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SAFETY DATA SHEET

Section 1. Identification

Product Name: Niobium(V) ethoxide

Product Type: Liquid

CAS Number: 3236-82-6.

Product Number: NB6826

Product Manufacturer: Ereztech LLC
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Product Information: (888) 658-1221

In case of an emergency: (888) 658-1221 (for spill, leak, fire or exposure)
*** Contact manufacturer for all non-emergency calls.

Section 2. Hazards Identification

Emergency Overview

Appearance/Odor: Yellow liquid, alcohol-like odor.

Classification: FLAMMABLE LIQUIDS; - Category 3, H226
SKIN CORROSION/IRRITATION; - Category 1B, H314
SERIOUS EYE DAMAGE/EYE IRRITATION; - Category 1, H318

GHS label elements

Signal word: DANGER

Hazard statements: H226: Flammable liquid and vapor.
H314: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H318: Causes serious eye damage.

Hazard pictograms:

Precautionary statements

Prevention: P210: Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. – No smoking.
P231: Handle under inert gas.
P232: Protect from moisture.

Section 2. Hazards Identification

Prevention (cont.):

P233: Keep container tightly closed.
P240: Ground/Bond container and receiving equipment.
P241: Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting equipment.
P242: Use only non-sparking tools.
P243: Take precautionary measures against static discharge.
P260: Do not breathe fumes/mist/vapors/sprays.
P264: Wash hands and exposed skin thoroughly after handling.
P280: Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.

Response:

P301 + P330 + P331: IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.
P303 + P353 + P361: IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.
P304 + P340: IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.
P305 + P351 + P338: IF IN EYES: Rinse continuously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P310: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.
P363: Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.
P370 + P378: In case of fire: Use CO_2, dry chemical or foam for extinction.

Storage:

P403 + P233 + P235: Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. Keep cool.
P405: Store locked up.

Disposal:

P501: Dispose of contents/ container to an approved wasted disposal plant.

General:

None.

OSHA/HCS status:

This material is considered hazardous by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200).

Hazards not otherwise classified:

None known.

Section 3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

Substances

Synonyms : Pentaethoxyniobium; niobium ethanolate; niobium ethylate; niobium pentaethoxide; NbOEt

Formula : $C_{10}H_{25}NbO_5$

Molecular weight : 318.21 g/mol

CAS-No. : 3236-82-6

Section 3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

Ingredient Name	%	CAS Number
Niobium(V) ethoxide	>97	3236-82-6

There are no additional ingredients present which, within the current knowledge of the supplier and in the concentrations applicable, are classified as hazardous to health or the environment and hence require reporting in this section.

Occupational exposure limits, if available, are listed in Section 8.

Section 4. First Aid Measures

Description of Necessary First Aid Measures

General Advice: Move out of dangerous area. Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

Eye Contact: Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water, occasionally lifting the upper and lower eyelids. Rinse for a minimum of 15 minutes. Check for and remove any contact lenses after initial rinse period and continue rinsing for an additional 15 minutes. Keep eyes wide open during rinsing process. Consult a physician.

Skin Contact: Remove all contaminated clothing and shoes. Wash off contaminated skin with soap and plenty of water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

Inhalation: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. If not breathing, if breathing is irregular or if respiratory arrest occurs, provide artificial respiration or oxygen by trained personnel. If unconscious, place in recovery position and get medical attention immediately. Maintain an open airway. Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband. It may be dangerous to the person providing aid to give mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

Ingestion: Do NOT induce vomiting. Immediately call a physician or POISON CONTROL CENTER. Rinse mouth. Remove dentures if any. Drink plenty of water. If vomiting occurs, the head should be kept low so that vomit does not enter the lungs. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If unconscious, place in recovery position and get medical attention immediately. Maintain an open airway. Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband.

Most Important Symptoms/Effects, Acute and Delayed Potential Acute Health Effects

Eye Contact: Causes serious eye damage. Symptoms may include stinging, tearing, redness, pain and permanent loss of vision.

Inhalation: Material is extremely destructive to tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract. Symptoms may include coughing, sneezing, nausea, headache and a shortness of breath.

Skin Contact: Causes severe skin burns. Symptoms may include reddening of skin, a burning or itching sensation, pain, blistering and tissue necrosis.

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Ingestion: Swallowing will lead to strong corrosive effect on the mouth and throat and the potential danger of perforation of the esophagus and stomach.

Chronic Symptoms: On contact with water, product releases ethanol which is known to have a chronic effect on the central nervous system.

Indication of Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment Needed, If Necessary

Notes to Physician: Treat symptomatically.

Specific Treatments: No specific treatment.

Protection of First Responders: No action taken shall be taken involving any personal risk without suitable training. It may be dangerous to the person providing aid to give mouth-to-mouth resuscitation.

See toxicological information (Section 11)

Section 5. Fire Fighting Measures

General Hazards: None known.

Suitable Extinguishing Media: Use sand, dry chemical or carbon dioxide (CO_2). Fight larger fires with alcohol resistant foam.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media: Product reacts with water to produce ethanol; a highly flammable liquid which when heated may produce flammable vapors.

Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards: Unopened containers may become pressurized and rupture during a fire. Use water spray to cool unopened containers. Thermal decomposition can lead to the production of irritating and toxic gases and vapors.

Product of Combustion: Decomposition products may include carbon oxides (CO_x) and niobium oxide fumes.

Protection of Firefighters: Promptly isolate the scene by removing all persons from the vicinity of the incident if there is a fire. No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training.

Fire-fighters should wear appropriate protection equipment and self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) with a full face-piece operated in a positive pressure mode.

Section 6. Accidental Release Measures

Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures

For Non-emergency Personnel: No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training. Evacuate surrounding areas. Remove all ignition sources.

Section 6. Accidental Release Measures

For Non-emergency Personnel (cont.): Prevent unnecessary and unprotected personnel from entering. Do not touch or walk through spilled material. Avoid inhalation of mists/vapors/spray/fumes. Provide adequate ventilation. Wear respiratory protection. Put on appropriate personal protective equipment.

For Emergency Responders: If specialized clothing is required to deal with the spillage, take note of any information in Section 8 on suitable and unsuitable materials. See also the information in "For nonemergency personnel".

Environmental Precautions: Do not allow dispersal of spilled material and contact with soil, waterways, drains and sewers. Inform the relevant authorities if the product has caused environmental pollution (sewers, waterways, soil or air).

Methods for Containment

Small Spill: Keep away from ignition sources. Use an inert, dry binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, or universal binders) on spill, sweep up and place in a dry waste disposal container. Dispose of via a licensed waste disposal contractor.

Large Spill: Keep away from ignition sources. Contain and collect spillage with non-combustible, dry absorbent material e.g. sand, earth, vermiculite or diatomaceous earth and place in dry container for disposal according to local regulations (see Section 13). Dispose of via a licensed waste disposal contractor. Contaminated absorbent material may pose the same hazard as the spilled product. Minimize exposure to water/moisture. Note: see Section 1 for emergency contact information and Section 13 for waste disposal.

Section 7. Handling and Storage

Precautions: Keep away from ignition sources – NO SMOKING. Take measures to prevent buildup of electrostatic charge. Store in cool/dry place in tightly closed container. Keep container tightly sealed. Avoid inhalation of vapors or mist. Avoid prolonged exposure. Provide adequate ventilation. Keep away from moist air, water and oxidizing agents.

Protective Measures: Handle under inert gas. Protect against electrostatic charges. Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting/handling equipment. Use only non-sparking tools and equipment. Put on appropriate personal protective equipment (see Section 8). Do not ingest. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing.

Section 7. Handling and Storage

Protective Measures (cont.): Avoid breathing vapors/fumes/mists/sprays. Keep in the original container kept tightly closed when not in use. Empty containers retain product residue and can be hazardous. Do not reuse container.

General Occupational Hygiene: Eating, drinking and smoking should be prohibited in areas where this material is handled, stored and processed. Workers should wash hands and face before eating, drinking and smoking. Remove contaminated clothing and protective equipment before entering eating areas. See also Section 8 for additional information on hygiene measures.

Safe Storage Conditions: Store under an inert gas. Nitrogen with less than 5 ppm each of moisture and oxygen is recommended. Keep away from heat, sparks and open flames. Product is moisture sensitive and reacts with water to produce ethanol, a highly flammable liquid. Store in original container protected from direct sunlight in a dry, cool and well-ventilated area, away from incompatible materials (moisture, water, strong oxidizing agents) and food and drink. Keep container tightly closed and sealed until ready for use. Store locked up.

Section 8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Introductory Remarks: These recommendations provide general guidance for handling this product. Because work environments and material handling practices vary, safety procedures should be developed for each intended application. While developing safe handling procedures, do not overlook the need to clean equipment and conduct regular repairs. Waste from these procedures should be handled in accordance with Section 13.

Occupational Exposure Limits:

List	Components	CAS-No.	Type	Value
ACGIH	Ethanol	64-17-5	STEL	1000 ppm
IDLH	Ethanol	64-17-5	US IDLH	3300 ppm (10% LEL)
NIOSH	Ethanol	64-17-5	REL	1000 ppm (TWA)
			REL	1900 mg/m^3 (TWA)
OSHA	Ethanol	64-17-5	PEL	1000 ppm (TWA)
			PEL	1900 mg/m^3 (TWA)

Engineering Controls: Properly operating chemical fume hood designed for hazardous chemicals and having an average face velocity of at least 100 feet per minute. Provide an eyewash/shower station.

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Environmental Exposure Controls: Emissions from ventilation or work process equipment should be checked to ensure they comply with the requirements of environmental protection legislation. In some cases, fume scrubbers, filters or engineering modifications to the process equipment will be necessary to reduce emissions to acceptable levels.

Individual Protection Measures

Hygiene Measures: Wash hands, forearms and face thoroughly after handling chemical products, before eating, smoking and using the lavatory and at the end of the working period. Remove all soiled and contaminated clothing immediately. Do not inhale gases/fumes/vapors. Avoid contact with eyes and skin. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.

Eye/Face Protection: Safety eyewear complying with an approved standard should be used when a risk assessment indicates this is necessary to avoid exposure to dusts. If contact is possible, the following protection should be worn, unless the assessment indicates a higher degree of protection: chemical splash goggles, faceshield (8-inch minimum). Refer to 29 CFR 1910.133, ANSI Z87.1, or European Standard EN166.

Skin Protection

Hand Protection: Chemical-resistant, impervious gloves complying with an approved standard should be worn at all times when handling chemical products if a risk assessment indicates this is necessary. Considering the parameters specified by the glove manufacturer, check during use that the gloves are still retaining their protective properties. It should be noted that the time to breakthrough for any glove material may be different for different glove manufacturers. In the case of mixtures, consisting of several substances, the protection time of the gloves cannot be accurately estimated. If contact is possible, the following protection should be worn, unless the assessment indicates a higher degree of protection: Chemical-resistant gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

Full contact
Material: Neoprene or nitrile rubber.

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Other Skin Protection: Appropriate footwear and any additional skin protection measures should be selected based on the task being performed and the risks involved and should be approved by a specialist before handling this product.

Respiratory Protection: Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face respirator with multipurpose combination (US) or type ABEK (EN 14387) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. If the respirator is the sole means of protection, use a full-face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

Section 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Physical State: Liquid.
Color: Pale yellow.
Odor: Alcohol like.
Odor Threshold: No data available.
pH: No data available.
Melting Point: 6 °C (43° F).
Boiling Point: 142 °C (288 °F) @ 5 mmHg.
Flash Point: 36 °C (97 °F) – closed cup.
Auto-ignition temperature: No data available.
Flammability: Flammable.
Specific Gravity: 1.258 g/ml @ 20 °C (68 °F).
Vapor Pressure: No data available.
Vapor Density: No data available.
Water Solubility: Reacts exothermically with water to produce ethanol.
Evaporation Rate: No data available.
Viscosity: No data available.

Section 10. Stability and Reactivity

Reactivity: No specific data available.
Chemical Stability: Stable at normal ambient temperature and pressure and under recommended storage conditions.
Conditions to Avoid: Moisture/water, heat, sparks and flames.

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Incompatible Materials: Moisture/water, acids, strong oxidizing agents.

Hazardous Decomposition Products Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced. Product reacts with water to produce ethanol, a highly flammable liquid. Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions: ethanol, organic acid vapors, carbon oxides and niobium oxide. In the event of a fire: see section 5.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions: Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous reactions are not expected to occur.

Section 11. Toxicological Information

Information on Toxicological Effects

Acute Toxicity : No specific data available. Swallowing will lead to a strong corrosive effect on the mouth and throat and to the danger of perforation of the esophagus and stomach.

Irritation/Corrosion : No specific data available. Causes severe skin burns. Causes serious eye damage.

Sensitization : No specific data available.

Germ Cell Mutagenicity : No effects known.

Carcinogenity

IARC : No component of this product present at levels greater than 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

ACGIH : No component of this product present at levels greater than 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by ACGIH.

NTP : No component of this product present at levels greater than 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by NTP.

OSHA : No component of this product present at levels greater than 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by OSHA.

Reproductive Toxicity : This product is not expected to cause reproductive or developmental effects.

Teratogenicity : No specific data available.

Specific Target Organ Toxicity (single exposure) : Respiratory tract irritation. Material is extremely destructive to tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract, eyes, and skin.

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Specific Target Organ Toxicity (repeat exposure) : No specific data available.

Aspiration Hazard : No specific data available.

Information on the likely routes of exposure : No specific data available.

Additional Information : To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical and toxicological properties of this product have not been thoroughly investigated.

Section 12. Ecological Information

Numerical Measures of Toxicity

Toxicity to Fish : No specific data available.

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates : No specific data available.

Toxicity to algae : No specific data available.

Persistence and Degradability

Biodegradability : No specific data available.

Bioaccumulative potential : No specific data available.

Mobility in soil : No specific data available.

Other Adverse Effects : An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal.

Section 13. Disposal Considerations

Waste Treatment Methods

Product

Dispose of in accordance with local, state, and federal regulations. Refer to 40 CFR 260-299 for complete waste disposal regulations. Consult your local, state, or federal agency before disposing of any chemicals.

Contaminated packaging

Empty containers retain product residue (liquid and/or vapor) and can be dangerous. DO NOT EXPOSE SUCH CONTAINERS TO HEAT, FLAME, SPARKS, STATIC ELECTRICITY, OR OTHER SOURCES OF IGNITION; THEY MAY EXPLODE AND CAUSE INJURY OR DEATH.

Section 14. Transport Information

	DOT	IMDG	IATA
UN Number	UN 2924	UN 2924	UN 2924
UN Proper Shipping Name	Flammable liquid, corrosive, n.o.s. (Niobium(V) ethoxide)	FLAMMABLE LIQUID, CORROSIVE, N.O.S. (Niobium(V) ethoxide)	Flammable liquid, corrosive, n.o.s. (Niobium(V) ethoxide)
Transport Hazard Classes	3(8)	3(8)	3(8)
Packing Group	III	III	III
Environmental Hazards	-	-	-
Additional Information	-	EMS: F-E, S-C	-

Special Precautions for User : Transport within user's premises: always transport in closed containers that are upright and secure. Ensure that persons transporting the product know what to do in the event of an accident or spillage.

Transporting in Bulk According to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code : Not applicable.

Section 15. Regulatory Information

TSCA (Toxic Substance Control Act):
This product is listed on the U.S. Toxic Substances Control Act Chemical Inventory (TSCA Inventory).

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

SARA 313 Components
This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

SARA 311/312 Hazards
Acute Health Hazard, Fire Hazard.

Massachusetts Right to Know Components
No components are subject to Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

Pennsylvania Right to Know Components
No components are subject to Pennsylvania Right to Know Act.

New Jersey Right to Know Components
No components are subject to New Jersey Right to Know Act.

Section 15. Regulatory Information

California Proposition 65 Components

This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.

Section 16. Other Information

National Fire Protection Association (U.S.A.)

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HMIS Rating

HEALTH	3
FLAMMABILITY	3
PHYSICAL HAZARD	1

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Section 16. Other Information

Abbreviations and Acronyms

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists
CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)
DOT: US Department of Transportation
GHS: Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals
HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System
IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer
IATA: International Air Transport Association
IATA-DGR: Dangerous Goods Regulations by the "International Air Transport Association" (IATA)
IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods
NFPA: National Fire Protection Association
NIOSH: National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health
NTP: National Toxicology Program
OSHA: Occupational Safety and Health Administration
SARA: Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act
VOC: Volatile Organic Compound

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