

# Safety Data Sheet


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## 1 Identification

- **Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** Silicon Metal
- **Product code:** S25521A
- **CAS Number:**  
7440-21-3
- **Recommended use and restriction on use**
- **Recommended use:** Laboratory chemicals
- **Restrictions on use:** No relevant information available.
- **Details of the supplier of the Safety Data Sheet**
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**  
AquaPhoenix Scientific, Inc.  
860 Gitts Run Road  
Hanover, PA 17331 USA  
Tel +1 (717)632-1291  
Toll-Free: (866)632-1291  
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- **Distributor:**  
Fisher Science Education  
6771 Silver Crest Road,  
Nazareth, PA 18064  
(800) 955-1177
- **Emergency telephone number:**  
ChemTel Inc.  
(800)255-3924 (North America)  
+1 (813)248-0585 (International)

## 2 Hazard(s) identification

- **Classification of the substance or mixture**  
Flam. Sol. 2 H228 Flammable solid.
- **Label elements**
- **GHS label elements**  
The product is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).
- **Hazard pictograms:**  
  
GHS02
- **Signal word:** Warning
- **Hazard statements:**  
H228 Flammable solid.
- **Precautionary statements:**  
P210 Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking.  
P240 Ground/bond container and receiving equipment.  
P241 Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting/equipment.  
P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.  
P370+P378 In case of fire: Use for extinction: Special powder for metal fires.

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- **Other hazards** There are no other hazards not otherwise classified that have been identified.

## 3 Composition/information on ingredients

- **Chemical characterization: Substances**
- **CAS No. Description**  
7440-21-3 Silicon

## 4 First-aid measures

- **Description of first aid measures**
- **General information:** Immediately remove any clothing soiled by the product.
- **After inhalation:** Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of complaints.
- **After skin contact:**  
Brush off loose particles from skin.  
Immediately rinse with water.  
If skin irritation is experienced, consult a doctor.
- **After eye contact:**  
Remove contact lenses if worn.  
Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. If symptoms persist, consult a doctor.
- **After swallowing:**  
Rinse out mouth and then drink plenty of water.  
Do not induce vomiting; immediately call for medical help.
- **Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed:** Thermal burns, if mishandled.
- **Danger:** No relevant information available.
- **Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed:**  
No relevant information available.

## 5 Fire-fighting measures

- **Extinguishing media**
- **Suitable extinguishing agents:**  
Dry chemical, sand, or graphite to smother fire. Do not use Halon-type fire extinguishers.
- **For safety reasons unsuitable extinguishing agents:** Water or Halons.
- **Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**  
Formation of toxic gases is possible during heating or in case of fire.  
Flammable solid.
- **Advice for firefighters**
- **Protective equipment:**  
Wear self-contained respiratory protective device.  
Wear fully protective suit.
- **Additional information:** Eliminate all ignition sources if safe to do so.

## 6 Accidental release measures

- **Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

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Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.

Ensure adequate ventilation.

Protect from heat.

· **Environmental precautions**

Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities of it to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.

· **Methods and material for containment and cleaning up**

Vacuum or sweep and collect in a suitable container. For a large spill, collect uncontaminated product for possible re-use. Avoid creating dusty conditions.

Send for recovery or disposal in suitable receptacles.

· **Reference to other sections**

See Section 7 for information on safe handling.

See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.

See Section 13 for disposal information.

## 7 Handling and storage

· **Handling**

· **Precautions for safe handling:**

Use only in well ventilated areas.

Prevent formation of dust.

Any deposit of dust which cannot be avoided must be regularly removed.

Do not dry clean dust covered objects and floors. Wash thoroughly with plenty of water.

· **Information about protection against explosions and fires:** Flammable solid.

· **Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**

· **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:**

Store in a cool location.

Avoid storage near extreme heat, ignition sources or open flame.

· **Information about storage in one common storage facility:**

Store away from foodstuffs.

Store away from oxidizing agents.

Do not store together with alkalis (caustic solutions).

· **Further information about storage conditions:**

Keep containers tightly sealed.

Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed receptacles.

· **Specific end use(s)** No relevant information available.

## 8 Exposure controls/personal protection

· **Control parameters**

· **Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**

**7440-21-3 Silicon**

PEL (USA)	Long-term value: 15* 5** mg/m <sup>3</sup> *total dust **respirable fraction
REL (USA)	Long-term value: 10* 5** mg/m <sup>3</sup> *total dust **respirable fraction

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TLV (USA)	TLV withdrawn
EL (Canada)	Long-term value: 10* 3** mg/m <sup>3</sup> *total dust;**respirable fraction
EV (Canada)	Long-term value: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> total dust
LMPE (Mexico)	Short-term value: 20 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Long-term value: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (e)

## · Exposure controls

### · General protective and hygienic measures:

The usual precautionary measures for handling chemicals should be followed.  
Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.  
Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.  
Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

· **Engineering controls:** Provide adequate ventilation.

· **Breathing equipment:** Not required under normal conditions of use.

· **Protection of hands:**



Protective gloves

### · Material of gloves

A recommendation for a suitable glove material is not available. Testing will be required to determine the suitability of any potential glove materials.

· **Eye protection:**



Safety glasses

Follow relevant national guidelines concerning the use of protective eyewear.

· **Body protection:** Protective work clothing

· **Limitation and supervision of exposure into the environment**

No relevant information available.

## 9 Physical and chemical properties

### · Information on basic physical and chemical properties

· **Appearance:**

· <b>Form:</b>	Solid
· <b>Color:</b>	Silver gray
· <b>Odor:</b>	Odorless
· <b>Odor threshold:</b>	Not determined.

· <b>pH-value:</b>	Not applicable.
· <b>Melting point/Melting range:</b>	1423 °C (2593.4 °F)
· <b>Boiling point/Boiling range:</b>	2355 °C (4271 °F)

· **Flash point:** Not applicable.

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· <b>Flammability (solid, gaseous):</b>	Flammable solid.
· <b>Auto-ignition temperature:</b>	Not determined.
· <b>Decomposition temperature:</b>	Not determined.
· <b>Danger of explosion:</b>	Not determined.
· <b>Explosion limits</b>	
Lower:	Not determined.
Upper:	Not determined.
· <b>Oxidizing properties:</b>	Non-oxidizing.
· <b>Vapor pressure:</b>	Not determined.
· <b>Density at 20 °C (68 °F):</b>	2.33 g/cm <sup>3</sup> (19.44 lbs/gal)
· <b>Relative density:</b>	Not determined.
· <b>Vapor density:</b>	Not applicable.
· <b>Evaporation rate:</b>	Not applicable.
· <b>Solubility in / Miscibility with Water:</b>	Soluble.
· <b>Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):</b>	Not determined.
· <b>Viscosity</b>	
Dynamic:	Not applicable.
Kinematic:	Not applicable.
· <b>Other information</b>	No relevant information available.

## 10 Stability and reactivity

- **Reactivity:** No relevant information available.
- **Chemical stability:** Stable under normal temperatures and pressures.
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:**  
No decomposition if used and stored according to specifications.
- **Possibility of hazardous reactions**  
Reacts with oxidizing agents.  
Flammable solid.
- **Conditions to avoid** No relevant information available.
- **Incompatible materials**  
Oxidizing agents.  
Alkalis
- **Hazardous decomposition products**  
Under fire conditions only:  
Silicon oxides.

## 11 Toxicological information

- **Information on toxicological effects**
- **Acute toxicity:** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

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· **LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification:**

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Oral | LD50 | 3160 mg/kg (rat)

· **Primary irritant effect:**

- **On the skin:** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **On the eye:** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Sensitization:** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

· **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.

· **Probable route(s) of exposure:**

Ingestion.  
Inhalation.  
Eye contact.  
Skin contact.

- **Acute effects (acute toxicity, irritation and corrosivity):** No relevant information available.
- **Repeated dose toxicity:** No relevant information available.
- **Germ cell mutagenicity:** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Carcinogenicity:** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Reproductive toxicity:** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **STOT-single exposure:** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **STOT-repeated exposure:** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Aspiration hazard:** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

## 12 Ecological information

· **Toxicity**

- **Aquatic toxicity** No relevant information available.
- **Persistence and degradability** No relevant information available.
- **Bioaccumulative potential:** No relevant information available.
- **Mobility in soil:** No relevant information available.

· **Additional ecological information**

- **General notes:** Generally not hazardous for water.
- **Other adverse effects** No relevant information available.

## 13 Disposal considerations

· **Waste treatment methods**

· **Recommendation:**

The user of this material has the responsibility to dispose of unused material, residues and containers in compliance with all relevant local, state and federal laws and regulations regarding treatment, storage and disposal for hazardous and nonhazardous wastes. Residual materials should be treated as hazardous.

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- **Uncleaned packagings**
- **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

## 14 Transport information

· <b>UN-Number</b>	UN1346
· <b>DOT, ADR/RID/ADN, IMDG, IATA</b>	UN1346
· <b>UN proper shipping name</b>	Silicon powder, amorphous
· <b>DOT</b>	1346 SILICON POWDER, AMORPHOUS
· <b>ADR/RID/ADN</b>	SILICON POWDER, AMORPHOUS
· <b>IMDG, IATA</b>	SILICON POWDER, AMORPHOUS
· <b>Transport hazard class(es)</b>	
· <b>DOT</b>	
	
· <b>Class</b>	4.1
· <b>Label</b>	4.1
· <b>ADR/RID/ADN</b>	
	
· <b>Class</b>	4.1 (F3)
· <b>Label</b>	4.1
· <b>IMDG, IATA</b>	
	
· <b>Class</b>	4.1
· <b>Label</b>	4.1
· <b>Packing group</b>	III
· <b>DOT, ADR/RID/ADN, IMDG, IATA</b>	III
· <b>Environmental hazards</b>	Not applicable.
· <b>Special precautions for user</b>	Warning: Flammable solids, self-reactive substances and solid desensitised explosives
· <b>Hazard identification number (Kemler code):</b>	40
· <b>EMS Number:</b>	F-A,S-G
· <b>Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code</b>	Not applicable.

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## 15 Regulatory information

- Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture
- United States (USA)
- SARA

### · Section 302 (extremely hazardous substances):

Substance is not listed.

### · Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings):

Substance is not listed.

### · TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act)

All ingredients are listed or exempt.

### · Proposition 65 (California)

#### · Chemicals known to cause cancer:

Substance is not listed.

#### · Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity for females:

Substance is not listed.

#### · Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity for males:

Substance is not listed.

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

Substance is not listed.

### · EPA (Environmental Protection Agency):

Substance is not listed.

### · IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer):

Substance is not listed.

### · Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL):

All ingredients listed on DSL or NDSL.

## 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.

### · Abbreviations and acronyms:

ADR: 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

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

LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent

LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent

OSHA: Occupational Safety & Health Administration

Flam. Sol. 2: Flammable solids – Category 2

### · Sources

Website, European Chemicals Agency ([echa.europa.eu](http://echa.europa.eu))

Website, US EPA Substance Registry Services ([ofmpub.epa.gov/sorinternet/registry/substreg/home/](http://ofmpub.epa.gov/sorinternet/registry/substreg/home/))

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Safety Data Sheets, Individual Manufacturers