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1. Identification of the substance/preparation and of the Company/undertaking

Product Identifier

Product Type KMT - Hard metal articles, inserts, drills, mills

Material Master 3541484
Product name C2
Product code KA1019-9

Other means of identification

Synonyms Hard Metal, Cemented WC, Tungsten Carbide

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended Use Mining Tools. Construction Tools. Round Tools. Metalworking Tools. Metallurgical

Products. Inserts. For use in industrial installations only.

Uses advised againstDo not re-sharpen tools without using appropriate safety and extraction systems to avoid

dust exposure. Return tools to WIDIA for reconditioning services. Do no re-sharpen tools without using appropriate safety and extraction systems to avoid dust exposure. Return

tools to Kennametal for reconditioning services.

Details of the Supplier of the Safety Data Sheet

Emergency Telephone Number

Emergency Telephone Number CHEMTREC: +1-703-527-3887 (INTERNATIONAL)

1-800-424-9300 (NORTH AMERICA)

NRC (National Response Center) USA, Poison Centres +1 800 222 1222

Canada, IWK Regional Poison Center +1 902 470 8161 or 1 800 565 8161

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2. Hazards Identification

Classification

As a sintered tool, exposure to high volumes of powder/dust is not anticipated under normal conditions and use. If tool chips, breaks, fragments or is reground, exposure to powder/dust may result in potential health effects.

Label Elements

Emergency Overview



Precautionary Statements - Prevention

Wash hands and face thoroughly after handling. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Avoid release to the environment. Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection. In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection.

Precautionary Statements - Response

IF exposed: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician **Skin** If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention. **Inhalation** If experiencing respiratory symptoms: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

Appearance grey solid Physical State solid Odor none

Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

OTHER INFORMATION

3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

Synonyms

Hard Metal, Cemented WC, Tungsten Carbide.

Chemical name	Formula	CAS-No	weight-%	GHS Classification
Tungsten carbide	WC	12070-12-1	> 50	
Cobalt	Со	7440-48-4	5 - 10	Acute Oral 4 (H302) Acute dust/mist 1 (H330) Eye damage 2 (H319) Resp. Sens. 1B (H334) Skin Sens. 1 (H317) Carc. 1B (H350i) Repr. tox 2 (H361f) Aquatic Acute 1 M=10(H400) Aquatic Chronic 1 M=1(H410)
Tantalum Carbide	TaC	12070-06-3	1 - 2.5	

^{*} The exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

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

H302 - Harmful if swallowed

H317 - May cause an allergic skin reaction

H319 - Causes serious eye irritation

H330 - Fatal if inhaled

H334 - May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled

H350i - May cause cancer by inhalation H361f - Suspected of damaging fertility

H400 - Very toxic to aquatic life

H410 - Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

4. First aid measures

FIRST AID MEASURES

General advice If symptoms persist, call a physician. Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray. Do

not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. In case of accident or unwellness, seek medical

advice immediately (show directions for use or safety data sheet if possible).

Eye Contact Keep eye wide open while rinsing. If symptoms persist, call a physician. Rinse immediately

with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes.

Skin contact Consult a physician if necessary. Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while

removing all contaminated clothes and shoes. Wash off immediately with soap and plenty

of water.



Inhalation Move to fresh air. If breathing is irregular or stopped, administer artificial respiration.

Oxygen or artificial respiration if needed. Keep victim warm and quiet. Avoid direct contact

with skin. Use barrier to give mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. Get medical attention.

Ingestion Drink plenty of water. If symptoms persist, call a physician. Rinse mouth. Never give

anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Do NOT induce vomiting unless directed to

do so by a physician.

Self-protection of the first aider Self-protection of the first aider. Wear suitable gloves.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

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Hives.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Notes to Physician Treat symptomatically.

5. Fire-fighting measures

surrounding environment.

Specific hazards arising from the

chemical

Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

Use personal protective equipment as required

6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions

Environmental precautions Avoid release to the environment.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Collect in closed and suitable containers

for disposal.

7. Handling and Storage

Precautions for safe handlingDo not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

Minimize dust generation and accumulation. Use personal protective equipment as

required. Ensure adequate ventilation.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Keep out of the reach of

children. Keep containers tightly closed in a cool, well-ventilated place.

Incompatible products (STRONG) OXIDIZER. 20 - Acids/bases.

Specific use(s) For use in industrial installations only.

8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Control parameters

Chemical name USA - ACGIH TLV USA - OSHA PEL USA - NIOSH IDLH Argentina B	razil
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Tungsten carbide	-	-	=	TWA: 5 mg/m ³	
				STEL: 10 mg/m ³	
Cobalt	0.02 mg/m ³ TWA	0.1 mg/m ³ TWA (dust	20 mg/m3 IDLH (dust	TWA: 0.02 mg/m ³	
	_	and fume)	and fume)	-	
Chemical name	Canada - Alberta	Canada - British	Canada - Ontario	Canada - Quebec	Canada - Manitoba
		Columbia			
Tungsten carbide					5 mg/m ³ TWA (as W)
Cobalt	0.02 mg/m ³ TWA	0.02 mg/m ³ TWA	0.02 mg/m ³ TWA	0.02 mg/m ³ TWAEV	0.02 mg/m3 TWA 0.02
	•	_		•	mg/m³ TWA (as Co)
Chemical name	Chile	Mexico OEL (TWA)	Peru	Uruguay	Venezuela
Tungsten carbide		-			STEL: 10 mg/m ³
					TWA: 5 mg/m ³
Cobalt	TWA: 0.016 mg/m ³	0.1 mg/m³ TWA	0.02 mg/m ³ TWA	0.02 mg/m ³ TWA	TWA: 0.02 mg/m ³
	•	LMPE-PPT (dust and		•	
		fume, as Co)			

NIOSH IDLH: Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health

Chemical name	Derived No Effect Level (DNEL)	Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)
Tungsten carbide	6.2 mg/m³ systemic inhalation	Tungsten 0.338 mg/l freshwater; 0.0338 mg/l marine
		water; 2.17 mg/kg soil; 11 mg/kg food
Cobalt	0.04 mg/m³ long term local inhalation	2.36 µg Co/l (AF 3) marine water; 0.74 µg/l (AF 3) fresh
		water

Appropriate engineering controls

Engineering controls Showers

Eyewash stations Ventilation systems.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye Protection Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles).

Skin Protection Apron. Wear suitable protective clothing. Wear suitable gloves.

Hand Protection Protective gloves.

Hygiene Measures Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

Biological standards

Chemical name	USA ACGIH -BEI	Argentina - Occupational Exposure Limits - Biological Exposure Indices (BEIs)	Chile - Occupational Exposure Limits - Biological Exposure Indices (BEIs)
Cobalt 7440-48-4	15 μg/L Medium: urine Time: end of shift at end of workweek Parameter: Cobalt (background); 1 μg/L Medium: blood Time: end of shift at end of workweek Parameter: Cobalt (background, semi-quantitative)	15 μg/L urine end of shift on the last day of workweek Co (Background); 1 μg/L blood end of shift on the last day of workweek Co (Background, semi-quantitative)	
Chemical name	Mexico - Occupational Exposure Limits - BEIs (IBE)	Venezuela - Biological Exposure Indices (BEIs)	
Cobalt 7440-48-4	15 μg/L Medium: urine Time: end of shift at end of work week Parameter: Cobalt (background); 1 μg/L Medium: blood Time: end of shift at end of work week Parameter: Cobalt (background, semi-quantitative)	15 μg/L urine end of shift at end of workweek Cobalt (F); 1 μg/L urine end of shift at end of workweek Cobalt (F,Sc)	

9. Physical and Chemical Properties



Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical State grey solid solid **Appearance** Odor Odor Threshold none none Melting point/freezing point °C / °F Boiling temperature / boiling °C / °F

range

Kinematic viscosity

Explosive properties

Flash Point

Evaporation Rate Flammability (solid, gas) **Upper flammability limits**

Lower Flammability Limit Autoignition temperature

Dynamic viscosity

Oxidizing properties not applicable Water solubility practically insoluble

not applicable

OTHER INFORMATION

VOC Content (%) Not Applicable

10. Stability and Reactivity

Reactivity No data available

Chemical stability Stable under normal conditions.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions None under normal processing.

Conditions to avoid Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight.

incompatible materials

Hazardous decomposition products None known based on information supplied.

11. Toxicological Information

Information on likely routes of exposure

Eye Contact Mild eye irritation.

Ingestion is not a likely route of exposure. Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal irritation, Ingestion

nausea, vomiting and diarrhea.

Chemical name	Oral LD50	dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Tungsten carbide - 12070-12-1	> 2000 mg/kg bw (OECD 401)	> 2000 mg/kg bw (OECD 402)	> 5.3 mg/L (4h) (OECD 403)
Cobalt - 7440-48-4	550 mg/kg bw	>2000 mg/kg bw	0.05 mg/L

Information on toxicological effects

Chemical name	US ACGIH - Critical effects
Cobalt - 7440-48-4	asthma; myocardial effects; pulmonary function

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Sensitization May cause sensitization of susceptible persons. May cause sensitization by inhalation and

skin contact.

Carcinogenicity This product contains one or more substances which are classified by IARC as

carcinogenic to humans (Group I), probably carcinogenic to humans (Group 2A) or possibly

carcinogenic to humans (Group 2B).

Chemical name **OSHA ACGIH IARC NTP**



Cobalt - 7440-48-4	A3 - Confirmed Animal Carcinogen with Unknown Relevance to Humans	Group 2B - Possible Human Carcinogen	Not Listed	Not Listed
Chemical name	Chile	Argentina	Venezula	Peru
Cobalt - 7440-48-4	A3 - Animal Carcinogen	A3 - Confirmed animal carcinogen with unknown	Present	

Chronic toxicity Repeated or prolonged skin contact with the unexposed coating may cause skin irritation

and/or dermatitis and sensitization of susceptible persons. May produce an allergic reaction. Symptoms include burning sensation, coughing, wheezing, shortness of breath, headache, nausea, and vomiting. The mixture may be a skin sensitizer. It may also be a skin irritant and repeated contact may increase this effect. Listed as probable human carcinogen by IARC (Group 2A). Inhalation of dust may cause shortness of breath, tightness of the chest, a sore throat and cough. Repeated contact may cause allergic reactions in very susceptible persons. Contains a known or suspected reproductive toxin.

Target organ effects respiratory system, Skin.

Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information

mg/kg

12. Ecological Information

12.1. Ecotoxicity

Chemical name	Algae toxicity	Acute Fish toxicity	Toxicity to Microorganisms	Daphnia magna
Tungsten carbide 12070-12-1	Desmodesmus subspicatus (algae) 72-h EC50 > 1 mg/L (OECD 201)	96-h Lc50 > 1000 mg/L (OECD 203) Zebrafish		48-h EC50 > 1000 mg/L (OECD 202)
Cobalt 7440-48-4	EC50 - 270ug/L	NOEC - 100 mg/L - Cobalt Powder	Not available	LOEC - 5.6 mg/L, LC50 > 100 mg/L
Tantalum Carbide 12070-06-3		LC50 96h > 100 mg/l		

12.2 Persistence and degradability Product/Substance is inorganic. not applicable.

Bioaccumulation/AccumulationNo information available.

12.6 Other adverse effects None known

13. Disposal Considerations

<u>Waste treatment methods</u> It must undergo special treatment, e.g. at suitable disposal site, to comply with local

regulations. It is the responsibility of the waste generator to determine the toxicity and physical properties of the material generated to determine the proper waste identification

and disposal methods in compliance with applicable regulations.

Waste from residues/unused

products

Reuse or recycle.

<u>California Waste Status</u>

This product contains one or more substances that are listed with the State of California as

a hazardous waste.

Chemical name	California Hazardous Waste Status	
Cobalt - 7440-48-4	Toxic	
	Ignitable	



14. Transport Information

DOT Not regulated

TDG Not regulated

MEX Not regulated

ICAO / IATA-DGR Not regulated

IMO / IMDG Not regulated

15. Regulatory Information

Chemical name	Bolivia - hazardous substances regulated under Bolivia's Environmental Regulations for the Industrial Manufacturing Sector
Cobalt - 7440-48-4	Present

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

U.S. Federal Regulations

SARA 313

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product contains a chemical or chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372:

Chemical name	CAS-No	weight-%	SARA 313 - Threshold Values %
Cobalt - 7440-48-4	7440-48-4	5 - 10	Present

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

Acute health hazard	yes
Chronic Health Hazard	yes
Fire Hazard	no
Sudden release of pressure hazard	no
Reactive Hazard	no

<u>Clean Water Act</u> This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean

Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42)

<u>CERCLA</u> This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous

substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355). There may be specific reporting requirements at the local, regional,

or state level pertaining to releases of this material

U.S. State Regulations

<u>California Proposition 65</u> This product contains the following Proposition 65 chemicals:.

	•	•	- Reproductive Toxicity	California - 22 CCR - Toxic and Extremely Hazardous Carcinogenic Wastes
Cobalt - 7440-48-4	carcinogen, initial date 7/1/92 (powder)			

U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

Chemical name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania
Tungsten carbide - 12070-12-1	sn 1960		



Cobalt - 7440-48-4	sn 0520	Present	Environmental hazard (fume) Present

U.S. EPA Label information

CANADA

WHMIS Statement In the form of a pressed and sintered item, this is a manufactured article and is not a

"controlled product" under WHMIS.

Chemical name	WHMIS Classifications of Components
Cobalt - 7440-48-4	D2A, D2B

16. Other Information

NFPA Health hazard 2 Flammability 0 Instability 0 Physical and Chemical

Hazards -

HMIS Health hazard 2 Flammability 0 Physical hazards 0 Personal precautions X

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Disclaimer

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