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SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE

COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

1.1 Product identifier

Chemical Name Ferrovanadium

Trade name Ferrovanadium

CAS No. 12604-58-9

EINECS No. Ferrovanadium is an alloy containing iron (EC No. 231-096-4)

and vanadium (EC No. 231-171-1)

REACH Registration No. 01-2119537418-34-0012 (Vanadium)

01-2119462838-24-0341 (Iron)

1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or

mixture and uses advised against

Identified use(s) Industrial use in the steel and other alloys industries

(including light metal alloys, hydrogen storage alloys, master

alloys, super alloys & welding electrodes.

Industrial use of ferrovanadium in the titanium industry

Uses advised against None.

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company Address 300 Pike St

Cincinnati, OH 45202 DJJ Safety Department

Non-Emergency Phone

Non-Emergency Contact:

Number: (513) 419-6200

Emergency Contact: DJJ

Emergency Phone

Number: (513) 562-1699

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SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

2.1.1 Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 (CLP) Not classified
2.1.2 Directive 67/548/EEC & Directive 1999/45/EC Not classified

2.2 Label elements

2.2.1 Label elements According to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 (CLP)

Hazard pictogram(s)

Signal word(s)

Not classified

Hazard statement(s)

Not classified

Precautionary statement(s)

Not classified

2.2.2 Label elements According to Directive 67/548/EEC & Directive 1999/45/EC

Hazard Symbol Not classified
Risk Phrases Not classified
Safety Phrases Not classified

2.3 Other hazards Eye Contact: Dust may cause irritation. Chips may cause corneal

injury.

Skin Contact: Repeated and/or prolonged contact may cause

dermatitis.

Inhalation: Dust may cause irritation. (Coughing/Sneezing.)

Danger of dust explosion in fine dusty form or when ground to a

small particle size. Lumps may have razor-sharp edges.

2.4 Additional Information None

SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

3.1 Substances

Ferrovanadium is an alloy containing iron, vanadium and other trace metals. None of the ingredients is present in unalloyed form

EC Classification No. 1272/2008

Component	%W/W	CAS No.	REACH Registration No.	Hazard statement(s)
Ferrovanadium	100	12604-58-9	01-2119537418-34-0012 (Vanadium)	Not classified.
			01-2119462838-24-0341 (Iron)	

EC Classification No. 67/548/EEC

Component	%W/W	CAS No.	REACH Registration No.	EC Classification and Risk Phrases
Ferrovanadium	100	12604-58-9	01-2119537418-34-0012 (Vanadium)	Not classified.
			01-2119462838-24-0341 (Iron)	

3.2 Mixtures

Ferrovanadium is a special preparation (alloy)

3.3 Additional Information

For full text of H/P phrases see section 16.

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SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES



4.1 Description of first aid measures

Inhalation Remove from exposure. Keep patient at rest and give oxygen if

breathing difficult. If symptoms develop, obtain medical

attention.

Skin Contact After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of soap

and water.

Eye Contact Remove particles by irrigating with eye wash solution or clean

water, holding the eyelids apart. If symptoms develop, obtain

medical attention.

Ingestion Provided the patient is conscious, wash out mouth with water

and give 200-300 ml (half a pint) of water to drink. Do not induce vomiting. If symptoms develop, obtain medical attention.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute

and delayed

Eye Contact: Dust may cause irritation. Chips may cause

corneal injury.

Skin Contact: Repeated and/or prolonged contact may cause

dermatitis.

Inhalation: Dust may cause irritation. (Coughing/Sneezing.)

4.3 Indication of the immediate medical attention and

special treatment needed

See Section: 4.1

SECTION 5: FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable Extinguishing Media Class D fire. Extinguish preferably with dry chemical, sand or

carbon dioxide.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media Do not use water jet or waterspray. Contact with water

liberates extremely flammable gases.

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or

mixture

No information available.

5.3 Advice for fire-fighters A self contained breathing apparatus and suitable protective

clothing should be worn in fire conditions. Avoid generation of

dust. Danger of dust explosion. Avoid release to the environment. Do not allow to enter drains, sewers or

watercourses.

SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures Ensure suitable personal protection (including respiratory protection) during removal of spillages. See Section: 8. Dust clouds are sensitive to ignition by electrostatic discharge.

Eliminate sources of ignition.

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Avoid release to the environment. Do not allow to enter 6.2 **Environmental precautions**

drains, sewers or watercourses.

6.3 Methods and material for containment and

cleaning up

Use vacuum equipment for collecting spilt materials, where practicable. Sweep up spilled substance but avoid making dust. Dampening with water can reduce dust. Transfer to a lidded container for disposal or recovery. Dispose of contents in accordance with local, state or national legislation.

6.4 Reference to other sections See Section: 13.

6.5 Additional Information None

SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

7.1 Precautions for safe handling Avoid dust generation. Avoid inhalation of dusts. Danger of

> dust explosion in fine dusty form or when ground to a small particle size. Dust clouds are sensitive to ignition by electrostatic discharge. Ensure adequate earthing. Where

suitable engineering controls are not fitted or are inadequate, wear suitable protective equipment. Do not eat, drink or smoke at the work place. Wear protective equipment to comply with good occupational hygiene

practice. See Section: 8.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any

incompatibilities

Keep only in the original container. Keep container tightly closed. Keep in a cool, well-ventilated place away from:

Oxidizing agents.

Storage Temperature Ambient.

Storage Life Stable under normal conditions.

Incompatible materials Combustible materials

7.3 See Annex I Specific end use(s)

SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

8.1 Control parameters

8.1.1 Occupational Exposure Limits

SUBSTANCE.	CAS No.	LTEL (8 hr	LTEL (8 hr TWA	STEL (ppm)	STEL	Note:
		TWA ppm)	mg/m³)		(mg/m³)	
Ferrovanadium	12604-58-9		10			Total Dust. Respirable
			5			Dust.

8.1.2 Biological limit value No information available. 8.1.3 **PNECs and DNELs**

8.2 **Exposure controls**

8.2.1 Provide adequate ventilation when using the material and follow Appropriate engineering controls

No information available.

the principles of good occupational hygiene to control personal

exposures. Ensure adequate ventilation. Local exhaust

ventilation is required. Avoid dust generation.

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Use skin barrier cream before handling the product. Wear suitable gloves if prolonged skin contact is likely. Lumps may have razor-sharp edges. Contaminated clothing should be

exposure to high levels of material are likely.

No special requirements. Provide adequate ventilation, including appropriate local extraction if dusts, fumes or vapours are likely to be evolved. Wear suitable respiratory protective equipment if

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thoroughly cleaned.

8.2.2 Personal protection equipment

Eye/face protection Wear suitable eye/face protection. (EN 166).



Skin protection (Hand protection/ Other)

Respiratory protection



Thermal hazards No information available.

8.2.3 Environmental Exposure Controls Avoid release to the environment. Do not allow to enter drains,

sewers or watercourses.

SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical

properties

Appearance Solid

Colour Silver.

Odour Odourless.

Odour Threshold (ppm) Not applicable.

pH (Value) Not applicable.

Melting Point (°C) FeV: 1540 – 1680 °C

Boiling point/boiling range (°C):

Flash Point (°C)

Not applicable.

Not applicable.

Flammability (solid, gas)

Dust is combustible.

Explosive limit ranges Danger of dust explosion in fine dusty form or when ground

to a small particle size.

Vapour Pressure (Pascal) Not available.

Vapour Density (Air=1) No information available.

Specific Gravity No information available.

Density (g/ml) ca. 6.5 g/ml

Solubility (Water) Insoluble in water.

Partition Coefficient (n-Octanol/water)

No information available.

Auto Ignition Temperature (°C)

No information available.

 $\label{eq:composition} \mbox{ Decomposition Temperature ($^{\circ}$C)} \qquad \qquad \mbox{Not applicable}.$

Viscosity (mPa.s) Not applicable (Solid)

Explosive properties Danger of dust explosion in fine dusty form or when ground

to a small particle size.

Oxidising properties None

9.2 Other information No information available.

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SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

10.1 Reactivity No information available.

10.2 Chemical stability Stable under normal conditions.

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions Yes

10.4 Conditions to avoid Avoid dust generation.
 10.5 Incompatible materials Strong oxidising agents.

10.6 Hazardous Decomposition Product(s) Will very slowly oxidize to vanadium oxide.

SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

11.1.1 Substances

11.2

Acute toxicity

Ingestion Not classified.

Inhalation Not classified. Dust may cause irritation.

Skin Contact Not classified. Dust may cause irritation.

Eye Contact Not classified. Dust may have irritant effect on eyes. Lumps

may have razor-sharp edges. May cause corneal injury.

Hazard label(s)

None required

Serious eye damage/irritation

None reported

respiratory or skin sensitization No. Mutagenicity No. Carcinogenicity No. Reproductive toxicity No. STOT-single exposure None STOT-repeated exposure None Aspiration hazard No. Other information None

SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

12.1 Toxicity No environmental hazards have been reported or known.

12.2 Persistence and degradability The product is likely to persist in the environment. Will very slowly

oxidize to vanadium oxide.

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential The product has no potential for bioaccumulation.

12.4 Mobility in soil No information available.

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment Not classified as PBT or vPvB.

12.6 Other adverse effects None identified

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SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

This product does not possess characteristics which may qualify it as hazardous waste.

13.1 Waste treatment methods None identified

13.2 Additional Information Avoid release to the environment. Do not allow to enter drains,

sewers or watercourses. Bury on an authorised landfill site or incinerate under approved controlled conditions. Consult an

accredited waste disposal contractor or the local authority for advice.

SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

UN number Ferrovanadium is not subject to the requirements of ADR

Proper Shipping Name N/A

Transport hazard class(es) N/A

Packing Group N/A

Hazard label(s) N/A

Environmental hazards N/A

Special precautions for user N/A

SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

15.1 Safety, health and environmental

regulations/legislation specific for the substance or

mixture

15.1.1 EU regulations

Authorisations and/or restrictions on use None
15.1.2 National regulations None

15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment Not carried out

SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

The following sections contain revisions or new statements: 1-16.

LEGEND

LTEL Long Term Exposure Limit
STEL Short Term Exposure Limit
STOT Specific Target Organ Toxicity

PNEL Predicted No Effect Concentration

Derived No Effect Level

References:

DNEL

No information available.

Risk Phrases and Safety Phrases

Not classified.

Hazard statement(s) and Precautionary statement(s)

Not classified.

Training advice:

None required

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Additional Information;

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Identified use(s)

Uses by workers in industrial settings				
, ,	Substance supplied to that use	Use descriptors		
	as such (in a mixture)	Process category [PROC] PROC2 Use in closed, continuous process with occasional controlled exposure PROC3 Use in closed batch process (synthesis or formulation) PROC4 Use in batch and other process (synthesis) where opportunity for exposure arises PROC5 Mixing or blending in batch processes for formulation of preparations and articles (multistage and/or significant contact) PROC6 Calendering operations PROC8a Transfer of substance or preparation (charging/discharging) from/to vessels/large containers at non-dedicated facilities PROC8b Transfer of substance or preparation (charging/discharging) from/to vessels/large containers at dedicated facilities PROC8b Transfer of substance or preparation into small containers (dedicated filling line, including weighing) PROC13 Treatment of articles by dipping and pouring PROC14 Production of preparations or articles by tabletting, compression, extrusion, pelletisation PROC21 Low energy manipulation of substances bound in materials and/or articles PROC22 Potentially closed processing opera-ions with minerals/metals at elevated temperature Industrial setting PROC23 Open processing and transfer operations with minerals/metals at elevated temperature PROC24 High (mechanical) energy work-up of substances bound in materials and/or articles PROC25 Other hot work operations with metals PROC26 Handling of solid inorganic substances at ambient temperature PROC27a Production of metal powders (hot processes) PROC27b Production of metal powders (wet processes) Environmental release categories [ERC]: ERC2 Formulation in materials ERC3 Formulation in materials ERC5 Formulation in materials		
e e ir	ntified Use (IU) ne ustrial use in the el and other bys industries cluding light metal bys, hydrogen rage alloys, ster alloys, super bys & welding	ntified Use (IU) Substance supplied to that use ustrial use in the el and other bys industries cluding light metal bys, hydrogen rage alloys, ster alloys, super bys & welding		



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Uses by worke	Uses by workers in industrial settings			
IU number	Identified Use (IU) name	Substance supplied to that use	Use descriptors	
			ERC12a Industrial processing of articles with abrasive techniques (low release) ERC12b Industrial processing of articles with abrasive techniques (high release) Sectors of use [SU]: SU8 Manufacture of bulk, large scale chemicals (including petroleum products) SU9 Manufacture of fine chemicals SU14 Manufacture of basic metals, including alloys SU15 Manufacture of fabricated metal products, except machinery and equipment SU16 Manufacture of computer, electronic and optical products, electrical equipment SU17 General manufacturing, e.g. machinery, equipment, vehicles, other transport equipment SU19 Building and construction work SU23 Electricity, steam, gas, water supply and sewage treatment SU0 Other Subsequent service life relevant for that use?: Yes	
			Article Categories [AC]: AC1 Vehicles AC2 Machinery, mechanical appliances, electrical/electronic articles AC3 Electrical batteries and accumulators AC7 Metal articles	
2	Industrial use of ferrovanadium in the titanium industry	as such (in a mixture)	Process category [PROC]: PROC1 Use in closed process, no likelihood of exposure PROC3 Use in closed batch process (synthesis or formulation) PROC5 Mixing or blending in batch processes for formulation of preparations and articles (multistage and/or significant contact) PROC8b Transfer of substance or preparation (charging/discharging) from/to vessels/large containers at dedicated facilities PROC9 Transfer of substance or preparation into small containers (dedicated filling line, including weighing) PROC13 Treatment of articles by dipping and pouring	

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Uses by worke	Jses by workers in industrial settings				
IU number	Identified Use (IU) name	Substance supplied to that use	Use descriptors		
			PROC14 Production of preparations or articles by tabletting, compression, extrusion, pelletisation		
			PROC21 Low energy manipulation of substances bound in materials and/or articles PROC22 Potentially closed processing opera-ions with minerals/metals at elevated temperature Industrial setting		
			PROC23 Open processing and transfer operations with minerals/metals at elevated temperature PROC23 Open processing and transfer operations with minerals/metals at elevated temperature		
			PROC24 High (mechanical) energy work-up of substances bound in materials and/or articles		
			PROC25 Other hot work operations with metals		
			PROC26 Handling of solid inorganic substances at ambient temperature		
			PROC27a Production of metal powders (hot processes)		
			PROC27b Production of metal powders (wet processes)		
			Market sector by type of chemical product:		
			PC7 Base metals and alloys		
			Environmental release categories [ERC]:		
			ERC2 Formulation of preparations		
			ERC3 Formulation in materials		
			ERC5 Industrial use resulting in inclusion into or onto a matrix		
			ERC12a Industrial processing of articles with abrasive techniques (low release)		
			ERC12b Industrial processing of articles with abrasive techniques (high release)		
			Sectors of use [SU]:		
			SU14 Manufacture of basic metals, including alloys		
			SU15 Manufacture of fabricated metal products, except machinery and equipment		
			SU24 Scientific research and development		
			Subsequent service life relevant for that use?: Yes		

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IU number		Substance supplied to that use	Use descriptors		
			Article Categories [AC]: AC1 Vehicles AC2 Machinery, mechanical appliances, electrical/electronic articles AC7 Metal articles		

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