Material Safety Data Sheet
Zinc, Granular and Mossy

ACC# 88125

Section 1 - Chemical Product and Company Identification

**MSDS Name:** Zinc, Granular and Mossy  
**Catalog Numbers:** AC201450000, AC201455000, AC222600000, AC222600030, AC222601000, AC222605000, AC222610000, AC222611000, AC222615000, Z11-500, Z15-3, Z15-3LC, Z15-500, Z16-500, Z2-3, Z2-500  
**Synonyms:** None  
**Company Identification:** Fisher Scientific  
1 Reagent Lane  
Fair Lawn, NJ 07410  
For information, call: 201-796-7100  
Emergency Number: 201-796-7100  
For CHEMTREC assistance, call: 800-424-9300  
For International CHEMTREC assistance, call: 703-527-3887

Section 2 - Composition, Information on Ingredients

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Section 3 - Hazards Identification

**EMERGENCY OVERVIEW**

Appearance: bluish white, silvery gray solid.  

**Caution!** Toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment. May cause eye and skin irritation. May cause respiratory and digestive tract irritation.  
**Target Organs:** No data found.

**Potential Health Effects**

**Eye:** May cause eye irritation.  
**Skin:** May cause skin irritation. May be harmful if absorbed through the skin.  
**Ingestion:** May cause irritation of the digestive tract. May be harmful if swallowed.  
**Inhalation:** May cause respiratory tract irritation. Inhalation of fumes may cause metal fume fever, which is characterized by flu-like symptoms with metallic taste, fever, chills, cough, weakness, chest pain, muscle pain and increased white blood cell count. May be harmful if inhaled.  
**Chronic:** Repeated inhalation may cause chronic bronchitis.
Section 4 - First Aid Measures

**Eyes:** Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, occasionally lifting the upper and lower eyelids. Get medical aid.

**Skin:** Get medical aid. Immediately flush skin with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and shoes.

**Ingestion:** Get medical aid immediately. Do NOT induce vomiting. If conscious and alert, rinse mouth and drink 2-4 cupfuls of milk or water.

**Inhalation:** Remove from exposure and move to fresh air immediately. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical aid.

**Notes to Physician:** Treat symptomatically and supportively.

**Antidote:** The use of Calcium disodium EDTA as a chelating agent should be determined by qualified medical personnel.

Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures

**General Information:** As in any fire, wear a self-contained breathing apparatus in pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent), and full protective gear. During a fire, irritating and highly toxic gases may be generated by thermal decomposition or combustion. Use water spray to keep fire-exposed containers cool. Containers may explode in the heat of a fire.

**Extinguishing Media:** Do NOT use water directly on fire. Use dry chemical to fight fire. Use approved class D extinguishing agents or smother with dry sand, clay, or sodium bicarbonate.

**Flash Point:** Not available.

**Autoignition Temperature:** 460 deg C ( 860.00 deg F)

**Explosion Limits, Lower:**Not available.

**Upper:** Not available.

**NFPA Rating:** (estimated) Health: 1; Flammability: 1; Instability: 0

Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

**General Information:** Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8.

**Spills/Leaks:** Clean up spills immediately, observing precautions in the Protective Equipment section. Sweep up or absorb material, then place into a suitable clean, dry, closed container for disposal. Avoid generating dusty conditions. Provide ventilation.

Section 7 - Handling and Storage

**Handling:** Wash thoroughly after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. Use only in a well-ventilated area. Use with adequate ventilation. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Keep container tightly closed. Avoid ingestion and inhalation. Do not allow contact with water. Keep from contact with moist air and steam.

**Storage:** Store in a tightly closed container. Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area away from incompatible substances.
Section 8 - Exposure Controls, Personal Protection

**Engineering Controls:** Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash facility and a safety shower. Use adequate ventilation to keep airborne concentrations low.

**Exposure Limits**

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**OSHA Vacated PELs:** Zinc: No OSHA Vacated PELs are listed for this chemical.

**Personal Protective Equipment**

**Eyes:** Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by OSHA's eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard EN166.

**Skin:** Wear appropriate protective gloves to prevent skin exposure.

**Clothing:** Wear appropriate protective clothing to prevent skin exposure.

**Respirators:** Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard EN 149. Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced.

Section 9 - Physical and Chemical Properties

**Physical State:** Solid

**Appearance:** bluish white, silvery gray

**Odor:** odorless

**pH:** Not available.

**Vapor Pressure:** 1 mm Hg @ 487 deg C

**Vapor Density:** Not available.

**Evaporation Rate:** Not applicable

**Viscosity:** Not applicable

**Boiling Point:** 907 deg C

**Freezing/Melting Point:** 419 deg C

**Decomposition Temperature:** Not available.

**Solubility:** Reacts with water

**Specific Gravity/Density:** 7.14

**Molecular Formula:** Zn

**Molecular Weight:** 65.38

Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

**Chemical Stability:** Stable under normal temperatures and pressures.

**Conditions to Avoid:** Incompatible materials, excess heat, strong oxidants, exposure to moist air or water.

**Incompatibilities with Other Materials:** Oxidizing agents, acids, bases.

**Hazardous Decomposition Products:** Toxic fumes of zinc oxide.

**Hazardous Polymerization:** Has not been reported
Section 11 - Toxicological Information

RTECS#: 
CAS# 7440-66-6: ZG8600000
LD50/LC50: 
Not available.

Carcinogenicity: 
CAS# 7440-66-6: Not listed by ACGIH, IARC, NTP, or CA Prop 65.

Epidemiology: No information found
Teratogenicity: No information found
Reproductive Effects: No information found
Mutagenicity: No information found
Neurotoxicity: No information found
Other Studies:

Section 12 - Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity: No data available. No information available.
Environmental: Toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.
Physical: No information available.
Other: Do not empty into drains.

Section 13 - Disposal Considerations

Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. US EPA guidelines for the classification determination are listed in 40 CFR Parts 261.3. Additionally, waste generators must consult state and local hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.
RCRA P-Series: None listed.
RCRA U-Series: None listed.

Section 14 - Transport Information

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Section 15 - Regulatory Information

US FEDERAL

TSCA
   CAS# 7440-66-6 is listed on the TSCA inventory.

Health & Safety Reporting List
   None of the chemicals are on the Health & Safety Reporting List.

Chemical Test Rules
   None of the chemicals in this product are under a Chemical Test Rule.

Section 12b
   None of the chemicals are listed under TSCA Section 12b.

TSCA Significant New Use Rule
   None of the chemicals in this material have a SNUR under TSCA.

CERCLA Hazardous Substances and corresponding RQs
   CAS# 7440-66-6: 1000 lb final RQ (no reporting of releases of this hazardous substance is requir

SARA Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances
   None of the chemicals in this product have a TPQ.

SARA Codes
   CAS # 7440-66-6: immediate.

Section 313
   This material contains Zinc (CAS# 7440-66-6, 100%), which is subject to the reporting requirements of Section 313 of SARA Title III and 40 CFR Part 373.

Clean Air Act:
   This material does not contain any hazardous air pollutants.
   This material does not contain any Class 1 Ozone depletors.
   This material does not contain any Class 2 Ozone depletors.

Clean Water Act:
   None of the chemicals in this product are listed as Hazardous Substances under the CWA.   CAS# 7440-66-6 is listed as a Priority Pollutant under the Clean Water Act. CAS# 7440-66-6 is listed as a Toxic Pollutant under the Clean Water Act.

OSHA:
   None of the chemicals in this product are considered highly hazardous by OSHA.

STATE
   CAS# 7440-66-6 can be found on the following state right to know lists: California, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Massachusetts.

California Prop 65
   California No Significant Risk Level: None of the chemicals in this product are listed.

European/International Regulations

European Labeling in Accordance with EC Directives

Hazard Symbols:
   N

Risk Phrases:
   R 50/53 Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

Safety Phrases:
   S 60 This material and its container must be disposed of as hazardous waste.
WGK (Water Danger/Protection)
   CAS# 7440-66-6: 0

Canada - DSL/NDSL
   CAS# 7440-66-6 is listed on Canada's DSL List.

Canada - WHMIS
   not available.

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the MSDS contains all of the information required by those regulations.

Canadian Ingredient Disclosure List
   CAS# 7440-66-6 is not listed on the Canadian Ingredient Disclosure List.

Section 16 - Additional Information

MSDS Creation Date: 4/09/1998
Revision #5 Date: 2/18/2008

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