

# Safety Data Sheet

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## 1. IDENTIFICATION

### Product Identifier

**Product Name** Hionic™ Substrate

### Other means of identification

**Synonyms** Hionic™ Support.

### Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

**Recommended Use** Substrate for solid oxide fuel cells.

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

#### **Supplier Address**

Nexceris, LLC  
404 Enterprise Drive  
Lewis Center, OH 43035  
www.nexceris.com

### Emergency Telephone Number

**Company Phone Number** Non-emergency calls/questions: 1-614-842-6606

Fax: 1-614-842-6607

**Emergency Telephone (24 hr)** INFOTRAC 1-352-323-3500 (International)  
1-800-535-5053 (North America)

## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

**Appearance** White solid

**Physical State** Solid

### Classification

This chemical does not meet the hazardous criteria set forth by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200). However, this Safety Data Sheet (SDS) contains valuable information critical to the safe handling and proper use of this product. This SDS should be retained and available for employees and other users of this product.

## 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

**Synonyms** Hionic™ Support.

Chemical Name	CAS No	Weight-%
Zirconium Oxide	1314-23-4	85-96
Scandium Oxide	12060-08-1	4-14
Cerium Oxide	1306-38-3	0-3
Hafnium Oxide	12055-23-1	1-2
Aluminum Oxide	1344-28-1	0-1

\*\*If Chemical Name/CAS No is "proprietary" and/or Weight-% is listed as a range, the specific chemical identity and/or percentage of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.\*\*

## 4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

### First Aid Measures

<b>General Advice</b>	Provide this SDS to medical personnel for treatment.
<b>Eye Contact</b>	Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, lifting lower and upper eyelids. Consult a physician.
<b>Skin Contact</b>	Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes.
<b>Inhalation</b>	Remove to fresh air.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water.

### Most important symptoms and effects

<b>Symptoms</b>	May cause irritation.
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### Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

<b>Notes to Physician</b>	Treat symptomatically.
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## 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

### Suitable Extinguishing Media

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

**Unsuitable Extinguishing Media** Not determined.

### Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical

Not determined.

### Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

<b>Personal Precautions</b>	Use personal protective equipment as required.
<b>Environmental Precautions</b>	See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information.

### Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

<b>Methods for Containment</b>	Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.
<b>Methods for Clean-Up</b>	Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

### Precautions for safe handling

<b>Advice on Safe Handling</b>	Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid generation of dust.
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**Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**

**Storage Conditions** Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.

**Incompatible Materials** None known based on information supplied.

**8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

**Exposure Guidelines**

Chemical Name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
Zirconium Oxide 1314-23-4	STEL: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Zr TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Zr	TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Zr (vacated) TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Zr (vacated) STEL: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Zr	IDLH: 25 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Zr TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> except Zirconium tetrachloride Zr STEL: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Zr
Hafnium Oxide 12055-23-1	TWA: 0.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Hf	-	IDLH: 50 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Hf TWA: 0.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Hf
Aluminum Oxide 1344-28-1	TWA: 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> respirable fraction	TWA: 15 mg/m <sup>3</sup> total dust TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> respirable fraction (vacated) TWA: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> total dust (vacated) TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> respirable fraction	-

**Appropriate engineering controls**

**Engineering Controls** Apply technical measures to comply with the occupational exposure limits.

**Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment**

**Eye/Face Protection** Avoid contact with eyes.

**Skin and Body Protection** Wear suitable protective clothing.

**Respiratory Protection** In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment.

**General Hygiene Considerations** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

**9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

**Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

<b>Physical State</b>	Solid	<b>Odor</b>	Not determined
<b>Appearance</b>	White solid	<b>Odor Threshold</b>	Not determined
<b>Color</b>	White		

<u>Property</u>	<u>Values</u>	<u>Remarks • Method</u>
pH	Not determined	
Melting Point/Freezing Point	Not determined	
Boiling Point/Boiling Range	Not determined	
Flash Point	Not determined	
Evaporation Rate	Not determined	
Flammability (Solid, Gas)	Not determined	
Upper Flammability Limits	Not determined	
Lower Flammability Limit	Not determined	
Vapor Pressure	Not determined	
Vapor Density	Not determined	
Specific Gravity	Not determined	
Water Solubility	Not determined	
Solubility in other solvents	Not determined	

<u>Property</u>	<u>Values</u>	<u>Remarks • Method</u>
Partition Coefficient	Not determined	
Auto-ignition Temperature	Not determined	
Decomposition Temperature	Not determined	
Kinematic Viscosity	Not determined	
Dynamic Viscosity	Not determined	
Explosive Properties	Not determined	
Oxidizing Properties	Not determined	

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

### Reactivity

Not reactive under normal conditions.

### Chemical Stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

### Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

None under normal processing.

**Hazardous Polymerization** Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

### Conditions to Avoid

Keep out of reach of children.

### Incompatible Materials

None known based on information supplied.

### Hazardous Decomposition Products

None known based on information supplied.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Information on likely routes of exposure

#### Product Information

**Eye Contact** Avoid contact with eyes.

**Skin Contact** Avoid contact with skin.

**Inhalation** Avoid inhalation of dust.

**Ingestion** Do not ingest.

### Component Information

Chemical Name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Cerium Oxide 1306-38-3	> 1000 mg/kg ( Rat )	> 2000 mg/kg ( Rat )	> 2.01 mg/L ( Rat ) 4 h
Aluminum Oxide 1344-28-1	> 5000 mg/kg ( Rat )	-	-

### Information on physical, chemical and toxicological effects

**Symptoms** Please see section 4 of this SDS for symptoms.

### Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

**Carcinogenicity**

Based on the information provided, this product does not contain any carcinogens or potential carcinogens as listed by OSHA, IARC or NTP.

**Numerical measures of toxicity**

Not determined

**12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**Ecotoxicity**

The product is not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does not exclude the possibility that large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging effect on the environment.

**Persistence/Degradability**

Not determined.

**Bioaccumulation**

Not determined.

**Mobility**

Not determined

**Other Adverse Effects**

Not determined

**13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

**Waste Treatment Methods**

**Disposal of Wastes**

Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.

**Contaminated Packaging**

Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.

**14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

**Note**

Please see current shipping paper for most up to date shipping information, including exemptions and special circumstances.

**DOT**

Not regulated

**IATA**

Not regulated

**IMDG**

Not regulated

**15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

**International Inventories**

Chemical Name	TSCA	DSL	NDSL	EINECS	ELINCS	ENCS	IECSC	KECL	PICCS	AICS
Zirconium Oxide	Present	X		Present		Present	X	Present	X	X
Scandium Oxide	Present	X		Present			X	Present		X
Cerium Oxide	Present	X		Present		Present	X	Present	X	X
Hafnium Oxide	Present	X		Present		Present	X	Present		
Aluminum Oxide	Present	X		Present		Present	X	Present	X	X

**Legend:**

- TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory*
- DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List*
- EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances*
- ENCS - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances*
- IECSC - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances*
- KECL - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances*
- PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances*
- AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances*

**US Federal Regulations**

**CERCLA**

This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355).

**SARA 313**

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product contains a chemical or chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372

Chemical Name	CAS No	Weight-%	SARA 313 - Threshold Values %
Aluminum Oxide - 1344-28-1	1344-28-1	0-1	1.0

**CWA (Clean Water Act)**

This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42)

**US State Regulations**

**California Proposition 65**

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

**U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations**

Chemical Name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania
Zirconium Oxide 1314-23-4		X	
Aluminum Oxide 1344-28-1	X	X	X

**16. OTHER INFORMATION**

<b><u>NFPA</u></b>	<b>Health Hazards</b>	<b>Flammability</b>	<b>Instability</b>	<b>Special Hazards</b>
	Not determined	Not determined	Not determined	Not determined
<b><u>HMIS</u></b>	<b>Health Hazards</b>	<b>Flammability</b>	<b>Physical Hazards</b>	<b>Personal Protection</b>
	Not determined	Not determined	Not determined	Not determined

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**End of Safety Data Sheet**