#### **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

DATE OF LAST REVISION: 07/06/15

#### Section 1: Identification

Product Name: Yttrium

Company: Angstrom Sciences, Inc.

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(Monday - Friday 9:00-5:00 EST)

## Section 2: HAZARD IDENTIFICATION Signal Word: Danger



Hazard Statements: H228: Flammable solid

Precautionary Statements: P210: Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces - No

smoking

P280: Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face

protection

P240: Ground/bond container and receiving equipment.

P241: Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/light/equipment. P370 + P378: In case of fire: Use  $\rm CO_2$  powder or water spray for

extinction.

HMIS Health Ratings (0-4):	Powder	Pieces	Bulk
Health:	1	1	1
Flammability:	3	2	1
Physical	2	1	1

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Section 3: Composition/Information on Ingredients

Chemical characterization: Rare Earth Metal

Additional Names: None Percentage: 100 wt%

CAS# Description: 7440-65-5

EC number: 231-174-8

#### Section 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

**General Treatment:** Seek medical attention if symptoms persist.

Special Treatment: None Important Symptoms: None

Eye Contact: Flush eyes with water, blinking often for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if

present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

**Skin Contact:** Wash affected area with mild soap and water. Remove any contaminated clothing.

Inhalation: Remove to fresh air. If required, give artificial respiration. Seek medical advice.

**Ingestion**:Seek medical attention.

#### Section 5: FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Flammability: Non-flammable, except as powder

Special Fire Fighting Procedure: Use full-face, self contained breathing apparatus with full protective

clothing to prevent contact with skin and eyes. See section 10 for decomposition products.

Extinguishing Media: Do not use water for metal fires - use CO2, sand, extinguishing powder.

#### Section 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

If material is Released/Spilled: Wear appropriate respiratory and protective equipment specified in special protection information. Isolate spill area and provide ventilation. Vacuum up spill using a high efficiency particulate absolute (HEPA) air filter and place in a closed container for disposal.

**Environmental Precautions:** Isolate runoff to prevent environmental pollution.

#### Section 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling Precautions for safe handling: Wash thoroughly after handling.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities Store in a cool dry place in a tightly sealed container. Store apart from materials and conditions listed in Section 10.

**Work/Hygienic Maintenance:** Do not use tobacco or food in work area. Wash thoroughly before eating and smoking. Do not blow dust off clothing or skin with compressed air.

Ventilation: Provide sufficient ventilation to maintain concentration at or below threshold limit.

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#### Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROL/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Permissible Exposure Limits: 1 mg/m³ as Y, long-term value
Threshold Limit Value: 1 mg/m³ as Y, long-term value

Special Equipment: None

Respiratory Protection: Dust Respirator

Protective Gloves: Rubber Gloves

Eye Protection: Safety glasses or goggles

**Body Protection:** Protective work clothing. Wear close-toed shoes and long sleeves/pants.

#### Section 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance:

Form: Powder, Granules, Pellets, Sputtering target, Custom parts

Grey Color: Odor: Odorless Water Solubility: Insoluble **Boiling Point:** 3338° C **Melting Point:** 1522°C Flash Point: N/A Autoignition Temperature: N/A 4.47 q/cc Density: 88.906 g/mol Molecular Weight:

#### Section 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity: Oxidizing agents

Chemical Stability: Stable under recommended storage conditions

Incompatible Conditions:Air, Water/moistureHazardous Decomposition Products:Metal oxide fume

#### Section 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Potential Health Effects:
Eyes: May cause irritation
Skin: May cause irritation
Ingestion: May cause irritation
Inhalation: May cause irritation

Chronic: N/A

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Signs & Symptoms: N/A Aggravated Medical Conditions: N/A Median Lethal Dose: N/A Carcinogen: N/A

Section 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Aquatic Toxicity: Low

Persistence Bioaccumulation Toxicity: No Very Persistent, Very Bioaccumulative: No

Notes: N/A

#### Section 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Dispose of in accordance with local, state, national, and international regulations

### Section 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION



Hazard Class: 4.1 Flammable solids, self-reactive substances and solid desensitized explosives.

Packing Group:

UN Number: UN3089

**Proper Shipping Name:** Metal powders, flammable, n.o.s. (Yttrium powder)

#### Section 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

Sec 302 Extremely Hazardous: No
Sec 304 Reportable Quantities: N/A
Sec 313 Toxic Chemicals: No

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#### Section 16: OTHER INFORMATION

This safety data sheet should be used in conjunction with technical sheets. It does not replace them. The information given is based on our knowledge of this product, at the time of publication. It is given in good faith. The attention of the user is drawn to the possible risks incurred by using the product for any other purpose other than that for which it was intended. This does not in any way excuse the user from knowing and applying all the regulations governing his activity. It is the sole responsibility of the user to take all precautions required in handling the product. The aim of the mandatory regulations mentioned is to help the user to fulfill his obligations regarding the use of hazardous products.