

Material Safety Data Sheet

Niobium Diboride

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1. Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1 Product identifier

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| Product Name | Niobium Diboride |
| Product No. | 410501 |
| Formula | NbB ₂ |
| CAS No. | 12007-29-3 |
| Synonyms | Niobium boride |

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

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| Identified uses | Laboratory chemicals, Scientific research |
| Uses advised against | Consulting manufacturers |

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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| Company Name | VI HALBLEITERMATERIAL GmbH |
| Street | Bergener Straße 14., |
| City | Hannover |
| State | Niedersachsen |
| Zip Code | 30625 |
| Country | Germany |
| Tel | 0049 1626484175 |
| Email | info@vimaterial.de |
| Website | https://vimaterial.de/ |

1.4 Emergency telephone number

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| Emergency Phone # | 0049 1626484175 |
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2. Hazards Identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 (CLP).

The substance is not classified as hazardous

2.2 Label elements

Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 (CLP).

Not subject to labelling requirements.

2.3 Other hazards

According to the results of its assessment, this substance is not a PBT or a vPvB.

This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors.

3. Composition/information on ingredients

3.1 Substances

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| Chemical Family | Ceramic |
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| Component | CAS No. | EC No. | Concentration |
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| Niobium diboride (NbB ₂) | 12007-29-3 | 234-503-3 | <=100% |

4. First aid measures

4.1 Description of first aid measures

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| General Treatment | If symptoms persist, call a physician. |
| Inhalation | Remove victim to fresh air. Seek medical attention if you feel unwell. |
| Skin | Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower. Seek medical attention. |
| Eyes | Rinse with pure water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Seek medical attention. |
| Ingestion | Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Seek medical attention if you feel unwell. |

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed, are included on labelling (Section 2.2) and in Section 11.

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

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| 1 | Based on the symptoms that appear, provide targeted treatment. |
| 2 | Be aware that symptoms may be delayed. |

5. Firefighting Measures

5.1 Extinguishing Media

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| Suitable extinguishing media | Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment. |
| Unsuitable extinguishing media | N/A |

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

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| 1 | Niobium oxides |
| 2 | Boron oxides |
| 3 | Non-flammable |
| 4 | Ambient fires may release harmful vapors. |

5.3 Advice for firefighters

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| 1 | As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear. |
| 2 | Fight fire from a safe distance and with adequate protection. |
| 3 | Do not allow firefighting water to enter drains or water courses. |
| 4 | Collect contaminated firefighting water separately. |

6. Accidental Release Measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

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| For non-emergency personnel | Remove persons to safety. Use personal protective equipment as required. Avoid dust formation. Ensure adequate ventilation. |
| For emergency responders | Wear breathing apparatus if exposed to vapours/dust/spray/gases. |

6.2 Environmental Precautions

Do not let product enter drains.

6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

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| Advice on how to contain a spill | Covering of drains, Take up mechanically. |
| Advice on how to clean up a spill | Clean up affected area. Take care not to raise dust. |
| Other information relating | Place in appropriate containers for disposal. Ventilate affected |

to spills and releases area.

6.4 Reference to other sections

Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 8 and 13.

7. Handling and Storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

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| Recommendations | Wear personal protective equipment/face protection. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid ingestion and inhalation. Avoid formation of dust. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. |
| Hygiene Measures | Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Remove and wash contaminated clothing and gloves, including the inside, before re-use. Wash hands before breaks and after work. |

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

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| Ventilation requirements | Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. |
| Storage class | Class 13 |
| Incompatible materials | See section 10.5. |

7.3 Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated.

8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

8.1 Control parameters

Exposure limits

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

8.2 Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

Personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection

Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles) (European standard - EN166) and face protection.

Skin protection

-Hand Protection

Protective gloves (The selected protective gloves have to satisfy the specifications of EU Directive 89/686/EEC and the standard EN 374 derived from it.)

-Other protection measures

Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure. Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

Respiratory Protection

No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions.

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| Large scale/emergency use | Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 136 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced Recommended Filter type: Particulates filter |
| Small scale/Laboratory use | Maintain adequate ventilation. |

Environmental exposure controls

Use appropriate container to avoid environmental contamination. Keep away from drains, surface and ground water.

9. Physical and Chemical Characteristics

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

| | |
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| Physical State | Solid. Powder |
| Colour | Dark grey |
| Odor | Odorless |
| Melting Point/Range | No data available |
| Boiling Point/Range | No data available |
| Flammability (liquid) | Not applicable |
| Flammability (solid, gas) | No data available |
| Explosion limits | No data available |
| Flash Point | No data available |
| Autoignition Temperature | No data available |
| Decomposition Temperature | No data available |
| pH | No data available |
| Viscosity | Not applicable |
| Water Solubility | No data available |
| Solubility in other solvents | No data available |
| Partition Coefficient | No data available |

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| (n-octanol/water) | |
| Vapor Pressure | No data available |
| Density / Specific Gravity | No data available |
| Vapor Density | Not applicable |
| Particle characteristics | No data available |

9.2 Other information

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| Molecular formula | NbB ₂ |
| Molecular weight | 114,53 g/mol |
| Evaporation Rate | Not applicable - Solid |

10. Stability and reactivity

10.1 Reactivity

None known, based on information available.

10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous Polymerization: No information available

Hazardous Reactions: No information available

10.4 Conditions to avoid

No data available.

10.5 Incompatible materials

Oxidizing agents.

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

In the event of fire: see section 5

11. Toxicological information

11.1 Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

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| Acute toxicity | Oral: | No data available. |
| | Dermal: | No data available. |
| | Inhalation: | No data available. |
| Skin corrosion/irritation | No data available. | |
| Serious eye damage/irritation | No data available. | |

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| Respiratory or skin sensitization | Respiratory | No data available. |
| | Skin | No data available. |
| Germ cell mutagenicity | No data available. | |
| Carcinogenicity | No data available. | |
| Reproductive toxicity | No data available. | |
| STOT - single exposure | No data available. | |
| STOT - repeated exposure | No data available. | |
| Aspiration hazard | Not applicable. Solid | |

11.2 Information on other hazards

Endocrine Disrupting Properties: Assess endocrine disrupting properties for human health. This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors.

12. Ecological Information

12.1 Toxicity

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| Toxicity to fish | No data available. |
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12.2 Persistence and degradability

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| Persistence | No data available. |
| Degradability | No data available. |

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

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| Bioaccumulative potential | No data available. |
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12.4 Mobility in soil

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| Mobility in soil | No data available. |
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12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

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| Results of PBT and vPvB assessment | In accordance with Annex XIII of the REACH Regulation, inorganic substances do not require assessment. |
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12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties

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| Endocrine Disruptor Information | This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors. |
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12.7 Other adverse effects

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| Persistent Organic Pollutant | This product does not contain any known or suspected substance |
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13. Disposal Considerations

13.1 Waste treatment methods

Dispose of in accordance with all applicable local and national regulations. Use recovery/recycling where feasible, otherwise incineration is the recommended method of disposal. Empty containers may contain hazardous residues. Do not cut, puncture or weld on or near to the container. Labels should not be removed from containers until they have been cleaned. Contaminated containers must not be treated as household waste. Containers should be cleaned by appropriate methods and then re-used or disposed of by landfill or incineration as appropriate. Do not incinerate closed containers.

14. Transport information

IMDG

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| 14.1. UN number | Not applicable |
| 14.2. UN Proper shipping name | Not classified as hazardous for transport. |
| 14.3. Transport hazard class(es) | Not applicable |
| 14.4. Packaging group | Not applicable |

ADR/RID/ADN

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|----------------------------------|--|
| 14.1. UN number | Not applicable |
| 14.2. UN Proper shipping name | Not classified as hazardous for transport. |
| 14.3. Transport hazard class(es) | Not applicable |
| 14.4. Packaging group | Not applicable |

ICAO-IATA/DGR

| | |
|----------------------------------|--|
| 14.1. UN number | Not applicable |
| 14.2. UN Proper shipping name | Not classified as hazardous for transport. |
| 14.3. Transport hazard class(es) | Not applicable |
| 14.4. Packaging group | Not applicable |

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| 14.5. Environmental hazards | No hazards identified |
| 14.6. Special precautions for user | No special precautions required |
| 14.7. Maritime transport in bulk | Not applicable, packaged goods |

15. Regulatory information

15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

This Safety Data Sheet is prepared in accordance with Commission Regulation (EC) 1907/2006, amended by Commission Regulation (EU) 2020/878.

Authorisations/Restrictions

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| Regulation (EC) 1907/2006, REACH, Annex XIV list of substances subject to authorisation: | Not applicable |
| Regulation (EC) 1907/2006, REACH, Annex XVII restrictions on the manufacture, placing on the market and use of certain dangerous substances: | Not applicable |
| Regulation (EC) 1005/2009 on substances that deplete the ozone layer: | Not applicable |
| Regulation (EC) 850/2004 on persistent organic pollutants, amended by (EU) No 2019/1021: | Not applicable |

15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment

No Chemical Safety Assessment has been carried out for this substance.

16. Other information

Revision information

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| Revision reason | Creation. |

Abbreviations and acronyms

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| CAS | Chemical Abstracts Service |
| ADR | European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road |
| RID | Regulation concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail |
| IATA | International Air Transportation Association |
| IMDG | International Maritime Dangerous Goods |
| LC50 | Lethal Concentration 50% |
| LD50 | Lethal Dose 50% |

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| TWA | Time Weighted Average |
| STOT | Specific target organ toxicity |
| PBT | Persistent, Bioaccumulative, Toxic |
| vPvB | Very Persistent, very Bioaccumulative |
| WEL | Workplace exposure limit |

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- [4] Germany GESTIS-database on hazard substance, website: <http://www.dguv.de/ifa/gestis/gestis-stoffdatenbank/index-2.jsp>
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List of relevant phrases (code and full text as stated in chapter 2 and 3)

N/A

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