

SAFETY DATA SHEET

SECTION 1 : IDENTIFICATION

Product identifier used on the label:

Product Name: PHOSPHOR BRONZE ALLOYS 510, 511, 519, 521
SDS Manufacturer Number: 226989

Other means of identification:

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use:

Chemical manufacturer address and telephone number:

Manufacturer Name: PMX Industries, Inc.
Address: 5300 Willow Creek Drive SW
Cedar Rapids, Iowa 52404-4303
USA
General Phone Number: 319-368-7700
General Fax Number: 319-368-7701

Emergency phone number:

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SECTION 2 : HAZARD(S) IDENTIFICATION

Classification of the chemical in accordance with CFR 1910.1200(d)(f):

Signal Word: Not applicable.
GHS Class: Not classified as hazardous according to OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200..

Hazards not otherwise classified that have been identified during the classification process:

Emergency Overview: Copper alloy products in the natural state do not present a hazard for emergency response personnel.

Route of Exposure: Inhalation, Eye Contact, Skin Contact

Potential Health Effects: Copper alloy products in the natural state do not present an inhalation, ingestion, or contact hazard. However, operations such as burning, welding, sawing, brazing, or grinding may release fumes and/or dusts which may present health hazards if occupational exposure limits are exceeded.

Eye: Short-term exposure to fumes/dust may produce irritation.

Skin: Repeated or prolonged exposure to copper dusts or mists may cause irritant or allergic contact dermatitis.

Inhalation: Short-term exposure to fumes/dust may produce irritation of the respiratory system. Exposure to high concentrations of oxide fumes of copper or tin may cause metal fume fever.

Ingestion: Abdominal pain, nausea, vomiting.

Carcinogenicity: See Toxicological Information (Section #11)

Potential Environmental Effects: POTENTIAL ENVIRONMENTAL EFFECTS:
None known. Product has not been tested for environmental properties.

Signs/Symptoms: Metal fume fever - metallic taste in mouth, dryness, and irritation of the throat, and influenza-like symptoms. The effects may be delayed.

Target Organs: Upper respiratory tract, eyes, skin

Aggravation of Pre-Existing Conditions: Exposure to fumes or dust may aggravate existing respiratory disease or dermatitis.

SECTION 3 : COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Mixtures:

Chemical Name	CAS#	Ingredient Percent	EC Num.
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Copper	7440-50-8	91.9 - 95.9% by weight	231-159-6
Tin	7440-31-5	4 - 8% by weight	231-141-8

SECTION 4 : FIRST AID MEASURES

Description of necessary measures:

Eye Contact:	Flush with water for at least 15 minutes.
Skin Contact:	Wash with soap and water.
Inhalation:	If exposed to excessive levels of metal fumes, remove to fresh air. Seek medical attention.

SECTION 5 : FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable and unsuitable extinguishing media:

Suitable Extinguishing Media:	SUITABLE: Use extinguishing media appropriate to the surrounding material.
Fire Fighting Instructions:	Copper alloy products in the solid state present no fire or explosion hazard, but may react with strong acids, bases, or oxidizing agents.

SECTION 6 : ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up:

Spill Cleanup Measures:	STEPS TO BE TAKEN IN THE EVENT OF SPILLS, LEAKS, OR RELEASES: Not applicable
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SECTION 7 : HANDLING and STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling:

Handling:	In welding, precautions should be taken for airborne contaminants that may originate from components of the welding rod.
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SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS, PERSONAL PROTECTION

EXPOSURE GUIDELINES:

Copper :

Guideline ACGIH:	TLV-TWA: 1 mg/m ³ TLV-TWA: 0.2 mg/m ³
Guideline OSHA:	PEL-TWA: 1 mg/m ³ PEL-TWA: 0.1 mg/m ³

Tin :

Guideline OSHA:	PEL-TWA: 2 mg/m ³
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Appropriate engineering controls:

Engineering Controls:	Local exhaust ventilation should be utilized when welding, burning, sawing, brazing, grinding, or machining when exposure exceeds occupational exposure limits.
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Individual protection measures:

Eye/Face Protection:	Safety glasses or goggles should be utilized as required by exposure. Other protective equipment should be utilized as required by welding standards.
Skin Protection Description:	Wear appropriate personal protective clothing to prevent skin contact with copper dusts and mists.
Respiratory Protection:	NIOSH-approved dust or fume respirator should be used to avoid excessive inhalation of particulates when exposure exceeds occupational exposure limits.
Other Protective:	Do not eat, drink, or smoke during work. Wash hands before eating or smoking.

SECTION 9 : PHYSICAL and CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES:

Physical State:	Solid
	APPEARANCE: Lustrous metal
Color:	Salmon-colored
Odor:	None
Melting Point:	1,880 - 1,945 deg F
Density:	LB/IN3: 0.32
Specific Gravity:	8.8 - 8.9
Vapor Density:	(Air = 1): Not applicable
Vapor Pressure:	Not Applicable
Percent Volatile:	Not Applicable
Evaporation Rate:	Not Applicable
pH:	Not Applicable
Flash Point:	Not Applicable
Lower Flammable/Explosive Limit:	(%): None
Upper Flammable/Explosive Limit:	(%): None
Auto Ignition Temperature:	Not Applicable

SECTION 10 : STABILITY and REACTIVITY

Reactivity:

Reactivity: Possibility of Hazardous Reactions: Will not occur

Chemical Stability:

Chemical Stability: Stable

Conditions To Avoid:

Conditions to Avoid: None

Incompatible Materials:

Incompatible Materials: Mercury, ammonia, acetylene acids. Contact with strong acids, bases, or oxidizing agents

Hazardous Decomposition Products:

Special Decomposition Products: Metallic dust or fumes may be produced during welding, burning, grinding, and machining.

SECTION 11 : TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION:

Copper :

Acute Toxicity: LD50: 0.07 mg/kg (mouse, intraperitoneal)

Copper :

ACGIH: No

IARC: No

NTP: No

Tin :

ACGIH: No

IARC: No

NTP: No

Chronic Effects: Repeated or prolonged overexposure to copper fume may cause the skin and hair to change color.

Repeated or prolonged overexposure to tin dusts or fumes may cause stannosis.

Copper :

Ingestion: TDLo: 120 µg/kg (human, oral - gastrointestinal effects)

Tin :

Ingestion: TDLo: 250 mg/kg (human, oral - gastrointestinal effects)

SECTION 12 : ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity:

Ecotoxicity: Not Applicable

SECTION 13 : DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Description of waste:

Waste Disposal: WASTE DISPOSAL METHODS:
According to local, state, and federal regulations.

SECTION 14 : TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT Shipping Name: Not restricted as a dangerous good.

DOT UN Number: Not restricted as a dangerous good.

SECTION 15 : REGULATORY INFORMATION

Safety, health and environmental regulations specific for the product:

Copper :

TSCA Inventory Status: Listed

Section 313: EPCRA - 40 CFR Part 372 - (SARA Title III) Section 313 Listed Chemical.

Canada DSL: Listed

EC Number: 231-159-6

Tin :

TSCA Inventory Status: Listed

Canada DSL: Listed

EC Number: 231-141-8

SECTION 16 : ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

HMIS Ratings:

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