

Section 1 Chemical Product and Company Identification

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Product	ALUMINUM METAL POWDER
Synonyms	Aluminum ; Aluminum Metal ; Aluminum Powder

Section 2 Hazards Identification

Signal word: DANGER**Pictograms:** GHS02**Target organs:** Eyes, Skin, Respiratory system**GHS Classification:**

Flammable solid (Category 1)

Water reactive (Category 2)

GHS Label information: Hazard statement:

H228: Flammable solid.

H261: In contact with water releases flammable gas.

Precautionary statement:

P210: Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. No smoking.

P223: Keep container tightly closed.

P231+P232: Handle under inert gas. Protect from moisture.

P240: Ground/bond container and receiving equipment.

P241: Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting equipment.

P280: Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

P335+P334: Brush off loose particles from skin. Immerse in cool water/wrap in wet bandages.

P370+P378: In case of fire: Use DRY SAND ONLY to extinguish.

P402+P404: Store in a dry place. Store in a closed container.

P501: Dispose of contents/container to a licensed chemical disposal agency in accordance with local/regional/national regulations.

Hazards not otherwise classified:

Health hazards not otherwise classified (HHNOC) - Combustible dust

Physical hazards not otherwise classified (PHNOC) - Not Known

Section 3 Composition / Information on Ingredients

Chemical Name	CAS #	%	EINECS
Aluminum	7429-90-5	>99.5%	231-072-3

Section 4 First Aid Measures

INGESTION: MAY BE HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED. Call physician or Poison Control Center immediately. Induce vomiting only if advised by appropriate medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

INHALATION: MAY BE HARMFUL IF INHALED. MAY CAUSE RESPIRATORY TRACT IRRITATION. Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.

EYE CONTACT: MAY CAUSE EYE IRRITATION. Check for and remove contact lenses. Flush thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes, lifting upper and lower eyelids occasionally. Get immediate medical attention.

SKIN ABSORPTION: MAY BE HARMFUL IF ABSORBED THROUGH SKIN. MAY CAUSE SKIN IRRITATION. Remove contaminated clothing. Flush thoroughly with mild soap and water. If irritation occurs, get medical attention.

Section 5 Fire Fighting Measures

Suitable Extinguishing Media: DRY SAND ONLY!**Protective Actions for Fire-fighters:** In fire conditions, wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective gear.

Specific Hazards: During a fire, irritating and highly toxic gases may be generated by thermal decomposition or combustion. Molten metals produce fume, vapor and/or dust that may be toxic and/or a respiratory irritant. Metal reacts with oxidizing agents. Powders form explosive mixtures with air which may be ignited by a spark. .

Section 6 Accidental Release Measures

Personal Precautions: Evacuate personnel to safe area. Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8. Provide adequate ventilation.**Environmental Precautions:** Avoid runoff into storm sewers and ditches which lead to waterways.

Containment and Cleanup: Recover for reuse if not contaminated. Remove all sources of ignition. Use non-sparking tools. Sweep or vacuum up and place in a suitable container for proper disposal. Wash spill area with soap and water.

Precautions for Safe Handling: Read label on container before using. Do not wear contact lenses when working with chemicals. Keep out of reach of children. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Do not inhale dusts. Use with adequate ventilation. Avoid ingestion. Wash thoroughly after handling. Remove and wash clothing before reuse.

Conditions for Safe Storage: Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area away from incompatible substances. Keep away from ignition sources. Avoid exposure to water and moisture.

Section 8 Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

Exposure Limits:	Chemical Name	ACGIH (TLV)	OSHA (PEL)	NIOSH (REL)
	Aluminum metal and insoluble compounds	TWA: 1(R) mg/m ³ (A4)	TWA: 15 mg/m ³ Total dust	TWA: 10 mg/m ³ Total dust

Engineering controls: Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash facility and a safety shower and fire extinguishing material. Personnel should wear safety glasses, goggles, or faceshield, lab coat or apron, appropriate protective gloves. Use adequate ventilation to keep airborne concentrations low.

Respiratory protection: None should be needed in normal laboratory handling at room temperatures. If dusty conditions prevail, work in fume hood or wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved respirator.

Section 9 Physical & Chemical Properties

Appearance: Solid. Silvery-gray metallic powder Odor: No odor. Odor threshold: Data not available. pH: Data not available. Melting / Freezing point: 657°C (1215°F) Boiling point: Not applicable Flash point: Data not available	Evaporation rate (= 1): Not applicable Flammability (solid/gas): Flammable solid Explosion limits: Lower: 40 mg/L Upper: Not available Vapor pressure (mm Hg): Data not available Vapor density (Air = 1): Data not available Relative density (Specific gravity): 2.7 Solubility(ies): Insoluble in water.	Partition coefficient: Data not available Auto-ignition temperature: Data not available Decomposition temperature: Data not available. Viscosity: Data not available. Molecular formula: Al Molecular weight: 26.98
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Section 10 Stability & Reactivity

Chemical stability: Stable **Hazardous polymerization:** Will not occur.
Conditions to avoid: Excessive temperatures, heat, sparks, open flame and other sources of ignition.
Incompatible materials: Strong oxidizers, mineral acids, strong alkalies, halogenated hydrocarbons, and water.
Hazardous decomposition products: Reacts with water, acids or alkalies to generate hydrogen gas.

Section 11 Toxicological Information

Acute toxicity: Data not available
Skin corrosion/irritation: Data not available
Serious eye damage/irritation: Data not available
Respiratory or skin sensitization: Data not available
Germ cell mutagenicity: Data not available
Carcinogenicity: Data not available
 NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.
 IARC classified: Group 1: Carcinogenic to humans (production).
 OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.
Reproductive toxicity: Data not available
STOT-single exposure: Data not available
STOT-repeated exposure: Data not available
Aspiration hazard: Data not available
Potential health effects:
 Inhalation: It has been reported that chronic exposure has been suspected of causing lung injury.
 Ingestion: May be harmful if ingested.
 Skin: Contact with skin may cause irritation.
 Eyes: Contact with eyes may cause irritation and corneal abrasions.
Signs and symptoms of exposure: To the best of our knowledge the chemical, physical and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated. Specific data is not available. Exercise appropriate procedures to minimize potential hazards.
Additional information: RTECS #: BD0330000

Section 12 Ecological Information

Toxicity to fish: No data available
Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates: No data available
Toxicity to algae: No data available
Persistence and degradability: No data available **Bioaccumulative potential:** No data available
Mobility in soil: No data available **PBT and vPvB assessment:** No data available
Other adverse effects: An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal.

Section 13 Disposal Considerations

These disposal guidelines are intended for the disposal of catalog-size quantities only. Federal regulations may apply to empty container. State and/or local regulations may be different. Dispose of in accordance with all local, state and federal regulations or contract with a licensed chemical disposal agency.

Section 14 Transport Information (US DOT / CANADA TDG)

UN/NA number: UN1396 **Shipping name:** Aluminum powder, uncoated
Hazard class: 4.3 **Packing group:** II **Reportable Quantity:** No **Marine pollutant:** No
Exceptions: Limited quantity equal to or less than 0.5 Kg (1.1 lb) **2016 ERG Guide #** 138

Section 15 Regulatory Information

A chemical is considered to be listed if the CAS number for the anhydrous form is on the Inventory list.

Component	TSCA	CERLCA (RQ)	RCRA code	DSL	NDSL	CA Prop 65
Aluminum	Listed	Not listed	D001 (dust only)	Listed	Not listed	This product does not contain any chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer or reproductive toxicity.

Section 16 Other Information

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