

**GHS  
SAFETY DATA SHEET**

I. PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION		
<b>MANUFACTURER/SUPPLIER</b> Exide Technologies 13000 Deerfield Parkway, Bldg. 200 Milton, GA 30004	<b>CHEMICAL/TRADE NAME</b> (as used on label)	Inorganic Lead Alloy
	<b>PRODUCT ID</b>	N/A
<b>FOR FURTHER INFORMATION</b> Primary Contact: Exide SDS Support (770) 421-3485 Secondary Contact: Joe Bolea (423) 989-6377 Fred Ganster (610) 921-4052	<b>CHEMICAL FAMILY/ CLASSIFICATION</b>	Hard lead, antimonial lead, arsenical lead, strip lead, pig lead, lead hog, lead sow
	<b>FOR EMERGENCY</b> CHEMTREC (800) 424-9300 (703) 527-3887 – Collect 24-hour Emergency Response Contact Ask for Environmental Coordinator	

II. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

<b>Signal Word: Danger</b>

Category:	GHS Codes	Description
<b>Health:</b> Acute Tox 4 Repro 1A STOT RE 2 Carc. 1A (arsenic)  Aquatic Acute 1 Acute Chronic 1	H302 H332 H360df H373  H350 P201 P202  P260 P281 P308+P313 H400 H410	Harmful if swallowed Harmful if inhaled May damage fertility or unborn child May cause damage to the central nervous system and systems for reproduction organs through prolonged or repeated exposure. May cause cancer through ingestion Obtain special instructions before use Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood Do not breathe dust/vapors Use personal protective equipment as required IF exposed or concerned: get medical advice/attention Very toxic to aquatic life Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects
<b>Handling:</b>	P405 P501	Store locked up Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulation.

**WARNING:** None

**Reactivity:** strong oxidizers, hydrogen peroxide, acids, halogenated acids

**III. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Ingredient	CAS Number	% by Wt.
Inorganic compounds of:		
Lead	7439-92-1	87.5-99.9
Antimony	7440-36-0	0.5-5.0
Arsenic	7440-38-2	0.01-0.5

**IV. FIRST AID MEASURES**

**Take proper precautions to ensure you own health and safety before attempting to rescue a victim and provide first aid.**

**Inhalation:** Remove from exposure, gargle, wash nose and lips; consult physician.

**Skin Contact:** Wash immediately with brush, with soap and water, flush with plenty of water, contact a physician.

**Eye Contact:** Flush immediately with large amounts of water for at least 15 minutes; consult physician immediately.

**Ingestion:** Induce vomiting if conscious, gargle, wash nose and lips; give a demulcent, consult physician.

## V. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

<b>Flash Point:</b>	Not Applicable - Inorganic lead compound is not a combustible material, nor will it explode under conditions of normal use (see V, REACTIVITY DATA).
<b>Flammable Limits:</b>	LEL = N/A ; UEL = N/A
<b>Extinguishing media:</b>	CO <sub>2</sub> ; foam; dry chemical. <b>DO NOT</b> use water on molten metal
<b>Fire Fighting Procedures:</b>	Wear full body protective clothing and use positive pressure, self-contained breathing apparatus with a full face piece.
<b>Hazardous Combustion Products:</b>	Molten metal produces fume, vapor and/or dust which may be toxic, and/or respiratory irritants, and reacts vigorously with oxidizing agents.

## VI. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Lead dust or particulate should be vacuumed (using HEPA filter) or wet-swept. Use controls that minimize fugitive emissions. Do not dry sweep nor use compressed air. Place in dry, closed containers for disposal or recycling.

## VII. HANDLING AND STORAGE

**Handling:** AVOID SKIN CONTACT

**Storage:** Store in a dry area where accidental contact with acids or strong oxidizers is not possible.

## VIII. EXPOSURE CONTROLS AND PERSONAL PROTECTION

### Occupational Exposure Limits (mg/m<sup>3</sup>)

Ingredient:	US OSHA	US ACGIH	US NIOSH	Quebec PEV	Ontario OEL	EU OEL
Inorganic forms of:						
Lead	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.15(a)
Antimony	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5(c)
Arsenic	0.01	0.01	0.002(b)	0.002	0.01	0.01(a,d)

**NOTES:**

- a) as inhalable aerosol
- b) potential occupational carcinogen
- c) based on OELs of Austria, Belgium, Denmark, France, Switzerland, & Netherlands.
- d) Based on OELs of Belgium and Denmark

**Engineering Controls (Ventilation):**

Ventilation, as described in the Industrial Ventilation Manual produced by the American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists, shall be provided in areas where exposures are above the permissible exposure limits or threshold limit values specified by OSHA or other federal, state, or local regulations.

**Hygiene Practices:**

Wash hands thoroughly before eating, drinking or smoking.

**Respiratory Protection (NIOSH/MSHA approved):**

As specified by 29 CFR 1910.1025 (f) of the Federal Occupational Safety and Health Administration Standards for Occupational Exposure to lead. Other local and state regulations may also apply. Where exposure is above the permissible exposure limit or the threshold limit values, the minimum respiratory protection recommended is a negative pressure half-mask respirator with high-efficiency cartridges that are NIOSH/MSHA approved against dust, mist, and fumes having a TWA of 0.05 mg/m<sup>3</sup>.

**Skin Protection:**

Protective gloves should be worn when handling this product.

**Eye Protection:**

Safety glasses or goggles should be worn when using this product to prevent particles of dust from getting into the eyes. Whenever working with molten metal, a full face shield is recommended

**Other Protection:**

Coveralls or other full body clothing shall be worn during product use and properly laundered after use, with the wash water disposed of in accordance with local, state and federal regulations. Hard hat, safety boots and other safety equipment should be worn as appropriate for the industrial environment. Personal clothing and shoes should be protected from contamination with this product.

**IX. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES – LEAD ALLOY**

Boiling Point@760 mm Hg	Above 2,516°F	Specific Gravity @ 70°F (H <sub>2</sub> O=1)	9.6 - 11.3
Melting Point	486 to 680°F	Vapor Pressure (mm Hg)	N/A
% Solubility in Water	Negligible	pH	Not applicable
Evaporation Rate (Butyl acetate=1)	Less Than 1	Vapor Density (AIR=1)	N/A
Appearance and Odor Threshold	Bluish gray metal with no apparent odor.	Viscosity	Not applicable
Octanol Water Partition Coefficient (K <sub>ow</sub> )	Not Applicable	% Volatiles by Weight	Not Applicable

**X. STABILITY & REACTIVITY DATA**

**Stability:** Stable    
 Unstable

**Conditions to Avoid:** None

**Incompatibilities:** (materials to avoid)

Strong oxidizers may liberate hydrogen gas. Halogens (chlorine, fluorine, bromine) or their gases, halides or halogenates, potassium nitrate, permanganate or peroxides, and alkali nitrates with heat may cause spontaneous combustion, violent reaction, or explosion. Avoid contact with strong acids, bases, nascent hydrogen, and reducing agents. No further concern for mechanical impact.

Never combine alloys of drosses of calcium with alloys of arsenic or antimony. Drosses formed during melting may contain compounds that may release toxic vapors.

**Hazardous Decomposition Products:**

Temperatures above the melting point are likely to produce toxic metal fume, vapor, or dust; contact with strong acid or base or presence of nascent hydrogen may generate highly toxic arsine gas (TLV 0.05 ppm).

**Hazardous Polymerization:** Will Not Occur

**XI. TOXICOLOGICAL DATA**

**Routes of Entry:**

Hazardous exposure can occur only when product is heated above the melting point, oxidized or otherwise processed or damaged to create dust, vapor, or fume.

**Acute Toxicity:**

*Inhalation LD<sub>50</sub>:* Elemental Lead: Acute Toxicity Point Estimate = 4500 ppmV (based on lead bullion)

Elemental arsenic: No data

*Oral LD<sub>50</sub>:* Elemental lead: Acute Toxicity Estimate (ATE) = 500 mg/kg body weight (based on lead bullion)

Elemental arsenic: LD50 mouse: 145 mg/kg

**Inhalation:**

Dust, vapor, and/or fumes may cause irritation of upper respiratory tract and lungs and can result in both acute and chronic overexposure.

**Ingestion:**

Dust, vapor, and/or fumes may be absorbed by the digestive system and can result in both acute and chronic overexposure.

**Skin Contact:**

Dust, vapor, and/or fumes may cause irritation, dermatitis, or contact dermatitis but is not a sensitizer. Dust, vapor, and/or fumes are not readily absorbed through the skin. Arsenic may cause skin hyperpigmentation.

**Eye Contact:**

Dust, vapor, and/or fumes may cause eye irritation or conjunctivitis

**Synergistic Products:**

Lead compounds: Synergistic effects have been noted with heavy metals (arsenic, cadmium, mercury), N-nitroso-N-(hydroxyethyl)ethylamine, N-(4-fluoro-4-biphenyl)acetamide, 2-(nitrosoethylamine)ethanol, and benzo[a]pyrene.

Arsenic compounds: Cigarette smoking has been shown to increase the occurrence of lung cancer in people with high levels of arsenic in the drinking water. Co-exposure to ethanol and arsenic may exacerbate the toxic effects of arsenic

**Additional Information:****Medical Conditions Generally Aggravated by Exposure:**

Lead and its compounds can aggravate some forms of kidney, liver, and neurologic diseases.

**Additional Health Data:**

Work clothes and work equipment used in contaminated areas must remain in designated areas and never taken home or laundered with personal non-contaminated clothing.

All heavy metals, including the hazardous ingredients in this product, are taken into the body primarily by inhalation and ingestion. Most inhalation problems can be avoided by adequate precautions such as ventilation and respiratory protection covered in Section VIII. Follow good personal hygiene to avoid inhalation and ingestion: wash hands, face, neck and arms thoroughly before eating, smoking or leaving the work site. Keep contaminated clothing out of non-contaminated areas, or wear cover clothing when in such areas. Restrict the use and presence of food, tobacco and cosmetics to non-contaminated areas.

This product is intended only for industrial use. It must be isolated from children and their environment.

**XII. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**Environmental Fate:** lead is very persistent in soil and sediments. No data on environmental degradation. Mobility of metallic lead between ecological compartments is slow. Bioaccumulation of lead occurs in aquatic and terrestrial animals and plants but little bioaccumulation occurs through the food chain. Most studies include lead compounds and not elemental lead.

**Environmental Toxicity:** Aquatic Toxicity:

Lead: 48 hr LC<sub>50</sub> (modeled for aquatic invertebrates): <1 mg/L, based on lead bullion

Arsenic: 24 hr LC<sub>50</sub>, freshwater fish (*Carrasius auratus*): >5000 g/L

**XIII. DISPOSAL INFORMATION****US**

Material should be recycled at a secondary lead smelter.

Dispose of toxic substances in accordance with approved local, state, and federal requirements. Consult state environmental agency and/or federal EPA.

**XIV. TRANSPORT INFORMATION****GROUND – US-DOT/CAN-TDG/EU-ADR/APEC-ADR:**

Not regulated as a hazardous material unless in powdered form.

**AIRCRAFT – ICAO- IATA:**

Not regulated as a hazardous material unless in powdered form.

**VESSEL – IMO-IMDG:**

Not regulated as a hazardous material unless in powdered form.

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:**

- Transport may require packaging and paperwork, including the Nature and Quantity of goods, per applicable origin/destination/customs points as-shipped.

**XV. REGULATORY INFORMATION****United States:****CERCLA (Superfund) and EPCRA:**

- (a) EPCRA Section 312 Tier Two reporting is required for this product if lead is present in quantities of **10,000 lbs** or more.
- (b) **Supplier Notification:** This product contains toxic chemicals that may be reportable under EPCRA Section 313 Toxic Chemical Release Inventory (Form R) requirements. For a manufacturing facility under SIC codes 20 through 39, the following information is provided to enable you to complete the required reports:

<u>Chemical</u>	<u>CAS</u>	<u>Percent by Weight</u>
Lead (Pb)	7439-92-1	75-77
Antimony	7440-36-0	0.5-5
Arsenic	7440-38-2	0.01-0.5

If you distribute this product to other manufacturers in SIC Codes 20 through 39, this information must be provided with the first shipment of each calendar year.

**Note:** The Section 313 supplier notification requirement does not apply to materials that are "consumer products".

**TSCA:** Each ingredient chemical listed in Section III of this SDS is also listed on the TSCA Registry.

**OSHA:** Considered hazardous under Hazard Communication Act (29CFR1910.1200)

**RCRA:** Lead contaminated material may be regulated as a characteristic hazardous waste EPA hazardous waste number D008. Consult local or state environmental agency and/or federal EPA for guidance.

**CAA:** Exide Technologies supports preventative actions concerning ozone depletion in the atmosphere due to emissions of CFC's and other ozone depleting chemicals (ODC's), defined by the USEPA as Class I substances. Pursuant to Section 611 of the Clean

Air Act Amendments (CAAA) of 1990, finalized on January 19, 1993, Exide established a policy to eliminate the use of Class I ODC's prior to the May 15, 1993 deadline.

**NFPA:**

Health (blue): = 2  
 Flammability (red) = 0  
 Reactivity (yellow): = 0

US State Notifications & Warnings:	Identification	Notifications/Warning												
California	California Proposition 65	<p>"WARNING: This product contains lead and arsenic, chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer, or birth defects or other reproductive harm."</p> <p>The following chemicals identified to exist in the finished product as distributed into commerce are known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects or to cause reproductive harm:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Arsenic (as arsenic oxides); CAS# 7440-38-2; &lt;0.1% wt</li> <li>2. Lead – CAS No. 7439-92-1; 87.5-99.9% wt.</li> </ol>												
	Consumer Product Volatile Organic Compound Emissions	This product is not regulated as a consumer product for purposes of CARB/OTC VOC Regulations, as sold for the intended purpose and into the industrial/commercial supply chain.												
Country/Organization	Identification	Notifications/Warning												
Canada	All chemical substances in this product are listed on the CEPA DSL/NDL or are exempt from list requirements.	<p>This product has a WHMIS Classification of D2A.</p> <p>This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the SDS contains all the information required by the Controlled Products Regulations.</p> <p>Refer to the Controlled Products Regulations for product labeling requirements</p>												
	NPRI and Ontario Regulation 127/01	<p>This product contains the following chemicals subject to the reporting requirements of Canada NPRI and/or Ont. Reg. 127/01:</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="898 1024 1336 1140"> <thead> <tr> <th>Chemical</th> <th>CAS #</th> <th>%wt</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Lead</td> <td>7439-92-1</td> <td>71-73</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Antimony</td> <td>7440-36-0</td> <td>0.5-5</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Arsenic</td> <td>7440-38-2</td> <td>0.01-0.5</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Chemical	CAS #	%wt	Lead	7439-92-1	71-73	Antimony	7440-36-0	0.5-5	Arsenic	7440-38-2	0.01-0.5
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EU	European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS):	All ingredients remaining in the finished product as distributed into commerce are exempt from, or included on, the European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances.												

**XVI. OTHER INFORMATION**

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<p>OTHER INFORMATION:</p> <p>SOURCES OF INFORMATION:</p>	<p>Distribution into Quebec to follow Canadian Controlled Product Regulations (CPR) 24(1) and 24(2). Distribution into the EU to follow applicable Directives to the Use, Import/Export of the product as-sold.</p> <p>International Agency for Research on Cancer (1987), IARC Monographs on the Evaluation of Carcinogenic Risks to Humans: Overall Evaluations of Carcinogenicity: An updating of IARC Monographs Volumes 1-42, Supplement 7, Lyon, France. Ontario Ministry of Labor Regulation 654/86. Regulations Respecting Exposure to Chemical or Biological Agents.</p>
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