SAFETY DATA SHEET

User must review the contents of this (SDS) and determine what is applicable to their own country laws under Health and Safety and apply them as necessary. This (SDS) will not reference every countries Health and Safety Laws. It is the user’s responsibility to determine what is applicable to them, including but not limited to review of any specific chemical lists and apply the requirements as necessary.

1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Identifier: INFORM®/PREFORM COPPER MESH COATED WITH METAL ALLOY MIXTURES (LEAD FREE)

SDS Number: SDS-5098B Revised Date: 26 AUGUST 2020

Version 1.1

Product Use: INDUSTRIAL USE - METAL ALLOY PREFORM MIXTURE WITH COPPER MESH . (Metal Inform® Preforms). REVIEW METAL ALLOY TABLE FOR MIXTURE COMBINATIONS.

NOTE: Copper mesh depends on the thickness of the preform and the opening of the mesh that has been selected.

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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

PRIMARY ROUTES OF ENTRY:  
\[\checkmark\] Eye  \[\checkmark\] Inhalation  \[\checkmark\] Skin  \[\checkmark\] Ingestion  

CARCINOGEN LISTED IN:  
NTP  IARC  OSHA  \[\checkmark\] Not Listed  

See Section 11

GHS: Non Lead - Indium Containing Products

Classification:

Respiratory tract irritation- 3

Signal Word: Warning

Hazard Statement(s)

H335 May cause respiratory irritation

Precautionary statement(s)

P261 Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray
P270 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product
P273 Avoid release to the environment
P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection
P362 +P364 Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse
P301 + P314 IF SWALLOWED: Get Medical advice/attention if you feel unwell
P302 +P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water
P304 + 341 IF INHALED: If breathing is difficult, remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing
P305 + 351 IF IN EYES: Rinse continuously with water for several minutes (15 mins)

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POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS:

Eye Contact: Contact with metal alloy fume from molten metal may cause irritation. Severe eye damage may result from hot molten metal being splashed into the eyes. Wear safety glasses and face shield when working with molten metal. Normal handling of metal preform does not pose a hazard.

Ingestion: Ingestion may be harmful.

Inhalation: Inhalation of fume or dust may cause local irritation or harm to the respiratory system. Avoid inhalation.

Skin Contact: Normal handling of solid metal should not cause any adverse health effects. Hot molten metal may cause burns to the skin. Wear protective equipment when handling molten metal. Exposure to copper dust may cause a greenish-black skin discoloration.

Chronic:  

COPPER: Overexposure to fumes may cause metal fume fever (chills, muscle aches, nausea, fever; dry throat, cough, weakness, lassitude); metallic or sweet taste; discoloration of skin and hair.

TIN: Has been shown to increase incidence of sarcoma in animal tests.

SILVER: Chronic skin contact or ingestion of silver powder, salts or fume can result in a condition
known as Argyria, a condition with bluish pigmentation of the skin and eyes.

**INDIUM:** May cause damage to respiratory system.

**WARNING:** This product can expose you to chemicals including [trace amounts of lead] which is known to the State of California to cause cancer and/or birth defects (or other reproductive harm). For more information go to [www.P65Warnings.ca.gov](http://www.P65Warnings.ca.gov)

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### 3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

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4. FIRST AID MEASURES

**Eye Contact:** Hold eyelids apart and flush eyes with plenty of tepid water for at least 15 minutes. Seek medical attention if irritation persists.

**Ingestion:** If patient is conscious, ONLY induce vomiting as directed by trained personnel. NEVER give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Seek medical attention immediately.

**Inhalation:** Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration or oxygen by trained personnel. Seek immediate medical attention.

**Skin Contact:** Remove contaminated clothing. Wash affected area with soap and water. Wash clothing before reuse. If irritation persists, obtain medical attention.

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

**Flash Point:** Not established. **Method:** Not established.

**Auto-ignition Temperature:** Not established.

**Flammable Limits:** Limits not established. Massive metal is not flammable; however dust or powder may be flammable.

**Extinguishing Media:** Use extinguishers appropriate for the surrounding fire conditions.

**Special Fire Fighting Procedures:** Firefighters must wear NIOSH approved self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing.
6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Spill or Leak Procedures: Contain spill. If molten, cool to allow metal to solidify. If a solid metal, wear gloves, pick up and return to process. If dust, wear recommended personal protective equipment. Do not sweep. Use a vacuum, place in barrels and return to process if applicable. Otherwise, dispose of following all Federal, State and Local regulations. In the EU refer to the Special Waste Regulations. Metal may have reclaim value.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling Precautions: Only dry metals should be added to molten bath. If working with molten metals, or exposed to fume or dust, use appropriate personal protective equipment.

Storage Precautions: Store product in a cool, dry area away from incompatible materials.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Engineering Controls: Local exhaust ventilation is recommended to control any air contaminants. Control concentration of all components so that their exposure levels are not exceeded.

Personal protection:

Eyes: Chemical safety glasses/goggles and face shield with molten metal.

Respirator: An authority approved or compliant marked air-purifying respirator with a fume/dust chemical cartridge is recommended under certain circumstances where airborne concentrations are expected to be elevated and engineering controls are not effective.

Skin: Gloves-leather or impervious (vinyl) type. Heat resistant gloves if handling hot metal. Safety type boots. Personal protective equipment is recommended when working with molten metal to avoid burns.

Other: Lab coat, safety shower and eye-wash fountain in work area. Avoid the use of contact lenses in high fume areas.

Work/Hygienic Practices: Maintain good housekeeping. Clean up spills immediately. Good personal hygiene is essential. Avoid eating, smoking or drinking in the work area. Wash hands thoroughly with soap and water immediately upon leaving the work area.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance: Silver grey solid metal

Boiling Point: 2595C (copper)

Odor: Odorless

Melting Point: 1083C (copper)

Specific Gravity: 8.92 (copper)

pH: Not applicable

Vapor Pressure: Not applicable.

Solubility in Water: Insoluble

Vapor Density: (air=1) Not applicable.

Viscosity: Consult product data sheet

Evaporation rate: Not applicable

Decomposition temp: Not available

Flash point: Not flammable

Flammability: Not available

Auto-ignition temp: Not applicable
10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

General: Stable.
Conditions to Avoid: Not established.
Incompatible Materials: Avoid contact with mineral acids.
Hazardous Decomposition / Combustion: Harmful organic fumes and toxic oxide fumes may form at elevated temperatures.
Hazardous Polymerization: Will not occur.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Carcinogenicity:
National Toxicity Program (NTP): No
Occupational Safety & Health Administration (OSHA): No
U.N. International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC): No

LD50: Not established LC50: Not established

RTECS#: VM3500000 (silver), XP7320000 (tin), GL5325000 (dusts) GL7900000 (fume) (copper)

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Product not tested.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATION

Waste Disposal Method: Scrap metal alloy usually has value. Contact a commercial reclaimer for recycling. Otherwise, dispose of in accordance with all Federal, State and Local environmental regulations. In Europe follow the Special Waste Regulations.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Transport in accordance with applicable international regulations and requirements. Not regulated under US DOT (United States Department of Transportation). Not hazardous under shipping regulations. (ground/IATA/Ocean)

UN- none
North America Emergency Guide Book – Not applicable
15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

The information in this Safety Data Sheet meets the requirements of the United States Occupational Safety and Health Act and regulations promulgated hereunder (29 CFR 1910.1200 ET. SEQ.).

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SARA 313 Listing - 40 CFR 372.65: Silver, Copper, Antimony

All ingredients are listed on the EPA TSCA Inventory.

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Canadian Controlled Products Regulation (CPR).

Ingredients are listed on the Canadian Domestic Substance List.

This product has been classified in accordance with the guidelines set by the Dept of Industrial Health of the Republic of Singapore.

Regulatory Information China:

GB/T 16483-2008, GB/T 17519-2013, Safety Data Sheets for Chemical Products

GB 30000.2-29-2013, Rules for classification and labeling of chemicals (GHS)

Decree No. 591: Regulations on the Control Over Safety of Hazardous Chemicals.

This product has been classified using the Chinese Occupational Exposure Limit for Hazardous Agents in the Workplace, GBZ2-2007.

Malaysia:

This product has been classified in accordance with: Malaysian – OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH (CLASSIFICATION, LABELING AND SAFETY DATA SHEET OF HAZARDOUS CHEMICALS) REGULATION OCTOBER 2013 – (CLASS).

This product has been classified in accordance with the Mexican regulations NOM-018-STPS-2015 and NOM-010-STPS-2014.
16. OTHER INFORMATION

HMIS Hazard Rating:
- Health: 1
- Fire: 0
- Reactivity: 0

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Alloy Table

Metal alloys

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Contact Sales or Technical Dept for further information regarding mesh.

*RoHS = Restriction of Hazardous Substances (2011/65/EU)
*RoHS 3- products do not contain any listed phthalates
** Exemption- 7a