

Extruded Rifle Powders SAFETY DATA SHEET February 2022

The following smokeless powders are distributed by Hodgdon Powder Company.

H4227® (NO 1.4C)
H4895® (EX-2015110873)
H4198® (EX-2013031308)
Varget® (EX-2015110873)
H4350® (EX-2015110873)
H50BMG® (EX-2015110873)
H4831® (EX-2015110873)
H4800® (EX-2015110873)
H1000® (EX-2015110873)
Retumbo® (EX-2015110873)
H322® (EX-2016090002)

1.4C EX Approvals in bold parenthesis

Thales Australia Limited

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Safety Data Sheet according to WHS Regulations (Hazardous Chemicals) Amendment 2020 and ADG requirements

Chemwatch Hazard Alert Code: 3

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

Product Identifier

Product name	Propellant AR22 Series		
Chemical Name	Not Applicable		
Synonyms	AR2205; AR2205(H); AR2206; AR2206(H); AR2207; AR2208; AR2209; AR2210; AR2210 V01; AR2210 V02; H322; AR2211; AR2213; AR2213; AR2217; AR2217; AR2217 V01; AR2218; AR2219; AR2220; AR2220 V01; AR2225; AR2210 V03		
Proper shipping name	POWDER, SMOKELESS		
Chemical formula	Not Applicable		
Other means of identification	Not Available		

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

Polovant identified uses	Propellant for use in centrefire ammunition.
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Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Registered company name	Thales Australia Limited	
Address	7 Murray Rose Avenue Sydney Olympic Park NSW 2127 Australia	
Telephone	+61 (0)2 9562 3069	
Fax	Not Available	
Website	Not Available	
Email	Not Available	

Emergency telephone number

ssociation / Organisation	CHEMWATCH EMERGENCY RESPONSE
Emergency telephone numbers	+61 1800 951 288
Other emergency telephone numbers	+61 2 9186 1132

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SECTION 2 Hazards identification

Classification of the substance or mixture

HAZARDOUS CHEMICAL. DANGEROUS GOODS. According to the WHS Regulations and the ADG Code.

ChemWatch Hazard Ratings

	Min	Max	
Flammability	1 🔤	1	
Toxicity	2	- 1	
Body Contact	2		0 = Minimum 1 = Low
Reactivity	2		2 = Moderate
Chronic	3		3 = High 4 = Extreme

Poisons Schedule

Not Applicable

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Classification [1]

Explosives Division 1.3, Acute Toxicity (Oral) Category 4, Acute Toxicity (Inhalation) Category 4, Germ Cell Mutagenicity Category 2, Carcinogenicity Category 1B, Reproductive Toxicity Category 2, Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Repeated Exposure Category 2, Hazardous to the Aquatic Environment Long-Term Hazard Category 2

Legend:

1. Classified by Chemwatch; 2. Classification drawn from HCIS; 3. Classification drawn from Regulation (EU) No 1272/2008 -Annex VI

Label elements

Hazard pictogram(s)









Signal word

Danger

Hazard statement(s)

H203	Explosive; fire, blast or projection hazard.
H302	Hamful if swallowed.
H332	Hamful if inhaled.
H341	Suspected of causing genetic defects.
H350	May cause cancer.
H361fd	Suspected of damaging fertility. Suspected of damaging the unborn child.
H373	May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.
H411	Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary statement(s) Prevention

P201	Obtain special instructions before use.
P210	Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.
P230	Keep wetted with phlegmatizer.
P234	Keep only in original packaging.
P250	Do not subject to grinding/shock/sources of friction.
P260	Do not breathe dust/fume.
P271	Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.
P280	Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, eye protection, face protection and hearing protection.
P240	Ground and bond container and receiving equipment.

Precautionary statement(s) Response

P308+P313	IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention.	
P370+P372+P380+P373	In case of fire: Explosion risk. Evacuate area. DO NOT fight fire when fire reaches explosives.	
P391	Collect spillage.	
P301+P312	IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor/physician/first aider if you feel unwell.	
P304+P340	IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.	
P330	Rinse mouth.	

Precautionary statement(s) Storage

P405	Store locked up.
P401	Store in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

Precautionary statement(s) Disposal

P501	Dispose of contents/container to authorised hazardous or special waste collection point in accordance with any local regulation.
P503	Refer to manufacturer or supplier for information on disposal/recovery/recycling.

SECTION 3 Composition / information on ingredients

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Substances

See section below for composition of Mixtures

Mixtures

CAS No	%[weight]	Name
9004-70-0	>60	nitrocellulose
121-14-2	<15	2,4-dinitrotoluene
122-39-4	<1	diphenylamine
Not Available	<5	Ingredients determined not to be hazardous
Legend:		2. Classification drawn from HCIS; 3. Classification drawn from Regulation (EU) No 1272/2008 - rawn from C&L * EU IOELVs available

SECTION 4 First aid measures

Description of first aid measures

	If this product comes in contact with the eyes:
Eye Contact	 Wash out immediately with fresh running water. Ensure complete irrigation of the eye by keeping eyelids apart and away from eye and moving the eyelids by occasionally lifting the upper and lower lids. Seek medical attention without delay; if pain persists or recurs seek medical attention. Removal of contact lenses after an eye injury should only be undertaken by skilled personnel.
Skin Contact	If skin or hair contact occurs: If skin or hair contact occurs: Immediately flush body and clothes with large amounts of water, using safety shower if available. Quickly remove all contaminated clothing, including footwear. Wash skin and hair with running water. Continue flushing with water until advised to stop by the Poisons Information Centre. Transport to hospital, or doctor.
Inhalation	 If fumes or combustion products are inhaled remove from contaminated area. Lay patient down. Keep warm and rested. Prostheses such as false teeth, which may block airway, should be removed, where possible, prior to initiating first aid procedures. Apply artificial respiration if not breathing, preferably with a demand valve resuscitator, bag-valve mask device, or pocket mask as trained. Perform CPR if necessary. Transport to hospital, or doctor, without delay.
Ingestion	 If SWALLOWED, REFER FOR MEDICAL ATTENTION, WHERE POSSIBLE, WITHOUT DELAY. For advice, contact a Poisons Information Centre or a doctor. Urgent hospital treatment is likely to be needed. In the mean time, qualified first-aid personnel should treat the patient following observation and employing supportive measures as indicated by the patient's condition. If the services of a medical officer or medical doctor are readily available, the patient should be placed in his/her care and a copy of the SDS should be provided. Further action will be the responsibility of the medical specialist. If medical attention is not available on the worksite or surroundings send the patient to a hospital together with a copy of the SDS. Where medical attention is not immediately available or where the patient is more than 15 minutes from a hospital or unless instructed otherwise: INDUCE vomiting with fingers down the back of the throat, ONLY IF CONSCIOUS. Lean patient forward or place on left side (head-down position, if possible) to maintain open airway and prevent aspiration. NOTE: Wear a protective glove when inducing vomiting by mechanical means.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Symptoms of vasodilation and reflex tachycardia may present following organic nitrate overdose; most organic nitrates are extensively metabolised by hydrolysis to inorganic nitrites. Organic nitrates and nitrites are readily absorbed through the skin, lungs, mucosa and gastro-intestinal tract.

Periodic medical examinations, including a complete blood count and liver function tests, are recommended for workers with dinitrotoluene (DNT) exposure. In male workers DNT metabolites produced as a result of exposure in a single shift are largely excreted in the urine by the beginning of the following shift. Metabolites include dinitrobenzoic acid (52%), 2-amino-4-nitrobenzoic acid (37.2) and dinitrobenzol glucuronide (9.5%).

Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5 Firefighting measures

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DANGER: Deliver media remotely.

- For minor fires: Flooding quantities only.
- For large fires: Do not attempt to extinguish.

Special hazards arising from the substrate or mixture

Fire Incompatibility

Fire Fighting

 Avoid contamination with oxidising agents i.e. nitrates, oxidising acids, chlorine bleaches, pool chlorine etc. as ignition may result

Advice for firefighters

WARNING: EXPLOSIVE MATERIALS / ARTICLES PRESENT!

- Evacuate all personnel and move upwind.
- Prevent re-entry.
- Alert Fire Brigade and tell them location and nature of hazard.
- May be explosively reactive, detonate and release much heat.
- Wear full-body protective clothing with breathing apparatus.
- Prevent, by any means available, spillage and fire effluent from entering drains or watercourses.
- Fight from safe distances and protected locations.
- Use flooding quantities of water.
 - DO NOT approach containers suspected to be hot.

For Division 1.3 Explosives

Evacuation is required is case of Emergency.

For quantities of up to:

- ▶ 1000 kg, the evacuation distance is 100 metres
- ▶ 5000 kg, the evacuation distance is 150 metres
- ▶ 20000 kg, the evacuation distance is 200 metres
- ▶ 40000 kg, the evacuation distance is 250 meters

WARNING: EXPLOSION HAZARD!

- Combustible.
 - Detonation may occur from heavy impact or excessive heating.
 - Mixing with incompatible chemicals may cause expansion, decomposition or detonation.
 - Heat affected containers remain hazardous.
 - Explosives can supply own oxygen for combustion and smothering action of foam or dry chemical may be ineffective.
 - Combustion or decomposition produces oxides of nitrogen (NOx), carbon monoxide (CO) and carbon dioxide (CO2).

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Fire/Explosion Hazard

SECTION 6 Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

See section 8

Environmental precautions

See section 12

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

WARNING!: EXPLOSIVE

BLAST and/or PROJECTION and/or FIRE HAZARD

- Clean up all spills immediately.
- Avoid inhalation of the material and avoid contact with eyes and skin.
- Wear impervious gloves and safety glasses.
- **Minor Spills** ▶ Remove all ignition sources.
 - Use spark-free tools when handling.
 - Sweep into non-sparking containers or barrels and moisten with water.
 - Place spilled material in clean, sealable, labelled container for disposal.
 - Flush area with large amounts of water.

Environmental hazard - contain spillage.

In the case of transport accident notify the State Police, State Explosives Inspector and the Manufacturer, Thales Mulwala Facility. Collect recoverable packages and segregate from loose, spilled material.

WARNING!: EXPLOSIVE.

- Clear area of personnel and move upwind.
- Alert Fire Brigade and tell them location and nature of hazard.
- May be violently or explosively reactive. **Major Spills**
 - Wear full body protective clothing with breathing apparatus.
 - Consider evacuation (or protect in place).
 - In case of transport accident notify Police, Emergency Authority, Competent Explosives Authority or Manufacturer.
 - No smoking, naked lights, heat or ignition sources.
 - Increase ventilation.

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Environmental hazard - contain spillage.

Personal Protective Equipment advice is contained in Section 8 of the SDS.

SECTION 7 Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling

- Handle gently. Use good occupational work practice.
- ▶ Observe manufacturer's storage and handling recommendations contained within this SDS.
- Avoid all personal contact, including inhalation.
- Avoid smoking, naked lights, heat or ignition sources.
- Explosives must not be struck with metal implements.
- Avoid mechanical and thermal shock and friction.
- Use in a well ventilated area.
- Organic pov

Safe handling

- Organic powders when finely divided over a range of concentrations regardless of particulate size or shape and suspended in air or some other oxidizing medium may form explosive dust-air mixtures and result in a fire or dust explosion (including secondary explosions)
- Minimise airborne dust and eliminate all ignition sources. Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, and flame.
- Establish good housekeeping practices.

Avoid contact with incompatible materials.

- Remove dust accumulations on a regular basis by vacuuming or gentle sweeping to avoid creating dust clouds.
- Use continuous suction at points of dust generation to capture and minimise the accumulation of dusts. Particular attention should be given to overhead and hidden horizontal surfaces to minimise the probability of a "secondary" explosion. According to NFPA Standard 654, dust layers 1/32 in.(0.8 mm) thick can be sufficient to warrant immediate cleaning of the area.
- Do not use air hoses for cleaning.
- Minimise dry sweeping to avoid generation of dust clouds.

Other information

Suitable container

- · William to a void generation of dust clouds.
- Store cases in a well ventilated magazine licensed for the appropriate Class, Division and Compatibility Group.
- Protate stock to prevent ageing. Use on FIFO (first in-first out) basis.
- ullet Observe manufacturer's storage and handling recommendations contained within this SDS.
- Store in a cool place in original containers.
- Keep containers securely sealed.
- No smoking, naked lights, heat or ignition sources.
- Store in an isolated area away from other materials.
- Keep storage area free of debris, waste and combustibles.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

All packaging for Class 1 Goods shall be in accordance with the requirements of the relevant Code for the transport of Dangerous Goods.

Class 1 is unique in that the type of packaging used frequently has a very decisive effect on the hazard and therefore on the assignment to a particular division

Packaging for explosive substances shall meet the test requirements for Packaging Group II.

Explosives Code Packing Instruction P114(b) or 114(b)

General packaging provisions of 4.1.1, 4.1.3 and special provision 4.1.5 are to be met.

For UN 0160, 0161 - If outer packaging is drum then inner packaging is not required.

For UN 0160, 0161 - If outer packaging is 1A2 or 1B2 metal drums then drum construction shall be such that risk of explosion, by reason of increase by internal pressure from internal or external causes, is prevented.

For UN 0077, 0132, 0234, 0235, 0236, packagings are to be lead free, otherwise:

Inner Packagings:

Bags: Paper Kraft, Plastics, Textiles - sift proof, Woven Plastic - sift proof

Receptacles: Fibreboard, Metal, Paper, Plastic, Woven Plastic - sift proof

Intermediate Packagings:

Not necessary

Outer Packagings:

Boxes: Natural Wood (4C1), Natural Wood -sift proof (4C2), Plywood (4D), Reconstituted Wood (4F), Fibreboard (4G)

Drums: Steel, Removable Head (1A2), Aluminium, removable head (1B2), Plywood (1D), Fibre (1G), Plastic, removable head (1H2)

▶ Packaging as recommended by manufacturer.

Check containers are clearly labelled.

- Avoid contact with other explosives, pyrotechnics, solvents, adhesives, paints, cleaners and unauthorized metals, plastics, packing equipment and materials.
- Avoid contamination with acids, alkalis, reducing agents, amines and phosphorus.

Storage incompatibility

Store drums on end and invert them regularly (at least monthly) to avoid separation of the desensitising liquid. Keep dampened.

- Avoid reaction with oxidising agents, bases and strong reducing agents.
- Avoid strong acids, bases.
- Avoid any contamination of this material as it is very reactive and any contamination is potentially hazardous

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SECTION 8 Exposure controls / personal protection

Control parameters

Occupational Exposure Limits (OEL)

INGREDIENT DATA

Source	Ingredient	Material name	TWA	STEL	Peak	Notes
Australia Exposure Standards	diphenylamine	Diphenylamine	10 mg/m3	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available

Emergency Limits

Ingredient	TEEL-1	TEEL-2	TEEL-3	
2,4-dinitrotoluene	0.6 mg/m3	12 mg/m3	200 mg/m3	
diphenylamine	30 mg/m3	180 mg/m3	220 mg/m3	

Ingredient	Original IDLH	Revised IDLH	
nitrocellulose	Not Available	Not Available	
2,4-dinitrotoluene	Not Available	Not Available	
diphenylamine	Not Available	Not Available	

Occupational Exposure Banding

Ingredient	Occupational Exposure Band Rating Occupational Exposure Band Limit	
2,4-dinitrotoluene	E	≤ 0.01 mg/m³
Notes:	potency and the adverse health outcomes associated	gning chemicals into specific categories or bands based on a chemical's d with exposure. The output of this process is an occupational exposure ure concentrations that are expected to protect worker health.

Exposure controls

Adequate ventilation should be provided to keep dust concentrations below acceptable exposure limits. Discharge from the ventilation system should comply with applicable air pollution control regulations. Use a local mechanical ventilation system if needed, preferably with explosion proof construction, and with a suitable dust filter installed at inlet to suction piping to the system to prevent accumulation of explosive dust in ventilation piping and blower.

Engineering controls are used to remove a hazard or place a barrier between the worker and the hazard. Well-designed engineering controls can be highly effective in protecting workers and will typically be independent of worker interactions to provide this high level of protection.

The basic types of engineering controls are:

Process controls which involve changing the way a job activity or process is done to reduce the risk.

Enclosure and/or isolation of emission source which keeps a selected hazard "physically" away from the worker and ventilation that strategically "adds" and "removes" air in the work environment. Ventilation can remove or dilute an air contaminant if designed properly. The design of a ventilation system must match the particular process and chemical or contaminant in use. Employers may need to use multiple types of controls to prevent employee overexposure.

Appropriate engineering controls

- Employees exposed to confirmed human carcinogens should be authorized to do so by the employer, and work in a regulated
- Work should be undertaken in an isolated system such as a "glove-box".

Engineering controls for explosive substances are designed to reduce or eliminate fragmentation and/or blast effects either by suppression of the source of detonation or by protection at the exposed location, or both. Barricades, shields, contained detonation chambers, and "zero quantity-distance (Q-D)" magazines are examples of engineering controls.

Engineering controls are designed and tested in a rigorous fashion. The construction of the engineering control must be carefully duplicated in field applications to assure it will function properly.

It is thus imperative that engineering controls be built exactly in accordance with the design package, and that they be used only for the substances for which they are authorised.

Personal protection











- Safety glasses with side shields.
- Chemical goggles.

Eye and face protection

Contact lenses may pose a special hazard; soft contact lenses may absorb and concentrate irritants. A written policy document, describing the wearing of lenses or restrictions on use, should be created for each workplace or task. This should include a review of lens absorption and adsorption for the class of chemicals in use and an account of injury experience. Medical and first-aid personnel should be trained in their removal and suitable equipment should be readily available. In the event of chemical exposure, begin eye irrigation immediately and remove contact lens as soon as practicable. Lens should

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	be removed at the first signs of eye redness or irritation - lens should be removed in a clean environment only after workers have washed hands thoroughly. [CDC NIOSH Current Intelligence Bulletin 59], [AS/NZS 1336 or national equivalent]	
Skin protection	See Hand protection below	
Hands/feet protection	 Wear chemical protective gloves, e.g. PVC. Wear safety footwear or safety gumboots, e.g. Rubber NOTE: The material may produce skin sensitisation in predisposed individuals. Care must be taken, when removing gloves and oth protective equipment, to avoid all possible skin contact. Contaminated leather items, such as shoes, belts and watch-bands should be removed and destroyed. The selection of suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality which vary from manufacturer to manufacturer. Where the chemical is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material can not be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application. The exact break through time for substances has to be obtained from the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed when making a final choice. Personal hygiene is a key element of effective hand care. Gloves must only be worn on clean hands. After using gloves, hands should be washed and dried thoroughly. Application of a non-perfumed moisturiser is recommended. Suitability and durability of glove type is dependent on usage. Important factors in the selection of gloves include: frequency and duration of contact, chemical resistance of glove material, glove thickness and dexterity Select gloves tested to a relevant standard (e.g. Europe EN 374, US F739, AS/NZS 2161.1 or national equivalent). Non-sparking or conductive footwear essential. Conductive footwear describes a boot or shoe with a sole made from a conductive compound chemically bound to the bottom components, for permanent control to electrically ground the foot an shall dissipate static electricity from the body to reduce the possibility of ignition of volatil	
Body protection	place of work to their homes and return. See Other protection below	
Other protection	 Employees working with confirmed human carcinogens should be provided with, and be required to wear, clean, full body protective clothing (smocks, coveralls, or long-sleeved shirt and pants), shoe covers and gloves prior to entering the regulated area. [AS/NZS ISO 6529:2006 or national equivalent] Employees engaged in handling operations involving carcinogens should be provided with, and required to wear and use half-face filter-type respirators with filters for dusts, mists and fumes, or air purifying canisters or cartridges. A respirator affording higher levels of protection may be substituted. [AS/NZS 1715 or national equivalent] Emergency deluge showers and eyewash fountains, supplied with potable water, should be located near, within sight of, and on the same level with locations where direct exposure is likely. Prior to each exit from an area containing confirmed human carcinogens, employees should be required to remove and leave protective clothing and equipment at the point of exit and at the last exit of the day, to place used clothing and equipment in impervious containers at the point of exit for purposes of decontamination or disposal. The contents of such impervious containers must be identified with suitable labels. For maintenance and decontamination activities, authorized employees entering the area should be provided with and required to wear clean, impervious garments, including gloves, boots and continuous-air supplied hood. Prior to removing protective garments the employee should undergo decontamination and be required to shower upon removal of the garments and hood. For handling explosives or explosive compositions: Wear close-fitting flame-protection treated clothing closed at the neck and sleeves. Cotton underwear, socks and conductive shoes are recommended to avoid human static discharge. Manufacture may require: Non-static flame retardant treated clothing	

Recommended material(s)

GLOVE SELECTION INDEX

Glove selection is based on a modified presentation of the:

"Forsberg Clothing Performance Index".

The effect(s) of the following substance(s) are taken into account in the *computer-generated* selection:

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Material	CPI
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* CPI - Chemwatch Performance Index

A: Best Selection

B: Satisfactory; may degrade after 4 hours continuous immersion

C: Poor to Dangerous Choice for other than short term immersion

NOTE: As a series of factors will influence the actual performance of the glove,

Respiratory protection

Particulate. (AS/NZS 1716 & 1715, EN 143:2000 & 149:001, ANSI Z88 or national equivalent)

Required Minimum Protection Factor	Half-Face Respirator	Full-Face Respirator	Powered Air Respirator
up to 10 x ES	P1 Air-line*	-	PAPR-P1
up to 50 x ES	Air-line**	P2	PAPR-P2
up to 100 x ES	-	P3	-
		Air-line*	-
100+ x ES	-	Air-line**	PAPR-P3

^{* -} Negative pressure demand ** - Continuous flow

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a final selection must be based on detailed observation. -

* Where the glove is to be used on a short term, casual or infrequent basis. factors such as "feel" or convenience (e.g. disposability), may dictate a choice of gloves which might otherwise be unsuitable following long-term or frequent use. A qualified practitioner should be consulted.

A(All classes) = Organic vapours, B AUS or B1 = Acid gasses, B2 = Acid gas or hydrogen cyanide(HCN), B3 = Acid gas or hydrogen cyanide(HCN), E = Sulfur dioxide(SO2), G = Agricultural chemicals, K = Ammonia(NH3), Hg = Mercury, NO = Oxides of nitrogen, MB = Methyl bromide, AX = Low boiling point organic compounds(below 65 degC)

If inhalation risk of exposure to dinitrotoluenes (DNT) or trinitrotoluenes (TNT) exists, wear air-supplied breathing apparatus. In confined spaces or at elevated temperatures, where mist of fumes are present, an impervious suit ventilated by a supply of clean, cooled air may be required.

- · Respirators may be necessary when engineering and administrative controls do not adequately prevent exposures.
- · The decision to use respiratory protection should be based on professional judgment that takes into account toxicity information, exposure measurement data, and frequency and likelihood of the worker's exposure - ensure users are not subject to high thermal loads which may result in heat stress or distress due to personal protective equipment (powered, positive flow, full face apparatus may be an option).
- · Published occupational exposure limits, where they exist, will assist in determining the adequacy of the selected respiratory protection. These may be government mandated or vendor recommended.
- · Certified respirators will be useful for protecting workers from inhalation of particulates when properly selected and fit tested as part of a complete respiratory protection program.
- · Where protection from nuisance levels of dusts are desired, use type N95 (US) or type P1 (EN143) dust masks. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU)
- \cdot Use approved positive flow mask if significant quantities of dust becomes airborne.
- · Try to avoid creating dust conditions.

SECTION 9 Physical and chemical properties

Appearance	Dark grey tubules in various sh	napes and colours, insoluble in water, sinks in wa	ter.
Physical state	Divided Solid	Relative density (Water = 1)	Not Available
Odour	Not Available	Partition coefficient n-octanol / water	Not Available
Odour threshold	Not Available	Auto-ignition temperature (°C)	170
pH (as supplied)	Not Available	Decomposition temperature	Not Available
Melting point / freezing point (°C)	Not Available	Viscosity (cSt)	Not Available
Initial boiling point and boiling range (°C)	Not Available	Molecular weight (g/mol)	Not Applicable
Flash point (°C)	Not Available	Taste	Not Available
Evaporation rate	Not Available	Explosive properties	Not Available
Flammability	Not Available	Oxidising properties	Not Available
Upper Explosive Limit (%)	Not Available	Surface Tension (dyn/cm or mN/m)	Not Applicable
Lower Explosive Limit (%)	Not Available	Volatile Component (%vol)	Not Available
Vapour pressure (kPa)	Not Available	Gas group	Not Available
Solubility in water	Immiscible	pH as a solution (Not Available%)	Not Available
Vapour density (Air = 1)	Not Available	VOC g/L	Not Available

SECTION 10 Stability and reactivity

Reactivity

See section 7

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Presence of shock and friction
Presence of heat source and ignition source
Product is considered stable under normal handling conditions.
Stable under normal storage conditions.
Hazardous polymerization will not occur.
Avoid contact with other explosives, pyrotechnics, solvents, adhesives, paints, cleaners and unauthorized metals, plastics, packing equipment and materials.
Avoid contamination with acids, alkalis, reducing agents, amines and phosphorus.

SECTION 11 Toxicological information

products

reactions

See section 7

See section 7

See section 5

Chemical stability

Possibility of hazardous

Conditions to avoid

Incompatible materials

Hazardous decomposition

Information on toxicological effects

	Inhalation of dusts, generated by the material, during	- · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		
Inhaled	further disability if excessive concentrations of partic If prior damage to the circulatory or nervous system	liseases and conditions such as emphysema or chronic bronchitis, may incuculate are inhaled. s has occurred or if kidney damage has been sustained, proper screenings posed to further risk if handling and use of the material result in excessive		
Ingestion	Accidental ingestion of the material may be harmful; animal experiments indicate that ingestion of less than 150 gram may be fatal or may produce serious damage to the health of the individual. The substance and/or its metabolites may bind to haemoglobin inhibiting normal uptake of oxygen. This condition, known as "methaemoglobinemia", is a form of oxygen starvation (anoxia). Symptoms include cyanosis (a bluish discolouration skin and mucous membranes) and breathing difficulties. Symptoms may be evident until several hours after exposure. At about 15% concentration of blood methaemoglobin there is observable cyanosis of the lips, nose and earlobes. Symptoms may be absent although euphoria, flushed face and headache are commonly experienced. At 25-40%, cyanosis is marked but little disability occurs other than that produced on physical exertion. At 40-60%, symptoms include weakness, dizziness, lightheadedness, increasingly severe headache, ataxia, rapid shallow respiration, drowsiness, nausea, vomiting, confusion, lethargy and stupor. Above 60% symptoms include dyspnea, respiratory depression, tachycardia or bradycardia, and convulsions.			
Skin Contact	Skin contact with the material may be harmful; systemic effects may result following absorption. Open cuts, abraded or irritated skin should not be exposed to this material Entry into the blood-stream, through, for example, cuts, abrasions or lesions, may produce systemic injury with harmful effects Examine the skin prior to the use of the material and ensure that any external damage is suitably protected.			
Eye	There is some evidence to suggest that this material can cause eye irritation and damage in some persons.			
Chronic	Strong evidence exists that this substance may cause irreversible mutations (though not lethal) even following a single There is ample evidence that this material can be regarded as being able to cause cancer in humans based on experir other information. Hamful: danger of serious damage to health by prolonged exposure if swallowed. This material can cause serious damage if one is exposed to it for long periods. It can be assumed that it contains a su which can produce severe defects. Ample evidence from experiments exists that there is a suspicion this material directly reduces fertility. Laboratory (in vitro) and animal studies show, exposure to the material may result in a possible risk of irreversible effect the possibility of producing mutation. Substance accumulation, in the human body, may occur and may cause some concern following repeated or long-term occupational exposure. There is some evidence that inhaling this product is more likely to cause a sensitisation reaction in some persons compared to the general population. There is limited evidence that, skin contact with this product is more likely to cause a sensitisation reaction in some per compared to the general population. Long term exposure to high dust concentrations may cause changes in lung function i.e. pneumoconiosis, caused by pless than 0.5 micron penetrating and remaining in the lung. This material contains a substantial amount of polymer considered to be of low concern. These are classified under ha of between 1000 to 10000 with less than 25% of molecules with MWs under 1000 and less than 10% under 500; or have			
	molecular weight average of over 10000.			
	TOXICITY	IRRITATION		

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	TOXICITY	IRRITATION	
nitrocellulose	Oral (Rat) LD50; >5000 mg/kg ^[2]	Not Available	
	TOXICITY	IRRITATION	
2,4-dinitrotoluene	dermal (guinea pig) LD50: >1000 mg/kg ^[2]	Skin (rabbit): 500 mg/24h - mild	
	Oral (Rat) LD50; 268 mg/kg ^[2]		
	TOXICITY	IRRITATION	
diphenylamine	Dermal (rabbit) LD50: >2000 mg/kg ^[2]	Eye: adverse effect observed (irritating) ^[1]	
	Oral (Guinea) LD50; 300 mg/kg ^[2]	Skin: no adverse effect observed (not irritating) ^[1]	
Legend:	Value obtained from Europe ECHA Registered Subs Unless otherwise specified data extracted from RTEC	stances - Acute toxicity 2.* Value obtained from manufacturer's SDS. S - Register of Toxic Effect of chemical Substances	
NITROCELLULOSE	No significant acute toxicological data identified in literature search.		
2,4-DINITROTOLUENE	exposure. Signs of disturbances in liver function and exfound in exposed workers. In humans, DNT is absorbe excreted in urine. Acute toxicity: Animal testing indicates that DNT has reswallowing. DNT is not considered to irritate the human DNT. Repeat dose toxicity: Animal testing showed that chron blood), and toxicity to the liver, kidney, adrenal glands a Genetic toxicity: Based on testing results, technical grace Cancer-causing potential: Animal testing shows DNT here are causing potential: Animal testing shows DNT here cannot be excluded. Developmental toxicity: According to animal testing DN which were toxic to the mother. The material may cause skin irritation after prolonged of the production of vesicles, scaling and thickening of the	ide DNT shows the potential to cause genetic toxicity. as the potential to cause liver cancer. impairment of male fertility following chronic exposure to toxic doses IT did not cause birth defects or developmental toxicity, even at levels or repeated exposure and may produce on contact skin redness, swelling	
	non-allergic condition known as reactive airways dysfur highly irritating compound. Main criteria for diagnosing individual, with sudden onset of persistent asthma-like	en years after exposure to the material ends. This may be due to a notion syndrome (RADS) which can occur after exposure to high levels or RADS include the absence of previous airways disease in a non-atopic symptoms within minutes to hours of a documented exposure to the eversible airflow pattern on lung function tests, moderate to severe	

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non-allergic condition known as reactive airways dysfunction syndrome (RADS) which can occur after exposure to high levels of highly irritating compound. Main criteria for diagnosing RADS include the absence of previous airways disease in a non-atopic individual, with sudden onset of persistent asthma-like symptoms within minutes to hours of a documented exposure to the irritant. Other criteria for diagnosis of RADS include a reversible airflow pattern on lung function tests, moderate to severe bronchial hyperreactivity on methacholine challenge testing, and the lack of minimal lymphocytic inflammation, without eosinophilia. RADS (or asthma) following an irritating inhalation is an infrequent disorder with rates related to the concentration of and duration of exposure to the irritating substance. On the other hand, industrial bronchitis is a disorder that occurs as a result of exposure due to high concentrations of irritating substance (often particles) and is completely reversible after exposure ceases. The disorder is characterized by difficulty breathing, cough and mucus production.

Heating of substituted diphenylamines may generate vapours which can irritate the eyes and airways. Drying of skin and mucous membranes leading to irritation may occur with prolonged or repeated contact. Overexposure may cause skin and airway irritation with dizziness and flu-like symptoms. All show a slight to very low order of toxicity following oral or topical administration. There is very low potential to cause gene mutations.

Diphenylamine and all its substituted derivatives show slight to moderate acute toxicity. Overall, it is not considered to cause mutations or genetic toxicity. In animal testing, higher concentrations appear to reduce the number of viable offspring.

ADI: 0.02 mg/kg/day NOEL: 1.5 mg/kg/day

Acute Toxicity	*	Carcinogenicity	*
Skin Irritation/Corrosion	×	Reproductivity	*
Serious Eye Damage/Irritation	×	STOT - Single Exposure	×
Respiratory or Skin sensitisation	×	STOT - Repeated Exposure	~
Mutagenicity	*	Aspiration Hazard	×

Legend:

🗶 – Data either not available or does not fill the criteria for classification

✓ – Data available to make classification

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Toxicity

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	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Availabl
	Endpoint	Test Duration (hr)	Species	Value	Source
nitrocellulose	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Availabl
	Endpoint	Test Duration (hr)	Species	Value	Sourc
	NOEC(ECx)	504h	Crustacea	0.02mg/L	5
2,4-dinitrotoluene	LC50	96h	Fish	23.7mg/l	1
	EC50	48h	Crustacea	22mg/l	4
	EC50	96h	Algae or other aquatic plants	22mg/l 1.912-3.497mg/L	4
	Endpoint	Test Duration (hr)	Species	Value	Sourc
	EC50(ECx)	72h	Algae or other aquatic plants	0.048mg/l	1
	BCF	1344h	Fish	51-253	7
diphenylamine	LC50	96h	Fish	2.088-3.596mg/L	4
	EC50	72h	Algae or other aquatic plants	0.048mg/l	1
	EC50	48h	Crustacea	0.27-0.36mg/l	4
Legend:	4. US EPA, Eco		pe ECHA Registered Substances - Ecotoxicol Data 5. ECETOC Aquatic Hazard Assessmen	•	

Toxic to aquatic organisms.

May cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

DO NOT discharge into sewer or waterways.

Persistence and degradability

Ingredient	Persistence: Water/Soil	Persistence: Air
2,4-dinitrotoluene	HIGH (Half-life = 360 days)	MEDIUM (Half-life = 118.33 days)
diphenylamine	LOW (Half-life = 56 days)	Not Available

Bioaccumulative potential

Ingredient	Bioaccumulation	
2,4-dinitrotoluene	HIGH (BCF = 2507)	
diphenylamine	LOW (BCF = 253)	

Mobility in soil

Ingredient	Mobility	
2,4-dinitrotoluene	LOW (KOC = 363.8)	
diphenylamine	LOW (KOC = 1887)	

SECTION 13 Disposal considerations

Otherwise:

Waste treatment methods

- Containers may still present a chemical hazard/ danger when empty.
- PReturn to supplier for reuse/ recycling if possible.

Product / Packaging disposal

- If container can not be cleaned sufficiently well to ensure that residuals do not remain or if the container cannot be used to store the same product, then puncture containers, to prevent re-use, and bury at an authorised landfill.
- ▶ Where possible retain label warnings and SDS and observe all notices pertaining to the product.

Legislation addressing waste disposal requirements may differ by country, state and/ or territory. Each user must refer to laws operating in their area. In some areas, certain wastes must be tracked.

A Hierarchy of Controls seems to be common - the user should investigate:

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- ▶ Reduction
- ▶ Reuse
- ▶ Recycling
- Disposal (if all else fails)

This material may be recycled if unused, or if it has not been contaminated so as to make it unsuitable for its intended use. Shelf life considerations should also be applied in making decisions of this type. Note that properties of a material may change in use, and recycling or reuse may not always be appropriate. In most instances the supplier of the material should be consulted. Small quantities of dinitrotoluenes (DNT) may be destroyed by burning, but the operation should be performed by a person competent in destruction of explosives.

- Explosives which are surplus, deteriorated or considered unsafe for transport, storage or use shall be destroyed and the statutory authorities shall be notified.
- Explosives must not be thrown away, buried, discarded or placed with garbage.
- This material may be disposed of by burning or detonation but the operation must be performed under the control of a person competent in the destruction of explosives.

Disposal by detonation:

- The explosives to be destroyed must be placed in direct contact with fresh priming charge in a hole which is at least 0.6 metre deep and then adequately stemmed.
- No detonators shall be inserted into defective explosives.
- Personnel must be evacuated to a safe distance prior to initiation/firing of the charge.

Disposal by burning:

- Make a sawdust bed or trail adequate for the quantity of explosives to be burned, approximately 400 mm wide and 40 mm deep, upon which the explosive will be laid.
- If sawdust is not available, newspaper may be used.
- Normal precautions shall be taken to avoid the spread of fire.
- DO NOT allow wash water from cleaning or process equipment to enter drains.
- It may be necessary to collect all wash water for treatment before disposal.
- In all cases disposal to sewer may be subject to local laws and regulations and these should be considered first.
- Where in doubt contact the responsible authority.

SECTION 14 Transport information

Labels Required



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Land transport (ADG)

UN number	0161	0161				
UN proper shipping name	POWDER,	POWDER, SMOKELESS				
Turney and beyond along (as)	Class	1.3C				
Transport hazard class(es)	Subrisk	Not App	ble			
Packing group	Not Applica	Not Applicable				
Environmental hazard	Environmer	Environmentally hazardous				
Special precautions for	Special p	rovisions	Not Applicable			
user	Limited q	uantity				

Air transport (ICAO-IATA / DGR)

UN number	0161		
UN proper shipping name	Powder, smokeless		
Transport hazard class(es)	ICAO/IATA Class	1.3C	
	ICAO / IATA Subrisk	Not Applicable	
	ERG Code	1L	

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Packing group	Not Applicable				
Environmental hazard	Environmentally hazardous				
	Special provisions	Not Applicable			
	Cargo Only Packing Instructions	Forbidden			
	Cargo Only Maximum Qty / Pack	Forbidden			
Special precautions for user	Passenger and Cargo Packing Instructions	Forbidden			
	Passenger and Cargo Maximum Qty / Pack	Forbidden			
	Passenger and Cargo Limited Quantity Packing Instructions	Forbidden			
	Passenger and Cargo Limited Maximum Qty / Pack	Forbidden			

Sea transport (IMDG-Code / GGVSee)

UN number	0161			
UN proper shipping name	POWDER, SMOKE	POWDER, SMOKELESS		
Transport barard alass(sa)	IMDG Class	1.3C		
Transport hazard class(es)	IMDG Subrisk	Not Applicable		
Packing group	Not Applicable			
Environmental hazard	Marine Pollutant			
	EMS Number	F-B , S-Y		
Special precautions for user	Special provisions	s Not Applicable		
	Limited Quantities	s 0		

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL and the IBC code

Not Applicable

Transport in bulk in accordance with MARPOL Annex V and the IMSBC Code

Product name	Group
nitrocellulose	Not Available
2,4-dinitrotoluene	Not Available
diphenylamine	Not Available

Transport in bulk in accordance with the ICG Code

Product name	Ship Type
nitrocellulose	Not Available
2,4-dinitrotoluene	Not Available
diphenylamine	Not Available

SECTION 15 Regulatory information

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

nitrocellulose	is	found o	n the	following	regulatory	lists
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Australia Hazardous Chemical Information System (HCIS) - Hazardous Chemicals

Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals (AIIC)

2,4-dinitrotoluene is found on the following regulatory lists

Australia Hazardous Chemical Information System (HCIS) - Hazardous Chemicals

Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals (AIIC)

Chemical Footprint Project - Chemicals of High Concern List

International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) - Agents Classified by the IARC Monographs

International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) - Agents Classified by the IARC Monographs - Group 2B: Possibly carcinogenic to humans

diphenylamine is found on the following regulatory lists

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Australia Hazardous Chemical Information System (HCIS) - Hazardous Chemicals

Australia Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP) - Schedule 6

Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals (AIIC)

National Inventory Status

National Inventory	Status
Australia - AIIC / Australia Non-Industrial Use	Yes
Canada - DSL	Yes
Canada - NDSL	No (nitrocellulose; 2,4-dinitrotoluene; diphenylamine)
China - IECSC	Yes
Europe - EINEC / ELINCS / NLP	No (nitrocellulose)
Japan - ENCS	Yes
Korea - KECI	Yes
New Zealand - NZIoC	Yes
Philippines - PICCS	Yes
USA - TSCA	Yes
Taiwan - TCSI	Yes
Mexico - INSQ	Yes
Vietnam - NCI	Yes
Russia - FBEPH	Yes
Legend:	Yes = All CAS declared ingredients are on the inventory No = One or more of the CAS listed ingredients are not on the inventory. These ingredients may be exempt or will require registration.

SECTION 16 Other information

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SDS Version Summary

Version	Date of Update	Sections Updated
6.1	01/11/2019	One-off system update. NOTE: This may or may not change the GHS classification
7.1	10/12/2021	Classification change due to full database hazard calculation/update.

Other information

Classification of the preparation and its individual components has drawn on official and authoritative sources as well as independent review by the Chemwatch Classification committee using available literature references.

The SDS is a Hazard Communication tool and should be used to assist in the Risk Assessment. Many factors determine whether the reported Hazards are Risks in the workplace or other settings. Risks may be determined by reference to Exposures Scenarios. Scale of use, frequency of use and current or available engineering controls must be considered.

Definitions and abbreviations

PC-TWA: Permissible Concentration-Time Weighted Average

PC-STEL: Permissible Concentration-Short Term Exposure Limit

IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit

TEEL: Temporary Emergency Exposure Limit。

IDLH: Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health Concentrations

ES: Exposure Standard

OSF: Odour Safety Factor

NOAEL :No Observed Adverse Effect Level

LOAEL: Lowest Observed Adverse Effect Level

TLV: Threshold Limit Value

LOD: Limit Of Detection

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OTV: Odour Threshold Value

BCF: BioConcentration Factors BEI: Biological Exposure Index

AIIC: Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals

DSL: Domestic Substances List

NDSL: Non-Domestic Substances List

IECSC: Inventory of Existing Chemical Substance in China

EINECS: European INventory of Existing Commercial chemical Substances

ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances

NLP: No-Longer Polymers

ENCS: Existing and New Chemical Substances Inventory

KECI: Korea Existing Chemicals Inventory NZIoC: New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

PICCS: Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

TSCA: Toxic Substances Control Act

TCSI: Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory

INSQ: Inventario Nacional de Sustancias Químicas

NCI: National Chemical Inventory

FBEPH: Russian Register of Potentially Hazardous Chemical and Biological Substances

Notes

When the propellant variations AR2205, AR2207, AR2206 AR2206H, AR2208, AR2209, AR2210, AR2219, AR2210VO1, AR2210VO2, BenchMark 1, BenchMark 2, AR2211, AR2213SC, AR2215, AR2217, AR2225, AR2218 and AR2220 are packed as in packaging UN4GY12.5/S/**/AUS/ABBE 30818 they are suitable for air transport as follows:

Air Transport IATA:

ICAO/IATA Class 1.4C

ICAO/IATA Subrisk: None

UN/ID Number: 0509

Packing Group:-

Special Provisions: None

Cargo Only

Packing Instructions: 114 Maximum

Qty/Pack: 10kg

Passenger and Cargo

Packing Instructions: Forbidden Maximum

Qty/Pack: Forbidden

Sea Transport IMDG:

Passenger and Cargo Limited Quantity

Packing Instructions: Forbidden Maximum Qty/Pack: Forbidden IMDG Class: 1.4C

Packing Group: -

IMDG Subrisk: None

UN/ID Number: 0509

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