

Safety Data Sheet (1907/2006/EC)

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Hyper pure Silicon ingots < 1 % Arsenic

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

1.1 Product identifier

Commercial product name: Hyper pure Silicon ingots < 1 % Arsenic
CAS No.: 7440-21-3
EC-No.: 231-130-8
REACH registration number: 01-2119480401-47-0220

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

Use of substance / preparation:
Industrial.
Raw material for the production of silicon products

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Manufacturer/distributor: Siltronic AG
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Information about the Safety Data Sheet: Telephone +49 8677 83-4888
Telefax +49 8677 886-9722
eMail WLCP-MSDS@wacker.com

1.4 Emergency telephone number

Emergency Information (German): Plant fire brigade +49 8677 83-2222
Emergency Information (internat.): National Response Center +49 621 60-43333

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008:
Not a hazardous substance or mixture.

2.2 Label elements

Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008:
No labeling according to GHS required.

EC-No.: 231-130-8

2.3 Other hazards

Under certain conditions (see sec 10), the product can split off the gases arsine and hydrogen. Arsine shows strong toxic effects by inhalation and is also classified in terms of other physical hazards, health hazards and environmental hazards. Hydrogen is classified in terms of physical hazards.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1 Substances

3.1.1 Chemical characteristics

CAS No.: 7440-21-3
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3.1.2 Hazardous ingredients

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This material does not contain any ingredients above the permitted limit(s).

This product does not contain substances of very high concern (Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH), Article 57) in amounts above $\geq 0.1\%$.

3.2 Mixtures

not applicable

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1 Description of first aid measures

General information:

No special measures required.

After contact with the eyes:

Rinse immediately with plenty of water for 10-15 minutes and seek medical advice.

After contact with the skin:

No special measures required.

After inhalation:

In case of dust formation: Provide fresh air.

After swallowing:

No special measures required. In cases of sickness seek medical advice (show label if possible).

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Any relevant information can be found in other parts of this section.

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Further toxicology information in section 11 must be observed.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media:

Use extinguishing measures appropriate to the source of fire.

Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons:

not applicable

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Hazardous combustion products: silicon dioxide .

5.3 Advice for firefighters

Special protective equipment for fire fighting:

Use respiratory protection independent of recirculated air. Use tightly fitting chemical protection suit (see section 8).

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Wear personal protection equipment (see section 8).

6.2 Environmental precautions

Observe local/state/federal regulations.

6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Take up mechanically and dispose of according to local/state/federal regulations.

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6.4 Reference to other sections

Relevant information in other sections has to be considered. This applies in particular for information given on personal protective equipment (section 8) and on disposal (section 13).

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling:

Keep container closed when not in use. Keep away from incompatible substances in accordance with section 10.

Precautions against fire and explosion:

Observe the general rules for fire prevention. Product can separate hydrogen in contact with lyes.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Conditions for storage rooms and vessels:

Observe local/state/federal regulations. Protect against moisture.

Advice for storage of incompatible materials:

Keep away from alkalis. Avoid contact with acids.

Further information for storage:

Protect against moisture.

7.3 Specific end use(s)

No data available.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1 Control parameters

Maximum airborne concentrations at the workplace:

CAS No.	Substance	Type	mg/m ³	ppm	Dust fract.	Fibre/m ³
7784-42-1	Arsine	TLV_GB	0,16	0,05		
7440-38-2	Arsenic	TLV_GB	0,1			

Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC):

silicon

Area of use:	Value:
Intermittent release	100 mg/l
sewage treatment plant	25 mg/l

8.2 Exposure controls

8.2.1 Exposure in the work place limited and controlled

General protection and hygiene measures:

Observe standard industrial hygiene practices for the handling of chemical substances. Avoid contact with eyes and skin. Do not eat, drink or smoke when handling. Wash hands at the end of work and before eating.

Personal protection equipment:

Respiratory protection

If inhalative exposure above the occupational exposure limit cannot be excluded, adequate respiratory protection equipment must be used. Suitable respiratory equipment: Respirator with a full face mask, according to acknowledged standards such as EN 136. Recommended Filter type: Combined filter type ABEK-P3 (certain inorganic, organic and acidic gases and vapors; ammonia/amines; particles), according to acknowledged standards such as EN 14387

Observe the equipment manufacturer's information and wear time limits for respirators.

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Eye protection

In case of mechanical handling: tight fitting protective goggles .

Hand protection

Recommended glove types: Protective gloves, non-cuttable

Use of protective gloves is recommended when handling the material. For the choice of suitable gloves, workplace conditions have to be considered, like e.g. handling of other substances and materials.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Property:	Value:	Method:
Appearance		
Physical state	solid	
Form	compact	
Colour	silver	
Odour		
Odour	odourless	
Odour limit		
Odour limit	no data available	
pH-Value		
pH-Value	not applicable	
Melting point/freezing point		
Melting point / melting range	1410 °C	
Initial boiling point and boiling range		
Boiling point / boiling range	2355 °C	
Flash point		
Flash point	not applicable	
Evaporation rate		
Evaporation rate	no data available	
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits		
Lower explosion limit (LEL)	not applicable	
Upper explosion limit (UEL)	not applicable	
Vapour pressure		
Vapour pressure	not applicable	
Solubility(ies)		
Water solubility / miscibility	virtually insoluble	
Vapour density		
Relative gas/vapour density	No data known.	
Relative Density		
Relative Density	2,32 (Water / 4 °C = 1,00)	
Density	2,32 g/cm ³	
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water		
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	No data known.	
Auto-ignition temperature		
Ignition temperature	not applicable	
Viscosity		
Viscosity (dynamic)	not applicable	
Viscosity (kinematic)	not applicable	
Molecular mass		
Molecular mass	no data available	

9.2 Other information

No data available.

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SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1 – 10.3 Reactivity; Chemical stability; Possibility of hazardous reactions

If stored and handled in accordance with standard industrial practices no hazardous reactions are known.

Relevant information can possibly be found in other parts of this section.

10.4 Conditions to avoid

Moisture.

10.5 Incompatible materials

water, lyes, acids. The reaction takes place with the formation of arsine and hydrogen.

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

If stored and handled properly: none known. Upon contact with the substances mentioned in 10: arsine and hydrogen.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

11.1.1 General information

Data derived for the product as a whole are of higher priority than data for single ingredients.

11.1.2 Acute toxicity

Assessment:

For this endpoint no toxicological test data is available for the whole product.

Data on substances:

silicon:

Route of exposure	Result/Effect	Species/Test system	Source
Oral	LD50: > 5000 mg/kg	Rat	literature (read-across substance)
dermal	LD50: > 5000 mg/kg	Rabbit	literature (read-across substance)

11.1.3 Skin corrosion/irritation

Assessment:

For this endpoint no toxicological test data is available for the whole product.

Data on substances:

silicon:

Result/Effect	Species/Test system	Source
No skin irritation	Rabbit	literature (read-across substance)

11.1.4 Serious eye damage / eye irritation

Assessment:

For this endpoint no toxicological test data is available for the whole product.

Data on substances:

silicon:

Result/Effect	Species/Test system	Source
No eye irritation	Rabbit	literature (read-across substance)

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11.1.5 Respiratory or skin sensitization

Assessment:

For this endpoint no toxicological test data is available for the whole product.

Data on substances:

silicon:

During several years of handling this material, there were no indications of a skin-sensitizing potential.

11.1.6 Germ cell mutagenicity

Assessment:

For this endpoint no toxicological test data is available for the whole product.

Data on substances:

silicon:

Based on known data a significant mutagenic potential may be excluded.

11.1.7 Carcinogenicity

Assessment:

For this endpoint no toxicological test data is available for the whole product.

Data on substances:

silicon:

No data known.

11.1.8 Reproductive toxicity

Assessment:

For this endpoint no toxicological test data is available for the whole product.

Data on substances

silicon:

On the basis of the available data no reproductive hazards are expected. The evaluation is in analogy to a tested product.

11.1.9 Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)

Assessment:

For this endpoint no toxicological test data is available for the whole product.

11.1.10 Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure)

Assessment:

For this endpoint no toxicological test data is available for the whole product.

Data on substances:

silicon:

No systemic toxicity.

Result/Effect	Species/Test system	Source
NOAEL: 4000 - 5000 mg/kg	Subchronic study Rat Oral	literature (read-across substance)

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11.1.11 Aspiration hazard

Assessment:

Based on the physical-chemical properties of the product no aspiration hazard must be expected.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1 Toxicity

Assessment:

For the product as a whole, no test data is available. Evaluation on basis of physical-chemical properties: No expected damaging effects to aquatic organisms.

Data on substances:

Data derived for the product as a whole are of higher priority than data for single ingredients.

silicon:

No expected damaging effects to aquatic organisms.

12.2 Persistence and degradability

Assessment:

For the product as a whole, no test data is available.

Data on substances:

silicon:

Separation by sedimentation.

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

Assessment:

No data known.

12.4 Mobility in soil

Assessment:

For the product as a whole, no test data is available.

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

No data available.

12.6 Other adverse effects

none known

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1 Waste treatment methods

13.1.1 Material

Recommendation:

Observe local/state/federal regulations.

13.1.2 Uncleaned packaging

Recommendation:

Completely discharge containers (no tear drops, no powder rest, scraped carefully). Empty containers should be sent to an approved recycling facility.

13.1.3 Waste Disposal Legislation Ref.No.(EC)

It is not possible to determine a waste code for this product in accordance with the European Waste Catalogue (EWC) since it is

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only possible to classify it according to how it is used by the customer. The waste code is to be determined within the EU in liaison with the waste-disposal operator.

SECTION 14: Transport information

14.1 – 14.4 UN number; UN proper shipping name; Transport hazard class(es); Packing group

Road ADR:

Valuation: Not regulated for transport

Railway RID:

Valuation: Not regulated for transport

Transport by sea IMDG-Code:

Valuation: Not regulated for transport

Air transport ICAO-TI/IATA-DGR:

Valuation: Not regulated for transport

14.5 Environmental hazards

Hazardous to the environment: no

14.6 Special precautions for user

Relevant information in other sections has to be considered.

14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL and the IBC Code

Bulk transport in tankers is not intended.

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

National and local regulations must be observed.

For information on labelling please refer to section 2 of this document.

Directive 2012/18/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council on the control of major-accident hazards involving dangerous substances (Seveso III):

Not applicable

Relevant regulations:

SI 2002/1689: CHIP Regulations 2002

SI 2002/2677: COSHH Regulations 2002

SI 1999/3242: Management of Health & Safety at Work Regulations 1999

Health & Safety at Work Act 1974

SI 1993/1643: Environmental Protection Act 1993 & Subsidiary Regulations.

Other national and local measures relating to the workplace, pollution control, environmental protection and waste control.

Other specifications, restrictions and prohibitions:

Regulation (EC) No 649/2012 of the European Parliament and the Council concerning the export and import of dangerous chemicals: Not applicable

15.2 Chemical safety assessment

For this product, a chemical safety assessment according to (EC) regulation 1907/2006 (REACH) has been carried out.

15.3 Details of international registration status

Relevant information about individual substance inventories, where available, is given below.

Japan: **ENCS** (Handbook of Existing and New Chemical Substances):
This product is listed in, or complies with, the substance inventory.

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Australia.....	: AICS (Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances): This product is listed in, or complies with, the substance inventory.
China	: IECSC (Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China): This product is listed in, or complies with, the substance inventory.
Canada	: DSL (Domestic Substance List): This product is listed in, or complies with, the substance inventory.
Philippines.....	: PICCS (Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances): This product is listed in, or complies with, the substance inventory.
United States of America (USA).....	: TSCA (Toxic Substance Control Act Chemical Substance Inventory): All components of this product are listed as active or are in compliance with the substance inventory.
European Economic Area (EEA)	: REACH (Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006): General note: the registration obligations for substances imported into the EEA or manufactured within the EEA by the supplier mentioned in section 1 are fulfilled by the said supplier. The registration obligations for substances imported into the EEA by customers or other downstream users must be fulfilled by the latter.
South Korea (Republic of Korea).....	: AREC (Act on Registration and Evaluation of Chemicals; "K-REACH"): Please approach your regular WACKER contact for more detailed information.

SECTION 16: Other information

16.1 Material

The details in this document are based on the state of our knowledge at the time of revision. They do not constitute an assurance of the described product properties in terms of statutory warranty requirements.

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16.2 Further information:

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