

according to Regulation UK SI 2019/758 and UK SI 2020/1577 as amended

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# SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

#### 1.1. Product identifier

**REACH** registration number

Product Description: Aluminum flake

Cat No. : 45031

 Index No
 013-002-00-1

 CAS No
 7429-90-5

 EC No
 231-072-3

 Molecular Formula
 Al

1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Recommended Use Laboratory chemicals.
Uses advised against No Information available

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company

Avocado Research Chemicals Ltd. (Part of Thermo Fisher Scientific)

Shore Road, Heysham Lancashire, LA3 2XY, United Kingdom

Office Tel: +44 (0) 1524 850506 Office Fax: +44 (0) 1524 850608

E-mail address begel.sdsdesk@thermofisher.com

1.4. Emergency telephone number

For information **US** call: 001-800-227-6701 / **Europe** call: +32 14 57 52 11 Emergency Number **US**:001-201-796-7100 / **Europe**: +32 14 57 52 99 **CHEMTREC** Tel. No. **US**:001-800-424-9300 / **Europe**:001-703-527-3887

## **SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

## 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

#### CLP Classification - According to GB-CLP Regulations UK SI 2019/720 and UK SI 2020/1567

#### **Physical hazards**

Flammable solids
Substances/mixtures which, in contact with water, emit flammable gases

Category 1 (H228)
Category 2 (H261)

#### **Health hazards**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

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#### **Environmental hazards**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

Full text of Hazard Statements: see section 16

#### 2.2. Label elements



Signal Word

**Danger** 

#### **Hazard Statements**

H228 - Flammable solid

H261 - In contact with water releases flammable gases

#### **Precautionary Statements**

P210 - Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking

P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

P370 + P378 - In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol-resistant foam for extinction

P231 + P232 - Handle and store contents under inert gas. Protect from moisture

P302 + P335 + P334 - IF ON SKIN: Brush off loose particles from skin. Immerse in cool water

## 2.3. Other hazards

In accordance with Annex XIII of the REACH Regulation, inorganic substances do not require assessment

This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors

## **SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

### 3.1. Substances

Component	CAS No	EC No	Weight %	CLP Classification - According to GB-CLP Regulations UK SI 2019/720 and UK SI 2020/1567
Aluminium powder (stabilized)	7429-90-5	EEC No. 231-072-3	<=100	Flam. Sol. 1 (H228) Water-react. 2 (H261)

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Full text of Hazard Statements: see section 16

SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES	
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## 4.1. Description of first aid measures

**Eye Contact** Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, lifting lower and upper eyelids.

Consult a physician.

**Skin Contact**Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated

clothes and shoes.

**Ingestion** Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water.

**Inhalation** Remove to fresh air.

Self-Protection of the First Aider Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, take precautions to

protect themselves and prevent spread of contamination.

#### 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

No information available.

## 4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Notes to Physician Treat symptomatically.

## **SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

#### 5.1. Extinguishing media

#### **Suitable Extinguishing Media**

approved class D extinguishers.

## Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons

Water may be ineffective.

## 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors.

### **Hazardous Combustion Products**

Fumes of aluminum or aluminum oxide.

#### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

## **SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

#### 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

No special precautions required.

#### 6.2. Environmental precautions

See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information.

## 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

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Pick up and transfer to properly labelled containers.

#### 6.4. Reference to other sections

Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 8 and 13.

## **SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE**

## 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Ensure adequate ventilation.

## **Hygiene Measures**

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Remove and wash contaminated clothing and gloves, including the inside, before re-use. Wash hands before breaks and after work.

#### 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep under nitrogen. Keep in a dry place. Keep away from acids.

Technical Rules for Hazardous Substances (TRGS) 510 Class 4.3 Storage Class (LGK) (Germany)

#### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

Use in laboratories

## **SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

#### 8.1. Control parameters

## **Exposure limits**

List source(s): **UK** - EH40/2005 Work Exposure Limits, Fourth edition. Published 2020. **IRE** - 2021 Code of Practice for the Chemical Agents Regulations, Schedule 1. Published by the Health and Safety Authority

Component	The United Kingdom	European Union	Ireland
Aluminium powder (stabilized)	STEL: 30 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15 min		TWA: 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 hr.
	STEL: 12 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15 min		respirable fraction
	TWA: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 hr		STEL: 3 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15 min
	TWA: 4 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 hr		

## **Biological limit values**

List source(s):

## Derived No Effect Level (DNEL) / Derived Minimum Effect Level (DMEL)

See table for values

#### **Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)**

See values below.

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Component	Fresh water	Fresh water sediment	Water Intermittent	Microorganisms in sewage treatment	` ` ` '
Aluminium powder (stabilized)				PNEC = 20mg/L	
7429-90-5 ( <=100 )					

#### 8.2. Exposure controls

#### **Engineering Measures**

None under normal use conditions.

Personal protective equipment

Eye Protection Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles) (European standard - EN 166)

Hand Protection No special protective equipment required

Glove material Breakthrough time Glove thickness EU standard Glove comments

Disposable gloves See manufacturers - EN 374 (minimum requirement)

recommendations

Skin and body protection Long sleeved clothing.

Respiratory Protection No special protective equipment required.

Large scale/emergency use In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment

Small scale/Laboratory use No personal respiratory protective equipment normally required

When RPE is used a face piece Fit Test should be conducted

**Environmental exposure controls** No information available.

## **SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

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

Physical State Flake

Appearance Silver Grey

Odor No information available No data available **Odor Threshold** Melting Point/Range 660 °C / 1220 °F **Softening Point** No data available **Boiling Point/Range** 2467 °C / 4472.6 °F Flammability (liquid) No data available Flammability (solid,gas) No information available **Explosion Limits** No data available

Flash Point No information available

Autoignition Temperature
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Viscosity

Water Solubility

Solubility in other solvents

No data available
No information available
No information available

Method - No information available

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(Air = 1.0)

Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water)

Vapor PressureNo data availableDensity / Specific GravityNo data availableBulk DensityNo data availableVapor DensityNo data available

Particle characteristics No data available

9.2. Other information

Molecular Formula Al Molecular Weight 26.98

## **SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

10.1. Reactivity

Yes

10.2. Chemical stability

Water reactive.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous PolymerizationNo information available.Hazardous ReactionsNo information available.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Incompatible products. Excess heat.

10.5. Incompatible materials

None known.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Fumes of aluminum or aluminum oxide.

## **SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

## 11.1. Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

#### **Product Information**

(a) acute toxicity;

OralNo data availableDermalNo data availableInhalationNo data available

Component	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Aluminium powder (stabilized)	-	-	LC50 > 0.888 mg/L (Rat) 4 h

(b) skin corrosion/irritation; No data available

(c) serious eye damage/irritation; No data available

(d) respiratory or skin sensitization;

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Respiratory No data available
Skin No data available

(e) germ cell mutagenicity; No data available

(f) carcinogenicity; No data available

There are no known carcinogenic chemicals in this product

(g) reproductive toxicity; No data available

(h) STOT-single exposure; No data available

(i) STOT-repeated exposure; No data available

Target Organs None known.

(j) aspiration hazard; No data available

Symptoms / effects,both acute and No information available. delayed

11.2. Information on other hazards

Endocrine Disrupting Properties Assess endocrine disrupting properties for human health. This product does not contain any

known or suspected endocrine disruptors.

## **SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

12.1. Toxicity

Ecotoxicity effects

12.2. Persistence and degradability No information available

**Degradability** Not relevant for inorganic substances.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential No information available

12.4. Mobility in soil No information available

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB In accordance with Annex XIII of the REACH Regulation, inorganic substances do not

<u>assessment</u> require assessment.

12.6. Endocrine disrupting

properties

Endocrine Disruptor Information This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors

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12.7. Other adverse effects
Persistent Organic Pollutant
Ozone Depletion Potential

This product does not contain any known or suspected substance This product does not contain any known or suspected substance

## **SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Waste from Residues/Unused

**Products** 

Waste is classified as hazardous. Dispose of in accordance with the European Directives

on waste and hazardous waste. Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

Contaminated Packaging Dispose of this container to hazardous or special waste collection point. Empty containers

retain product residue, (liquid and/or vapor), and can be dangerous. Keep product and

empty container away from heat and sources of ignition.

European Waste Catalogue (EWC) According to the European Waste Catalog, Waste Codes are not product specific, but

application specific.

Other Information Waste codes should be assigned by the user based on the application for which the product

was used. Do not flush to sewer. Can be landfilled or incinerated, when in compliance with

local regulations.

## **SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

IMDG/IMO

<u>14.1. UN number</u> UN3208

14.2. UN proper shipping name METALLIC SUBSTANCE, WATER-REACTIVE, N.O.S.

Technical Shipping Name Aluminum flake

14.3. Transport hazard class(es) 4.3 14.4. Packing group II

<u>ADR</u>

**14.1. UN number** UN3208

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Technical Shipping Name Aluminum flake

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<u>IATA</u>

**14.1. UN number** UN3208

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Technical Shipping Name Aluminum flake

14.3. Transport hazard class(es) 4.3 14.4. Packing group II

14.5. Environmental hazards No hazards identified

14.6. Special precautions for user No special precautions required.

14.7. Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

Not applicable, packaged goods

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## **SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION**

#### 15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

#### **International Inventories**

China, X = listed, Australia, U.S.A. (TSCA), Canada (DSL/NDSL), Europe (EINECS/ELINCS/NLP), Australia (AICS), Korea (KECL), China (IECSC), Japan (ENCS), Philippines (PICCS). US EPA (TSCA) - Toxic Substances Control Act, (40 CFR Part 710)

Component	CAS No	EINECS	ELINCS	NLP	IECSC	TCSI	KECL	ENCS	ISHL
Aluminium powder (stabilized)	7429-90-5	231-072-3	-	-	X	X	KE-00881	X	-

Component	CAS No	TSCA	TSCA Inventory notification - Active-Inactive	DSL	NDSL	AICS	NZIoC	PICCS
Aluminium powder (stabilized)	7429-90-5	Х	ACTIVE	X	-	Х	Х	Х

Legend: X - Listed '-' - Not Listed

KECL - NIER number or KE number (http://ncis.nier.go.kr/en/main.do)

#### Authorisation/Restrictions according to EU REACH

Component	CAS No	REACH (1907/2006) - Annex XIV - Substances Subject to Authorization		REACH Regulation (EC 1907/2006) article 59 - Candidate List of Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC)
Aluminium powder (stabilized)	7429-90-5	-	Use restricted. See item 75. (see link for restriction details)	-

#### **REACH links**

https://echa.europa.eu/substances-restricted-under-reach

#### Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC)

Component	CAS No	Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC) - Qualifying Quantities for Major Accident Notification	Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC) - Qualifying Quantities for Safety Report Requirements
Aluminium powder (stabilized)	7429-90-5	Not applicable	Not applicable

Regulation (EC) No 649/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 4 July 2012 concerning the export and import of dangerous chemicals

Not applicable

Contains component(s) that meet a 'definition' of per & poly fluoroalkyl substance (PFAS)?

Not applicable

Take note of Directive 98/24/EC on the protection of the health and safety of workers from the risks related to chemical agents at work .

### **National Regulations**

UK - Take note of Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations (COSHH) 2002 and 2005 Amendment

WGK Classification See table for values

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j	Component	Germany - Water Classification (AwSV)	Germany - TA-Luft Class
	Aluminium powder (stabilized)	nwg	

Component	France - INRS (Tables of occupational diseases)
Aluminium powder (stabilized)	Tableaux des maladies professionnelles (TMP) - RG 32
	Tableaux des maladies professionnelles (TMP) - RG 16,RG 16bis

#### 15.2. Chemical safety assessment

A Chemical Safety Assessment/Report (CSA/CSR) has not been conducted

## **SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION**

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

H228 - Flammable solid

H261 - In contact with water releases flammable gases

#### Legend

CAS - Chemical Abstracts Service

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b)

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic

Substances/EU List of Notified Chemical Substances

PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

IECSC - Chinese Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

**KECL** - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

Substances List

**ENCS** - Japanese Existing and New Chemical Substances AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

WEL - Workplace Exposure Limit

ACGIH - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

**DNEL** - Derived No Effect Level

RPE - Respiratory Protective Equipment LC50 - Lethal Concentration 50%

NOEC - No Observed Effect Concentration

PBT - Persistent. Bioaccumulative. Toxic

TWA - Time Weighted Average

IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer

Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)

LD50 - Lethal Dose 50%

EC50 - Effective Concentration 50%

POW - Partition coefficient Octanol:Water

vPvB - very Persistent, very Bioaccumulative

ADR - European Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of

Dangerous Goods by Road

IMO/IMDG - International Maritime Organization/International Maritime

Dangerous Goods Code

OECD - Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

**BCF** - Bioconcentration factor

ICAO/IATA - International Civil Aviation Organization/International Air Transport Association

MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from

Ships

ATE - Acute Toxicity Estimate

VOC - (Volatile Organic Compound)

## Key literature references and sources for data

https://echa.europa.eu/information-on-chemicals

Suppliers safety data sheet, Chemadvisor - LOLI, Merck index, RTECS

#### **Training Advice**

Chemical hazard awareness training, incorporating labelling, Safety Data Sheets (SDS), Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) and hygiene.

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New emergency telephone response service provider. **Revision Summary** 

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