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SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1 Product identifier

· **Trade name:** *GC Initial CAST NP*

· **1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**
No further relevant information available.

· **Application of the substance / the mixture** *Auxillary for dental technology*

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

· **Manufacturer/Supplier:**

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· **Further information obtainable from:** *Regulatory affairs*

1.4 Emergency telephone number:

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SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

· **Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**

Resp. Sens. 1 H334 May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.

Skin Sens. 1 H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.

Muta. 2 H341 Suspected of causing genetic defects.

Carc. 1B H350 May cause cancer.

Repr. 1B H360F May damage fertility.

Aquatic Chronic 4 H413 May cause long lasting harmful effects to aquatic life.

2.2 Label elements

· **Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**

The product is classified and labelled according to the GB CLP regulation.

· Exemptions

The product, regulated as an invasive medical device by the Regulation (EC) 2017/745, is exempted from labelling requirements for substances and mixtures (according to the provision of the Art 1.5).

· Hazard pictograms



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· **Signal word** *Danger*· **Hazard-determining components of labelling:***cobalt*· **Hazard statements***H334 May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.**H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.**H341 Suspected of causing genetic defects.**H350 May cause cancer.**H360F May damage fertility.**H413 May cause long lasting harmful effects to aquatic life.*· **Precautionary statements***P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection/hearing protection.**P308+P313 IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.**P321 Specific treatment (see on this label).**P362+P364 Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.**P405 Store locked up.**P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.*· **2.3 Other hazards**· **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**· **PBT:** Not applicable.· **vPvB:** Not applicable.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

· **3.2 Mixtures**· **Description:**

Only substances required to be mentioned according to Annex II of regulation 1907/2006 are listed. Information on the other substances that may be present can be obtained upon request.

· **Dangerous components:**

CAS: 7440-48-4 EINECS: 231-158-0 Index number: 027-001-00-9	cobalt Resp. Sens. 1, H334; Muta. 2, H341; Carc. 1B, H350; Repr. 1B, H360F; Skin Sens. 1, H317; Aquatic Chronic 4, H413 substance with a Community workplace exposure limit	50-<75%
CAS: 7440-47-3 EINECS: 231-157-5	chromium substance with a Community workplace exposure limit	25-<50%
CAS: 7440-33-7 EINECS: 231-143-9	tungsten substance with a Community workplace exposure limit	2.5-<5%
CAS: 7440-21-3 EINECS: 231-130-8	silicon Flam. Sol. 2, H228 substance with a Community workplace exposure limit	1-<2.5%

· **Additional information:** For the wording of the listed hazard phrases refer to section 16.

SECTION 4: First aid measures

· **4.1 Description of first aid measures**· **General information:***Immediately remove any clothing soiled by the product.**If symptoms persist consult doctor.*

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- **After inhalation:**
Supply fresh air. If required, provide artificial respiration. Keep patient warm. Consult doctor if symptoms persist. Take affected persons into fresh air and keep quiet.
- **After skin contact:**
Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.
Seek medical treatment.
If skin irritation continues, consult a doctor.
- **After eye contact:**
Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. If symptoms persist, consult a doctor.
- **After swallowing:**
Rinse out mouth and then drink plenty of water.
If symptoms persist consult doctor.
- **4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed** Allergic reactions
- **4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**
No further relevant information available.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

- **5.1 Extinguishing media**
- **Suitable extinguishing agents:**
CO₂, powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.
Use fire extinguishing methods suitable to surrounding conditions.
- **For safety reasons unsuitable extinguishing agents:** Water with full jet
- **5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**
Formation of toxic gases is possible during heating or in case of fire.
No further relevant information available.
- **5.3 Advice for firefighters**
- **Protective equipment:** Wear self-contained respiratory protective device.
- **Additional information**
Dispose of fire debris and contaminated fire fighting water in accordance with official regulations.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

- **6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**
Remove persons from danger area.
Avoid formation of dust.
Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.
Wear protective clothing.
- **6.2 Environmental precautions:**
Do not allow product to reach sewage system or any water course.
Inform respective authorities in case of seepage into water course or sewage system.
Do not allow to penetrate the ground/soil.
In case of seepage into the ground inform responsible authorities.
- **6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**
Ensure adequate ventilation.
Pick up mechanically.
Prevent formation of dust.
Dispose of the material collected according to regulations.
- **6.4 Reference to other sections**
See Section 7 for information on safe handling.
See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.

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See Section 13 for disposal information.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

· 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.

Prevent formation of dust.

Do not inhale dust / smoke / mist.

Any unavoidable deposit of dust must be regularly removed.

Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

· **Information about fire - and explosion protection:** Dust can combine with air to form an explosive mixture.

· 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

· Storage:

· **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** Store only in unopened original receptacles.· **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Store away from foodstuffs.· **Further information about storage conditions:** None.· **7.3 Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

· 8.1 Control parameters

· **Ingredients with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**

7440-48-4 cobalt

WEL Long-term value: 0.1 mg/m³
as Co; Carc, Sen

7440-47-3 chromium

WEL Long-term value: 0.5 mg/m³

7440-33-7 tungsten

WEL Short-term value: 10 mg/m³
Long-term value: 5 mg/m³
as W

7440-21-3 silicon

WEL Long-term value: 10* 4** mg/m³
*inhalable dust **respirable dust· **Additional information:** The lists valid during the making were used as basis.

· 8.2 Exposure controls

· **Appropriate engineering controls** No further data; see section 7.· **Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment**· **General protective and hygienic measures:**

The usual precautionary measures are to be adhered to when handling chemicals.

Do not inhale dust / smoke / mist.

Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.

Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.

Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing

· **Respiratory protection:** Suitable respiratory protective device recommended.

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· Hand protection



Protective gloves

· Material of gloves

The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer. As the product is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material can not be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application.

· Penetration time of glove material

The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.

· Eye/face protection



Tightly sealed goggles

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

· 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

· General Information

· Physical state	Solid
· Colour:	White
· Odour:	Odourless
· Odour threshold:	Not determined.
· Melting point/freezing point:	Undetermined.
· Boiling point or initial boiling point and boiling range	>999 °C
· Flammability	Not determined.
· Lower and upper explosion limit	
· Lower:	Not determined.
· Upper:	Not determined.
· Flash point:	Not applicable.
· Auto-ignition temperature:	Undetermined.
· Decomposition temperature:	Not determined.
· pH	Not applicable.
· Viscosity:	
· Kinematic viscosity	Not applicable.
· Dynamic:	Not applicable.
· Solubility	
· water:	Insoluble.
· Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (log value)	Not determined.
· Vapour pressure:	Not applicable.
· Density and/or relative density	
· Density at 20 °C:	8.4 g/cm ³
· Relative density	Not determined.
· Vapour density	Not applicable.

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- **9.2 Other information**
- **Appearance:**
- **Form:** Solid material
- **Important information on protection of health and environment, and on safety.**
- **Ignition temperature:** Product is not selfigniting.
- **Explosive properties:** Product does not present an explosion hazard.
- **Change in condition**
- **Evaporation rate** Not applicable.
- **Information with regard to physical hazard classes**
- **Explosives** Void
- **Flammable gases** Void
- **Aerosols** Void
- **Oxidising gases** Void
- **Gases under pressure** Void
- **Flammable liquids** Void
- **Flammable solids** Void
- **Self-reactive substances and mixtures** Void
- **Pyrophoric liquids** Void
- **Pyrophoric solids** Void
- **Self-heating substances and mixtures** Void
- **Substances and mixtures, which emit flammable gases in contact with water** Void
- **Oxidising liquids** Void
- **Oxidising solids** Void
- **Organic peroxides** Void
- **Corrosive to metals** Void
- **Desensitised explosives** Void

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

- **10.1 Reactivity** No further relevant information available.
- **10.2 Chemical stability**
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions** No dangerous reactions known.
- **10.4 Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.
- **10.5 Incompatible materials:** No further relevant information available.
- **10.6 Hazardous decomposition products:** No dangerous decomposition products known.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

- **11.1 Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**
- **Acute toxicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **LD/LC50 values relevant for classification:** No further relevant information available.
- **Respiratory or skin sensitisation**
May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.
May cause an allergic skin reaction.
- **Germ cell mutagenicity** Suspected of causing genetic defects.
- **Carcinogenicity** May cause cancer.

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- **Reproductive toxicity** May damage fertility.
- **Additional toxicological information:**
- **Repeated dose toxicity** No further relevant information available.
- **CMR effects (carcinogenicity, mutagenicity and toxicity for reproduction)**
No further relevant information available.
- **11.2 Information on other hazards**

· Endocrine disrupting properties
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None of the ingredients is listed.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

- **12.1 Toxicity**
- **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.
- **12.2 Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.
- **12.3 Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.
- **12.4 Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.
- **12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.
- **12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties**
The product does not contain substances with endocrine disrupting properties.
- **12.7 Other adverse effects**
- **Additional ecological information:**
- **General notes:**
Water hazard class 3 (German Regulation) (Self-assessment): extremely hazardous for water
Do not allow product to reach ground water, water course or sewage system, even in small quantities.
Danger to drinking water if even extremely small quantities leak into the ground.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

- **13.1 Waste treatment methods**
- **Recommendation**
Must not be disposed together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.
- **Uncleaned packaging:**
- **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

SECTION 14: Transport information

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|--|---------------|
| · 14.1 UN number or ID number | |
| · ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA | not regulated |
| · 14.2 UN proper shipping name | |
| · ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA | not regulated |
| · 14.3 Transport hazard class(es) | |
| · ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA | |
| · Class | not regulated |

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| · 14.4 Packing group
· ADR, IMDG, IATA | not regulated |
| · 14.5 Environmental hazards:
· Marine pollutant: | Yes |
| · 14.6 Special precautions for user | Not applicable. |
| · 14.7 Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments | Not applicable. |
| · UN "Model Regulation": | not regulated |

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SECTION 15: Regulatory information

- **15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**
- **Poisons Act**

- **Regulated explosives precursors**

None of the ingredients is listed.

- **Regulated poisons**

None of the ingredients is listed.

- **Reportable explosives precursors**

None of the ingredients is listed.

- **Reportable poisons**

None of the ingredients is listed.

- **Directive 2012/18/EU**

- **Named dangerous substances - ANNEX I** None of the ingredients is listed.

- **15.2 Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

SECTION 16: Other information

- **Relevant phrases**

H228 Flammable solid.

H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.

H334 May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.

H341 Suspected of causing genetic defects.

H350 May cause cancer.

H360F May damage fertility.

H413 May cause long lasting harmful effects to aquatic life.

- **Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008** Calculation method

- **Department issuing SDS:** Regulatory affairs

- **Contact:** msds@gc.dental

- **Abbreviations and acronyms:**

ADR: Accord relatif au transport international des marchandises dangereuses par route (European Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

IATA: International Air Transport Association

GHS: Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances

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*CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)**LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent**LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent**PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic**vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative**Flam. Sol. 2: Flammable solids – Category 2**Resp. Sens. 1: Respiratory sensitisation – Category 1**Skin Sens. 1: Skin sensitisation – Category 1**Muta. 2: Germ cell mutagenicity – Category 2**Carc. 1B: Carcinogenicity – Category 1B**Repr. 1B: Reproductive toxicity – Category 1B**Aquatic Chronic 4: Hazardous to the aquatic environment - long-term aquatic hazard – Category 4***Sources**• ECHA (<http://echa.europa.eu/>)• EnviChem (www.echemportal.org)*** Data compared to the previous version altered.***This version replaces all previous versions.***Disclaimer:**

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