# **CTM POTTERS SUPPLIES**

## SAFETY DATA SHEET

## 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

Product information:		
Product Name	: Tin Oxide	
Synonyms	: Stannic oxide, tin dioxide	
Company	: CTM Potters Supplies Unit 10A, Millpark Industrial Estate White Cross Road Woodbury Salterton Nr. Exeter EX5 1EL	
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## 2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Ingredients	Formula	CAS Number	EC Number
Tin Oxide	SnO <sub>2</sub>	18282-10-5	2421590

### 3. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

Tin oxide is not classified as a substance dangerous for carriage or supply.

Tin oxide is not hazardous to the environment.

No risk or safety phrases are assigned.

Inhalation: Chronic exposure to tin oxide dust may induce Stannosis (pneumoconiosis).

#### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

#### **General Recommendations:**

#### Inhalation:

Remove from exposure to fresh air.

#### Eyes:

Flush eyes with copious amounts of water.

#### Skin:

The substance is not irritating to the skin.

### Ingestion:

In case of persistent symptoms consult doctor.

### 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media:	Any.
Unsuitable extinguishing media:	None.
Exposure hazards:	None known.
Protective equipment for fire-fighters:	No special measures required.

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions: Environmental precautions:	Do not breathe dust. Wear personal protective equipment. No special measures required.
Neutralising chemicals:	Not required.
Method of clean up:	Vacuum cleaner or wet sweeping.
7. HANDLING AND STORAGE	
Precautions during handling:	Avoid causing dust. Use local exhaust ventilation or adequate respiratory protective equipment.
Storage and packaging:	No special requirements.
8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION	
Inhalation:	Occupational Exposure Limits:
Tin Oxide:	2mg/m <sup>-3</sup> (as Sn) 8-hour time weighted average (TWA) 4mg/m <sup>-3</sup> (as Sn) short-term exposure limit (STEL)
Protective measures:	Use local exhaust ventilation or adequate respiratory protective equipment to maintain exposure below Occupational Exposure Limits.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance:	
Form: Colour: Odour:	powder white odourless
Specific gravity:	Approximately 6.95
Solubility in water:	Insoluble, pH of slurry neutral
Flammability:	Non-flammable
Melting point:	Approximately 1630°C
Boiling point:	Sublimates between 1800°C and 1900°C

## 10. STABILTY AND REACTIVITY

Conditions to avoid:	None known
Materials and substances to avoid:	None known
Hazardous decomposition products:	None known

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Inhalation:	Chronic exposure to tin oxide dust may cause Stannosis (pneumoconiosis).
Ingestion:	Non-toxic (LD <sub>50</sub> greater than 2.0g/kg bodyweight)
Eye contact:	May be irritating to the eyes.
Skin contact:	No irritating effect.

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Environmental effect:

## Insoluble in water, stable and inert under normal environmental conditions.

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal of product:

According to official regulations.

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14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION	
Special precautions:	None
15. REGULATORY INFORMATION	
13. REGULATORI INFORMATION	
Risk Phrases:	None assigned
Safety Phrases:	None assigned
Classification Symbol:	None assigned

## **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

## Further information:

Data sheet producing department: CTM Potters Supplies Telephone: 01395-233-077

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