# **1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION**

1.1Pro	oduct identifiers	
	Product name	: Lanthanum hexaboride
	Brand	: ACM
	CAS-No.	: 12008-21-8
1.2	Relevant identified uses of the	he substance or mixture and uses advised against

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Manufacture of substances

## 1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company	Advanced Ceramic : Materials 23661 Birtcher Dr. Lake Forest, CA 92630 USA
Telephone	: +1 (949) 407-8904
Fax	: +1 (949) 812-6690

# 1.4 Emergency telephone number

Emergency Phone # : +1 (949) 407-8904

# 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

# 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Not a hazardous substance or mixture.

# 2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Not a hazardous substance or mixture.

#### 2.3 Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS - none

# **3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

# 3.1 Substances

Chemical characterization	: Product does not burn
Synonyms	: Lanthanum boride

Formula	:	B6La
Molecular Weight	:	203.77 g/mol
CAS-No.	:	12008-21-8
EC-No.	:	234-531-6

No ingredients are hazardous according to OSHA criteria. No components need to be disclosed according to the applicable regulations.

# 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

#### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

#### If inhaled

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration.

In case of skin contact

Wash off with soap and plenty of water.

# In case of eye contact

Flush eyes with water as a precaution.

## If swallowed

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water.

- **4.2** Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11
- 4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed no data available

# **5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

# 5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture Borane/boron oxides, Lanthanum oxides

#### **5.3** Advice for firefighters Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary.

5.4 Further information

The product itself does not burn.

# 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

- 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. For personal protection see section 8.
- 6.2 Environmental precautions Do not let product enter drains.
- **6.3** Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up Sweep up and shovel. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.
- 6.4 Reference to other sections For disposal see section 13.

# 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. For precautions see section 2.2.

**7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities** Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.

Keep in a dry place.

**7.3** Specific end use(s) Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL

#### **PROTECTION 8.1 Control parameters**

#### **Components with workplace control parameters** Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

# 8.2 Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls General industrial hygiene practice.

# Personal protective equipment

### **Eye/face protection**

Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

#### **Skin protection**

Handle with 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.

#### **Body Protection**

Choose body protection in relation to its type, to the concentration and amount of dangerous substances, and to the specific work-place., The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

#### **Respiratory protection**

Respiratory protection is not required. Where protection from nuisance levels of dusts are desired, use type N95 (US) or type P1 (EN 143) dust masks. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

#### Control of environmental exposure

Do not let product enter drains.

# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

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

a)	Appearance	Form: powder
b)	Odour	no data available
c)	Odour Threshold	no data available
d)	рН	no data available
e)	Melting point/freezing point	Melting point/range: 2,210 °C (4,010 °F)
f)	Initial boiling point and boiling range	no data available
g)	Flash point	not applicable
h)	Evapouration rate	no data available
i)	Flammability (solid, gas)	no data available
j)	Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	no data available
k)	Vapour pressure	no data available
I)	Vapour density	no data available
m)	Relative density	2.61 g/cm3 at 25 °C (77 °F)
n)	Water solubility	no data available
o)	Partition coefficient: n- octanol/water	no data available
p)	Auto-ignition temperature	no data available
q)	Decomposition temperature	no data available
r)	Viscosity	no data available
s)	Explosive properties	no data available
t)	Oxidizing properties	no data available

# **10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

- **10.1 Reactivity** no data available
- **10.2 Chemical stability** Stable under recommended storage conditions.
- **10.3** Possibility of hazardous reactions no data available
- **10.4** Conditions to avoid no data available
- **10.5** Incompatible materials Strong oxidizing agents
- **10.6 Hazardous decomposition products** Other decomposition products - no data available In the event of fire: see section 5

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

# Acute toxicity

no data available

Inhalation: no data available

Dermal: no data available

no data available

# Skin corrosion/irritation

no data available

# Serious eye damage/eye irritation no data available

Respiratory or skin sensitisation no data available

Germ cell mutagenicity no data available

#### Carcinogenicity

- IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.
- ACGIH: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH.
- NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.
- OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

#### **Reproductive toxicity**

no data available

no data available

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure no data available

### Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

no data available

# Aspiration hazard

no data available

# **Additional Information**

**RTECS:** Not available

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

# **12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### 12.1 Toxicity

no data available

- **12.2 Persistence and degradability** no data available
- **12.3 Bioaccumulative potential** no data available
- **12.4 Mobility in soil** no data available
- **12.5** Results of PBT and vPvB assessment PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted

# 12.6 Other adverse effects

no data available

# **13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

#### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

#### Product

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company.

# Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

# **14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

#### DOT (US)

Not dangerous goods

IMDG

Not dangerous goods

ΙΑΤΑ

Not dangerous goods

# **15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

# SARA 302 Components

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

# SARA 313 Components

SARA 313: 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

No SARA Hazards

#### Massachusetts Right To Know Components

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

## Pennsylvania Right To Know Components

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New Jersey Right To Know Components		
	CAS-No.	Revision Date
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#### California Prop. 65 Components

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

# **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

Η	IMI	S	Rating	

Health hazard:	0
Chronic Health Hazard:	
Flammability:	0
Physical Hazard	0
NFPA Rating	
NFPA Rating Health hazard:	0
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#### **Further information**

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