

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## **SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION**

Product Identifier: (4N) 99.99% Silver Conductive Paste

Product Code: AG-M-04-PST

CAS Number: 7440-22-4

Relevant identified uses of the substance: Scientific research and development

Supplier details:

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## **SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

Classification of the substance or mixture Hazard Statements: H400-H410 Very toxic to aquatic life. Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects. Precautionary Statements: P273-P391-P501a Avoid release to the environment. Collect spillage. Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.



Classification system HMIS ratings (scale 0-4) (Hazardous Materials Identification System) Health (acute effects) = 1 Flammability = 0 Physical Hazard = 1 Other hazards Results of PBT and vPvB assessment PBT: Not applicable. vPvB:

## **SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Chemical characterization: Substances CAS# Description: 7440-22-4 Silver Identification number(s): EC number: 231-131-3

#### **SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES**

Description of first aid measures After inhalation Supply fresh air. If required, provide artificial respiration. Keep patient warm. Seek immediate medical advice. After skin contact Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly. Seek immediate medical advice. After eye contact Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Then consult a doctor. After swallowing Seek medical treatment. Information for doctor Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed No further relevant information available. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed No further relevant information available.

## **SECTION 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

Extinguishing media Suitable extinguishing agents Special powder for metal fires. Do not use water. For safety reasons unsuitable extinguishing agents Water Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture If this product is involved in a fire, the following can be released: Metal oxide fume Advice for firefighters Protective equipment: Wear self-contained respirator. Wear fully protective impervious suit.

## SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.
Ensure adequate ventilation
Environmental precautions:
Do not allow material to be released to the environment without proper governmental permits.
Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:
Pick up mechanically.
Prevention of secondary hazards:
No special measures required.
Reference to other sections
See Section 7 for information on safe handling
See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.
See Section 13 for disposal information.

## SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling

Precautions for safe handling

Keep container tightly sealed.

Store in cool, dry place in tightly closed containers.

Ensure good ventilation at the workplace.

Information about protection against explosions and fires:

No information known.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities Storage

Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:

No special requirements.

Information about storage in one common storage facility:

Do not store together with oxidizing and acidic materials.

Further information about storage conditions:

Keep container tightly sealed.

Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed containers.

Specific end use(s)

No further relevant information available.

## SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Additional information about design of technical systems: Properly operating chemical fume hood designed for hazardous chemicals and having an average face velocity of at least 100 feet per minute. Control parameters Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace: 7440-22-4 Silver (100.0%) PEL (USA) Long-term value: 0.01 mg/m<sup>3</sup> metal and soluble compounds (as Ag) REL (USA) Long-term value: 0.01 mg/m<sup>3</sup> TLV (USA) Long-term value: 0.1 mg/m<sup>3</sup> metal: dust and fume EL (Canada) Short-term value: 0.03 mg/m<sup>3</sup> Long-term value: 0.01 mg/m<sup>3</sup> as Ag EV (Canada) Long-term value: 0.1\* 0.01\*\* mg/m<sup>3</sup>

\*metal;\*\*water-soluble compdounds (as silver) Additional information: No data Exposure controls Personal protective equipment General protective and hygienic measures The usual precautionary measures for handling chemicals should be followed. Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed. Remove all soiled and contaminated clothing immediately. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work. Maintain an ergonomically appropriate working environment. Breathing equipment: Use suitable respirator when high concentrations are present. Protection of hands: Impervious aloves Check protective gloves prior to each use for their proper condition. The selection of suitable gloves not only depends on the material, but also on quality. Quality will vary from manufacturer to manufacturer. Penetration time of glove material (in minutes) Not determined Eye protection: Safety glasses Body protection: Protective work clothing.

#### **SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

Information on basic physical and chemical properties **General Information** Appearance: Form: Various forms Odor: Characteristic Odor threshold: Not determined. pH-value: Not applicable. Change in condition Melting point/Melting range: 961.8 °C (1763 °F) Boiling point/Boiling range: 2210 °C (4010 °F) Sublimation temperature / start: Not determined Flammability (solid, gaseous) Not determined. Ignition temperature: Not determined Decomposition temperature: Not determined Auto igniting: Not determined. Danger of explosion: Not determined. **Explosion limits:** Lower: Not determined Upper: Not determined Vapor pressure: Not applicable. Density at 20 °C (68 °F): 10.5 g/cm<sup>3</sup> (87.623 lbs/gal) Relative density Not determined. Vapor density Not applicable.

Evaporation rate Not applicable. Solubility in / Miscibility with Water: Insoluble Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water): Not determined. Viscosity: dynamic: Not applicable. kinematic: Not applicable. Other information No further relevant information available.

## SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity No information known. Chemical stability Stable under recommended storage conditions. Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided: Decomposition will not occur if used and stored according to specifications. Possibility of hazardous reactions No dangerous reactions known Conditions to avoid No further relevant information available. Incompatible materials: Oxidizing agents Hazardous decomposition products: Metal oxide fume

## SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on toxicological effects Acute toxicity: The Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances (RTECS) contains acute toxicity data for this substance. LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification: No data Skin irritation or corrosion: May cause irritation Eye irritation or corrosion: May cause irritation Sensitization: No sensitizing effects known. Germ cell mutagenicity: No effects known. Carcinogenicity: EPA-D: Not classifiable as to human carcinogenicity: inadequate human and animal evidence of carcinogenicity or no data are available. The Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances (RTECS) contains tumorigenic and/or carcinogenic and/or neoplastic data for this substance. Reproductive toxicity: No effects known. Specific target organ system toxicity - repeated exposure:

No effects known. Specific target organ system toxicity - single exposure: No effects known. Aspiration hazard: No effects known. Subacute to chronic toxicity: The Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances (RTECS) contains multiple dose toxicity data for this substance. Additional toxicological information: To the best of our knowledge the acute and chronic toxicity of this substance is not fully known. Carcinogenic categories OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety & Health Administration) Substance is not listed.

## SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Toxicity

Aquatic toxicity: No further relevant information available. Persistence and degradability No further relevant information available. Bioaccumulative potential No further relevant information available. Mobility in soil No further relevant information available. Ecotoxical effects: Remark: Very toxic for aquatic organisms Additional ecological information: General notes: Do not allow product to reach ground water, water course or sewage system. Do not allow material to be released to the environment without proper governmental permits. Danger to drinking water if even small quantities leak into the ground. Also poisonous for fish and plankton in water bodies. May cause long lasting harmful effects to aquatic life. Avoid transfer into the environment. Very toxic for aquatic organisms Results of PBT and vPvB assessment **PBT**. Not applicable. vPvB: Not applicable. Other adverse effects

No further relevant information available.

## **SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

Waste treatment methods Recommendation Consult state, local or national regulations to ensure proper disposal. Uncleaned packagings:

## **SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

**UN-Number** DOT, IMDG, IATA UN3077 UN proper shipping name DOT Environmentally hazardous substances, solid, n.o.s. (Silver) IMDG ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. (Silver), MARINE POLLUTANT IATA ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. (Silver) Transport hazard class(es) DOT, IMDG, IATA Class 9 Miscellaneous dangerous substances and articles. Label 9 Class 9 (M7) Miscellaneous dangerous substances and articles Label 9 Packing group DOT, IMDG, IATA Ш Environmental hazards: Marine pollutant (IMDG): Yes (P) Symbol (fish and tree) Special marking (ADR): Symbol (fish and tree) Special marking (IATA): Symbol (fish and tree) Special precautions for user Warning: Miscellaneous dangerous substances and articles EMS Number: F-A,S-F Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code Not applicable. Transport/Additional information: DOT Marine Pollutant (DOT): No Remarks: Special marking with the symbol (fish and tree). UN "Model Regulation": UN3077, Environmentally hazardous substances, solid, n.o.s. (Silver), 9, III

## **SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture National regulations All components of this product are listed in the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Toxic Substances Control Act Chemical substance Inventory. All components of this product are listed on the Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL). SARA Section 313 (specific toxic chemical listings) 7440-22-4 Silver California Proposition 65 Prop 65 - Chemicals known to cause cancer Substance is not listed. Prop 65 - Developmental toxicity Substance is not listed. Prop 65 - Developmental toxicity, female Substance is not listed. Prop 65 - Developmental toxicity, male Substance is not listed. Information about limitation of use: For use only by technically qualified individuals. Other regulations, limitations and prohibitive regulations Substance of Very High Concern (SVHC) according to the REACH Regulations (EC) No. 1907/2006. Substance is not listed. The conditions of restrictions according to Article 67 and Annex XVII of the Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH) for the manufacturing, placing on the market and use must be observed. Substance is not listed. Annex XIV of the REACH Regulations (requiring Authorisation for use) Substance is not listed. Chemical safety assessment: A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

## **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

Safety Data Sheet according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH). The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. The information in this document is based on the present state of our knowledge and is applicable to the product with regard to appropriate safety precautions. It does not represent any guarantee of the properties of the product. American Elements shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product. See reverse side of invoice or packing slip for additional terms and conditions of sale. COPYRIGHT 1997-2022 AMERICAN ELEMENTS. LICENSED GRANTED TO MAKE UNLIMITED PAPER COPIES FOR INTERNAL USE ONLY.