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SAFETY DATA SHEET

SECTION 1. CHEMICAL IDENTIFICATION

CATALOG #:	30634
NAME:	Nickel sulfide
SYNONYMS:	
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SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

CLASSIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE OR MIXTURE

GHS CLASSIFICATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)

SKIN SENSITISATION (CATEGORY 1), H317

GERM CELL MUTAGENICITY (CATEGORY 2), H341

CARCINOGENICITY (CATEGORY 1A), H350

SPECIFIC TARGET ORGAN TOXICITY - REPEATED EXPOSURE, INHALATION
(CATEGORY 1), H372

SHORT-TERM (ACUTE) AQUATIC HAZARD (CATEGORY 1), H400
LONG-TERM (CHRONIC) AQUATIC HAZARD (CATEGORY 1), H410

FOR THE FULL TEXT OF THE H-STATEMENTS MENTIONED IN THIS SECTION, SEE SECTION 16.

**GHS LABEL ELEMENTS, INCLUDING PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS
PICTOGRAM**



SIGNAL WORD DANGER

HAZARD STATEMENT(S)

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PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENT(S)

P201 OBTAIN SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE USE.
P202 DO NOT HANDLE UNTIL ALL SAFETY PRECAUTIONS HAVE BEEN READ AND UNDERSTOOD.
P260 DO NOT BREATHE DUST/ FUME/ GAS/ MIST/ VAPOURS/ SPRAY.
P264 WASH SKIN THOROUGHLY AFTER HANDLING.
P270 DO NOT EAT, DRINK OR SMOKE WHEN USING THIS PRODUCT.
P272 CONTAMINATED WORK CLOTHING MUST NOT BE ALLOWED OUT OF THE WORKPLACE.
P273 AVOID RELEASE TO THE ENVIRONMENT.
P280 WEAR PROTECTIVE GLOVES/ PROTECTIVE CLOTHING/ EYE PROTECTION/ FACE PROTECTION.
P302 + P352 IF ON SKIN: WASH WITH PLENTY OF SOAP AND WATER.
P308 + P313 IF EXPOSED OR CONCERNED: GET MEDICAL ADVICE/ ATTENTION.
P333 + P313 IF SKIN IRRITATION OR RASH OCCURS: GET MEDICAL ADVICE/ ATTENTION.
P363 WASH CONTAMINATED CLOTHING BEFORE REUSE.
P391 COLLECT SPILLAGE.
P405 STORE LOCKED UP.
P501 DISPOSE OF CONTENTS/ CONTAINER TO AN APPROVED WASTE DISPOSAL PLANT.

HAZARDS NOT OTHERWISE CLASSIFIED (HNOC) OR NOT COVERED BY GHS NONE

SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

MF: NiS
MW: 90.76
CAS-NO. 16812-54-7
PURITY: $\geq 99.9\%$ (Assay)

HAZARDOUS COMPONENTS

COMPONENT	CLASSIFICATION	CONCENTRATION
Nickel sulfide	SKIN SENS. 1; MUTA. 2; CARC. 1A; STOT RE 1; AQUATIC ACUTE 1; AQUATIC CHRONIC 1; H317, H341, H350I, H372, H400, H410 M-FACTOR AQUATIC ACUTE: 10	$\leq 100\%$

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SECTION 4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

DESCRIPTION OF FIRST AID MEASURES

GENERAL ADVICE CONSULT A PHYSICIAN. SHOW THIS SAFETY DATA SHEET TO THE DOCTOR IN ATTENDANCE. MOVE OUT OF DANGEROUS AREA.

IF INHALED IF BREATHED IN, MOVE PERSON INTO FRESH AIR. IF NOT BREATHING, GIVE ARTIFICIAL RESPIRATION. CONSULT A PHYSICIAN.

IN CASE OF SKIN CONTACT WASH OFF WITH SOAP AND PLENTY OF WATER. TAKE VICTIM IMMEDIATELY TO HOSPITAL. CONSULT A PHYSICIAN.

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. CONSULT A PHYSICIAN.

MOST IMPORTANT SYMPTOMS AND THE MOST IMPORTANT KNOWN SYMPTOMS AND EFFECTS ARE DESCRIBED IN THE LABELLING (SEE

EFFECTS, BOTH ACUTE AND DELAYED SECTION 2.2) AND/OR IN SECTION 11

INDICATION OF ANY IMMEDIATE MEDICAL ATTENTION AND SPECIAL TREATMENT NEEDED NO DATA AVAILABLE

SECTION 5. FIRE AND EXPLOSION DATA

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA

SUITABLE EXTINGUISHING MEDIA USE WATER SPRAY, ALCOHOL-RESISTANT FOAM, DRY CHEMICAL OR CARBON DIOXIDE.

SPECIAL HAZARDS ARISING FROM THE SUBSTANCE OR MIXTURE SULPHUR OXIDES, NICKEL/NICKEL OXIDES

ADVICE FOR FIREFIGHTERS WEAR SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS FOR FIREFIGHTING IF NECESSARY.

FURTHER INFORMATION NO DATA AVAILABLE

SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

PERSONAL PRECAUTIONS, PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT AND EMERGENCY PROCEDURES USE PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT. AVOID DUST FORMATION. AVOID BREATHING VAPOURS, MIST OR GAS. ENSURE ADEQUATE VENTILATION. EVACUATE PERSONNEL TO SAFE AREAS. AVOID BREATHING DUST.
FOR PERSONAL PROTECTION SEE SECTION 8.

ENVIRONMENTAL PRECAUTIONS PREVENT FURTHER LEAKAGE OR SPILLAGE IF SAFE TO DO SO. DO NOT LET PRODUCT ENTER DRAINS. DISCHARGE INTO THE ENVIRONMENT MUST BE AVOIDED.

METHODS AND MATERIALS FOR CONTAINMENT AND CLEANING UP PICK UP AND ARRANGE DISPOSAL WITHOUT CREATING DUST. SWEEP UP AND SHOVEL. KEEP IN SUITABLE, CLOSED CONTAINERS FOR DISPOSAL.

REFERENCE TO OTHER SECTIONS FOR DISPOSAL SEE SECTION 13.

SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

PRECAUTIONS FOR SAFE HANDLING AVOID CONTACT WITH SKIN AND EYES. AVOID FORMATION OF DUST AND AEROSOLS. 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. PROVIDE APPROPRIATE EXHAUST VENTILATION AT PLACES WHERE DUST IS FORMED. FOR PRECAUTIONS SEE SECTION 2.2.

CONDITIONS FOR SAFE STORAGE, INCLUDING ANY INCOMPATIBILITIES KEEP CONTAINER TIGHTLY CLOSED IN A DRY AND WELL-VENTILATED PLACE. KEEP IN A DRY PLACE.

Store at 5°C - 30°C

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

CONTROL PARAMETERS

COMPONENTS WITH WORKPLACE CONTROL PARAMETERS

COMPONENT	CAS-NO.	VALUE	CONTROL PARAMETERS	BASIS
Nickel sulfide	16812-54-7	TWA	0.1 MG/M3	USA. ACGIH THRESHOLD LIMIT VALUES (TLV)
	REMARKS	LUNG CANCER CONFIRMED HUMAN CARCINOGEN		
		PEL	0.05 MG/M3	CALIFORNIA PERMISSIBLE EXPOSURE LIMITS FOR CHEMICAL CONTAMINANTS
		TWA	0.015 MG/M3	USA. NIOSH RECOMMENDED EXPOSURE LIMITS
		POTENTIAL OCCUPATIONAL CARCINOGEN SEE APPENDIX A		

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 FACE SHIELD AND SAFETY GLASSES 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.

BODY PROTECTION COMPLETE SUIT PROTECTING AGAINST CHEMICALS, THE TYPE OF PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT MUST BE SELECTED ACCORDING TO THE CONCENTRATION AND AMOUNT OF THE DANGEROUS SUBSTANCE AT THE SPECIFIC WORKPLACE.

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION WHERE RISK ASSESSMENT SHOWS AIR-PURIFYING RESPIRATORS ARE APPROPRIATE USE A FULLFACE PARTICLE RESPIRATOR TYPE N100 (US) OR TYPE P3 (EN 143) RESPIRATOR CARTRIDGES AS A BACKUP TO ENGINEERING CONTROLS. IF THE RESPIRATOR IS THE SOLE MEANS OF PROTECTION, USE A FULL-FACE SUPPLIED AIR RESPIRATOR. USE RESPIRATORS AND COMPONENTS TESTED AND APPROVED UNDER APPROPRIATE GOVERNMENT STANDARDS SUCH AS NIOSH (US) OR CEN (EU).

CONTROL OF ENVIRONMENTAL EXPOSURE PREVENT FURTHER LEAKAGE OR SPILLAGE IF SAFE TO DO SO. DO NOT LET PRODUCT ENTER DRAINS. DISCHARGE INTO THE ENVIRONMENT MUST BE AVOIDED.

SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

INFORMATION ON BASIC PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

APPEARANCE	Black powder
ODOUR	NO DATA AVAILABLE
ODOUR THRESHOLD	NO DATA AVAILABLE
PH	NO DATA AVAILABLE
MELTING POINT/FREEZING POINT	797 °C
INITIAL BOILING POINT AND BOILING RANGE	
FLASH POINT	
EVAPORATION RATE	NO DATA AVAILABLE

FLAMMABILITY (SOLID, GAS)	NO DATA AVAILABLE
UPPER/LOWER FLAMMABILITY OR EXPLOSIVE LIMITS	NO DATA AVAILABLE
VAPOUR PRESSURE	NO DATA AVAILABLE
VAPOUR DENSITY	NO DATA AVAILABLE
RELATIVE DENSITY	
WATER SOLUBILITY	0.00735 G/L AT 20 C - OECD TEST GUIDELINE 105 - SLIGHTLY SOLUBLE
PARTITION COEFFICIENT: N- OCTANOL/WATER	NO DATA AVAILABLE
AUTO-IGNITION TEMPERATURE	> 400 C
DECOMPOSITION TEMPERATURE	NO DATA AVAILABLE
VISCOSITY	NO DATA AVAILABLE
EXPLOSIVE PROPERTIES	NO DATA AVAILABLE
OXIDIZING PROPERTIES	NO DATA AVAILABLE

OTHER SAFETY INFORMATION

NO DATA AVAILABLE

SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

REACTIVITY	NO DATA AVAILABLE
CHEMICAL STABILITY	STABLE UNDER RECOMMENDED STORAGE CONDITIONS.
POSSIBILITY OF HAZARDOUS REACTIONS	NO DATA AVAILABLE
CONDITIONS TO AVOID	NO DATA AVAILABLE
INCOMPATIBLE MATERIALS	STRONG ACIDS, STRONG OXIDIZING AGENTS
HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS	HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS FORMED UNDER FIRE CONDITIONS. - SULPHUR OXIDES, NICKEL/NICKEL OXIDES OTHER DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS - NO DATA AVAILABLE IN THE EVENT OF FIRE: SEE SECTION 5

SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

INFORMATION ON TOXICOLOGICAL EFFECTS

ACUTE TOXICITY	LD50 ORAL - RAT - FEMALE - > 11,000 MG/KG LC50 INHALATION - RAT - MALE AND FEMALE - 4 H - 1.13785 MG/L (OECD TEST GUIDELINE 403) DERMAL: NO DATA AVAILABLE NO DATA AVAILABLE
SKIN CORROSION/IRRITATION	SKIN - RABBIT RESULT: MILD SKIN IRRITATION - 4 H (OECD TEST GUIDELINE 404)
SERIOUS EYE DAMAGE/EYE IRRITATION	EYES - RABBIT RESULT: MILD EYE IRRITATION (OECD TEST GUIDELINE 405)
RESPIRATORY OR SKIN SENSITISATION	NO DATA AVAILABLE
GERM CELL MUTAGENICITY	IN VITRO TESTS SHOWED MUTAGENIC EFFECTS MOUSE - MALE AND FEMALE RESULT: POSITIVE
CARCINOGENICITY	
THIS IS OR CONTAINS A COMPONENT THAT HAS BEEN REPORTED TO BE CARCINOGENIC BASED ON ITS IARC, OSHA, ACGIH, NTP, OR EPA CLASSIFICATION. HUMAN CARCINOGEN.	
IARC:	1 - GROUP 1: CARCINOGENIC TO HUMANS
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.
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	NO DATA AVAILABLE
SPECIFIC TARGET ORGAN TOXICITY - SINGLE EXPOSURE	NO DATA AVAILABLE
SPECIFIC TARGET ORGAN TOXICITY - REPEATED EXPOSURE	INHALATION - CAUSES DAMAGE TO ORGANS THROUGH PROLONGED OR REPEATED EXPOSURE.
ASPIRATION HAZARD	NO DATA AVAILABLE

**ADDITIONAL
INFORMATION**

RTECS: QR9800000

TO THE BEST OF OUR KNOWLEDGE, THE CHEMICAL,
PHYSICAL, AND TOXICOLOGICAL PROPERTIES HAVE
NOT BEEN THOROUGHLY INVESTIGATED.

SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

TOXICITY	NO DATA AVAILABLE
PERSISTENCE AND DEGRADABILITY	NO DATA AVAILABLE
BIOACCUMULATIVE POTENTIAL	NO DATA AVAILABLE
MOBILITY IN SOIL	NO DATA AVAILABLE
RESULTS OF PBT AND VPVB ASSESSMENT	PBT/VPVB ASSESSMENT NOT AVAILABLE AS CHEMICAL SAFETY ASSESSMENT NOT REQUIRED/NOT CONDUCTED
OTHER ADVERSE EFFECTS	AN ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARD CANNOT BE EXCLUDED IN THE EVENT OF UNPROFESSIONAL HANDLING OR DISPOSAL. VERY TOXIC TO AQUATIC LIFE WITH LONG LASTING EFFECTS.

SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

WASTE TREATMENT METHODS

PRODUCT	OFFER SURPLUS AND NON-RECYCLABLE SOLUTIONS TO A LICENSED DISPOSAL COMPANY. CONTACT A LICENSED PROFESSIONAL WASTE DISPOSAL SERVICE TO DISPOSE OF THIS MATERIAL. DISSOLVE OR MIX THE MATERIAL WITH A COMBUSTIBLE SOLVENT AND BURN IN A CHEMICAL INCINERATOR EQUIPPED WITH AN AFTERBURNER AND SCRUBBER.
CONTAMINATED PACKAGING	DISPOSE OF AS UNUSED PRODUCT.

SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT (US) NOT DANGEROUS GOODS

IMDG

PROPER SHIPPING NAME: ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID,
N.O.S. (Nickel sulfide)
UN NUMBER: 3077
CLASS: 9
PACKING GROUP: III
EMS-NO: F-A, S-F
MARINE POLLUTANT: YES

IATA

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N.O.S. (Nickel sulfide)
UN NUMBER: 3077
CLASS: 9
PACKING GROUP: III

FURTHER INFORMATION

EHS-MARK REQUIRED (IMDG CODE 2.10.3) FOR SINGLE PACKAGINGS AND
COMBINATION PACKAGINGS CONTAINING INNER PACKAGINGS WITH DANGEROUS
GOODS > 5L FOR LIQUIDS OR > 5KG FOR SOLIDS.

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 THE FOLLOWING COMPONENTS ARE SUBJECT TO
REPORTING LEVELS ESTABLISHED BY SARA TITLE III,
SECTION 313:

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SARA 311/312 HAZARDS ACUTE HEALTH HAZARD, CHRONIC HEALTH HAZARD

MASSACHUSETTS RIGHT TO KNOW COMPONENTS

NO COMPONENTS ARE SUBJECT TO THE MASSACHUSETTS RIGHT TO KNOW ACT.

PENNSYLVANIA RIGHT TO KNOW COMPONENTS

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SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

FULL TEXT OF H-STATEMENTS REFERRED TO UNDER SECTIONS 2 AND 3.

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MSDS LEGEND

MW:	MOLECULAR WEIGHT
MF:	MOLECULAR FORMULA
VOC:	VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS
ACGIH:	AMERICAN CONFERENCE OF GOVERNMENTAL INDUSTRIAL HYGINISTS
CAS:	CHEMICAL ABSTRACTS SERIVE REGISTRY NUMBER
OSHA:	OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH ADMINISTRATION
PEL:	PERMISSIBLE EXPOSURE LIMIT (OSHA)
TLV:	THRESHOLD LIMIT VALUE (ACGIH)

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