

**COSHH
ASSESSMENT**

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Toxic		Corrosive	

Trade name / Supplier:

Telephone number:

Contact:

Irritant		Highly Flammable	

Product type:
Lead straps - on detonators

Harmful		Oxidising	

Chemicals and appearances:
Bluish - white or silvery grey solid in various forms - turns tarnished on exposure to air

Risk associated with use: Lead can be absorbed through contact with the skin and eyes causing irritation

Personal Protection: Wear gloves or gauntlets when handling lead, eye protection should be worn. Do not eat, drink or smoke during work. Wash hands before eating

Storage: Separate from food and feedstuffs and incompatible materials (further information on MSDS)

Disposal: Return any unused product to supplier, or plant depot. Any material contaminated by the product should be designated as special waste, and disposed of through a specialist waste disposal contractor

Fire: Not considered to be a fire hazard

Appointment

Effect

First Aid

Skin

Dermatitis, irritation, redness, pain

Wash well with plenty of soap and water for at least 15 minutes
Remove contaminated clothing. Seek medical advice. Wash clothing before re-use

Eyes

Irritation, stinging

Flush eyes with copious quantity of water.
If irritation persists, seek medical advice

Inhalation

Irritation to nose and throat.
Coughing, drowsiness

Move to fresh air and rest. If symptoms persist seek medical advice

Swallowing

Nausea, diarrhoea, vomiting

Induce vomiting immediately as directed by medical personnel