### **EG-MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET**

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**Hinri-Alloy CoCr** 

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# 1. Identification of the Substance / Preparation and Company:

Identification of the substance or preparation:

Commercial product name: Hinri-Alloy CoCr

Company / Manufacturer: ERNST HINRICHS GmbH

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### 2. Composition / Information on Ingredients:

2.1 Alloys contain at least 60% of chrome and cobalt. Alloys also contain Molybdenum.

## 3. Hazards Identification:

Main dangers are following:

Reaction products with other elements (see N° 10)

Exposure to smoke, gas, powder, skin contact (see N° 11)

Combustion of powders in open air (see N° 5).

# 4. First aid measures:

4.1 After inhalation: If large amount is inhaled or under an asthma attack, remove to

fresh air and contact a doctor.

4.2 After contact with the skin: Wash off contaminated areas with water or remove contaminated

clothing and have a shower. Wash clothing before reuse. Avoid prolonged or repeated skin contact. Wash yourself completely after

handling

4.3 After contact with the eyes: Irrigate with water for at least 15 minutes.

4.4 After ingestion: If a large amount is ingested induce vomiting only if the person is

conscious and contact a doctor.

## 5. Fire Fighting measures:

Coherent forms of cobalt chrome alloys run no risk of fire or explosion. At the contrary, if the material is fine divided (powder) it can explode at open air

5.1 Suitable fire-extinguisher Powders, water, Co<sub>2</sub>, foam

5.2 Not suitable extinguishing device, not to Not applicable

be used for safety reasons

5.3 Possible risk of exposure derived by the product or by the burning of it, or by

Intoxication (see N° 11).

the gas produced

# 6. Accidental release measures:

6.1 Individual cautions: Avoid powder formation

6.2 Environment cautions: No special measure is necessary

6.3 Cleaning method: No special measures

## 7. Handling and Storage:

7.1 Handling: No special cautions are needed

7.2 Storage: No special cautions are needed for a safety storage

### 8. Exposure controls / Personal protection:

8.1 Breathing protection If solid cobalt chrome alloy forms are converted in manufacturing

processes to particulates, maintain working environment below the

recommended limits by use of appropriate ventilation;

(Cr <0,050 mg/m<sup>3</sup>, Co< 0,050 mg/m<sup>3</sup>) if ventilation is not adequate,

then respiratory protection should be used.

Hand protection Protective gloves
Eyes protection Safety goggles

Skin protection Appropriate protective clothing

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Physical and chemical properties:

Aggregation status on delivery: Solid Colour on delivery: White >1200° C

Melting point range in atmospheric

pressure:

PH of the alloy on delivery: Not applicable Flash point: Not applicable Flammability: Not applicable Not applicable Self flammability: Exploding properties: Not applicable Comburent properties: Not applicable Steam pressure in standard Unknown

temperature:

Absolute density in standard condition: 8,4 g/cm<sup>3</sup>

Solubility: Insoluble in water Liposolubility: Practically insoluble Coefficient of allotment of octane Not applicable

rating/water:

Stability and Reactivity:

Condition to avoid Not applicable

Materials to avoid Perchlorate, nitrate, hydrazine, alkali, oxidizing, acid Dangerous decomposition products Release of hydrogen due to reaction with acids

Present or necessary stabilizers Not applicable Relevant changing in the aggregation Not applicable

status of the alloy

Dangerous products of decomposition

due to water contact

Possibility of degradation and formation of unstable products Not applicable

Not applicable

#### **Toxicological Information:** 11.

Under normal handling and use, exposure to massive forms of cobalt chrome alloys presents few health hazards. If however, massive forms are converted to particulates then both acute and chronic health hazards are possible.

After inhalation Rare cases of asthma have been reported to have occured in

individuals exposed to some forms of particulates. Effects on respiratory tract and gastrointestinal disorder may occur

After skin contact Exposure to cobalt chrome alloys may cause dermatitis or other

allergic reactions in sensitive individuals.

After eyes contact Irritation due to mechanical irritation.

After ingestion Cobalt chrome alloys are scarcely absorbed by the intestine, acute dose; however, may cause abdominal pains, vomit, anuria, and

uraemia.

If the material is absorbed for long period, kidney harm may occur.

12. **Ecological Information:** 

12.1	Mutability	Not applicable
12.2	Persistence and deterioration	Unknown
12.3	Bioaccumulation power	Unknown
12.4	Aquatic toxicity	Unknown

#### **Disposal Considerations:**

Recycling the alloys has no risk, consult specialised recycling society and follow your local ecological 13.1 regulations.

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# 14. Transport Information:

According to the laws, dental alloys are not considered as dangerous goods.

# 15. Regulatory Information:

Dental alloys are not considered as dangerous goods.

## 16. Further Information:

We think that these information are careful; furthermore, they are all what we know about it. We do not grant, explicitly or implicitly, that they are true; we do not undertake any responsibility for the use of them. We advice the purchaser to consult other sources.