

# **Safety Data Sheet**

#### **Revision date 05/01/2015**

#### 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

# 1.1 Product identifiers

Product name: Yttrium Oxide Powder

Product Number: 5610ZQ

Brand: Aldrich

CAS-No.: 1314-36-9

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.

16840 Clay Road, Suite #113, Houston, TX 77084, USA

Telephone: +1 281-858-6571 Fax: +1 281-858-6507

1.4 Emergency telephone number

Emergency Phone #: +1 832-800-2899

# 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

#### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

### 3.1 Substances

Formula:  $Y_2O_3$ 

Molecular weight: 225.81 g/mol CAS-No.: 1314-36-9 EC-No.: 215-233-5

#### **Hazardous components**

| Component     | Classification | Concentration |
|---------------|----------------|---------------|
| Yttrium Oxide |                |               |
|               |                | <= 100 %      |

#### 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. Consult a Physician.

#### 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

No data available

# 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

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.

# 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

# 7.1 Precautions for 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. 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. Handle and store under inert gas. Hygroscopic. 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

| Component     | CAS-No    | Value              | Control<br>Parameters | Basis   |
|---------------|-----------|--------------------|-----------------------|---|
| Yttrium oxide | 1314-36-9 | TWA                | 1.000000 mg/m3        | USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit<br>Values (TLV)  |
|               | Remarks   | Pulmonary fibrosis |                       | values (TEV)  |
|               |           | TWA                | 1.000000 mg/m3        | USA. NIOSH Recommended Exposure Limits  |
|               |           | TWA                | 1 mg/m3               | USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit<br>Values (TLV)  |
|               |           | Pulmonary fibrosis |                       |   |
|               |           | TWA                | 1 mg/m3               | USA. NIOSH Recommended Exposure Limits  |
|               |           | PEL                | 1 mg/m3               | California permissible exposure limits for chemical contaminants (Title 8, Article 107) |

#### 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

No special environmental precautions required

# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

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

a) Appearance Form: powder

b) Odour No data available

c) Odour Threshold No data available

d) pH No data available

e) Melting point/freezing

point

Melting point/freezing point: > 400 °C (> 752 °F) - OECD Test

Guideline 102

f) Initial boiling point and > 400 °C (> 752 °F) - OECD Test Guideline 103

boiling range

g) Flash point No data available

h) Evaporation rate No data available

i) Flammability (solid, gas) not auto-flammable

j) Upper/lower No data available

flammability or explosive limits

k) Vapour pressure No data available

I) Vapour density No data available

m) Relative density 5.01 g/cm3 at 20 °C (68 °F)

n) Water solubility 0.0007 g/l at 20 °C (68 °F) - OECD Test Guideline 105 - slightly

soluble

o) Partition coefficient: No data available

n-octanol/water

q) Decomposition

temperature

p) Auto-ignition > 400 °C (> 752 °F)

temperature

r) Viscosity No data available

s) Explosive properties No data available

t) Oxidizing properties The substance or mixture is not classified as oxidizing.

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

Water, Strong acids, Carbon dioxide (CO2), Ammonium salts

### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Yttrium oxides

# 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

#### **Acute toxicity**

LD50 Oral - Rat - male and female - > 5,000 mg/kg (OECD Test Guideline 401)

LC50 Inhalation - Rat - male and female - 4 h - > 5.09 mg/l (OECD Test Guideline 436)

Dermal: No data available

LD50 Intraperitoneal - Rat - 230 mg/kg

#### Skin corrosion/irritation

Skin - Rabbit

Result: No skin irritation

#### Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Eyes - Rabbit

Result: Mild eye irritant

### Respiratory or skin sensitisation

Maximisation Test - Guinea pig

Result: Did not cause sensitisation on laboratory animals.

(Directive 67/548/EEC, Annex V, B.6.)

#### Germ cell mutagenicity

Chromosome aberration test in vitro Chinese hamster fibroblasts

Result: negative

# Carcinogenicity

IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by IARC.

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 identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

# Reproductive toxicity

No data available 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: ZG3850000

Rare earth compounds may cause delayed blood clotting leading to hemorrhages. Inhalation of rare earths may cause sensitivity to heat, itching, and increased awareness of odor and taste., Coagulation abnormalities., Gastrointestinal disturbance, Skin contact or inhalation may result in:, Asthma, Cough, muscles, Damage to the lungs., 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.

# 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**

SARA 313: 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.

# 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.

### **HMIS Rating**

Health hazard: 2
Chronic Health Hazard: \*
Flammability: 0
Physical Hazard: 1

#### NFPA Rating

Health hazard: 2
Fire Hazard: 0
Reactivity Hazard: 1

# **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.