

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

## Zero Valent Iron (ZVI)

### Section 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

**PRODUCT NAME:** ZVI  
**GENERAL USE:** Chemical reduction of halogenated organics and-or metals

**MANUFACTURER:**

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### Section 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Physical state : Solid (Powder)  
Emergency Overview : Potential dust explosion. Avoid contact with oxidizing agents.  
USE WITH CARE.  
Follow good industrial hygiene practice

Routes of entry : Demal contact. Eye contact. Inhalation. Ingestion.

Potential acute health effects  
Eyes : May cause eye irritation.  
Skin : No known significant effects or critical hazards  
Inhalation : May cause respiratory tract irritation.  
Ingestion : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Potential Chronic Effects: : Carcinogenic effects: Not classified or listed by IARC, NTP,  
OSHA, EU AND ACGIH.  
Mutagenic effects: Not available  
: Teratogenic effects: Not Available

Medical conditions : Repeated exposure of the eyes to a low level of dust can  
produce eye irritation

### Section 3. COMPOSITION INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Greater than 98% Iron CAS# 7439-89-6  
Contains carbon, sulfur and other metal impurities.

### Section 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Eye contact : Check for and remove any contact lenses. In case of contact, immediately  
flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 20 minutes. Get medical  
attention if irritation occurs  
Skin contact : Wash with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation occurs.  
Inhalation : Move person to fresh air. Get medical attention if breathing difficulty  
persists

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| Ingestion           | : | Do not induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical attention if symptoms appear.             |
| Notes to physician: |   | No specific antidote. Material is used as an iron supplement in food and vitamins. Treatment would be the same as for iron overdose. |

## Section 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

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| Flammability of the product                    | Generally non-flammable but susceptible to dust explosion.  |
| Fire-fighting media                            | Use a fog nozzle to spray water.  |
| Special protective equipment for fire-fighters | Fire-fighters should wear appropriate protective equipment.   |
| Special remarks on fire                        | As with any finely granulated product, a risk of dust explosion is present should the material be dispersed in air and exposed to a source of ignition. Fine powder can form flammable and explosive mixtures in air. |

## Section 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

In case of a significant release, take immediate efforts to minimize discharge to surface water (storm drains, streams, lakes, rivers, etc). If the release occurs in a closed area, take steps to improve ventilation. If improvement of ventilation is not possible, call the fire department. The material can be swept up and placed into approved storage containers. Do not use a vacuum to gather the material because this may result in dispersion of dust particles and increase the risk for a dust explosion.

## Section 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

The material should be stored in a cool, dry, environment. It is not recommended to store the material in the proximity of oxidants. When handling the product, wear a dusk mask, eye protection and gloves. The product should always be handled in a well ventilated environment.

## Section 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS – PERSONAL PROTECTION

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| Engineering controls | : | Use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls to keep airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If user operations generate dust, fumes or mist, use ventilation to keep exposure to airborne contaminants below the exposure limit. |
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### Personal protection

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| Eyes        | : | Safety eyewear complying with an approved standard should be used and selected based on the task being performed and the risks involved (avoid exposure to liquid splashed, mists, gases or dusts).<br>Where there is a risk of exposure to high velocity particles safety glasses or face shield complying with an approved standard should be used to protect against impact. Where there is a risk of exposure to dusts, goggles should be used.<br>Recommended: Safety glasses. |
| Respiratory | : | Dusk mask or respirator is recommended.   |
| Hands       | : | Gloves are recommended  |

Skin/Body : Personal protective equipment for the body should be selected based on the task being performed and the risks involved. Risk from dermal contact is minimal.

## Section 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical State : Solid (Powder)  
Color : Gray  
Melting/freezing point : 1535°C (2795°F)  
Specific gravity : 7.88  
Bulk density : 2.4 to 3.2 g/cm<sup>3</sup>  
Solubility : Insoluble in water

## Section 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

The product is reactive with oxidizers. Precautions should be taken not to store or contact the product with oxidizers.

Fine particles of this product (not widely found in this grade) have a potential for a dust explosion. The product should be handled in a well ventilated area where dust generation is minimized.

## Section 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Acute Effects

Eyes : May cause eye irritation.  
Skin : No known significant effects or critical hazards.  
Inhalation : May cause respiratory tract irritation.  
Ingestion : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Chronic Health Effects: Carcinogenic effects: Not classified or listed by IARC, NTP, OSHA, EU and ACGIH

## Section 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Will reduce dissolved oxygen levels in aquatic ecosystems. Direct discharge to surface water should be avoided.

## Section 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

The generation of waste should be avoided or minimized to the extent practical. Disposal of this product, solutions and any by-products should be completed in an environmentally responsible manner that complies with all local, state and federal laws.

## Section 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Classification:

AND/ADR/TDG/DOT/IMDG/IATA: Not regulated.

## Section 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

This product is not regulated in the United States and Canada. The user should ensure this product is not regulated where used.

## Section 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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| Health              | 0 |
| Fire Hazard         | 2 |
| Reactivity          | 1 |
| Personal Protection | C |