

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## SECTION 1 PRODUCT AND COMPANY INFORMATION

PRODUCT NAME: Lutetium (III) Carbonate Hydrate

PRODUCT NO: 2396

CAS NO: 5895-53-4

SYNONYMS: Carbonic acid, lutetium salt

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#### SECTION 2 HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### **CLASSIFICATION OF SUBSTANCE OR MIXTURE**

Not a dangerous substance according to the GHS

HMIS CLASSIFICATION:

Health: 1 Flammability: 0 Reactivity: 1

**NFPA RATING:** 

Health: 1 Fire: 0 Reactivity Hazard: 1

**EYE CONTACT:** May cause slight to mild irritation of the eyes. **SKIN CONTACT:** May cause slight to mild irritation of the skin.

**INHALATION:** May be irritating to the nose, mucous membranes, and respiratory tract.

**INGESTION:** No information on the physiological effects of ingestion.

## SECTION 3 COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Formula: Lu<sub>2</sub>(CO<sub>3</sub>)<sub>3</sub>• XH<sub>2</sub>O

Molecular Weight: 529.97 (anhy.)

CHEMICAL NAME	CAS#	%
Lutetium Carbonate Hydrate	5895-53-4	100

## SECTION 4 FIRST AID MEASURES

**EYE EXPOSURE:** Immediately flush the eyes with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. Assure flushing under eyelids. A victim may need assistance in keeping their eyelids open. Get immediate competent medical attention.

# SECTION 4 FIRST AID MEASURES (Cont.)

**SKIN EXPOSURE**: Wash affected area with water. Remove contaminated clothes if necessary. Seek medical assistance if irritation

INHALATION: Remove the victim to fresh air. Closely monitor the victim for signs of respiratory problems, such as difficulty

breathing, coughing, wheezing, or pain. In such cases seek immediate medical assistance.

**INGESTION:** Do NOT induce vomiting. Seek medical assistance.

#### SECTION 5 FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

FLASH POINT: Not applicable

**AUTO IGNITION TEMPERATURE: None** 

**EXPLOSION LIMITS: None** 

**EXTINGUISHING MEDIUM:** Use carbon dioxide, extinguishing powder, or water spray. Fight large fires with water spray.

SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES: If involved in a fire, fire fighters should be equipped with a NIOSH approved positive

pressure self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing.

HAZARDOUS COMBUSTION AND DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS: Carbon oxides and lutetium oxides

#### SECTION 6 ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

PERSONAL PRECAUTIONS: Use personal protective equipment. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid dust formation and breathing

ENVIRONMENTAL PRECAUTIONS: Do not let enter drains or allow to be released into the environment.

**METHODS AND MATERIALS FOR CONTAINMENT AND CLEANING UP:** Sweep up and place in suitable container for proper disposal.

#### SECTION 7 HANDLING AND STORAGE

**PRECAUTIONS FOR SAFE HANDLING:** Wear personal protective equipment. Ensure adequate ventilation. **CONDITIONS FOR SAFE STORAGE:** Store in a cool, dry, and well-ventilated area. Keep away from acids, moisture, humidity, and water.

## SECTION 8 EXPOSURE CONTROLS AND PERSONAL PROTECTION

**EYE PROTECTION**: Always wear approved safety glasses with side shields, safety goggles, or face shield when handling a chemical substance in the laboratory.

**SKIN PROTECTION**: Chemical resistant gloves.

**VENTILATION:** If possible, handle the material in an efficient fume hood.

**RESPIRATOR:** Respirator selection should be based on anticipated exposure levels.

#### SECTION 9 PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

COLOR AND FORM: White solid

ODOR: None

MOLECULAR WEIGHT: 529.97 (anhy.)
MELTING POINT: > 500° C (dec.)
BOILING POINT: No data available
SPECIFIC GRAVITY No data available
SOLUBILITY IN WATER: Insoluble

#### SECTION 10 STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**STABILITY: Stable** 

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION: Will not occur CONDITIONS TO AVOID: Moisture and water

INCOMPATIBILITY: Strong oxidizing agents and active metals

DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS: Carbon oxides and lutetium oxide

## SECTION 11 TOXICOLOGICAL DATA

RTECS DATA: No data

CARCINOGENIC EFFECTS: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable,

possible or confirmed human carcinogen.

MUTAGENIC EFFECTS: No data

TETRATOGENIC EFFECTS: No data

**TOXICITY DATA:** No data

To the best of our knowledge the toxicological effects of this compound have not been fully investigated.

#### SECTION 12 ECOLOGICAL DATA

No information available

# **SECTION 13 DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

Dispose of in according to local, state, and federal regulations.

#### SECTION 14 TRANSPORTATION DATA

Non-hazardous material

#### SECTION 15 REGULATORY INFORMATION

SARA 302 COMPONENTS: No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

SARA (TITLE 313): Title compound not listed

CALIFORNIA PROP. 65: Not listed

## **SECTION 16 OTHER INFORMATION**

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