

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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

### 1.1 Product identifiers

Product name : Tellurium dioxide

Product Number : 204552
Brand : Aldrich
CAS-No. : 7446-07-3

## 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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## **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 :  $O_2$ Te

Molecular weight : 159.6 g/mol CAS-No. : 7446-07-3

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Millipore SigMa EC-No. : 231-193-1

Component	Classification	Concentration
tellurium dioxide		
	Acute Tox. 4; Skin Sens.	<= 100 %
	1B; Repr. 1B; Aquatic	
	Acute 2; Aquatic Chronic	
	2; H332, H317, H360,	
	H401, H411	

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

### **SECTION 4: First aid measures**

### 4.1 Description of first-aid measures

#### If inhaled

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration.

#### In case of skin contact

Wash off with soap and plenty of water.

#### In case of eye contact

Flush eyes with water as a precaution.

### If swallowed

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water.

## 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

## Suitable extinguishing media

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

#### 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Tellurium oxides

#### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

#### 5.4 Further information

No data available

#### **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

## 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapors, mist or gas.

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For personal protection see section 8.

## 6.2 Environmental precautions

No special environmental precautions required.

## 6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Sweep up and shovel. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

#### 6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

## **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

## 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

## Advice on safe handling

Further processing of solid materials may result in the formation of combustible dusts. The potential for combustible dust formation should be taken into consideration before additional processing occurs.

## Advice on protection against fire and explosion

Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed.

## **Hygiene measures**

General industrial hygiene practice.

For precautions see section 2.2.

## 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

## **Storage conditions**

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.

Keep in a dry place.

Storage class (TRGS 510): 13: Non 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	Basis
			parameters	
tellurium dioxide	7446-07-3	TWA	0.1 mg/m3	USA. Occupational Exposure Limits (OSHA) - Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants
		TWA	0.1 mg/m3	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)
		TWA	0.1 mg/m3	USA. NIOSH Recommended Exposure Limits

### 8.2 Exposure controls

# **Appropriate engineering controls**

General industrial hygiene practice.

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## 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).

## Skin protection

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

Full contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm Break through time: 480 min

Material tested: Dermatril® (KCL 740 / Aldrich Z677272, Size M)

Splash contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm Break through time: 480 min

Material tested:Dermatril® (KCL 740 / Aldrich Z677272, Size M)

data source: KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, phone +49 (0)6659 87300, e-mail

sales@kcl.de, test method: EN374

If used in solution, or mixed with other substances, and under conditions which differ from EN 374, contact the supplier of the EC approved gloves. This recommendation is advisory only and must be evaluated by an industrial hygienist and safety officer familiar with the specific situation of anticipated use by our customers. It should not be construed as offering an approval for any specific use scenario.

## **Body Protection**

Choose body protection in relation to its type, to the concentration and amount of dangerous substances, and to the specific work-place., The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

## **Respiratory protection**

Respiratory protection is not required. Where protection from nuisance levels of dusts are desired, use type N95 (US) or type P1 (EN 143) dust masks. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

### **Control of environmental exposure**

No special environmental precautions required.

## **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

## 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

a) Appearance Form: powder Color: light yellow

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b) Odorc) Odor Thresholdd) pHNo data availableNo data available

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e) Melting Melting point/range: 733 °C (1351 °F) - lit. point/freezing point Initial boiling point No data available f) and boiling range g) Flash point ()Not applicable No data available h) Evaporation rate Flammability (solid, No data available i) gas) Upper/lower No data available flammability or explosive limits k) Vapor pressure No data available Vapor density No data available I) m) Relative density No data available n) Water solubility No data available o) Partition coefficient: No data available n-octanol/water p) Autoignition No data available temperature q) Decomposition No data available temperature Viscosity No data available r) No data available s) Explosive properties

No data available

### 9.2 Other safety information

No data available

## **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

Oxidizing properties

#### 10.1 Reactivity

No data available

### 10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

## 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

No data available

## 10.4 Conditions to avoid

No data available

### 10.5 Incompatible materials

Strong acids, Strong 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**

LD50 Oral - Rat - male and female - > 5,000 mg/kg

(OECD Test Guideline 423)

LD50 Oral - Rat - > 2,000 mg/kg

(OECD Test Guideline 401)

LD50 Oral - Rat - > 5,000 mg/kg

Remarks: Diarrhea

LC50 Inhalation - Rat - male and female - 4 h - 2.420 mg/l

(OECD Test Guideline 403)

Dermal: No data available

No data available

## Skin corrosion/irritation

Skin - reconstructed human epidermis (RhE)

Result: No skin irritation (OECD Test Guideline 439)

## Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Eyes - Chicken eye Result: No eye irritation (OECD Test Guideline 438)

## Respiratory or skin sensitization

Local lymph node assay (LLNA) - Mouse

Result: positive

(OECD Test Guideline 429)

## Germ cell mutagenicity

Test Type: Ames test

Test system: Escherichia coli/Salmonella typhimurium Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation

Method: OECD Test Guideline 471

Result: negative

Test Type: In vitro mammalian cell gene mutation test

Test system: mouse lymphoma cells

Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation

Method: OECD Test Guideline 476

Result: negative

Test Type: Chromosome aberration test in vitro

Test system: Chinese hamster fibroblasts

Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation

Method: OECD Test Guideline 473

Result: negative

#### Carcinogenicity

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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

May damage the unborn child.

## 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

RTECS: WY2675000

prolonged or repeated exposure can cause:, Nausea, Headache, Vomiting

## **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

## 12.1 Toxicity

Toxicity to fish semi-static test - Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) - 46.4 mg/l

- 96 h

(OECD Test Guideline 203)

Toxicity to daphnia

and other aquatic invertebrates

static test EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 7.24 mg/l - 48 h

(OECD Test Guideline 202)

static test NOEC - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 4.55 mg/l - 48 h

(OECD Test Guideline 202)

Toxicity to algae static test ErC50 - Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae) - >

14.7 mg/l - 72 h

(OECD Test Guideline 201)

static test NOEC - Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae) -

4.17 mg/l - 72 h

(OECD Test Guideline 201)

Toxicity to bacteria static test EC50 - activated sludge - 320 mg/l - 3 h

(OECD Test Guideline 209)

## 12.2 Persistence and degradability

The methods for determining biodegradability are not applicable to inorganic substances.

## 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

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### 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 Other adverse effects

No data available

## **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

#### **Product**

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company.

## Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

## **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.

## **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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**Pennsylvania Right To Know Components** 

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#### **SECTION 16: Other information**

#### **Further information**

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