

# Safety Data Sheet



## 1. Identification of the Substance/Mixture and the Supplier

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Identity of Substance/Mixture : Certified Reference Material NMIJ CRM 7403-a  
 Trace Elements, Arsenobetaine and Methylmercury in Swordfish Tissue  
 Recommended Use of the Chemical and Restriction on Use : This reference material can be used for evaluating or validating analytical methods and instruments used for the determination of the elements listed below, arsenobetaine and methylmercury in fish tissue or similar matrices.  
 Do not use this reference material for other purposes than testing/research.

## 2. Hazards Identification

GHS Classification : Not classifiable Not classifiable  
 GHS Label Element: -  
 Signal Word : -  
 Hazards Statement: -  
 Other Hazards Statement : Inhalation of large amount of the dust may cause respiratory inflammation due to the dust accumulation  
 Precautionary Statement : [Preventive Measures]  
 Low in harm at normal handling  
 [Response]  
 Get medical assistance as when absorbed large amount of dust  
 If in eye, wash with plenty of water, get medical assistance as needed  
 [Storage]  
 Protect from light, at room temperature in a clean place.  
 Store in an airtight container after opening  
 [Disposal]  
 Disposal by a commissioned professional waste disposal contractor licensed by the prefectural governor.

Hazardous and toxic properties not specified in the above are not subject to the classification nor classifiable.

### 3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

Substance or mixture	: Mixture
Chemical name	: Swordfish powder
Synonym	: -
Chemical formula	: -
Molecular weight	: -
CAS number	: -
Content	: 100 %
Reference Number in Gazetted List in Japan	: Act on the Evaluation of Chemical Substances and Regulation of Their Manufacture, etc. :- Industrial Safety and Health Act :-

This CRM contains minor elements shown below;

Mn, Fe, Cu, Zn, As, Se, Sr, Cd, Hg, Na, Mg, P, K, Ca.

The concentrations of these ingredients are shown in the tables below;

Elements	Mass fraction (mg/kg)	Elements	Mass fraction (mg/kg)
Mn	0.2	Na	3.6
Fe	13.1	Mg	1.6
Cu	1.3	P	14.5
Zn	33.6	K	26.3
As	6.6	Ca	0.19
Se	2.1		
Sr	1.1		
Cd	0.16		
Hg	5.3		

### 4. First-aid Measures

If in eyes	: Rinse carefully with plenty of clean water. Get medical assistance
If on skin	: Flush the skin with plenty of clean water
If inhaled	: Move to get fresh air, keep warm and rest Get medical assistance
If swallowed	: Wash mouth thoroughly with water.
Anticipated acute and delayed symptoms	: -
The most important characteristics and symptoms	: -
Measures to be taken to protect the person applying first aid	: -

## 5. Fire-fighting Measures

- Extinguishing media : Use a media compatible with a fire in the surrounding area  
 Specific hazards at the time of fire : -  
 Specific extinguishing measures : Remove fire sources, extinguish with the extinguishing agent. Transfer the movable containers to a safe place promptly. If impossible to move, cool the periphery by water-spray,  
 Protecting fire-fighting personnel. : Fire-safe, heat-resistant protective clothing, air-breathing apparatus, self-contained compressed air breathing apparatus, rubber gloves, rubber boots

## 6. Accidental Release Measures

1. Suppress the dust dispersion and collect as much as possible in an empty container, then wash away with water.

## 7. Handling and Storage

### Handling

- Avoid contact with eye
- Avoid inhaling the dust
- Should not be used for purposes other than the original research intent.

### Storage

- Protect from light, in an airtight container at room temperature.
- Store in an airtight container after opening

- ◇ An appropriate storage condition as a reference material and the precautionary statement of the use should be referred to the certificate.

## 8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

### Points of concern pertaining safety management

Not established

### Administrative levels

Not established

### Occupational exposure limit

- ACGIH TLV-TWA : Not established
- Japan Society for Occupational Health Recommended Reference Value : Not established

Health Recommended Reference Value

### Facility engineering control

- In case of generating the dust, seal the source and use local ventilation system
- Protective equipment
- Dust protective mask,, protective gloves, safety eyeglasses, goggles

## 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

- Appearance, etc. : Powder
- Color : Yellowish white
- Odor : No data

•pH	: No data
•Melting point	: No data
•Boiling point	: No data
•Flashing point	: No data
•Explosive range	: No data
•Vapor pressure	: No data
•Relative vapor density(Air=1)	: No data
•Specific gravity or bulk specific gravity	: No data
•Solubility	: May dissolve in water
• <i>n</i> -Octanol/water partition coefficient (Log Po/w)	: No data
•Auto-ignition temperature	: No data

## 10. Stability and Reactivity

- ◇Stability  
Stable under normal condition
- ◇Reactivity  
No data available
- ◇Conditions to avoid  
Sunlight, humidity
- ◇Hazardous decomposition products  
No data available

## 11. Toxicological information

Skin corrosivity and irritancy	: None
Severe damage to eye/eye irritancy	: Possibly irritating
Respiratory sensitization	: If inhaled in large amount, accumulation in respiratory tract can be harmful and may cause damages

## 12. Ecological Information

- Degradability, concentration
  - No data available
- Bioaccumulation
  - No data available
- Ecotoxicity
  - No data available

## 13. Disposal Considerations

- Disposal shall be in compliance with the ordinances and regulations of local authorities
- Disposal of an empty container shall be after removing/decontaminating the content completely.

## 14. Transport Information

UN Number	: Not applicable
UN Classification	: Not applicable

Material name : -  
Container grade : -  
ICAO/IATA : -  
Marine pollutant : -  
Precautions : Transfer with care. Avoid falling. Do not drop

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## 15. Regulatory Information

- No applicable laws and regulations
  - ◎ **This SDS is originally prepared for the use of the material in Japan, thus the stated laws and regulations are stipulated and carried out in Japan. The use of the material in other countries should be referred to and by application of the relevant laws and regulations of the country in which the material will be used.**
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## 16. Other Information

### Others

The information in this document is not intended to be exhaustive and is based on currently available information and data. The measures given in this document are applicable only to normal handling conditions. When handling this reference material under special conditions etc., it is recommended to take safety measures appropriate to each specific application and context of use. This document is intended to provide information and not intended to guarantee anything in handling this reference material.

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