

MG Chemicals UK Limited

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# SECTION 1 IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE / MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY / UNDERTAKING

#### 1.1. Product Identifier

Product name	841WB
Synonyms	SDS Code: 841WB-Liquid; 841WB-15ML, 841WB-150ML, 841WB-850ML, 841WB-3.78L
Other means of identification	Super Shield Water Based Nickel Conductive Paint / Water Based Nickel Conductive Paint

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

Relevant identified uses	Nickel filled, electrically conductive coating
Uses advised against	FOR INDUSTRIAL USE ONLY

# 1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Registered company name	MG Chemicals UK Limited	MG Chemicals (Head office)
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# 1.4. Emergency telephone number

Association / Organisation	Verisk 3E (Access code: 335388)	Not Available
Emergency telephone numbers	+(44) 20 35147487	Not Available
Other emergency telephone numbers	+(0) 800 680 0425	Not Available

#### **SECTION 2 HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

# 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 [CLP] [1]	H317 - Skin Sensitizer Category 1, H351 - Carcinogenicity Category 2, H360 - Reproductive Toxicity Category 1A, H372 - Specific target organ toxici repeated exposure Category 1, H412 - Chronic Aquatic Hazard Category 3	
Legend:	1. Classified by Chemwatch; 2. Classification drawn from Regulation (EU) No 1272/2008 - Annex VI	

#### 2.2. Label elements

Hazard pictogram(s)





SIGNAL WORD DANGER

# Hazard statement(s)

H317	May cause an allergic skin reaction.	
H351	Suspected of causing cancer.	
H360	May damage fertility or the unborn child.	
H372	Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.	
H412	Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.	

# Supplementary statement(s)

Not Applicable

# Precautionary statement(s) Prevention

P201	Obtain special instructions before use.		
P260	Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.		
P280	Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.		
P270	Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.		
P273	Avoid release to the environment.		
P272	Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.		

# Precautionary statement(s) Response

P308+P313	IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention.	
P302+P352	IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water and soap.	
P314	Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.	
P333+P313	If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.	
P362+P364	P362+P364 Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.	

# Precautionary statement(s) Storage

# Precautionary statement(s) Disposal

P501	Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local regulations.
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#### 2.3. Other hazards

Inhalation may produce health damage\*.

Cumulative effects may result following exposure\*.

REACh - Art.57-59: The mixture does not contain Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC) at the SDS print date.

# SECTION 3 COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

# 3.1.Substances

See 'Composition on ingredients' in Section 3.2

# 3.2.Mixtures

1.CAS No 2.EC No 3.Index No 4.REACH No	%[weight]	Name	Classification according to regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 [CLP]
1.7440-02-0 2.231-111-4 3.028-002-00-7 028-002-01-4 4.01-2119438727-29-XXXX	48	<u>nickel</u>	Carcinogenicity Category 2, Skin Sensitizer Category 1, Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure Category 1; H351, H317, H372 [2]
1.14807-96-6 2.238-877-9 3.Not Available 4.01-2120140278-58-XXXX	2	<u>talc</u>	Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure Category 3 (respiratory tract irritation), Acute Toxicity (Inhalation) Category 4; H335, H332 [1]
1.126-33-0 2.204-783-1 3.016-031-00-8 4.01-2119565139-32-XXXX	1	sulfolane	Acute Toxicity (Oral) Category 4; H302 [2]
Legend:	Legend:  1. Classified by Chemwatch; 2. Classification drawn from Regulation (EU) No 1272/2008 - Annex VI; 3. Classification drawn from C&L * EU IOELVs available		

# **SECTION 4 FIRST AID MEASURES**

# 4.1. Description of first aid measures

Eye Contact	If this product comes in contact with eyes:  • Wash out immediately with water.  • If irritation continues, seek medical attention.  • Removal of contact lenses after an eye injury should only be undertaken by skilled personnel.
Skin Contact	If skin contact occurs:  Immediately remove all contaminated clothing, including footwear.  Flush skin and hair with running water (and soap if available).  Seek medical attention in event of irritation.
Inhalation	<ul> <li>If fumes, aerosols or combustion products are inhaled remove from contaminated area.</li> <li>Other measures are usually unnecessary.</li> </ul>
Ingestion	<ul> <li>Immediately give a glass of water.</li> <li>First aid is not generally required. If in doubt, contact a Poisons Information Centre or a doctor.</li> </ul>

#### 4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

See Section 11

#### 4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treat symptomatically.

# **SECTION 5 FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

### 5.1. Extinguishing media

Metal dust fires need to be smothered with sand, inert dry powders.

#### DO NOT USE WATER, CO2 or FOAM.

- ▶ Use DRY sand, graphite powder, dry sodium chloride based extinguishers, G-1 or Met L-X to smother fire.
- Confining or smothering material is preferable to applying water as chemical reaction may produce flammable and explosive hydrogen gas.
- ▶ Chemical reaction with CO2 may produce flammable and explosive methane.
- If impossible to extinguish, withdraw, protect surroundings and allow fire to burn itself out.
- ▶ DO NOT use halogenated fire extinguishing agents.

#### 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substrate or mixture

Fire Incompatibility	<ul> <li>Reacts with acids produ</li> </ul>

► Reacts with acids producing flammable / explosive hydrogen (H2) gas

# 5.3. Advice for firefighters

# Fire Fighting

- ► Alert Fire Brigade and tell them location and nature of hazard.
- Wear breathing apparatus plus protective gloves in the event of a fire.
- Prevent, by any means available, spillage from entering drains or water courses.
- Use fire fighting procedures suitable for surrounding area.
  - ► DO NOT approach containers suspected to be hot.
  - ▶ Cool fire exposed containers with water spray from a protected location.
  - If safe to do so, remove containers from path of fire.
  - ► Equipment should be thoroughly decontaminated after use.

- DO NOT disturb burning dust. Explosion may result if dust is stirred into a cloud, by providing oxygen to a large surface of hot metal.
- ▶ DO NOT use water or foam as generation of explosive hydrogen may result.

With the exception of the metals that burn in contact with air or water (for example, sodium), masses of combustible metals do not represent unusual fire risks because they have the ability to conduct heat away from hot spots so efficiently that the heat of combustion cannot be maintained - this means that it will require a lot of heat to ignite a mass of combustible metal. Generally, metal fire risks exist when sawdust, machine shavings and other metal 'fines' are present.

Metal powders, while generally regarded as non-combustible:

- ▶ May burn when metal is finely divided and energy input is high
- ► May react explosively with water.
- May be ignited by friction, heat, sparks or flame.
- ► May **REIGNITE** after fire is extinguished.
- Will burn with intense heat.

#### Fire/Explosion Hazard

#### Note

- Metal dust fires are slow moving but intense and difficult to extinguish.
- ► Containers may explode on heating.
- ▶ Dusts or fumes may form explosive mixtures with air.
- Gases generated in fire may be poisonous, corrosive or irritating.
- Hot or burning metals may react violently upon contact with other materials, such as oxidising agents and extinguishing agents used on fires involving ordinary combustibles or flammable liquids.
- ► Temperatures produced by burning metals can be higher than temperatures generated by burning flammable liquids
- ► Some metals can continue to burn in carbon dioxide, nitrogen, water, or steam atmospheres in which ordinary combustibles or flammable liquids would be incapable of burning.

May emit poisonous fumes.

May emit corrosive fumes.

# **SECTION 6 ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

# 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

See section 8

#### 6.2. Environmental precautions

See section 12

# 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

#### ▶ Clean up all spills immediately. Avoid breathing vapours and contact with skin and eyes. Control personal contact with the substance, by using protective equipment. Minor Spills Contain and absorb spill with sand, earth, inert material or vermiculite. Wipe up. ▶ Place in a suitable, labelled container for waste disposal. Moderate hazard Clear area of personnel and move upwind. Alert Fire Brigade and tell them location and nature of hazard. Wear breathing apparatus plus protective gloves. Major Spills Prevent, by any means available, spillage from entering drains or water course. Stop leak if safe to do so. Contain spill with sand, earth or vermiculite. Collect recoverable product into labelled containers for recycling.

- ▶ Neutralise/decontaminate residue (see Section 13 for specific agent).
- ▶ Collect solid residues and seal in labelled drums for disposal.
- ▶ Wash area and prevent runoff into drains.
- After clean up operations, decontaminate and launder all protective clothing and equipment before storing and re-using.
- ▶ If contamination of drains or waterways occurs, advise emergency services.

#### 6.4. Reference to other sections

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

# **SECTION 7 HANDLING AND STORAGE**

# 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

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Safe handling	<ul> <li>Avoid all personal contact, including inhalation.</li> <li>Wear protective clothing when risk of exposure occurs.</li> <li>Use in a well-ventilated area.</li> <li>Avoid contact with moisture.</li> <li>Avoid contact with incompatible materials.</li> <li>When handling, DO NOT eat, drink or smoke.</li> <li>Keep containers securely sealed when not in use.</li> <li>Avoid physical damage to containers.</li> <li>Always wash hands with soap and water after handling.</li> <li>Work clothes should be laundered separately. Launder contaminated clothing before re-use.</li> <li>Use good occupational work practice.</li> <li>Observe manufacturer's storage and handling recommendations contained within this SDS.</li> <li>Atmosphere should be regularly checked against established exposure standards to ensure safe working conditions are maintained.</li> <li>DO NOT allow clothing wet with material to stay in contact with skin</li> </ul>
Fire and explosion protection	See section 5
Other information	

Suitable container	<ul> <li>Polyethylene or polypropylene container.</li> <li>Packing as recommended by manufacturer.</li> <li>Check all containers are clearly labelled and free from leaks.</li> </ul>
Storage incompatibility	Nickel  is a strong reducing agent  may be pyrophoric when dry (dependent on particle size); powders or dusts may ignite spontaneously in air  reacts with acids, evolving flammable hydrogen gas  reacts with acids, evolving flammable hydrogen gas  reacts violently with ammonia, ammonium nitrate, fluorine, hydrazine, hydrazoic acid, strong oxidisers, nitric acid, peroxyformic acid, potassium, potassium perchlorate, selenium, sulfur (revolves heat, incandescence), titanium and other materials  is incompatible with organic solvents, sulfur compounds  in reducing atmosphere furnace can react with carbon monoxide forming highly toxic nickel carbonyl gas; under fire conditions may also react in smanner  Raney alloys, containing aluminium, may react with moisture  WARNING: Avoid or control reaction with peroxides. All transition metal peroxides should be considered as potentially explosive. For example transetal complexes of allqly hydroperoxides may decompose explosively.  The pi-complexes formed between chromium(0), vanadium(0) and other transition metals (haloarene-metal complexes) and mono-or poly-fluorobe show extreme sensitivity to heat and are explosive.  Avoid reaction with borrohydrides or cyanoborohydrides  Many metals may incandesce, react violently, ignite or react explosively upon addition of concentrated nitric acid.  Metals exhibit varying degrees of activity. Reaction is reduced in the massive form (sheet, rod, or drop), compared with finely divided forms. The less a metals will not burn in air but:  can react exothermically with oxidising acids to form noxious gases.  catalyse polymerisation and other reactions, particularly when finely divided  react with halogenated hydrocarbons (for example, copper dissolves when heated in carbon tetrachloride), sometimes forming explosive compount  Finely divided metal powders develop pyrophoricity when a critical specific surface area is exceeded; this is ascribed to high heat of oxide formatic exposure to air.  Safe handling is possible in relatively low concentr

▶ Some elemental metals form explosive products with halogenated hydrocarbons.

# 7.3. Specific end use(s)

See section 1.2

# **SECTION 8 EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION**

# 8.1. Control parameters

DERIVED NO EFFECT LEVEL (DNEL)

Not Available

PREDICTED NO EFFECT LEVEL (PNEC)

#### Not Available

# OCCUPATIONAL EXPOSURE LIMITS (OEL)

#### INGREDIENT DATA

Source	Ingredient	Material name	TWA	STEL	Peak	Notes
UK Workplace Exposure Limits (WELs)	nickel	Nickel and its inorganic compounds (except nickel tetracarbonyl): nickel and water-insoluble nickel compounds (as Ni)	0.5 mg/m3	Not Available	Not Available	Sk, Carc (nickeloxides and sulphides)Sen (nickel sulphate)
UK Workplace Exposure Limits (WELs)	talc	Talc, respirable dust	1 mg/m3	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available

#### **EMERGENCY LIMITS**

Ingredient	Material name	TEEL-1	TEEL-2	TEEL-3
nickel	Nickel	4.5 mg/m3	50 mg/m3	99 mg/m3
talc	Talc	6 mg/m3	66 mg/m3	400 mg/m3
sulfolane	Tetramethylene sulfone; (Sulfolane; Tetrahydrothiophene-1,1-dioxide)	4.1 mg/m3	45 mg/m3	400 mg/m3

Ingredient	Original IDLH	Revised IDLH
nickel	Not Available	Not Available
talc	1000 mg/m3	Not Available
sulfolane	Not Available	Not Available

#### MATERIAL DATA

For talc (a form of magnesium silicate):

Most health problems associated with occupational exposure to talcs appear to evolve mostly from the nonplatiform content of the talc being mined or milled (being the asbestos-like amphiboles, serpentines (asbestiformes) and other minerals in the form of acicular, prismatic and fibrous crystals including, possibly, asbestos).

Because of severe health effects associated with exposures to asbestos, regulatory agencies tend to regard all elongate mineral crystal particles, whether prismatic, acicular, fibrous, as asbestos - the only provision is the particles have an aspect ratio (length to diameter) of 3:1 or greater.

Consideration is also given to their respirability, their width being less than or equal to 3 um. Only limited data, however, exists on the health effects of elongate mineral particles having prismatic, acicular or fibrous (non-asbestos) forms. Experimental evidence indicates that the carcinogen potential of mineral fibres is related to the size class with diameter of 8 um with shorter, thicker particles having little biological activity.

Dust of nonfibrous talc, consisting entirely of platiform talc crystals and containing no asbestos poses a relatively small respiratory hazard.

Difficulties exist, however, in the determination of asbestos as cleavage fragments of prismatic or acicular crystals, nonasbestos fibres and asbestos fibres are very similar.

Subject to an accurate determination of asbestos and crystalline silica, exposure at or below the recommended TLV-TWA, is thought to protect workers from the significant risk of nonmalignant respiratory effects associated with talc dusts.

# 8.2. Exposure controls

Metal dusts must be collected at the source of generation as they are potentially explosive.

- Avoid ignition sources.
- ► Good housekeeping practices must be maintained.
- ▶ Dust accumulation on the floor, ledges and beams can present a risk of ignition, flame propagation and secondary explosions.
- ► Do not use compressed air to remove settled materials from floors, beams or equipment
- ▶ Vacuum cleaners, of flame-proof design, should be used to minimise dust accumulation.
- Use non-sparking handling equipment, tools and natural bristle brushes. Cover and reseal partially empty containers. Provide grounding and bonding where necessary to prevent accumulation of static charges during metal dust handling and transfer operations.
- ► Do not allow chips, fines or dusts to contact water, particularly in enclosed areas.
- Metal spraying and blasting should, where possible, be conducted in separate rooms. This minimises the risk of supplying oxygen, in the form of metal oxides, to potentially reactive finely divided metals such as aluminium, zinc, magnesium or titanium.
- Work-shops designed for metal spraying should possess smooth walls and a minimum of obstructions, such as ledges, on which dust accumulation is
  possible.
- Wet scrubbers are preferable to dry dust collectors.
- Bag or filter-type collectors should be sited outside the workrooms and be fitted with explosion relief doors.
- Cyclones should be protected against entry of moisture as reactive metal dusts are capable of spontaneous combustion in humid or partially wetted states
- Local exhaust systems must be designed to provide a minimum capture velocity at the fume source, away from the worker, of 0.5 metre/sec.
- Local ventilation and vacuum systems must be designed to handle explosive dusts. Dry vacuum and electrostatic precipitators must not be used, unless specifically approved for use with flammable/ explosive dusts.

# 8.2.1. Appropriate engineering controls

Air contaminants generated in the workplace possess varying 'escape' velocities which, in turn, determine the 'capture velocities' of fresh circulating air required to effectively remove the contaminant.

Type of Contaminant:	Air Speed:
welding, brazing fumes (released at relatively low velocity into moderately still air)	0.5-1.0 m/s (100-200 f/min.)

Within each range the appropriate value depends on:

Lower end of the range	Upper end of the range
1: Room air currents minimal or favourable to capture	1: Disturbing room air currents
2: Contaminants of low toxicity or of nuisance value only.	2: Contaminants of high toxicity
3: Intermittent, low production.	3: High production, heavy use
4: Large hood or large air mass in motion	4: Small hood-local control only

Simple theory shows that air velocity falls rapidly with distance away from the opening of a simple extraction pipe. Velocity generally decreases with the square of distance from the extraction point (in simple cases). Therefore the air speed at the extraction point should be adjusted, accordingly, after reference to distance from the contaminating source. The air velocity at the extraction fan, for example, should be a minimum of 1-2.5 m/s (200-500 f/min.) for extraction of gases discharged 2 meters distant from the extraction point. Other mechanical considerations, producing performance deficits within the

8.2.2. Personal protection









#### Eye and face protection

Safety glasses with side shields.

- Chemical goggles
- 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 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]

extraction apparatus, make it essential that theoretical air velocities are multiplied by factors of 10 or more when extraction systems are installed or used.

#### Skin protection

#### See Hand protection below

- ▶ 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 other 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).

- · When prolonged or frequently repeated contact may occur, a glove with a protection class of 5 or higher (breakthrough time greater than 240 minutes according to EN 374, AS/NZS 2161.10.1 or national equivalent) is recommended.
- When only brief contact is expected, a glove with a protection class of 3 or higher (breakthrough time greater than 60 minutes according to EN 374, AS/NZS 2161.10.1 or national equivalent) is recommended.
- · Some glove polymer types are less affected by movement and this should be taken into account when considering gloves for long-term use
- Contaminated gloves should be replaced.

As defined in ASTM F-739-96 in any application, gloves are rated as:

- Excellent when breakthrough time > 480 min
- Good when breakthrough time > 20 min
- · Fair when breakthrough time < 20 min
- Poor when glove material degrades

For general applications, gloves with a thickness typically greater than 0.35 mm, are recommended.

It should be emphasised that glove thickness is not necessarily a good predictor of glove resistance to a specific chemical, as the permeation efficiency of the glove will be dependent on the exact composition of the glove material. Therefore, glove selection should also be based on consideration of the task requirements and knowledge of breakthrough times.

Glove thickness may also vary depending on the glove manufacturer, the glove type and the glove model. Therefore, the manufacturers' technical data should always be taken into account to ensure selection of the most appropriate glove for the task.

Note: Depending on the activity being conducted, gloves of varying thickness may be required for specific tasks. For example:

- Thinner gloves (down to 0.1 mm or less) may be required where a high degree of manual dexterity is needed. However, these gloves are
  only likely to give short duration protection and would normally be just for single use applications, then disposed of.
- Thicker gloves (up to 3 mm or more) may be required where there is a mechanical (as well as a chemical) risk i.e. where there is abrasion or puncture potential

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.

# Body protection

Hands/feet protection

# See Other protection below

#### Other protection

- Overalls.
- P.V.C. apron.Barrier cream.
- Skin cleansing cream.
- ► Eve wash unit

#### Respiratory protection

Type A Filter of sufficient capacity. (AS/NZS 1716 & 1715, EN 143:2000 & 149:2001, ANSI Z88 or national equivalent)

Where the concentration of gas/particulates in the breathing zone, approaches or exceeds the 'Exposure Standard' (or ES), respiratory protection is required. Degree of protection varies with both face-piece and Class of filter; the nature of protection varies with Type of filter.

Required Minimum Protection Factor up to 10 x ES up to 50 x ES up to 100 x ES

Half-Face Respirator A-AUS - Full-Face Respirator

Powered Air Respirator A-PAPR-AUS / Class 1

A-AUS / Class 1

A-2

A-PAPR-2 ^

#### ^ - Full-face

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)

# 8.2.3. Environmental exposure controls

See section 12

#### **SECTION 9 PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	Dark grey		
Physical state	Liquid	Relative density (Water = 1)	1.81
Odour	Not Available	Partition coefficient n-octanol / water	Not Available
Odour threshold	Not Available	Auto-ignition temperature (°C)	Not Available
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)	100	Molecular weight (g/mol)	Not Available
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 Available
Lower Explosive Limit (%)	Not Available	Volatile Component (%vol)	Not Available
Vapour pressure (kPa)	2.3	Gas group	Not Available
Solubility in water (g/L)	Miscible	pH as a solution (1%)	Not Available
Vapour density (Air = 1)	Not Available	VOC g/L	Not Available

#### 9.2. Other information

Not Available

#### **SECTION 10 STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

10.1.Reactivity	See section 7.2
10.2. Chemical stability	<ul> <li>Unstable in the presence of incompatible materials.</li> <li>Product is considered stable.</li> <li>Hazardous polymerisation will not occur.</li> </ul>
10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions	See section 7.2
10.4. Conditions to avoid	See section 7.2
10.5. Incompatible materials	See section 7.2
10.6. Hazardous decomposition products	See section 5.3

# **SECTION 11 TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

The material is not thought to produce adverse health effects or irritation of the respiratory tract (as classified by EC Directives using animal models). Nevertheless, good hygiene practice requires that exposure be kept to a minimum and that suitable control measures be used in an occupational setting. Not normally a hazard due to non-volatile nature of product Inhalation of dusts, generated by the material during the course of normal handling, may be damaging to the health of the individual.

Regular exposure to nickel fume, as the oxide, may result in 'metal fume fever' a sometimes debilitating upper respiratory tract condition resembling influenza.

Inhaled

Symptoms include malaise, fever, weakness, nausea and may appear quickly if operations occur in closed or poorly ventilated areas. Pulmonary oedema, pulmonary fibrosis and asthma has been reported in welders using nickel alloys; level of exposure are generally not available and case reports are often confounded by mixed exposures to other agents.

Inhalation of freshly formed metal oxide particles sized below 1.5 microns and generally between 0.02 to 0.05 microns may result in 'metal fume fever'. Symptoms may be delayed for up to 12 hours and begin with the sudden onset of thirst, and a sweet, metallic or foul taste in the mouth. Other symptoms include upper respiratory tract irritation accompanied by coughing and a dryness of the mucous membranes, lassitude and a generalised feeling of malaise. Mild to severe headache, nausea, occasional vomiting, fever or chills, exaggerated mental activity, profuse sweating, diarrhoea, excessive urination and prostration may also occur. Tolerance to the fumes develops rapidly, but is quickly lost. All symptoms usually subside within 24-36 hours following removal from exposure.

Ingestion

The material has **NOT** been classified by EC Directives or other classification systems as 'harmful by ingestion'. This is because of the lack of corroborating animal or human evidence. The material may still be damaging to the health of the individual, following ingestion, especially where pre-existing organ (e.g liver, kidney) damage is evident. Present definitions of harmful or toxic substances are generally based on doses producing mortality rather than those producing morbidity (disease, ill-health). Gastrointestinal tract discomfort may produce nausea and vomiting. In an occupational setting however, ingestion of insignificant quantities is not thought to be cause for concern.

Skin Contact

The material is not thought to produce adverse health effects or skin irritation following contact (as classified by EC Directives using animal models). Nevertheless, good hygiene practice requires that exposure be kept to a minimum and that suitable gloves be used in an occupational setting. Open cuts, abraded or irritated skin should not be exposed to this material

Entry into the blood-stream through, for example, cuts, abrasions, puncture wounds 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

Although the liquid is not thought to be an irritant (as classified by EC Directives), direct contact with the eye may produce transient discomfort characterised by tearing or conjunctival redness (as with windburn).

# Chronic

On the basis, primarily, of animal experiments, concern has been expressed that the material may produce carcinogenic or mutagenic effects; in respect of the available information, however, there presently exists inadequate data for making a satisfactory assessment

Practical experience shows that skin contact with the material is capable either of inducing a sensitisation reaction in a substantial number of individuals, and/or of producing a positive response in experimental animals.

Toxic: danger of serious damage to health by prolonged exposure through inhalation.

Serious damage (clear functional disturbance or morphological change which may have toxicological significance) is likely to be caused by repeated or prolonged exposure. As a rule the material produces, or contains a substance which produces severe lesions. Such damage may become apparent following direct application in subchronic (90 day) toxicity studies or following sub-acute (28 day) or chronic (two-year) toxicity tests.

#### 841WB Super Shield Water Based Nickel Conductive Coating

TOXICITY	IRRITATION
Not Available	Not Available

#### nickel

TOXICITY	IRRITATION
Oral (rat) LD50: 5000 mg/kg <sup>[2]</sup>	Not Available

# talc

TOXICITY	IRRITATION
Not Available	Skin (human): 0.3 mg/3d-l mild

#### sulfolane

TOXICITY	IRRITATION
dermal (rat) LD50: >2000 mg/kg <sup>[1]</sup>	Eye (rabbit): 253 mg - mild
Inhalation (rat) LC50: 12 mg/l4 h <sup>[1]</sup>	
Oral (rat) LD50: 1941 mg/kg <sup>[2]</sup>	

#### Legend:

1. Value obtained from Europe ECHA Registered Substances - Acute toxicity 2.\* Value obtained from manufacturer's SDS. Unless otherwise specified data extracted from RTECS - Register of Toxic Effect of chemical Substances

#### NICKEL

WARNING: This substance has been classified by the IARC as Group 2B: Possibly Carcinogenic to Humans.

Tenth Annual Report on Carcinogens: Substance anticipated to be Carcinogen [National Toxicology Program: U.S. Dep. of Health & Human Services 2002] Oral (rat) TDLo: 500 mg/kg/5D-I Inhalation (rat) TCLo: 0.1 mg/m3/24H/17W-C

Asthma-like symptoms may continue for months or even years after exposure to the material ceases. This may be due to a non-allergenic condition known as reactive airways dysfunction syndrome (RADS) which can occur following exposure to high levels of highly irritating compound. Key criteria for the diagnosis of RADS include the absence of preceding respiratory disease, in a non-atopic individual, with abrupt onset of persistent asthma-like symptoms within minutes to hours of a documented exposure to the irritant. A reversible airflow pattern, on spirometry, with the presence of moderate to severe bronchial hyperreactivity on methacholine challenge testing and the lack of minimal lymphocytic inflammation, without eosinophilia, have also been included in the criteria for diagnosis of RADS. 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. Industrial bronchitis, on the other hand, is a disorder that occurs as result of exposure due to high concentrations of irritating substance (often particulate in nature) and is completely reversible after exposure ceases. The disorder is characterised by dyspnea, cough and mucus production.

# TALC

No significant acute toxicological data identified in literature search.

For talc (a form of magnesium silicate)

The overuse of talc in nursing infants has resulted in pulmonary oedema, pneumonia and death within hours of inhaling talcum powder. The powder dries the mucous membranes of the bronchioles, disrupts pulmonary clearance, clogs smaller airways. Victims display wheezing, rapid or difficult breathing, increased pulse, cyanosis, fever. Mild exposure may cause relatively minor inflammatory lung disease.

Long term exposure may show wheezing, weakness, productive cough, limited chest expansion, scattered rales, cyanosis.

The substance is classified by IARC as Group 3:

NOT classifiable as to its carcinogenicity to humans.

Evidence of carcinogenicity may be inadequate or limited in animal testing.

### For sulfolane and sulfolene:

The considerable existing mammalian toxicity information for sulfolene and sulfolane demonstrates that these substances share a similar order of toxicity, regardless of the additional double bond in sulfolene. These two substances are expected to demonstrate similar mammalian toxicity. Metabolism studies in rats show that sulfolane is metabolized via ring hydroxylation into 3-hydroxytetrahydrothiophene-1:1-dioxide. Mammalian toxicity data demonstrates a low order. of toxicity via oral, dermal, and inhalation routes of exposure.

Repeat dose toxicity: A subchronic repeated dose study of sulfolene was performed on both rats and mice An NOAEL for mortality of 562 mg/kg/day for male rats and 178 mg/kg/day for female rats was reported. In addition, NOAELS for a mortality of 562 mg/kg/day in both male and female mice were reported. These results are similar to the repeated dose toxicity observed with sulfolane Sulfolane, which was tested in accordance with both the Japan Technical Guidance for 28-day repeated dose toxicity testing and OECD Technical Guideline 421.

SULFOLANE

Genetic toxicity: Genotoxicity data exist for both sulfolene and sulfolane, and indicate that genotoxicity is not expected. Repeated dose toxicity testing on both sulfolene and sulfolane showed similar results in both rats and mice.

Reproductive and developmental toxicity: Sulfolane was also tested in rats using the reproduction/development screening test pursuant to OECD Technical Guideline 421. The NOAEL for sulfolane in this study is of the same order of magnitude as the repeated dose study, with an NOAEL for reproductive performance of 700 mg/kg/day in male rats and 200 mg/kg/day in female rats. Also, sulfolane had an NOAEL of 60 mg/kg/day for production of pups. This study found that the toxic effects for female parents and pups were effects on reproductive parameters such as decrease of the number of oestrus cases and increase of dams losing all of their pups. With regard to the pups, toxicity presented as effects on developmental parameters, including the number of pups, viability index, stillbirth, and body weight. No significant effect was observed showing grossly visible abnormalities in the pups. Sulfolene has not been tested for reproductive and developmental toxicity, but, due to its close structural similarity to sulfolane, it would be expected to be of a similar order of magnitude as sulfolane

The material may be irritating to the eye, with prolonged contact causing inflammation. Repeated or prolonged exposure to irritants may produce conjunctivitis

Convulsions, excitement mediation of inflammation recorded

841WB Super Shield Water Based Nickel Conductive Coating & NICKEL The following information refers to contact allergens as a group and may not be specific to this product.

Contact allergies quickly manifest themselves as contact eczema, more rarely as urticaria or Quincke's oedema. The pathogenesis of contact eczema involves a cell-mediated (T lymphocytes) immune reaction of the delayed type. Other allergic skin reactions, e.g. contact urticaria, involve antibody-mediated immune reactions. The significance of the contact allergen is not simply determined by its sensitisation potential: the distribution of the substance and the opportunities for contact with it are equally important. A weakly sensitising substance which is widely distributed can be a more important allergen than one with stronger sensitising potential with which few individuals come into contact. From a clinical point of view, substances are noteworthy if they produce an allergic test reaction in more than 1% of the persons tested.

Acute Toxicity	0	Carcinogenicity	<b>✓</b>
Skin Irritation/Corrosion	0	Reproductivity	✓
Serious Eye Damage/Irritation	0	STOT - Single Exposure	0
Respiratory or Skin sensitisation	<b>✓</b>	STOT - Repeated Exposure	<b>✓</b>
Mutagenicity	0	Aspiration Hazard	0

Legend:

— Data available but does not fill the criteria for classification

✓ – Data available to make classification

O – Data Not Available to make classification

#### **SECTION 12 ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### 12.1. Toxicity

841WB Super Shield Water	ENDPOINT TEST DURATION (HR)			SPECIES			SOURCE	
Based Nickel Conductive Coating	Not Available	Not Available Not Available		Not Available		Not Ava	Not Available No	
	ENDPOINT	TES	ST DURATION (HR)	SPECIES	3		VALUE	SOURCE
	LC50	96		Fish			0.0000475mg/L	4
nickel	EC50	48		Crustace	a		0.013mg/L	5
nickei	EC50	72		Algae or	other aquatic plants		0.0407mg/L	2
	BCF	1440		Algae or other aquatic plants			0.47mg/L	4
	NOEC	72		Algae or other aquatic plants			0.0035mg/L	2
	ENDPOINT		TEST DURATION (HR)		SPECIES	VALUE		SOURCE
talc	Not Available	Not Available		Not Available Not A		Not Ava	Available Not Available	
	ENDPOINT	ТЕ	ST DURATION (HR)	SPECI	ES.		VALUE	SOURCE
	EC50	48	. ,	Crustacea			=40mg/L	1
sulfolane	EC50	96		Algae or other aquatic plants		>1000mg/L	1	
	NOEC	168	8	Crustacea			=150mg/L	1

Legend:

Extracted from 1. IUCLID Toxicity Data 2. Europe ECHA Registered Substances - Ecotoxicological Information - Aquatic Toxicity 3. EPIWIN Suite V3.12 (QSAR) - Aquatic Toxicity Data (Estimated) 4. US EPA, Ecotox database - Aquatic Toxicity Data 5. ECETOC Aquatic Hazard Assessment Data 6. NITE (Japan) - Bioconcentration Data 7. METI (Japan) - Bioconcentration Data 8. Vendor Data

Metal-containing inorganic substances generally have negligible vapour pressure and are not expected to partition to air. Once released to surface waters and moist soils their fate depends on solubility and dissociation in water. Environmental processes (such as oxidation and the presence of acids or bases) may transform insoluble metals to more soluble ionic forms. Microbiological processes may also transform insoluble metals to more soluble forms. Such ionic species may bind to dissolved ligands or sorb to solid particles in aquatic or aqueous media. A significant proportion of dissolved/sorbed metals will end up in sediments through the settling of suspended particles. The remaining metal ions can then be taken up by aquatic organisms.

When released to dry soil most metals will exhibit limited mobility and remain in the upper layer; some will leach locally into ground water and/ or surface water ecosystems when soaked by rain or melt ice. Environmental processes may also be important in changing solubilities.

Even though many metals show few toxic effects at physiological pHs, transformation may introduce new or magnified effects

A metal ion is considered infinitely persistent because it cannot degrade further.

The current state of science does not allow for an unambiguous interpretation of various measures of bioaccumulation.

The counter-ion may also create health and environmental concerns once isolated from the metal. Under normal physiological conditions the counter-ion may be essentially insoluble and may not be bioavailable.

Environmental processes may enhance bioavailability.

DO NOT discharge into sewer or waterways

# 12.2. Persistence and degradability

Ingredient	Persistence: Water/Soil	Persistence: Air
sulfolane	HIGH	HIGH

#### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Ingredient	Bioaccumulation
sulfolane	LOW (BCF = 13)

#### 12.4. Mobility in soil

Ingredient	Mobility

sulfolane LOW (KOC = 21.59)

#### 12.5.Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

	P	В	Т
Relevant available data	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available
PBT Criteria fulfilled?	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available

#### 12.6. Other adverse effects

No data available

#### **SECTION 13 DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

#### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

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

#### Otherwise:

- ► 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:

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

#### Product / Packaging disposal

This material may be recycled if unused, or if it has not been contaminated so as to make it unsuitable for its intended use. If it has been contaminated, it may be possible to reclaim the product by filtration, distillation or some other means. 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.

- ▶ 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.
- ► Recycle wherever possible.
- Consult manufacturer for recycling options or consult local or regional waste management authority for disposal if no suitable treatment or disposal facility can be identified.
- ▶ Dispose of by: burial in a land-fill specifically licensed to accept chemical and / or pharmaceutical wastes or incineration in a licensed apparatus (after admixture with suitable combustible material).
- Decontaminate empty containers. Observe all label safeguards until containers are cleaned and destroyed.

Waste treatment options
Sewage disposal options

Not Available

Not Available

# **SECTION 14 TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

# Land transport (ADR): NOT REGULATED FOR TRANSPORT OF DANGEROUS GOODS

14.1. UN number	Not Applicable		
14.2. UN proper shipping name	Not Applicable		
14.3. Transport hazard class(es)	Class Not Applicable Subrisk Not Applicable		
14.4. Packing group	Not Applicable		
14.5. Environmental hazard	Not Applicable		
14.6. Special precautions for user	Hazard identification (Kemler)  Classification code  Not Applicable  Hazard Label  Not Applicable  Special provisions  Not Applicable  Limited quantity  Not Applicable		

# Air transport (ICAO-IATA / DGR): NOT REGULATED FOR TRANSPORT OF DANGEROUS GOODS

14.1. UN number	Not Applicable				
14.2. UN proper shipping name	Not Applicable				
14.3. Transport hazard class(es)	ICAO/IATA Class ICAO / IATA Subrisk ERG Code	Not Applicable  Not Applicable  Not Applicable			
14.4. Packing group	Not Applicable				
14.5. Environmental hazard	Not Applicable				

14.6. Special precautions for user	Special provisions	Not Applicable
	Cargo Only Packing Instructions	Not Applicable
	Cargo Only Maximum Qty / Pack	Not Applicable
	Passenger and Cargo Packing Instructions	Not Applicable
	Passenger and Cargo Maximum Qty / Pack	Not Applicable
	Passenger and Cargo Limited Quantity Packing Instructions	Not Applicable
	Passenger and Cargo Limited Maximum Qty / Pack	Not Applicable

### Sea transport (IMDG-Code / GGVSee): NOT REGULATED FOR TRANSPORT OF DANGEROUS GOODS

14.1. UN number	Not Applicable			
14.2. UN proper shipping name	Not Applicable			
14.3. Transport hazard class(es)	IMDG Class Not Applicable  IMDG Subrisk Not Applicable			
14.4. Packing group	Not Applicable			
14.5. Environmental hazard	Not Applicable			
14.6. Special precautions for user	EMS Number Not Applicable Special provisions Not Applicable Limited Quantities Not Applicable			

#### Inland waterways transport (ADN): NOT REGULATED FOR TRANSPORT OF DANGEROUS GOODS

14.1. UN number	Not Applicable
14.2. UN proper shipping name	Not Applicable
14.3. Transport hazard class(es)	Not Applicable Not Applicable
14.4. Packing group	Not Applicable
14.5. Environmental hazard	Not Applicable
14.6. Special precautions for user	Classification code Not Applicable Special provisions Not Applicable Limited quantity Not Applicable Equipment required Not Applicable Fire cones number Not Applicable

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

Not Applicable

# **SECTION 15 REGULATORY INFORMATION**

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

# NICKEL(7440-02-0) IS FOUND ON THE FOLLOWING REGULATORY LISTS

EU REACH Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 - Annex XVII - Restrictions on the manufacture, placing on the market and use of certain dangerous substances, mixtures and articles European Customs Inventory of Chemical Substances ECICS (English) European Trade Union Confederation (ETUC) Priority List for REACH Authorisation European Union - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS) (English)

European Union (EU) Annex I to Directive 67/548/EEC on Classification and Labelling of Dangerous Substances - updated by ATP: 31 European Union (EU) Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 on Classification, Labelling and

Packaging of Substances and Mixtures - Annex VI

UK Workplace Exposure Limits (WELs)

# TALC(14807-96-6) IS FOUND ON THE FOLLOWING REGULATORY LISTS

European Union - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS) (English)

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

UK Workplace Exposure Limits (WELs)

#### SULFOLANE(126-33-0) IS FOUND ON THE FOLLOWING REGULATORY LISTS

European Customs Inventory of Chemical Substances ECICS (English) European Union - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS) (English)

European Union (EU) Annex I to Directive 67/548/EEC on Classification and Labelling of Dangerous Substances - updated by ATP: 31

European Union (EU) Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 on Classification, Labelling and Packaging of Substances and Mixtures - Annex VI

This safety data sheet is in compliance with the following EU legislation and its adaptations - as far as applicable -: Directives 98/24/EC, - 92/85/EEC, - 94/33/EC, - 2008/98/EC, - 2010/75/EU; Commission Regulation (EU) 2015/830; Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 as updated through ATPs.

### 15.2. Chemical safety assessment

For further information please look at the Chemical Safety Assessment and Exposure Scenarios prepared by your Supply Chain if available.

# **National Inventory Status**

National Inventory	Status
Australia - AICS	Y
Canada - DSL	Υ
Canada - NDSL	N (talc; nickel; sulfolane)
China - IECSC	Υ
Europe - EINEC / ELINCS / NLP	Y
Japan - ENCS	N (nickel)
Korea - KECI	Y
New Zealand - NZIoC	Y
Philippines - PICCS	Υ
USA - TSCA	Υ
Legend:	Y = All ingredients are on the inventory N = Not determined or one or more ingredients are not on the inventory and are not exempt from listing(see specific ingredients in brackets)

# **SECTION 16 OTHER INFORMATION**

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#### Full text Risk and Hazard codes

H302	Harmful if swallowed.
H332	Harmful if inhaled.
H335	May cause respiratory irritation.

#### 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. For detailed advice on Personal Protective Equipment, refer to the following EU CEN Standards:

EN 166 Personal eye-protection

EN 340 Protective clothing

EN 374 Protective gloves against chemicals and micro-organisms

EN 13832 Footwear protecting against chemicals

EN 133 Respiratory protective devices

# **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 $_{\circ}$ 

IDLH: Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health Concentrations

OSF: Odour Safety Factor

NOAEL :No Observed Adverse Effect Level

LOAEL: Lowest Observed Adverse Effect Level

TLV: Threshold Limit Value

LOD: Limit Of Detection

OTV: Odour Threshold Value

BCF: BioConcentration Factors

BEI: Biological Exposure Index

# Reason for Change

A-1.04 - Added For Industrial use Only in section 1