

Safety Data Sheet

acc. to OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

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1 Identification

- **Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** Europium ingot
- **Article number:** 121010
- **CAS Number:**
7440-53-1
- **EC number:**
231-161-7
- **Application of the substance / the mixture** Laboratory chemicals for research and development
- **Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**
BeanTown Chemical
9 Sagamore Park Road
Hudson, NH 03051
USA
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- **Phone:** (603) 402-2234
- **Fax:** (603) 402-9713
- **Email:** technical@beantownchem.com
- **www.beantownchem.com**
- **Information department:** Technical Support Department
- **Emergency telephone number:**
During normal operating hours, please call (603) 402-2234
After hours, please call Chemtrec at (800) 424-9300

2 Hazard(s) identification

- **Classification of the substance or mixture**



GHS02 Flame

Flam. Sol. 1 H228 Flammable solid.

Pyr. Sol. 1 H250 Catches fire spontaneously if exposed to air.

Water-react. 1 H260 In contact with water releases flammable gases, which may ignite spontaneously.

- **Label elements**
- **GHS label elements** The substance is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).
- **Hazard pictograms**



GHS02

- **Signal word** Danger
- **Hazard statements**
Flammable solid.
Catches fire spontaneously if exposed to air.
In contact with water releases flammable gases, which may ignite spontaneously.
- **Precautionary statements**
Keep away from any possible contact with water, because of violent reaction and possible flash fire.
Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking.
Do not allow contact with air.

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- Handle under inert gas. Protect from moisture.*
- Store contents under inert gas.*
- Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.*
- **Other hazards**
- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.

3 Composition/information on ingredients

- **Chemical characterization: Substances**
- **CAS No. Description**
7440-53-1 europium
- **Identification number(s)**
- **EC number:** 231-161-7

4 First-aid measures

- **Description of first aid measures**
- **After inhalation:** Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of complaints.
- **After skin contact:** Generally the product does not irritate the skin.
- **After eye contact:** Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water.
- **After swallowing:** If symptoms persist consult doctor.
- **Information for doctor:**
- **Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed** No further relevant information available.
- **Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**
No further relevant information available.

5 Fire-fighting measures

- **Extinguishing media**
- **Suitable extinguishing agents:**
CO₂, extinguishing powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.
- **For safety reasons unsuitable extinguishing agents:** Water with full jet
- **Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture** No further relevant information available.
- **Advice for firefighters**
- **Protective equipment:** No special measures required.

6 Accidental release measures

- **Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**
Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.
- **Environmental precautions:** No special measures required.
- **Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**
Ensure adequate ventilation.
Do not flush with water or aqueous cleansing agents
- **Reference to other sections**
See Section 7 for information on safe handling.
See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.

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See Section 13 for disposal information.

7 Handling and storage

- **Handling:**
- **Precautions for safe handling** No special precautions are necessary if used correctly.
- **Information about protection against explosions and fires:**
 - Keep ignition sources away - Do not smoke.
 - Protect from heat.
 - Protect against electrostatic charges.
- **Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **Storage:**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** Store in a cool location.
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.
- **Further information about storage conditions:**
 - Keep receptacle tightly sealed.
 - Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed receptacles.
 - Protect from heat and direct sunlight.
- **Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

8 Exposure controls/personal protection

- **Additional information about design of technical systems:**
 - Properly operating chemical fume hood designed for hazardous chemicals and having an average face velocity of at least 100 feet per minute
- **Control parameters**
- **Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:** Not required.
- **Additional information:** The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.
- **Exposure controls**
- **Personal protective equipment:**
- **General protective and hygienic measures:** Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.
- **Breathing equipment:** Not required.
- **Protection of hands:**
 - The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.
 - Due to missing tests no recommendation to the glove material can be given for the product/ the preparation/ the chemical mixture.
 - Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation
- **Material of gloves**
 - The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer.
- **Penetration time of glove material**
 - The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.
- **Eye protection:** Tightly sealed goggles

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9 Physical and chemical properties

· Information on basic physical and chemical properties	
· General Information	
· Appearance:	
Form:	Solid
Color:	Not determined.
· Odor:	Characteristic
· Odour threshold:	Not determined.
· pH-value:	Not applicable.
· Change in condition	
Melting point/Melting range:	822 °C (1512 °F)
Boiling point/Boiling range:	1527 °C (2781 °F)
· Flash point:	Not applicable.
· Flammability (solid, gaseous):	Highly flammable. Contact with water liberates extremely flammable gases.
· Ignition temperature:	
Decomposition temperature:	Not determined.
· Auto igniting:	Spontaneously flammable in air.
· Danger of explosion:	Not determined.
· Explosion limits:	
Lower:	Not determined.
Upper:	Not determined.
· Vapor pressure:	Not applicable.
· Density at 20 °C (68 °F):	5.24 g/cm ³ (43.728 lbs/gal)
· Relative density	Not determined.
· Vapour density	Not applicable.
· Evaporation rate	Not applicable.
· Solubility in / Miscibility with	
Water:	Insoluble.
· Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water): Not determined.	
· Viscosity:	
Dynamic:	Not applicable.
Kinematic:	Not applicable.
Organic solvents:	0.0 %
Solids content:	100.0 %
· Other information	No further relevant information available.

10 Stability and reactivity

- **Reactivity**
- **Chemical stability**
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **Possibility of hazardous reactions** Contact with water releases flammable gases.
- **Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.

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- **Incompatible materials:** No further relevant information available.
- **Hazardous decomposition products:** No dangerous decomposition products known.

11 Toxicological information

- **Information on toxicological effects**
- **Acute toxicity:**
- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **on the skin:** No irritant effect.
- **on the eye:** No irritating effect.
- **Sensitization:** No sensitizing effects known.
- **Additional toxicological information:**

- **Carcinogenic categories**

- **IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)**

Substance is not listed.

- **NTP (National Toxicology Program)**

Substance is not listed.

- **OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety & Health Administration)**

Substance is not listed.

12 Ecological information

- **Toxicity**
- **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.
- **Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.
- **Behavior in environmental systems:**
- **Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.
- **Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.
- **Additional ecological information:**
- **General notes:** Not known to be hazardous to water.
- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.
- **Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.

13 Disposal considerations

- **Waste treatment methods**
- **Recommendation:**
Must not be disposed of together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.
- **Uncleaned packagings:**
- **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

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14 Transport information

· UN-Number	
· DOT, IMDG, IATA	UN3208
· UN proper shipping name	
· DOT	Metallic substance, water-reactive, n.o.s. (europium)
· IMDG, IATA	METALLIC SUBSTANCE, WATER-REACTIVE, N.O.S. (europium)
· Transport hazard class(es)	
· DOT, IMDG, IATA	
· Class	4.3 Substances which, in contact with water, emit flammable gases
· Label	4.3
· Packing group	
· DOT, IMDG, IATA	II
· Environmental hazards:	
· Marine pollutant:	No
· Special precautions for user	Warning: Substances which, in contact with water, emit flammable gases
· EMS Number:	F-G,S-N
· Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code	Not applicable.
· Transport/Additional information:	
· DOT	
· Quantity limitations	On passenger aircraft/rail: 15 kg On cargo aircraft only: 50 kg
· IMDG	
· Limited quantities (LQ)	500 g
· Excepted quantities (EQ)	Code: E2 Maximum net quantity per inner packaging: 30 g Maximum net quantity per outer packaging: 500 g
· UN "Model Regulation":	UN3208, Metallic substance, water-reactive, n.o.s. (europium), 4.3, II

15 Regulatory information

· Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture	
· Sara	
· Section 355 (extremely hazardous substances):	
	Substance is not listed.
· Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings):	
	Substance is not listed.
· TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act):	
	Substance is listed.
· Proposition 65	
· Chemicals known to cause cancer:	
	Substance is not listed.

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· **Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for females:**

Substance is not listed.

· **Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for males:**

Substance is not listed.

· **Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity:**

Substance is not listed.

· **Carcinogenic categories**

· **EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)**

Substance is not listed.

· **TLV (Threshold Limit Value established by ACGIH)**

Substance is not listed.

· **NIOSH-Ca (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)**

Substance is not listed.

· **RTECS**

Substance is not listed.

· **Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

16 Other information

This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

· **NFPA ratings (scale 0-4)**

Health = 0

Fire = 4

Reactivity = 2

The substance demonstrates unusual reactivity with water.

· **HMIS ratings (scale 0-4)**

Health = 0

Fire = 4

Reactivity = 2

· **Department issuing SDS:** Technical Support Department

· **Contact:** Technical Support Department

· **Date of preparation / last revision** 08/13/2015 / -

· **Abbreviations and acronyms:**

ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

DOT: US Department of Transportation

IATA: International Air Transport Association

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

Flam. Sol. 1: Flammable solids, Hazard Category 1

Pyr. Sol. 1: Pyrophoric Solids, Hazard Category 1

Water-react. 1: Substances and Mixtures which, in contact with water, emit flammable gases, Hazard Category 1