

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 Version 5.0 Revision Date 17.05.2012

# 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

#### 1.1 Product identifiers

Product name : IRON FILLINGS FINE

 Product Number
 : 52-7486

 Brand
 : Rapid

 CAS-No.
 : 7439-89-6

### 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 : Rapid Electronics,

Severalls Lane, Colchester, Essex,

CO4 5JS, United Kingdom

Telephone : +44 (0) 1206 751166 Fax : +44 (0) 1206 751188 E-mail address : sales@rapidelec.co.uk

#### 1.4 Emergency telephone number

Emergency Phone # : +44 (0) 1206 751166

# 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Not a hazardous substance or mixture according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008. This substance is not classified as dangerous according to Directive 67/548/EEC.

#### 2.2 Label elements

This substance is not classified as dangerous according to Directive 67/548/EEC.

#### 2.3 Other hazards - none

### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

# 3.1 Substances

Formula : Fe

Molecular Weight : 55.85 g/mol

# 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.

#### 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

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

#### 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 extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

# 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Iron oxides

#### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary.

#### 5.4 Further information

The product itself does not burn.

#### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

# 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapors, mist or gas.

# 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

Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed.

# 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

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

#### 7.3 Specific end uses

no data available

# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

# 8.1 Control parameters

#### Components with workplace control parameters

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

#### 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.

The selected protective gloves have to satisfy the specifications of EU Directive 89/686/EEC and the standard EN 374 derived from it.

Immersion protection Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm Break through time: > 480 min

Material tested: Dermatril® (Aldrich Z677272, Size M)

Splash protection Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm Break through time: > 30 min

Material tested: Dermatril® (Aldrich Z677272, Size M)

data source: KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, phone +49 (0)6659 873000, e-mail sales@kcl.de,

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 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).

#### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

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

a) Appearance Form: chips

b) Odour no data availablec) Odour Threshold no data availabled) pH no data available

e) Melting point/freezing

point

Melting point/range: 1,535 °C

f) Initial boiling point and

boiling range

2,750 °C

g) Flash point not applicableh) Evaporation rate no data available

i) Flammability (solid, gas) no data available

Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits

no data available

k) Vapour pressure no data available
 l) Vapour density no data available
 m) Relative density 7.86 g/mL at 25 °C

n) Water solubility insoluble

o) Partition coefficient: n- no data available

octanol/water

p) Autoignition no data available

temperature

q) Decomposition no data available

temperature

r) Viscosity no data available
 s) Explosive properties no data available
 t) Oxidizing 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

no data available

## 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

no data available

#### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

no data available

### 10.5 Incompatible materials

acids, Oxygen, Strong oxidizing agents, Halogens, Phosphorus

# 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Other decomposition products - no data available

# 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

#### **Acute toxicity**

LD50 Oral - rat - 30,000 mg/kg

Remarks: Nutritional and Gross Metabolic: Weight loss or decreased weight gain.

#### Skin corrosion/irritation

no data available

# Serious eye damage/eye irritation

no data available

# Respiratory or skin sensitization

no data available

### Germ cell mutagenicity

no data available

### Carcinogenicity

Carcinogenicity - rat - Intratracheal

Tumorigenic:Equivocal tumorigenic agent by RTECS criteria. Lungs, Thorax, or Respiration:Tumors.

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.

# 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

### Potential health effects

**Inhalation** May be harmful if inhaled. May cause respiratory tract irritation.

**Ingestion** May be harmful if swallowed.

**Skin** May be harmful if absorbed through skin. May cause skin irritation.

**Eyes** May cause eye irritation.

# Signs and Symptoms of Exposure

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

#### **Additional Information**

RTECS: Not available

# 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

no data available

#### 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

# 14.1 UN number

ADR/RID: - IMDG: - IATA: -

# 14.2 UN proper shipping name

ADR/RID: Not dangerous goods IMDG: Not dangerous goods IATA: Not dangerous goods

# 14.3 Transport hazard class(es)

ADR/RID: - IMDG: - IATA: -

# 14.4 Packaging group

ADR/RID: - IMDG: - IATA: -

14.5 Environmental hazards

ADR/RID: no IMDG Marine pollutant: no IATA: no

14.6 Special precautions for user

no data available

# 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

This safety datasheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006.

15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture no data available

# 15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment

no data available

# 16. OTHER INFORMATION

#### **Further information**

The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. The information in this document is based on the present state of our knowledge and is applicable to the product with regard to appropriate safety precautions. It does not represent any guarantee of the properties of the product.