

SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1 Product identifier

Trade name **Selenium sulfide**

Stock number: 68104

CAS Number:

7488-56-4

EC number:

231-303-8

Index number:

034-002-00-8

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

Identified use: SU24 Scientific research and development

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Manufacturer/Supplier:

Thermo Fisher (Kandel) GmbH

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Tel: +49 (0) 721 84007 280

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Informing department: Product safety Tel + +049 (0) 7275 988687-0

1.4 Emergency telephone number:

Carechem 24: +44 (0) 1235 239 670 (Multi-language emergency number)

Poison Information Center Mainz

www.giftinfo.uni-mainz.de Telephone: +49(0)6131/19240

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008



GHS06 skull and crossbones

Acute Tox. 3 H301 Toxic if swallowed.

Acute Tox. 3 H331 Toxic if inhaled.



GHS08 health hazard

STOT RE 2 H373 May cause damage to the central nervous system, the liver and the digestive system through prolonged or repeated exposure. Route of exposure: Oral, Inhalative.



GHS09 environment

Aquatic Acute 1 H400 Very toxic to aquatic life.

Aquatic Chronic 1 H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Classification according to Directive 67/548/EEC or Directive 1999/45/EC



T; Toxic

R23/25: Toxic by inhalation and if swallowed.



N; Dangerous for the environment

R50/53: Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

R33: Danger of cumulative effects.

Information concerning particular hazards for human and environment: Not applicable

Other hazards that do not result in classification No information known.

2.2 Label elements

Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 The substance is classified and labelled according to the CLP regulation.

Hazard pictograms



GHS06 GHS08 GHS09

Signal word Danger

Hazard statements

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H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary statements

P260 Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.

P261 Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.

P301+P310 IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER/ doctor/...

P304+P340 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

P405 Store locked up.

P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

2.3 Other hazards

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT: Not applicable.

vPvB: Not applicable.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1 Substances

CAS# Designation:

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SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1 Description of first aid measures

General information

Instantly remove any clothing soiled by the product.
Remove breathing apparatus only after soiled clothing has been completely removed.
In case of irregular breathing or respiratory arrest provide artificial respiration.

After inhalation

Supply fresh air. If required, provide artificial respiration. Keep patient warm. Consult doctor if symptoms persist.
Seek immediate medical advice.

After skin contact

Instantly wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.
Seek immediate medical advice.

After eye contact Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Then consult doctor.

After swallowing Do not induce vomiting; instantly call for medical help.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed No further relevant information available.

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed No further relevant information available.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing agents Product is not flammable. Use fire-fighting measures that suit the surrounding fire.

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

If this product is involved in a fire, the following can be released:

Sulphur oxides (SOx)

Hydrogen selenide

Hydrogen sulphide

Toxic metal oxide smoke

5.3 Advice for firefighters

Protective equipment:

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

Wear full protective suit.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.

Ensure adequate ventilation

6.2 Environmental precautions: Do not allow material to be released to the environment without proper governmental permits.

6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:

Dispose of contaminated material as waste according to section 13.

Ensure adequate ventilation.

Prevention of secondary hazards: No special measures required.

6.4 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 information on disposal.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Keep containers tightly sealed.

Store in cool, dry place in tightly closed containers.

Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.

Open and handle container with care.

Information about protection against explosions and fires: The product is not flammable

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage

Requirements to be met by storerooms and containers: No special requirements.

Information about storage in one common storage facility: No information known.

Further information about storage conditions:

Keep container tightly sealed.

Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed containers.

Store in a locked cabinet or with access restricted to technical experts or their assistants.

7.3 Specific end use(s) No further relevant information available.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

Additional information about design of technical systems:

Properly operating chemical fume hood designed for hazardous chemicals and having an average face velocity of at least 100 feet per minute.

8.1 Control parameters

Components with critical values that require monitoring at the workplace:

Selenium and selenium compounds (as Se)

mg/m³

ACGIH TLV	0.2
Austria MAK	0.1
Belgium TWA	0.2
Denmark TWA	0.1
Finland TWA	0.1; 0.3-STEL
Germany MAK	0.1
Hungary	0.1-STEL
Ireland TLV	0.1
Japan OEL	0.1
Korea TLV	0.2
Netherlands MAC-TGG	0.1
Poland TWA	0.1; 0.3-STEL
Sweden NGV	0.1
Switzerland MAK-W	0.1
United Kingdom TWA	0.1
USA PEL	0.2

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AGW (Germany) Long-term value: 0,05E mg/m³
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PEL (USA)	Long-term value: 0,2 mg/m ³ as Se
REL (USA)	Long-term value: 0,2 mg/m ³ as Se
TLV (USA)	Long-term value: 0,2 mg/m ³ as Se

Additional information: No data

8.2 Exposure controls

Personal protective equipment

General protective and hygienic measures

The usual precautionary measures should be adhered to in handling the chemicals.

Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and food.

Instantly remove any soiled and impregnated garments.

Wash hands during breaks and at the end of the work.

Store protective clothing separately.

Maintain an ergonomically appropriate working environment.

Breathing equipment: Use self-contained respiratory protective device in emergency situations.

Protection of hands:

Check protective gloves prior to each use for their proper condition.

The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer.

Material of gloves: Impervious gloves

Eye protection: Safety glasses

Body protection: Protective work clothing.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

General Information

Appearance:

Form:	Powder
Colour:	Red-brown
Smell:	Not determined
Odour threshold:	Not determined.

pH-value: Not applicable.

Change in condition

Melting point/Melting range:	<100 °C ((dec))
Boiling point/Boiling range:	Not determined
Sublimation temperature / start:	Not determined

Flash point:	Not applicable
Inflammability (solid, gaseous)	Not determined.
Ignition temperature:	Not determined
Decomposition temperature:	Not determined
Self-inflammability:	Not determined.

Danger of explosion: Product is not explosive.

Critical values for explosion:

Lower:	Not determined
Upper:	Not determined
Steam pressure:	Not applicable.
Density	Not determined
Relative density	Not determined.
Vapour density	Not applicable.
Evaporation rate	Not applicable.

Solubility in / Miscibility with

Water: Insoluble

Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water): Not determined.

Viscosity:

dynamic: Not applicable.

kinematic: Not applicable.

9.2 Other information No further relevant information available.

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1 Reactivity No information known.

10.2 Chemical stability Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided: No decomposition if used and stored according to specifications.

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions No dangerous reactions known

10.4 Conditions to avoid No further relevant information available.

10.5 Incompatible materials:

Ammonia
No information known.

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products:

Sulphur dioxide
Hydrogen selenide
Toxic metal oxide smoke
Hydrogen sulphide

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity:

Toxic if inhaled.

Toxic if swallowed.

The Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances (RTECS) contains acute toxicity data for this substance.

LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification: No data

Skin irritation or corrosion: Irritant for skin and mucous membranes.

Eye irritation or corrosion: Irritant effect.

Sensitization: No sensitizing effect known.

Germ cell mutagenicity: No effects known.

Carcinogenicity:

EPA-D: Not classifiable as to human carcinogenicity: inadequate human and animal evidence of carcinogenicity or no data are available.

NTP-R: Reasonably anticipated to be a carcinogen: limited evidence from studies in humans or sufficient evidence from studies in experimental animals.

IARC-3: Not classifiable as to carcinogenicity to humans.

Reproductive toxicity: No effects known.

Specific target organ system toxicity - repeated exposure:

May cause damage to the central nervous system, the liver and the digestive system through prolonged or repeated exposure. Route of exposure: Oral,

Inhalative.

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Specific target organ system toxicity - single exposure: No effects known.
Aspiration hazard: No effects known.
Subacute to chronic toxicity: No effects known.
Additional toxicological information: To the best of our knowledge the acute and chronic toxicity of this substance is not fully known.



SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1 Toxicity
Aquatic toxicity: No further relevant information available.
12.2 Persistence and degradability No further relevant information available.
12.3 Bioaccumulative potential No further relevant information available.
12.4 Mobility in soil No further relevant information available.
Ecotoxicological effects:
Remark: Very toxic for fish
Additional ecological information:
General notes:
Do not allow material to be released to the environment without proper governmental permits.
Water danger class 3 (Self-assessment): extremely hazardous for water.
Do not allow product to reach ground water, water bodies or sewage system, even in small quantities.
Danger to drinking water if even extremely small quantities leak into soil.
Also poisonous for fish and plankton in water bodies.
May cause long lasting harmful effects to aquatic life.
Avoid transfer into the environment.
Very toxic for aquatic organisms
12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment
PBT: Not applicable.
vPvB: Not applicable.
12.6 Other adverse effects No further relevant information available.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1 Waste treatment methods
Recommendation
Hand over to disposers of hazardous waste.
Must be specially treated under adherence to official regulations.
Consult state, local or national regulations for proper disposal.
Uncleaned packagings:
Recommendation: Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

SECTION 14: Transport information

UN-Number ADR, IMDG, IATA	UN2657
14.2 UN proper shipping name ADR IMDG, IATA	2657 SELENIUM DISULPHIDE SELENIUM DISULPHIDE
14.3 Transport hazard class(es) ADR 	
Class Label IMDG, IATA	6.1 (T5) Toxic substances. 6.1
	
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Packing group ADR, IMDG, IATA	II
14.5 Environmental hazards:	Environmentally hazardous substance, solid
14.6 Special precautions for user Kemler Number:	Warning: Toxic substances. 60
14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code	Not applicable.
Transport/Additional information:	
ADR Excepted quantities (EQ): Limited quantities (LQ) Transport category Tunnel restriction code	E4 500 g 2 D/E
UN "Model Regulation":	UN2657, SELENIUM DISULPHIDE, 6.1, II

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture
Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances Substance is listed.
Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Drugs and Poisons Substance is not listed.
National regulations
Information about limitation of use:
Employment restrictions concerning young persons must be observed.
For use only by technically qualified individuals.
Water hazard class: Water danger class 3 (Self-assessment): extremely hazardous for water.
Other regulations, limitations and prohibitive regulations
ELINCS (European List of Notified Chemical Substances) Substance is not listed.
Substance of Very High Concern (SVHC) according to the REACH Regulations (EC) No. 1907/2006. Substance is not listed.
The conditions of restrictions according to Article 67 and Annex XVII of the Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH) for the manufacturing, placing on the market and use must be observed.
Substance is not listed.
Annex XIV of the REACH Regulations (requiring Authorisation for use) Substance is not listed.

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15.2 Chemical safety assessment: A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

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SECTION 16: Other information

Employers should use this information only as a supplement to other information gathered by them, and should make independent judgement of suitability of this information to ensure proper use and protect the health and safety of employees. This information is furnished without warranty, and any use of the product not in conformance with this Material Safety Data Sheet, or in combination with any other product or process, is the responsibility of the user.

Department issuing SDS: Global Marketing Department

Abbreviations and acronyms:

RID: Règlement international concernant le transport des marchandises dangereuses par chemin de fer (Regulations Concerning the International Transport of Dangerous Goods by Rail)
IATA-DGR: Dangerous Goods Regulations by the "International Air Transport Association" (IATA)
ICAO: International Civil Aviation Organization
ICAO-TI: Technical Instructions by the "International Civil Aviation Organization" (ICAO)
ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)
IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods
IATA: International Air Transport Association
GHS: Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals
EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances
CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)
LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent
LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent
vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative
ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists (USA)
OSHA: Occupational Safety and Health Administration (USA)
NTP: National Toxicology Program (USA)
IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer
EPA: Environmental Protection Agency (USA)

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