

symptoms of interference with pulmonary function.

TERATOLOGY (BIRTH DEFECT) INFORMATION: Not Applicable

REPRODUCTION INFORMATION: Not Applicable

Section 4. First Aid Measures

REMOVE FROM EXPOSURE IMMEDIATELY CONTACT PHYSICIAN IN ALL CASES.

INHALATION: If symptoms of respiratory distress occur or there is a known exposure to dense fume, place individual at bed rest. Administer oxygen in the event of breathing difficulty.

EYE CONTACT: Flush with plenty of water for 15 minutes. Contact Physician immediately.

SKIN CONTACT: Flush with plenty of water for 15 minutes. Remove contaminated clothing and launder before re-use.

INGESTION: Induce vomiting in a conscious individual. Contact Physician immediately.

Section 5. Fire Fighting Measures

FLAMMABLE PROPERTIES:

FLASH POINT: Not Applicable

METHOD USED: Not Applicable

FLAMMABLE LIMITS

LFL: Not Applicable

UFL: Not Applicable

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA: Carbon dioxide, foam or dry chemical. NEVER USE WATER ON MOLTEN METAL.

FIRE & EXPLOSION HAZARDS: None known.

FIRE FIGHTING INSTRUCTIONS: Never use water on molten metal.
Cover small fires with sand.

FIRE FIGHTING EQUIPMENT: Use NIOSH/MSHA approved self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing if involved in fire.

Section 6. Accidental Release Measures

Sweep or scoop up spilled material. For dust, do not clean with compressed air.

Any method of cleanup which minimizes dust is acceptable. Wear approved respiratory protection if the possibility of dust or fume exists. Return spilled material to supplier for reclaim.

Section 7. Handling and Storage

HANDLING: Use of approved respirators is required for applications where adequate ventilation cannot be provided. Activities which generate dust or fume should be avoided. When melted, the temperature should be kept as low as possible.

PREVENTATIVE HYGIENE IS EXTREMELY IMPORTANT. Do not ingest. Do not breathe dust.

No smoking, eating or nail biting in work area. Wash thoroughly before smoking or eating. Shower and change clothes at end of shift. Do not wear contaminated clothes home. Launder clothing before re-use. Do not use compressed air to remove dust from clothing.

STORAGE: Store away from acids in sealed containers in cool, dry location.

Section 8. Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

ENGINEERING CONTROLS: Local exhaust ventilation is recommended for dust and/or fume generating operations where airborne exposures may exceed permissible air concentration.

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION: Where airborne exposures may exceed OSHA/ACGIH permissible air concentrations, the minimum respiratory protection recommended is a negative pressure air purifying respirator with cartridges that are NIOSH/MSHA approved against dust, fumes and mists having a TWA less than 0.05 mg/cu.m.

SKIN PROTECTION: Wear full cover clothing and gloves to minimize skin contact.

EYE PROTECTION: Safety glasses recommended where the possibility of getting dust particles in eyes exists

EXPOSURE GUIDELINE (S): Tin 2 mg/cu.m.

Indium 0.1 mg/cu.m.

Bismuth Not Applicable

Section 9. Physical and chemical Properties

APPEARANCE:	Silver white	PHYSICAL STATE:	Solid
BOILING POINT:	Bismuth 1630° C	SOLUBILITY IN WATER:	Insoluble
EVAPORATION RATE:	Not Applicable	SPECIFIC GRAVITY:	9
FREEZING POINT:	141° F	VAPOR DENSITY:	Not Applicable
MELTING POINT:	141° F	VAPOR PRESSURE:	Not Applicable
MOLECULAR WEIGHT:	Not Applicable	VISCOSITY:	Not Applicable
ODOR:	None	% VOLATILE:	Not Applicable
pH:	Not Applicable		

Section 10. Stability and Reactivity

CHEMICAL STABILITY: Stable

INCOMPATIBILITY:

Avoid contact with acids and oxidizing agents.

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS: Oxide fumes upon over-heating.

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION: Will not occur.

Section 11. Toxicological Information

EYE: Not Applicable

SKIN: Not Applicable

ROUTES OF ENTRY: Ingestion. Inhalation

Chronic inhalation of Tin Oxide dust or fume leads to a benign pneumoconiosis without symptoms of interference with pulmonary function.

CHRONIC/CARCINOGENICITY: Bismuth, Indium and Tin are not indicated as possible carcinogens.

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TERATOLOGY: Not Applicable

REPRODUCTION: Not Applicable

MUTAGENICITY: Not Applicable

SENSITIZATION: Not Applicable

Section 12. Ecological Information

ECOTOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION: Not Applicable

FATE INFORMATION: Not Applicable

Section 13. Disposal Considerations

Collect used and scrap material for reclaim. Return to supplier for reclaim or reprocessing.

Section 14. Transport Information (Not meant to be all inclusive)

D.O.T. SHIPPING NAME:	White metal, NIOBN
TECHNICAL SHIPPING NAME:	Bismuth - Tin - Indium Alloy
D.O.T. HAZARD CLASS:	Non Hazardous
UN/NA NUMBER:	Not Applicable
PRODUCT RQ(LBS):	Not Applicable
D.O.T. LABEL:	None
D.O.T. Placard:	None
FREIGHT CLASS:	Class 70
PRODUCT LABEL:	Bismuth - Tin - Indium Alloy
