approved gloves (e.g. KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, Internet: www.kcl.de).

Full contact
Material: Nitrile rubber
Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm
Break through time: 480 min
Material tested: KCL 741 Dermatril® L

Splash contact
Material: Nitrile rubber
Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm
Break through time: 480 min
Material tested: KCL 741 Dermatril® L

**Respiratory protection**
Recommended Filter type: Filter type P1
The entrepreneur has to ensure that maintenance, cleaning and testing of respiratory protective devices are carried out according to the instructions of the producer. These measures have to be properly documented. Required when dusts are generated.

Our recommendations on filtering respiratory protection are based on the following standards: DIN EN 143, DIN 14387 and other accompanying standards relating to the used respiratory protection system.

**Control of environmental exposure**
No special precautionary measures necessary.

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**SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

**9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

a) Appearance  
Form: Foil  
Color: dark green

b) Odor  
odorless

c) Odor Threshold  
No data available

d) pH  
No data available

e) Melting point/freezing point  
Melting point/range: 3,410 °C (6,170 °F) - lit.

f) Initial boiling point and boiling range  
5,660 °C 10,220 °F - lit.

g) Flash point  
(Not applicable)

h) Evaporation rate  
No data available

i) Flammability (solid, gas)  
No data available

j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits  
No data available

k) Vapor pressure  
No data available

l) Vapor density  
No data available

m) Density  
19.3 g/cm3 at 25 °C (77 °F) - lit.

n) Water solubility  
slightly soluble

o) Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water  
No data available

p) Autoignition temperature  
310 °C (590 °F)

q) Decomposition temperature  
No data available
9.2 Other safety information
No data available

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1 Reactivity
No data available

10.2 Chemical stability
The product is chemically stable under standard ambient conditions (room temperature).

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions
No data available

10.4 Conditions to avoid
Air
No information available

10.5 Incompatible materials
Bromine, chloride trifluoride, Potassium dichromate, Nitryl Fluoride, Fluorine, Oxygen difluoride, Hydrogen sulfide gas, Peroxides, lead oxide, Oxidizing agents

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products
In the event of fire: see section 5

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity
Oral: 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 mutagenicity
No data available

Carcinogenicity
IARC: No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is
identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

NTP: No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is on OSHA’s list of regulated carcinogens.

Reproductive toxicity
No data available

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure
No data available

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure
No data available

Aspiration hazard
No data available

11.2 Additional Information
To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1 Toxicity
No data available

12.2 Persistence and degradability
No data available

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential
No data available

12.4 Mobility in soil
No data available

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment
PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted

12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties
No data available

12.7 Other adverse effects
No data available
SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1 Waste treatment methods

**Product**
Waste material must be disposed of in accordance with the national and local regulations. Leave chemicals in original containers. No mixing with other waste. Handle uncleaned containers like the product itself.

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SECTION 14: Transport information

**DOT (US)**
Not dangerous goods

**IMDG**
Not dangerous goods

**IATA**
Not dangerous goods

**Further information**
Not classified as dangerous in the meaning of transport regulations.

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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

**Massachusetts Right To Know Components**
No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

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SECTION 16: Other information

**Further information**
The information is believed to be correct but is not exhaustive and will be used solely as a guideline, which is based on current knowledge of the chemical substance or mixture and is applicable to appropriate safety precautions for the product. It does not represent any guarantee of the properties of the product. Sigma-Aldrich Corporation and its
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