

SAFETY DATA SHEET

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

1.1 Product identifier

Trade name : Silver Grains min. 99.99 %

Product code : 81059923

REACH Registration Number : 01-2119555669-21-0028
Company : Heraeus Precious Metals GmbH & Co. KG

01-2119555669-21-0009
Company : Heraeus Metals Germany GmbH & Co. KG

01-2119555669-21-0006
Company : Argor-Heraeus Deutschland GmbH

01-2119555669-21-0113
Company : Heraeus Electronics GmbH & Co. KG

01-2119555669-21-0102
Company : Argor-Heraeus Italia S.p.A.

Heraeus companies not listed here do not have a REACH registration, because the companies either are located outside the EU or they are not required to register due to the annual amount of produced/imported substance.

Substance name : silver massive: [particle diameter $\geq$ 1 mm]

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

Use of the Sub-
stance/Mixture : Industrial use

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company : Heraeus Precious Metals
GmbH & Co. KG
Heraeusstrasse 12-14
63450 Hanau

Telephone : +496181350

E-mail address of person
responsible for the SDS : sds@heraeus.com
(Heraeus Business Solutions GmbH: EHS Chemical Safety)

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1.4 Emergency telephone number

Emergency telephone number : +49 6132-84463
International Emergency Number
This telephone number is available 24 hours per day, 7 days per week.

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification (REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008)

Reproductive toxicity, Category 2

H361f: Suspected of damaging fertility. (Causing atrophy of the testes)

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure, Category 2, Nervous system

H373: May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

2.2 Label elements

Labelling (REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008)

Hazard pictograms :



Signal word : Warning

Hazard statements : H361f Suspected of damaging fertility. (Causing atrophy of the testes)
H373 May cause damage to organs (Nervous system) through prolonged or repeated exposure.

Precautionary statements : **Prevention:**

P201 Obtain special instructions before use.
P202 Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.
P260 Do not breathe dust.
P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection/ hearing protection.

Response:

P308 + P313 IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention.

Disposal:

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P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

2.3 Other hazards

This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

Ecological information: The substance/mixture does not contain components considered to have endocrine disrupting properties according to REACH Article 57(f) or Commission Delegated regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605 at levels of 0.1% or higher.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1 Substances

Chemical nature : inorganic

Components

Chemical name	CAS-No. EC-No. Index-No.	Concentration (%) w/w)	M-Factor, SCL, ATE
silver massive: [particle diameter ≥ 1 mm]	7440-22-4 231-131-3 047-004-00-9	$\geq 90 - \leq 100$	

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1 Description of first aid measures

General advice : First aider needs to protect himself.
Move out of dangerous area.
Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

If inhaled : Move to fresh air.
If breathing is irregular or stopped, administer artificial respiration.
Get medical attention.

In case of skin contact : Take off all contaminated clothing immediately.
Get medical attention immediately.
Wash off with soap and plenty of water.

In case of eye contact : In case of eye contact, remove contact lens and rinse imme-

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diately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes.

Keep eye wide open while rinsing.

Protect unharmed eye.

Call a physician immediately.

If swallowed : Immediately give large quantities of water to drink.
Do NOT induce vomiting.
Get medical attention immediately.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Risks : Suspected of damaging fertility. (Causing atrophy of the testes)
May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treatment : Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media : Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Specific hazards during fire-fighting : Exposure to decomposition products may be a hazard to health.

Hazardous combustion products : No hazardous combustion products are known

5.3 Advice for firefighters

Special protective equipment for firefighters : In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus.
Use personal protective equipment.

Further information : Use a water spray to cool fully closed containers.
Prevent fire extinguishing water from contaminating surface water or the ground water system.

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SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions : Follow safe handling advice and personal protective equipment recommendations.
Ensure adequate ventilation.
Evacuate personnel to safe areas.
Refer to protective measures listed in sections 7 and 8.

6.2 Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions : Do not allow contact with soil, surface or ground water.
Do not let product enter drains.
If the product contaminates rivers and lakes or drains inform respective authorities.

6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up : Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust.
Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal.

6.4 Reference to other sections

See sections: 7, 8, 11, 12 and 13.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling : Provide sufficient air exchange and/or exhaust in work rooms.
Wear personal protective equipment.
Avoid inhalation, ingestion and contact with skin and eyes.
Smoking, eating and drinking should be prohibited in the application area.

Hygiene measures : Keep away from food and drink. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday. Keep working clothes separately.
Remove and wash contaminated clothing and gloves, including the inside, before re-use.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Requirements for storage areas and containers : Keep tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.
Keep locked up or in an area accessible only to qualified or authorised persons.

Storage class (TRGS 510) : 13

7.3 Specific end use(s)

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Specific use(s) : No data available

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1 Control parameters

Occupational Exposure Limits

Components	CAS-No.	Value type (Form of exposure)	Control parameters	Basis
silver massive: [particle diameter ≥ 1 mm]	7440-22-4	TWA	0,1 mg/m ³	2000/39/EC
	Further information: Indicative			
		MAK (inhalable fraction)	0,1 mg/m ³	DE DFG MAK
	Peak-limit: excursion factor (category): 8; II			
	Further information: Either there are no data for an assessment of damage to the embryo or foetus, including developmental neurotoxicity, or the currently available data are not sufficient for classification in one of the groups A - C			
		AGW (Inhalable fraction)	0,1 mg/m ³	DE TRGS 900
	Peak-limit: excursion factor (category): 8;(II)			
		TWA	0,01 mg/m ³ (Silver)	2006/15/EC
	Further information: Indicative			
		MAK (inhalable fraction)	0,1 mg/m ³	DE DFG MAK
	Peak-limit: excursion factor (category): 8; II			
	Further information: Either there are no data for an assessment of damage to the embryo or foetus, including developmental neurotoxicity, or the currently available data are not sufficient for classification in one of the groups A - C			

Derived No Effect Level (DNEL) according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006

Substance name	End Use	Exposure routes	Potential health effects	Value
silver massive: [particle diameter ≥ 1 mm]	Consumers	Ingestion	Long-term systemic effects	0,11 mg/kg bw/day

8.2 Exposure controls

Personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection : Safety glasses with side-shields
Hand protection

Remarks : Before removing gloves clean them with soap and water.
Gloves should be discarded and replaced if there is any indication of degradation or chemical breakthrough. Please ob-

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		serve the instructions regarding permeability and break-through time which are provided by the supplier of the gloves. Also take into consideration the specific local conditions under which the product is used, such as the danger of cuts, abrasion, and the contact time.
Skin and body protection	:	Choose body protection according to the amount and concentration of the dangerous substance at the work place.
Respiratory protection	:	No personal respiratory protective equipment normally required.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	:	solid (20 °C, 1.013 hPa)
Form	:	solid
Colour	:	grey
Odour	:	odourless
Odour Threshold	:	No data available
	:	961,93 °C
		961,93 °C (1.013 hPa)
	:	2.187 °C
		2.187 °C (1.013 hPa)
Flammability	:	Not applicable
Upper explosion limit / Upper flammability limit	:	No data available
Lower explosion limit / Lower flammability limit	:	No data available
Flash point	:	Not applicable
Auto-ignition temperature	:	Not applicable
Decomposition temperature	:	The substance or mixture is not classified self-reactive.
pH	:	Not applicable

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Viscosity

Viscosity, dynamic : Not applicable

Viscosity, kinematic : Not applicable

Solubility(ies)

Water solubility : < 0,01 mg/l (20 °C, 1.013 hPa)
slightly soluble

Solubility in other solvents : No data available

Partition coefficient: n-
octanol/water

:

Not applicable

Vapour pressure

:

Not applicable

Relative density

: No data available

Density

:

10,49 g/cm³ (20 °C, 1.013 hPa)

Relative vapour density

: Not applicable

Particle characteristics

Particle size : No data available

9.2 Other information

Explosives : Not explosive

Oxidizing properties : The substance or mixture is not classified as oxidizing.

Self-ignition : The substance or mixture is not classified as self heating. The substance or mixture is not classified as pyrophoric.

Substances and mixtures, which in contact with water, emit flammable gases : The substance or mixture does not emit flammable gases in contact with water.

Metal corrosion rate : Not corrosive to metals

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Evaporation rate : Not applicable

Molecular weight : 107,87 g/mol

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1 Reactivity

No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.

10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous reactions : No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.

10.4 Conditions to avoid

Conditions to avoid : No data available

10.5 Incompatible materials

Materials to avoid : No data available

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

No data available

No hazardous decomposition products are known.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

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

Acute toxicity

Not classified due to lack of data.

Components:

silver massive: [particle diameter ≥ 1 mm]:

Acute oral toxicity : LD50 (Rat): > 2.000 mg/kg
Method: OECD Test Guideline 423
Assessment: The substance or mixture has no acute oral toxicity

Acute dermal toxicity : LD50 (Rat): > 2.000 mg/kg
Method: OECD Test Guideline 402
Assessment: The substance or mixture has no acute dermal toxicity

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Skin corrosion/irritation

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Components:

silver massive: [particle diameter ≥ 1 mm]:

Species	: Rabbit
Method	: OECD Test Guideline 404
Result	: No skin irritation

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Components:

silver massive: [particle diameter ≥ 1 mm]:

Species	: Rabbit
Method	: OECD Test Guideline 405
Result	: No eye irritation

Respiratory or skin sensitisation

Skin sensitisation

Not classified due to lack of data.

Respiratory sensitisation

Not classified due to lack of data.

Components:

silver massive: [particle diameter ≥ 1 mm]:

Test Type	: Maximisation Test
Exposure routes	: Skin contact
Species	: Guinea pig
Method	: OECD Test Guideline 406
Result	: negative

Germ cell mutagenicity

Not classified due to lack of data.

Components:

silver massive: [particle diameter ≥ 1 mm]:

Genotoxicity in vitro	: Test Type: Bacterial reverse mutation assay (AMES)
	Method: OECD Test Guideline 471
	Result: negative

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Carcinogenicity

Not classified due to lack of data.

Reproductive toxicity

Suspected of damaging fertility. (Causing atrophy of the testes)

Components:

silver massive: [particle diameter ≥ 1 mm]:

Reproductive toxicity - Assessment : Some evidence of adverse effects on sexual function and fertility, based on animal experiments.

STOT - single exposure

Not classified due to lack of data.

STOT - repeated exposure

May cause damage to organs (Nervous system) through prolonged or repeated exposure.

Components:

silver massive: [particle diameter ≥ 1 mm]:

Exposure routes : Ingestion
Target Organs : Nervous system
Assessment : Shown to produce significant health effects in animals at concentrations of >10 to 100 mg/kg bw.

Aspiration toxicity

Not classified due to lack of data.

11.2 Information on other hazards

Endocrine disrupting properties

Not classified due to lack of data.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1 Toxicity

No data available

12.2 Persistence and degradability

No data available

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

12.4 Mobility in soil

No data available

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12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Product:

Assessment : This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties

Product:

Assessment : The substance/mixture does not contain components considered to have endocrine disrupting properties according to REACH Article 57(f) or Commission Delegated regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605 at levels of 0.1% or higher.

No data available

12.7 Other adverse effects

No data available

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1 Waste treatment methods

Product : If recycling is not practicable, dispose of in compliance with local regulations.

Contaminated packaging : Dispose of as unused product.

SECTION 14: Transport information

14.1 UN number or ID number

ADN : Not regulated as a dangerous good

ADR : Not regulated as a dangerous good

RID : Not regulated as a dangerous good

IMDG : Not regulated as a dangerous good

IATA : Not regulated as a dangerous good

14.2 UN proper shipping name

ADN : Not regulated as a dangerous good

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ADR	:	Not regulated as a dangerous good
RID	:	Not regulated as a dangerous good
IMDG	:	Not regulated as a dangerous good
IATA	:	Not regulated as a dangerous good

14.3 Transport hazard class(es)

ADN	:	Not regulated as a dangerous good
ADR	:	Not regulated as a dangerous good
RID	:	Not regulated as a dangerous good
IMDG	:	Not regulated as a dangerous good
IATA	:	Not regulated as a dangerous good

14.4 Packing group

ADN	:	Not regulated as a dangerous good
ADR	:	Not regulated as a dangerous good
RID	:	Not regulated as a dangerous good
IMDG	:	Not regulated as a dangerous good
IATA (Cargo)	:	Not regulated as a dangerous good
IATA (Passenger)	:	Not regulated as a dangerous good

14.5 Environmental hazards

Not regulated as a dangerous good

14.6 Special precautions for user

Not applicable

14.7 Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

Not applicable for product as supplied.

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

REACH - Restrictions on the manufacture, placing on the market and use of certain dangerous substances, mixtures and articles (Annex XVII)	:	Conditions of restriction for the following entries should be considered: Number on list 75: If you intend to use this product as tattoo ink, please contact your vendor.
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REACH - Candidate List of Substances of Very High Concern for Authorisation (Article 59): Not applicable
Regulation (EU) No 2024/590 on substances that deplete the ozone layer: Not applicable
Regulation (EU) 2019/1021 on persistent organic pollutants (recast): Not applicable
Regulation (EU) No 649/2012 of the European Parliament and the Council concerning the export and import of dangerous chemicals: Not applicable
REACH - List of substances subject to authorisation (Annex XIV): Not applicable

Seveso III: Directive 2012/18/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council on the control of major-accident hazards involving dangerous substances. Not applicable

Water hazard class (Germany): nwg not water endangering
Code Number: 1.443
Classification according to AwSV §6(4)

Other regulations:

Take note of Directive 94/33/EC on the protection of young people at work or stricter national regulations, where applicable.
Take note of Directive 92/85/EEC regarding maternity protection or stricter national regulations, where applicable.

15.2 Chemical safety assessment

A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

SECTION 16: Other information

Full text of other abbreviations

2000/39/EC : Europe. Commission Directive 2000/39/EC establishing a first list of indicative occupational exposure limit values
2006/15/EC : Europe. Indicative occupational exposure limit values
DE DFG MAK : Germany. MAK BAT Annex IIa
DE TRGS 900 : Germany. TRGS 900 - Occupational exposure limit values.
2000/39/EC / TWA : Limit Value - eight hours
2006/15/EC / TWA : Limit Value - eight hours
DE DFG MAK / MAK : MAK value
DE TRGS 900 / AGW : Time Weighted Average

ADN - European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways; ADR - Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by

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Road; AIIC - Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals; ASTM - American Society for the Testing of Materials; bw - Body weight; CLP - Classification Labelling Packaging Regulation; Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008; CMR - Carcinogen, Mutagen or Reproductive Toxicant; DIN - Standard of the German Institute for Standardisation; DSL - Domestic Substances List (Canada); ECHA - European Chemicals Agency; EC-Number - European Community number; ECx - Concentration associated with x% response; ELx - Loading rate associated with x% response; EmS - Emergency Schedule; ENCS - Existing and New Chemical Substances (Japan); ErCx - Concentration associated with x% growth rate response; GHS - Globally Harmonised System; GLP - Good Laboratory Practice; IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer; IATA - International Air Transport Association; IBC - International Code for the Construction and Equipment of Ships carrying Dangerous Chemicals in Bulk; IC50 - Half maximal inhibitory concentration; ICAO - International Civil Aviation Organization; IECSC - Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China; IMDG - International Maritime Dangerous Goods; IMO - International Maritime Organisation; ISHL - Industrial Safety and Health Law (Japan); ISO - International Organisation for Standardisation; KECI - Korea Existing Chemicals Inventory; LC50 - Lethal Concentration to 50 % of a test population; LD50 - Lethal Dose to 50% of a test population (Median Lethal Dose); MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships; n.o.s. - Not Otherwise Specified; NO(A)EC - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Concentration; NO(A)EL - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Level; NOELR - No Observable Effect Loading Rate; NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals; OECD - Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development; OPPTS - Office of Chemical Safety and Pollution Prevention; PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic substance; PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances; (Q)SAR - (Quantitative) Structure Activity Relationship; REACH - Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals; RID - Regulations concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail; SADT - Self-Accelerating Decomposition Temperature; SDS - Safety Data Sheet; SVHC - Substance of Very High Concern; TCSI - Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory; TECI - Thailand Existing Chemicals Inventory; TRGS - Technical Rule for Hazardous Substances; TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act (United States); UN - United Nations; vPvB - Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative

Further information

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