

## **Safety Data Sheet**

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#### 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

1.1 Product identifiers

Product name : Silicon Carbide Product Number : 4629HW CAS-No. : 409-21-2

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

Identified uses: Laboratory chemicals, Manufacture of substances

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company: Nanostructured & Amorphous Materials Inc.

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1.4 Emergency telephone number

Emergency Phone #: +1 281-858-6571

## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

## 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)

Carcinogenicity (Category 1B), H350

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

2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram

Signal word Danger

Hazard statement(s)

H350 May Cause cancer

Precautionary statement(s)

P201 Obtain special instructions before use.

P202 Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and

understood.

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

protection

P308 + P313 If exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention

P405 Store locked up.

P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal

plant.

## 2.3 Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS - none

#### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

#### 3.1 Substances

Formula: CSi

Molecular weight : 40.10 g/mol CAS-No. : 409-21-2 EC-No. : 206-991-8

#### **Hazardous components**

Component	Classification Concentration		
Silicon Carbide			
	Carc. 1B; H350	<=100%	

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

## 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

#### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

#### General advice

Move out of dangerous area.

#### 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 labeling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11

# 4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No data available

#### 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

Carbon oxides, silicon oxides

# 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

#### 5.4 Further information

No data available

#### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

## 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. For personal protection see section 8.

#### 6.2 Environmental precautions

Do not let product enter drains.

#### 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.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

# 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed.

For precautions see section 2.2.

## 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

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

Keep in a dry place.

## 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

# Components with workplace control parameters

Components	CAS-No	Value	Control Parameters	Basis
Silicon Carbide	409-21-2	TWA	15.000000 mg/m3	USA. Occupational Exposure Limits (OSHA)
		TWA	5.000000 mg/m3	USA. Occupational

			Exposure Limits (OSHA)	
	TWA	5.000000 mg/m3	USA. NIOSH	
			Recommended	
			Exposure Limits	
	TWA	10.000000 mg/m3	USA. NIOSH	
			Recommended	
			Exposure Limits	
	TWA	0.100000fibre/c m3	USA. ACGIH	
			Threshold Limit	
			Values (TLV)	
Remarks	Mesothelioma Cancer Respirable fibers:length > 5 µm; aspect ratio >= 3:1, as determined by the membrane filter method at 400-450X magnification (4-mm objective), using phase-contrast illuminition. Suspected human carcinogen			
	TWA	10.000000 mg/m3	USA. ACGIH	
			Threshold Limit	
			Values (TLV)	
		Upper Respiratory Tract irritation The value is for particulate matter		
		containing no asbestos and < 1% crystalline silica		
	TWA	3.000000 mg/m3	USA. ACGIH	
			Threshold Limit	
			Values (TLV)	
	Upper Respiratory Tract irritation The value is for particulate matter containing no asbestos and < 1% crystalline silica			

# 8.2 Exposure controls

# Appropriate engineering controls

General industrial hygiene practice

## 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®

Splash contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm Break through time: 480 min Material tested: Dermatril®

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 CE 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

Do not let product enter drains.

#### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

#### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

a) Appearance Form: powder

Colour: Lieght Grey

b) Odour No data available

c) Odour Threshold No data available

d) pH No data available

e) Melting point/freezing

point

Melting point/range: 2,700 °C (4,892 °F) - lit

f) Initial boiling point and

boiling range

No data available

g) Flash point No data available

h) Evaporation rate No data available

i) Flammability (solid, gas) No data available

j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits No data available

k) Vapour pressure

No data available

I) Vapour density

No data available

m) Relative density

3.22 g/cm3 at 25 °C (77 °F)

n) Water solubility

0.01 g/l - insoluble

o) Partition coefficient: No data available

n-octanol/water

No data available

p) Auto-ignition temperature

q) Decomposition temperature

No data available

r) Viscosity No data available

s) Explosive properties 

No data available

## 9.2 Other safety information

No data available

# 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

## 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 oxidizing agents

## 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Other decomposition products - No data available In the event of fire: see section 5

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

## 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

#### **Acute toxicity**

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

Inhalation: No data available Dermal: No data available

No data available

## Skin corrosion/irritation

Skin - Rat

Result: No Skin Irritation

## Serious eye damage/eye irritation

No data available

## Respiratory or skin sensitisation

No data available

## Germ cell mutagenicity

in vitro assay S. typhimurium Result: negative

#### Carcinogenicity

IARC: No component 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 component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by NTP.

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen OSHA.

#### Reproductive toxicity

No data available

## Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

No data available

## Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

No data available

## **Aspiration hazard**

No data available

## **Additional Information**

RTECS: Not available

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been Thoroughly investigated.

#### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

## 12.1 Toxicity

No data available

## 12.2 Persistence and degradability

No data available

#### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

## 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

# 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

#### 13.1 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.

#### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

## DOT (US)

Not dangerous goods

#### **IMDG**

Not dangerous goods

#### IATA

Not dangerous goods

## 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

Chronic Health Hazard

# **Massachusetts Right To Know Components**

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#### Pennsylvania Right To Know Components

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## **New Jersey Right To Know Components**

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#### California Prop. 65 Components

This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.

## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

#### Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3.

Carc. Carcinogenicity
H350 May cause cancer

# **HMIS Rating**

Health hazard: 0
Chronic Health Hazard: \*
Flammability: 0
Physical Hazard: 0

# **NFPA Rating**

Health hazard: 0
Fire Hazard: 0
Reactivity Hazard: 0

## **Further information**

Employers should use this information only as a supplement to other information gathered by them, and should make independent judgment of suitability of this information to ensure proper use and protect the health and safety of employees. This information is furnished without warranty,

and any use of the product not in conformance with this Safety Data Sheet, or in combination with any other product or process, is the responsibility of the user.