# Material Safety Data Sheet

# HOT ROLLED COILED STEEL and MILL SCALE

### **SECTION 1: MANUFACTURER'S INFORMATION**

A. Manufacturer's Name: North Star BlueScope Steel LLC

B. Address: 6767 County Rd. 9 C. Emergency Telephone No. 419-367-1169 D. City, State, and Zip F. Date of review: February 10, 2005 C. Emergency Telephone No. 419-367-1169 E. Business Hours Telephone No. 419-822-2200 G. Reviweed by: Melissa Dotson, EHS Manager

H. Revision Number: 5.0

## **SECTION 2: HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS**

<b>CHEMICAL</b>	<b>SYMBOL</b>	<b>C.A.S. NO.</b>	MAX. %	<b>ACGIH TLV</b>
Aluminum	(Al)	7429-90-5	0.08	fume 5 mg/M3
Antimony	(Sb)	7440-36-0	0.03	0.5mg/M3
Arsenic	(As)	7440-38-2	0.02	0.01mg/M3
Carbon	(C)	7440-44-0	0.9	fume 55 mg/M3
Chromium	(Cr)	7440-47-3	0.3	0.5 mg/M3*
Cobalt	(Co)	7440-48-4	0.03	fume 0.1
Copper	(Cu)	7440-50-8	1.0	fume 0.1 mg/M3**
Iron	(Fe)	7439-89-6	99.0	fume 5.0 .g/M3
Lead	(Pb)	7439-92-1	0.02	fume .05 mg/M3**
Manganese	(Mn)	7439-96-5	1.7	fume 1 mg/M3
Magnesium	(Mg)	7439-95-4	0.01	fume 10mg/M3
Molybdenum	(Mo)	7439-98-7	0.3	5 mg/M3
Nickel	(Ni)	7440-02-0	0.3	1 mg/M3*
Phosphorous	(P)	7723-14-0	0.1	0.1 mg/M3
Silicon	(Si)	7440-21-3	0.8	5 mg/M3**
Sulfur	(S)	7446-09-5	0.04	fume as $SO_2$ , 5.0 mg/M3
Tin	(Sn)	7440-31-5	0.06	fume 2 mg/M3
Titanium	(Ti)	13463-67-7	0.10	fume 10 mg/M3
Vanadium	(V)	7440-62-2	0.2	fume as $P_205$ , 0.05 mg/M3
Zinc	(Zn)	7440-66-6	0.03	fume 5mg/M3

<sup>\*</sup>Recognized to have human carcinogenic potential.

#### SECTION 3: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL CHARACTERISTICS

A. Boiling Point: 4982° F B. Specific Gravity (water = 1): 8 C. Vapor Pressure: N/A

D. Solubility in Water: N/A E. Reactivity in water: N/A F. Vapor Density (Air = 1): N/A

G. Appearance and Odor: Odorless solid w/metallic luster

H. Melting Point: 2750° F

#### **SECTION 4: FIRE & EXPLOSION DATA**

A. Flash Point:	N/A	B. Flammable Limits in Air & by Volume:	N/A
C. Auto-Ignition Temperature:	N/A	D. Extinguisher Media:	N/A
E. Special Fire Fighting Procedures:	N/A	F. Unusual Fire & Explosion Hazard:	N/A

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<sup>\*\*</sup>OSHA PEL Referenced.

#### SECTION 5: PHYSCIAL HAZARDS (REACTIVITY DATA)

- B. Incompatibility or Materials to Avoid: Strong acids or caustics may produce Hydrogen gas.
- C. Hazardous Decomposition Products: Metal fumes and certain toxic gases, such as carbon monoxide may be generated during welding, burning and/or grinding operations.
- D. Hazardous Polymerization May Occur Will not Occur

#### **SECTION 6: HEALTH HAZARDS:**

- A. Acute: See below B. Chronic: See below
- C. Signs & Symptoms of Exposure: No toxic effects would be expected from inert, solid form. Prolonged, repeated exposure to fumes or dusts generated during heating, cutting, or welding may cause dizziness, headache and nausea.
- D. Chemical Listed as Carcinogen or Potential Carcinogen: See section 2.0 Hazardous Ingredients
- E. Emergency & First Aid Procedures: In case of over exposure, immediately move person from contaminated area to fresh air. Give artificial respiration if breathing has stopped and seek medical assistance.
  - 1. Inhalation: Most common route of entry; occurs during welding, grinding, burning and similar operations that liberate dust / fume into the air
- F. Routes of Entry
- 2. Eyes: Airborne dust and/or fumes can cause exposure.
- 3. Skin: Scrapes / cuts skin absorption unlikely
- 4. Ingestion: Unlikely

#### SECTION 7: SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS AND SPILL / LEAK PROCEDURES

- A. Precautions to be taken in handling and storage: None.
- B. Steps to be taken in case material is released or spilled: Clean up and dispose of in compliance with

section 7.C. recycle with local scrap dealer.

C. Waste Disposal Methods: Recycle with local scrap dealer in compliance with federal, state, and local regulations.

#### SECTION 8: SPECIAL PROTECTION INFORMATION / CONTROL MEASURES

- A. Respiratory Protection: A properly fitted, NIOSH approved fume and dust respirator.
- B. Ventilation: Use local exhaust to meet ACGIH TLV or OSHA PEL for hazardous ingredients.
- C. Protective Gloves: Use for scrape and cut protection
- D. Eye / Face Protection: Use NIOSH approved eye and face protection when burning, cutting, welding, grinding, etc.
- E. Foot Protection: Steel toed, metatarsal protective boots are recommended.
- F. Other Protective Clothing or Equipment: Use a NIOSH approved face shield when grinding.
- G. Work Hygienic Practices: Wash hands before meals or smoking.

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