

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

[In accordance with the criteria of Regulation No 1907/2006 (REACH) and 2015/830]

Section 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1.	Product identifier	
	Trade name: Synonyms:	GALVANISING ALLOY (CGG) galvanising alloy ZZA 02; ZZA 03; ZZA 04; ZZA 05; ZZA 06; ZZA 07; ZZA 08, ZZA 1.
1.2.	Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against	
	Relevant identified uses:	in galvanising industry the material is used for unit hot galvanising of steel and cast iron products.
	Uses advised against:	not determined.
1.3.	Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet	
	Manufacturer:	Zakłady Górniczo-Hutnicze "Bolesław" Spółka Akcyjna
		[Mining and Metallurgical Plant "Bolesław" Joint Stock Company]
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	E-mail address for a competent pe	erson responsible for sds: biuro@theta-doradztwo.pl

## 1.4. Emergency telephone number

112, Factory dispatcher: +48 32 296 55 80 (on call 24h)

# Section 2: Hazards identification

# 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Mixture is not classified as hazardous for a human health and life nor for the environment.

## 2.2. Label elements

Hazard symbols and signal words

None.

Hazard statements

Not applicable.

Precautionary statements

Not applicable.

# 2.3. Other hazards

Mixture's components do not meet the PBT or vPvB criteria in accordance with the Annex XIII of the REACH Regulation.

# Section 3: Composition/information on ingredients

#### 3.1. Substances

Not applicable.

# 3.2. Mixtures

zinc metallic	
Range:	99,0-99,8%
CAS number:	7440-66-6
EINECS number:	231-175-3
Registration number:	01-2119467174-37-0036
Classification:	not classified as hazardous



<u>aluminum metallic</u>	
Range:	0,2-1
CAS number:	7429
EINECS number:	231-0
Registration number:	-
Classification:	not c

0,2-1,0% 7429-90-5 231-072-3 not classified as hazardous

#### Section 4: First aid measures

# 4.1. Description of first aid measures

Skin contact: wash out skin with plenty of water with soap. If irritation appears, consult a doctor. In case of contact with hot melt, cool the burned skin with plenty of cold water. Put a sterile dressing and seek medical advice.

<u>Eye contact</u>: wash out eyes with plenty of water with the eyelid hold wide open, for 10-15 min. Remove any contact lenses. Obtain medical attention if necessary. In the case of splashes in the eyes of hot melt, apply a sterile dressing and immediately contact an ophthalmologist.

Ingestion: exposure in this way usually does not occur.

Inhalation: exposure in this way usually does not occur.

## 4.2. Most import ant symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

As a result of direct contact with a metallic alloy (supplied in the form of slabs, ingots, jumbo blocks), adverse health effects are not observed. During the careless penetration there is a possibility of liquid alloy splashing with surface wet, dipping of cold packages or ingots. Contact with hot product may cause thermal burns.

## 4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Physician makes a decision regarding further medical treatment after thoroughly examination of the injured.

# Section 5: Firefighting measures

#### 5.1. Extinguishing media

<u>Suitable extinguishing media</u>: metallic alloy is not flammable. Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to the environment.

<u>Unsuitable extinguishing media:</u> water jet – risk of the propagation of the flame.

#### 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

May produce toxic fumes of zinc and aluminum oxides if burning. Do not inhale combustion products – it can be dangerous for health.

#### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

Personal protection typical in case of fire. Self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing should be worn.

# Section 6: Accidental release measures

## 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Limit the access for the outsiders into the breakdown area, until the suitable cleaning operations are completed. In case of large releases isolate the affected area. In the event of release of hot melt, use appropriate personal protective equipment.

# 6.2. Environmental precautions

In case of release of large amounts of the mixture, it is necessary to take appropriate steps to prevent it from spreading into the environment. Do not let the mixture to get through the surface or ground water, soil, sewage system, wells, basements etc.

# 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Pick it up mechanically. Material treat like a waste or reuse it.

# 6.4. Reference to other sections

Appropriate conduct with waste product – section 13. Appropriate personal protective equipment – section 8.



# Section 7: Handling and storage

## 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Handle in accordance with good occupational hygiene and safety practices. Ensure adequate ventilation. Before break and after work wash carefully hands. Use appropriate personal protective equipment.

## 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep only in dry and well-ventilated place. Protect against fire sources, water and moisture. Keep away from inorganic acids and bases.

# 7.3. Specific end use(s)

In galvanising industry the material is used for unit hot galvanising of steel and cast iron products.

# Section 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

## 8.1. Control parameters

For substances contained in the mixture are not defined any occupational exposure limit values at working place in Community.

Please check any national occupational exposure limit values in your country.

Legal basis: Commission Directive 2000/39/EC, 2006/15/EC, 2009/161/EU.

DNEL values for zinc [CAS 7440-66-6]

Exposure way	Exposure scheme	DNEL (workers)
inhalation	Long-term systemic effects	5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
dermal	Long-term systemic effects	83 mg/kg bw/d
Exposure way	Exposure scheme	DNEL (general population)
inhalation	Long-term systemic effects	2,5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
dermal	Long-term systemic effects	83 mg/kg bw/d
oral	Long-term systemic effects	0,83 mg/kg bw/d

# PNEC values for zinc [CAS 7440-66-6]

PNEC	Value	Factor
freshwater	20,6 µg/l	1
marine water	6,1 µg/l	1
freshwater sediment	117,8 mg/kg dry weight	1
marine water sediment	56,5 mg/kg dry weight	1
soil	35,6 mg/kg dry weight	1
STP	100 µg/l	1

#### 8.2. Exposure controls

Use the product in accordance with good occupational hygiene and safety practices. When handlings do not eat, drink or smoke. Before break and after work carefully wash hands. Ensure adequate generally ventilation and/or locally.

Hand and body protection

Normally not required.

Eye/face protection

Normally not required.

Respiratory protection

Normally not required.



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The information relating to personal protective equipment for the case of contact with metallic alloy in form of slabs, ingots, jumbo blocks, which does not pose a direct threat to their health. The use of plant protection (gloves, protective clothing or masks) is necessary in the case of contact with emerging opportunities in industrial processes zinc compounds, the product being processed or during processing. You should also take into account the possibility of mechanical or thermal hazards during the processing of metallic alloy. Selection of PPE should be based on the use of product.

The material that the gloves are made of must be impenetrable and resistant to the product's effects. The selection of material must be performed with consideration of breakthrough time, penetration speed and degradation. Moreover, the selection of proper gloves depends not only on the material, but also on other quality features and changes depending on the manufacturer. The producer should provide detailed information regarding the exact breakthrough time. This information should be followed.

Personal protective equipment must meet requirements of directive 89/686/CE. Employer is obliged to ensure equipment adequate to activities carried out, with quality demands, cleaning and maintenance.

## Environmental exposure controls

Do not allow the mixture to contaminate surface water/ground water. Any emissions from ventilation or work process equipment should be checked to ensure they comply with the requirements of environmental protection legislation.

#### Section 9: Physical and chemical properties

#### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

physical state/form:	solid/ slabs, ingots, jumbo blocks
colour:	silver-white
odour:	odourless
odour threshold:	not determined
pH:	not applicable
melting point/freezing point:	ca. $410^{\circ}$ C ± $10^{\circ}$ C
initial boiling point and boiling range:	ca. 905°C ± 5°C
flash point:	not applicable
evaporation rate:	not applicable
flammability (solid, gas):	not flammable
upper/lower flammability or explosive limits:	not applicable
vapour pressure:	not applicable
relative vapour density:	not applicable
vapour density:	not applicable
density (25°C):	7,14 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
solubility(ies) (20°C):	insoluble in water;
	soluble in inorganic acids, bases
partition coefficient: n-octanol/water:	not applicable
auto-ignition temperature:	not self-ignition
decomposition temperature:	not determined
explosive properties:	not display
oxidising properties:	not display
viscosity:	not applicable
Other information	

## 9.2. Other information

No additional data.

#### Section 10: Stability and reactivity

#### 10.1. Reactivity

Mixture is reactive. See also subsection 10.3.-10.5.

## 10.2. Chemical stability

The product is stable under normal conditions.



#### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Not known.

## **10.4.** Conditions to avoid

Water, moisture, excessive heating.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Inorganics acids, bases.

# 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Not known.

# Section 11: Toxicological information

# 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

As a result of direct contact with a metallic alloy (supplied in the form of slabs, ingots, jumbo blocks), adverse health effects are not observed. During the careless penetration there is a possibility of liquid alloy splashing with surface wet, dipping of cold packages or ingots. Contact with hot product may cause thermal burns.

# **Toxicity of components**

zinc [CAS 7440-66-6]		
LD <sub>50</sub> (rat, oral)	> 2000 mg/kg	
LC <sub>50</sub> (rat, inhalation)	> 2000 mg/kg > 5,41 mg/m³	
Toxicity of mixture		
Acute toxicity		
Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.		
Skin corrosion/irritation		

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

#### Serious eve damage/irritation

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

#### Respiratory or skin sensitisation

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Germ cell mutagenicity

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Carcinogenicity

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. <u>Reproductive toxicity</u>

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. <u>STOT-single exposure</u>

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

STOT-repeated exposure

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Aspiration hazard

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

# Section 12: Ecological information

# 12.1. Toxicity

Mixture is not classified as hazardous for environment. As the mineral, zinc is widespread in the earth's crust.

# 12.2. Persistence and degradability

Not determined.



## 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

It shows no potential for bioaccumulation.

## 12.4. Mobility in soil

This product is not mobile in soil; does not dissolve in water and does not spread in the aquatic environment.

# 12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Mixture does not meet the PBT or vPvB criteria.

# 12.6. Other adverse effects

This product has no influence on the global warming or the ozone layer depletion.

# Section 13: Disposal considerations

# 13.1. Waste treatment methods

<u>Disposal methods for the product</u>: disposed of in accordance with applicable regulations. Do not remove with household waste. Residues stored in their original containers. Recycle or re-processed.

<u>Disposal methods for used packing:</u> metallic alloy of zinc and aluminum does not have individual packages. Legal basis: Directive 2008/98/EC, European Parliament.

# Section 14: Transport information

# 14.1. UN number

Not applicable, product is not classified as hazardous for transport.

14.2. UN proper shipping name

Not applicable.

14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

Not applicable.

## 14.4. Packing group

Not applicable.

#### 14.5. Environmental hazards

Not applicable.

# 14.6. Special precautions for user

They are not required but is recommended for the transport of alloy with roofed vehicles.

# 14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL and the IBC Code

Not applicable.

# Section 15: Regulatory information

# 15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

**Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006** of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 December 2006 concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorization and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH), establishing a European Chemicals Agency, amending Directive 1999/45/EC and repealing Council Regulation (EC) No 793/93 and Commission Regulation (EC) No 1488/94 as well as Council Directive 76/769/EEC and Commission Directives 91/155/EEC, 93/67/EEC, 93/105/EC and 2000/21/EC as amended.

**Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008** of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 December 2008 on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures, amending and repealing Directives 67/548/EEC and 1999/45/EC, and amending Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 as amended.

**Commission Regulation (EU) 2015/830** of 28 May 2015 amending Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council on the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH).



**Directive 2008/98/EC** of the European Parliament and of the Council of 19 November 2008 on waste and repealing certain Directives.

**Commission Directive 2000/39/EC** of 8 June 2000 establishing a first list of indicative occupational exposure limit values in implementation of Council Directive 98/24/EC on the protection of the health and safety of workers from the risks related to chemical agents at work.

**Commission Directive 2006/15/EC** of 7 February 2006 establishing a second list of indicative occupational exposure limit values in implementation of Council Directive 98/24/EC and amending Directives 91/322/EEC and 2000/39/EC.

**Commission Directive 2009/161/EU** of 17 December 2009 establishing a third list of indicative occupational exposure limit values in implementation of Council Directive 98/24/EC and amending Commission Directive 2000/39/EC.

# 15.2. Chemical safety assessment

It is not necessary to prepare Chemical Safety Report for mixture.

# Section 16: Other information

Clarification of aberrations and acronyms

PBT	Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic substance
vPvB	very Persistent, very Bioaccumulative substance
PNEC	Predicted no effect concentration
DNEL	Derived no-effect level

#### <u>Trainings</u>

Before commencing working with the product, the user should learn the Health & Safety regulations, regarding handling chemicals, and in particular, undergo a proper workplace training.

#### Other data

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This SDS annuls and replaces all previous versions

The information above is based on a current available data concerning the product, but also on the experience and knowledge in this field of the producer. They are neither a quality description of the product nor a guarantee of particular features. They are to be treated as aid to safety in transport, storage and usage of the product. That does not free the user from the responsibility of improper usage of the information above and also of improper compliance with the law norms in the field.