

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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### **SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION**

Product Identifier: (3N) 99.9% Beryllium Concentrate

Product Code: BE-M-03-CONC

CAS Number: 7440-41-7

Relevant identified uses of the substance: Scientific research and development

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# **SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

Classification of the substance or mixture Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 GHS06 Skull and crossbones Acute Tox. 3 H301 Toxic if swallowed. Acute Tox. 2 H330 Fatal if inhaled. GHS08 Health hazard Carc. 1B H350 May cause cancer. STOT RE 1 H372 Causes damage to the lung and the blood through prolonged or repeated exposure. Route of exposure: Inhalative. GHS07 Skin Irrit. 2 H315 Causes skin irritation. Eye Irrit. 2 H319 Causes serious eye irritation. Skin Sens. 1 H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction. STOT SE 3 H335 May cause respiratory irritation. Classification according to Directive 67/548/EEC or Directive 1999/45/EC T+; Very toxic R26: Very toxic by inhalation. T: Toxic R49-25-48/23: May cause cancer by inhalation. Toxic if swallowed. Toxic: danger of serious damage to health by prolonged exposure through inhalation. Xi; Irritant

R36/37/38: Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin. Xi; Sensitizing R43: May cause sensitization by skin contact. Carc. Cat. 2 Information concerning particular hazards for human and environment: N/A Hazards not otherwise classified No data available Label elements Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 The substance is classified and labeled according to the CLP regulation. Hazard pictograms



GHS06 GHS08 Signal word: Danger Hazard statements H301 Toxic if swallowed. H330 Fatal if inhaled. H315 Causes skin irritation. H319 Causes serious eye irritation. H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction. H350 May cause cancer. H335 May cause respiratory irritation. H372 Causes damage to the lung and the blood through prolonged or repeated exposure. Route of exposure: Inhalative. Precautionary statements P260 Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray. P301+P310 IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER/ doctor/... P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. P320 Specific treatment is urgent (see on this label). P405 Store locked up. P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations. WHMIS classification D1A - Very toxic material causing immediate and serious toxic effects D2A - Very toxic material causing other toxic effects Classification system HMIS ratings (scale 0-4) (Hazardous Materials Identification System) HEALTH FIRE REACTIVITY 1 0 0 Health (acute effects) = 1Flammability = 0Physical Hazard = 0 Other hazards Results of PBT and vPvB assessment PBT: N/A

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

Substances CAS No. / Substance Name: 7440-41-7 Beryllium Identification number(s): EC number: 231-150-7 Index number: 004-001-00-7

# **SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES**

Description of first aid measures General information Immediately remove any clothing soiled by the product. Remove breathing apparatus only after contaminated clothing has been completely removed. In case of irregular breathing or respiratory arrest provide artificial respiration. No special measures required. If inhaled: Seek medical treatment in case of complaints. In case of skin contact: Generally the product does not irritate the skin. In case of eye contact: Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. If symptoms persist, consult a doctor. If swallowed: Do not induce vomiting; immediately call for medical help. Information for doctor Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed No data available Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed No data 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: Toxic metal oxide fume Advice for firefighters Protective equipment: No special measures required.

# **SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures Not required. Environmental precautions: Do not allow material to be released to the environment without official permits. Do not allow product to enter drains, sewage systems, or other water courses. Do not allow material to penetrate the ground or soil. Methods and materials for containment and cleanup: Dispose of contaminated material as waste according to section 13. Ensure adequate ventilation. 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. Open and handle container with care. Information about protection against explosions and fires: No special measures required. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles: No special requirements. Information about storage in one common storage facility: Do not store together with acids. Store away from strong bases. Further information about storage conditions: Keep container tightly sealed. Store in cool, dry conditions in well-sealed containers. Specific end use(s) No data available

# **SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

Additional information about design of technical systems: No further data; see section 7. Control parameters Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace: 7440-41-7 Beryllium (100.0%)

PEL (USA) Long-term value: 0.002 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

Ceiling limit value: 0.005; 0.025\* mg/m<sup>3</sup> as Be; \*30 min peak per 8-hr shift

REL (USA) Ceiling limit value: 0.0005 mg/m<sup>3</sup> as Be; See Pocket Guide App. A

TLV (USA) Long-term value: 0.00005\* mg/m<sup>3</sup> as Be;\*inhalable; (SEN)NIC-DSEN;RSEN;Skin

EL (Canada) Long-term value: 0.002 mg/m<sup>3</sup> as Be; ACIGH A1, IARC 1

EV (Canada) Short-term value: 0.01 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

Long-term value: 0.002 mg/m<sup>3</sup> as Be Additional information: No data Exposure controls Personal protective equipment Follow typical protective and hygienic practices for handling chemicals. Store protective clothing separately. Avoid contact with the eyes and skin. Maintain an ergonomically appropriate working environment. Breathing equipment: Not required. Use self-contained respiratory protective device in emergency situations. Protection of hands: Not required. Penetration time of glove material (in minutes): No data available Eye protection: Safety glasses Body protection: Protective work clothing.

# SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties Appearance: Form: Solid in various forms Color: Grev Odor: Odorless Odor threshold: No data available. pH: N/A Melting point/Melting range: 1278 °C (2332 °F) Boiling point/Boiling range: 2471 °C (4480 °F) Sublimation temperature / start: No data available Flammability (solid, gas): No data available. Ignition temperature: No data available Decomposition temperature: No data available Autoignition: No data available. Danger of explosion: No data available. **Explosion limits:** Lower: No data available Upper: No data available Vapor pressure at 990 °C (1814 °F): 0.000133 hPa Density at 20 °C (68 °F): 1.848 g/cm<sup>3</sup> (15.422 lbs/gal) Relative density: No data available. Vapor density: N/A Evaporation rate: N/A Solubility in Water (H<sub>2</sub>O): Insoluble Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water): No data available. Viscosity: Dynamic: N/A Kinematic: N/A Other information No data available

# SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity No data available 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 data available Incompatible materials: Acids Bases Hazardous decomposition products: Toxic metal oxide fume

# SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on toxicological effects Acute toxicity: Fatal if inhaled. Toxic if swallowed. 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: Generally the product does not irritate the skin. Causes skin irritation. Eye irritation or corrosion: Causes serious eye damage. Sensitization: May cause an allergic skin reaction. Germ cell mutagenicity: The Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances (RTECS) contains mutation data for this substance. Carcinogenicity: May cause cancer. IARC-1: Carcinogenic to humans: sufficient evidence of carcinogenicity. ACGIH A1: Confirmed human carcinogen: Agent is carcinogenic to humans based on epidemiologic studies of, or convincing clinical evidence in, exposed humans. EPA-B1: Probable human carcinogen, limited evidence of carcinogenicity from epidemiologic studies. NTP-K: Known to be carcinogenic: sufficient evidence from human studies. 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: Causes damage to the lung and the blood through prolonged or repeated exposure. Route of exposure: Inhalative. Specific target organ system toxicity - single exposure:

May cause respiratory irritation. 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.

#### **SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Toxicity Aquatic toxicity: No data available Persistence and degradability No data available **Bioaccumulative potential** No data available Mobility in soil No data available Additional ecological information: Do not allow material to be released to the environment without official permits. Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities to reach groundwater, water courses, or sewage systems. Avoid transfer into the environment. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment PBT: N/A vPvB: N/A Other adverse effects No data available

#### **SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

Waste treatment methods Recommendation Consult official regulations to ensure proper disposal. Uncleaned packagings: Recommendation: Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

#### **SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

UN-Number DOT, ADN, IMDG, IATA N/A UN proper shipping name DOT, ADN, IMDG, IATA N/A Transport hazard class(es) DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA Class N/A Packing group DOT, IMDG, IATA N/A Environmental hazards: N/A Special precautions for user N/A Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code N/A Transport/Additional information: DOT Marine Pollutant (DOT): No

# 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) 7440-41-7 Bervllium California Proposition 65 Prop 65 - Chemicals known to cause cancer 7440-41-7 Beryllium 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. This product is subject to the reporting requirements of section 313 of the Emergency Planning and Community Right to Know Act of 1986 and 40CFR372. 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. **REACH - Pre-registered substances** Substance is 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.