



TCI AMERICA

SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. IDENTIFICATION

Product name: Skeletal Nickel Catalyst slurry in Water [Active catalyst for Hydrogenation]
Product code: S0487

Product use: For laboratory research purposes.
Restrictions on use: Not for drug or household use.

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2. HAZARD(S) IDENTIFICATION

OSHA Haz Com: CFR 1910.1200:
Acute Toxicity - Oral [Category 4]
Acute Toxicity - Dermal [Category 4]
Acute Toxicity - Inhalation [Category 4]
Skin Corrosion/Irritation [Category 2]
Eye Damage/Irritation [Category 2A]
Sensitization - Respiratory [Category 1]
Sensitization - Skin [Category 1]
Carcinogenicity [Category 2]
Specific Target Organ Toxicity (Single Exposure) [Category 1]
Specific Target Organ Toxicity (Repeated Exposure) [Category 1]
Pyrophoric Solids [Category 1]
Aquatic Hazard (Long-Term) [Category 4]

Signal word: Danger!

Hazard Statement(s):
Catches fire spontaneously if exposed to air
Causes serious eye irritation
Causes skin irritation
Harmful if swallowed
Harmful in contact with skin
Harmful if inhaled
May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled
May cause an allergic skin reaction
Suspected of causing cancer
May cause long lasting harmful effects to aquatic life
Causes damage to: Respiratory System Kidney
Causes damage to organs: Respiratory System through prolonged or repeated exposure.

Pictogram(s) or Symbol(s):



Precautionary Statement(s):

2. HAZARD(S) IDENTIFICATION**[Prevention]**

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash hands and face thoroughly after handling. Wear protective gloves and protective clothing. Avoid breathing dusts or mists. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. Wear protective gloves. Wear eye and face protection. In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection. Contaminated work clothing must not be allowed out of the workplace. Obtain special instructions before use. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, eye protection and face protection. Do not breathe dusts or mists. Keep away from heat, sparks, open flames or other hot surfaces. - No smoking. Do not allow contact with air. Wear protective gloves, eye protection and face protection.

[Response]

If swallowed: Immediately call a poison center or doctor. Rinse mouth. If on skin: Wash with plenty of water. Call a poison center or doctor if you feel unwell. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse. If inhaled: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention. If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice or attention. If inhaled: If breathing is difficult, remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. If experiencing respiratory symptoms: Call a poison center or doctor. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. If exposed or concerned: Get medical advice or attention. If exposed: Call a poison center or doctor. Get medical advice or attention if you feel unwell. Brush off loose particles from skin and immerse in cool water or wrap in wet bandages. In case of fire: Use dry chemical, soda ash, lime or DRY sand to extinguish.

[Storage]

Store locked up. Store contents under inert gas (argon).

[Disposal]

Dispose of contents and container in accordance with US EPA guidelines for the classification and determination of hazardous waste listed in 40 CFR 261.3. (See Section 13)

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Substance/Mixture:	Substance
Components:	Skeletal Nickel Catalyst slurry in Water [Active catalyst for Hydrogenation]
Percent:
CAS Number:	7440-02-0
Molecular Weight:	58.69
Chemical Formula:	Ni
Synonyms:	Raney Nickel

4. FIRST-AID MEASURES**Inhalation:**

May cause coughing, difficult breathing and nausea. Call emergency medical service. Effects of exposure (inhalation) to substance may be delayed. Inhalation of vapors or contact with substance will result in contamination and potential harmful effects. Move victim to fresh air. Give artificial respiration if victim is not breathing. Administer oxygen if breathing is difficult. Keep victim warm and quiet. Treat symptomatically and supportively. Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved and take precautions to protect themselves.

Skin contact:

Call a poison center or doctor if you feel unwell. Effects of exposure (skin contact) to substance may be delayed. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before re-use. Remove and isolate contaminated clothing and shoes. In case of contact with substance, immediately flush skin with running water for at least 20 minutes. Treat symptomatically and supportively. Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved and take precautions to protect themselves.

Eye contact:

IMMEDIATELY flush eyes with running water for at least 15 minutes, keeping eyelids open. Contact with material may irritate or burn eyes. Call emergency medical service. Move victim to fresh air. Check for and remove any contact lenses. Keep victim warm and quiet. Treat symptomatically and supportively. Effects of exposure to substance may be delayed. Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved and take precautions to protect themselves.

Ingestion:

Harmful if swallowed. Do not induce vomiting with out medical advice. Effects of exposure (ingestion) to substance may be delayed. Call a physician or Poison Control Center immediately. Do not use mouth-to-mouth method if victim ingested the substance; give artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other proper respiratory medical device. Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband. If a person vomits place them in the recovery position so that vomit will not reenter the mouth and throat. Rinse mouth. Keep victim warm and quiet. Treat symptomatically and supportively. Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved and take precautions to protect themselves.

Symptoms/effects:**Acute:**

Redness.

Delayed:

May cause skin sensitization. Possibly carcinogenic to humans.

4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

Immediate medical attention: WARNING: It might be hazardous to the person providing aid to give mouth-to-mouth respiration, because the inhaled material is harmful. CAUTION: Victim may be a source of contamination. If breathing has stopped, perform artificial respiration. Use first aid treatment according to the nature of the injury. Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved and take precautions to protect themselves.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media: Dry chemical, soda ash, lime or dry sand. Consult with local fire authorities before attempting large scale fire fighting operations.

Unsuitable extinguishing media: Do NOT use water, CO₂ or foam.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Hazardous combustion products: These products include: Metallic oxides

Other specific hazards: Closed containers may explode from heat of a fire.

Special precautions for fire-fighters:

Use water spray or fog; do not use straight streams. Dike fire-control water for later disposal; do not scatter the material. May re-ignite after fire is extinguished. Runoff to sewer may create fire or explosion hazard. Containers may explode when heated. Move containers from fire area if you can do it without risk.

Special protective equipment for fire-fighters:

Wear positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA). Structural fire fighters' protective clothing provides limited protection in fire situations ONLY; it may not be effective in spill situations. Wear chemical protective clothing which is specifically recommended by the manufacturer. It may provide little or no thermal protection.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions: Avoid contact with skin, eyes, and clothing. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Use spark-proof tools and explosion-proof equipment. Remove all sources of ignition. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing (Section 8). Warn unnecessary personnel to move away. Stop leak if you can do it without risk. Ensure adequate ventilation. Isolate the hazard area and deny entry to unnecessary and unprotected personnel.

Personal protective equipment: Wear eye protection (splash goggles) and face protection (full length face shield). Wear protective clothing (chemical resistant suit and chemical resistant boots). Dust respirator. Be sure to use a MSHA/NIOSH approved respirator or equivalent. Wear protective gloves (nitrile).

Emergency procedures: Keep combustibles (wood, paper, oil, etc.) away from spilled materials. Prevent dust cloud. Do not clean-up or dispose except under supervision of a specialist. ELIMINATE all ignition sources (no smoking, flares, sparks or flames in the immediate area). Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing. Warn personnel to move away. Prevent entry into sewers, basements or confined areas; dike if needed.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up:

ELIMINATE all ignition sources (no smoking, flares, sparks, or flames in immediate area). Stop leak if without risk. Use clean non-sparking tools to collect absorbed material. Cover with water, sand, or earth. Shovel into metal container and keep material under water. Dike far ahead of spill; use dry sand to contain the flow of material. Ventilate the area.

Environmental precautions:

Keep away from living quarters. Environmental hazard. Do not let product enter drains. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Water runoff can cause environmental damage. Prevent entry into sewers, basements or confined areas; dike if needed.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling: Avoid inhalation of vapor or mist. Manipulate under an adequate fume hood. Do not ingest. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid contact with skin. Avoid exposure - obtain special instructions before use. Avoid prolonged or repeated exposure. Normal measures for preventive fire protection. Catches fire if exposed to air. May catch fire in presence of oxidizing materials. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition. Use explosion-proof equipment. Take measures to prevent build up of electrostatic charge. Use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to keep airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. Keep container dry. Handle and open container with care. Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection. When using do not eat, drink, or smoke. Keep away from sources of ignition.

Conditions for safe storage: Store locked up. Store under inert gas (e.g. Argon). Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool, and well-ventilated place. Keep away from combustible materials. Keep away from sources of ignition. Store and use away from heat, sparks, open flame, or any other ignition source. Keep away from incompatibles. Containers which are opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Avoid prolonged storage periods.

Storage incompatibilities: Combustible substances, Reducing Agents

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Exposure limits:

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ACGIH TLV (TWA): 1.5 mg (Ni)/m³
OSHA PEL (TWA): 1 mg (Ni)/m³

Appropriate engineering controls:

Handle only in a fully enclosed system and equipment. Use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to keep airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. Ventilation is normally required when handling or using this product. Eyewash fountains should be provided in areas where there is any possibility that workers could be exposed to the substance. Follow safe industrial engineering/laboratory practices when handling any chemical.

Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection: Dust respirator. Be sure to use a MSHA/NIOSH approved respirator or equivalent.
Hand protection: Nitrile gloves.
Eye protection: Safety glasses.
Skin and body protection: Lab coat.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical state (20°C): Solid
Form: Powder
Color: Black
Odor: No data available
Odor threshold: No data available

Melting point/freezing point: No data available
Boiling point/range: No data available
Decomposition temperature: No data available
Relative density: No data available
Kinematic viscosity: No data available

**Partition coefficient:
n-octanol/water (log P_{ow})** No data available

Flash point: No data available
Flammability (solid, gas): No data available

pH: No data available
Vapor pressure: No data available
Vapor density: No data available
Dynamic Viscosity: No data available

Evaporation rate: No data available
(Butyl Acetate = 1)

Autoignition temperature: No data available
Flammability or explosive limits:
Lower: No data available
Upper: No data available

Solubility(ies):

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity: May spontaneously ignite on contact with air.
Chemical Stability: Air sensitive.
Possibility of Hazardous Reactions: May ignite spontaneously on contact with air.
Conditions to avoid: Air sensitive. Exposure to air.
Incompatible materials: Oxidizing agents
Hazardous Decomposition Products: No data available

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

RTECS Number: QR5950000

Acute Toxicity:

ipr-rat LD50:250 mg/kg

itr-rat LDLo:12 mg/kg

ivn-mus LDLo:50 mg/kg

orl-rat LDLo:5 g/kg

Skin corrosion/irritation:

No data available

Serious eye damage/irritation:

No data available

Respiratory or skin sensitization:

No data available

Germ cell mutagenicity:

mtr-ham-emb 5 umol/L

mtr-ham-kdy 400 mg/L

Carcinogenicity:ihl-gpg TClO:15 mg/m³/91W-I

ims-rat TDLo:56 mg/kg

par-rat TDLo:40 mg/kg/52W-I

IARC: Group 2B (Possibly carcinogenic to humans) .**NTP:** b (Reasonably anticipated to be carcinogens).**OSHA:** No data available**Reproductive toxicity:**

orl-rat TDLo: 158 mg/kg(multigenerations)

Routes of Exposure:

Inhalation, Eye contact, Ingestion, Skin contact.

Symptoms related to exposure:

Overexposure may result in serious illness or death. Skin contact may result in inflammation; characterized by itching, scaling, reddening, or occasionally blistering. Skin contact may result in redness, pain or dry skin. Eye contact may result in redness or pain. Inhalation causes irritation of the lungs and respiratory system. Skin contact may result in sensitization. Readily absorbed through skin.

Potential Health Effects:

Skin and eye contact may result in irritation.

Target organ(s):

Causes damage to: Respiratory System Kidney

Causes damage to organs: Respiratory System through prolonged or repeated exposure.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**Ecotoxicity**

Fish:	No data available
Crustacea:	No data available
Algae:	No data available

Persistence and degradability:

No data available

Bioaccumulative potential (BCF):

No data available

Mobility in soil:

No data available

Partition coefficient:

No data available

n-octanol/water (log P_{ow})**Soil adsorption (K_{oc}):**

No data available

Henry's Law:

No data available

constant (PaM³/mol)**13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS****Disposal of product:**

Recycle to process if possible. It is the generator's responsibility to comply with Federal, State and Local rules and regulations. You may be able to dissolve or mix material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber system. This section is intended to provide assistance but does not replace these laws, nor does compliance in accordance with this section ensure regulatory compliance according to the law. US EPA guidelines for Identification and Listing of Hazardous Waste are listed in 40 CFR Parts 261. The product should not be allowed to enter the environment, drains, water ways, or the soil.

Disposal of container:

Dispose of as unused product. Do not re-use empty containers.

Other considerations:

Observe all federal, state and local regulations when disposing of the substance.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**DOT (US)**

UN number: UN1378	Proper Shipping Name: Metal catalyst, wetted	Class or Division: 4.2 Spontaneously combustible material.	Packing Group: II
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IMDG

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Air Transport:	Cargo Aircraft Only.
EmS number:	F-H, S-M

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**Toxic Substance Control Act (TSCA 8b.):**

This product is ON the EPA Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) inventory.

US Federal Regulations**CERCLA Hazardous substance and Reportable Quantity:**

SARA 313:	Listed
SARA 302:	Not Listed

State Regulations**State Right-to-Know**

Massachusetts	Listed
New Jersey	Not Listed
Pennsylvania	Listed
California Proposition 65:	Listed

Other Information**NFPA Rating:**

Health:	2
Flammability:	0
Instability:	2

HMIS Classification:

Health:	2
Flammability:	0
Physical:	2

International Inventories

WHMIS hazard class:	B6: Reactive Flammable Material. D2A: Materials causing other toxic effects. (Very Toxic) D2B: Materials causing other toxic effects. (Toxic)
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ENCS:	Not Listed
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16. OTHER INFORMATION

TCI chemicals are for research purposes only and are NOT intended for use as drugs, food additives, households, or pesticides. The information herein is believed to be correct, but does not claim to be all inclusive and should be used only as a guide. Neither the above named supplier nor any of its affiliates or subsidiaries assumes any liability whatsoever for the accuracy or completeness of the information contained herein. Final determination of suitability of any material is the sole responsibility of the user. All chemical reagents must be handled with the recognition that their chemical, physiological, toxicological, and hazardous properties have not been fully investigated or determined. All chemical reagents should be handled only by individuals who are familiar with their potential hazards and who have been fully trained in proper safety, laboratory, and chemical handling procedures. Although certain hazards are described herein, we can not guarantee that these are the only hazards which exist. Our SDS are based only on data available at the time of shipping and are subject to change without notice as new information is obtained. Avoid long storage periods since the product is subject to degradation with age and may become more dangerous or hazardous. It is the responsibility of the user to request updated SDS for products that are stored for extended periods. Disposal of unused product must be undertaken by qualified personnel who are knowledgeable in all applicable regulations and follow all pertinent safety precautions including the use of appropriate protective equipment (e.g. protective goggles, protective clothing, breathing equipment, face mask, fume hood). For proper handling and disposal, always comply with federal, state and local regulations.