

# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET 1 (5)

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## 1 PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION AND NAME OF THE COMPANY

Product name	Cartridges : . 222 Rem., .223 Rem., .22-250 Rem., .220 Swift., 5,6x52 R., 6x70 R., .243 Win., 6,5 Jap., 6,5 Carc., 6,5x55, 6,5x284 Norma, 6mm BR DL, 6XC, .270 Win., .270 WSM, 275 Norma Blaser, 7x57 R, 7x57, 7mm-08 Rem.,7x64, 7x65 R, .280 Rem.,.280 Win, 7 mm Rem. Mag.,7mm Norma Blaser, 7,62 Russian, 300 WSM, 300 Win Mag, 300 Norma Blaser, 30-06, .308 Win., .308 Norma Mag., 7,7 Jap.,7,65 Arg., 8x57 JRS, 8x57 JS, 8x68 S .338 Win. Mag., .338 Lapua Mag.,338 Norma Blaser,.35 Whelen .358 Norma Mag., 9,3x74 R, .375 H&H Mag.,375 Flanged Mag NE, .458 Win. Mag. , 6 mm BR, 7,5x55 swiss, 9,3x57, 9,3x62 , .404 Jeffrey NE ,404 Rimless, 404 Rimless NE .416 Rem Mag,.416 Rigby,.416 Taylor .450 Rigby Rimless, .458 Lott, 458 Win Mag, 470 NE,.500 NE, .500 Jeffery, .500/416 N E, 505 Mag Gibbs.
Application	Ammunition
Manufacturer	Norma Precision AB S- Åmotfors SWEDEN Tel: 0571-31500 Int. +46-571-31500 Fax: 0571-31540 Int. +46-571-31540
Emergency telephone number	0571-315 00, Int. +46-571-31500

## 2 COMPOSITION/IDENTITY INFORMATION

### 2.1 General description:

Content of cartridge: Brass, copper, lead, primer and propellant.

### 2.2 Chemical characterization of hazardous ingredients:

Hazardous Components	CAS-no	EINECS-no	%	Danger code	Risk phrases
<b>Type of propellant double base .</b>					
<b>(Look at the safety data sheet for each calibre and type of propellant.)</b>					
<b>Down we have a general example.</b>					
Nitrocellulose (>12.6 %)	9004-70-0	-	>85		
Nitroglycerine	55-63-0	200-240-8	<5		
Centralite I	85-98-3	201-645-2	<2		
Bismuth (III)oxide	1304-76-3	215-134-7	<1		
<b>Primer charge: SINOXID</b>					
<b>Priming agents</b>					
Leadtrinitroresorcinat	15245-44-0		44	E,T	61-3-20/22-33-62
Tretrazen	109-27-3				
<b>Oxidation agents</b>					
Barium nitrate	10022-31-8		35		
<b>Reducing agent and additives</b>					
Calcium siliside	12013-56-8		21		
Antimony sulfide	1345-04-6				

### 2.3 Additional information:

Original packed articles do not represent a significant risk.  
In conformity with the regulations for the usage, no health hazards arise.

## 3 HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

General information	In case of free ignition the trajectory and maximum range of the projectile unknown
Hazard information	Heat impact or other mechanical effort , which can carry to damage of the case, or mechanical attempts to remove the propellant or primer charge, may cause an immediate ignition of the cartridge.



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3.1 Specific hazards for humans and environment.

**4 FIRST AID MEASURES**

Inhalation	Fresh air, rest and warmth. Rinse nose, mouth and throat with water. Call for a doctor if troubles remain.
Skin contact	Take immediately off contaminated clothes/shoes. Wash with soap and water. Call for a doctor if troubles remain.
Eye contact	Rinse carefully with water. Call for a doctor if troubles remain.
Ingestion	Give a few glasses of milk or water if the person is fully conscious and try to cause vomiting. Rinse the mouth with water. Call for a doctor if troubles remain.

**5 FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

Suitable extinguishing media	Water sprinkler or extinguishing powder from secure distance.
Extinguishing media not to be used	Not applicable
Dangerous breaking down-product / gases	After ignition of the cartridge the explosion will occur immediatly. Arising combustion products/gases see point 10. Avoid inhalaiton of combustion gases.
Special protective equipment for fire-fighters	Protective gloves, face protection and helmet as well as respirator is necessary.
Further information	If fire involves cargo: Fight fire with all available means but only from protected position. A mass explosion is not to expected. Warn people; inform quickly fire department and police.  Actions in case of fire in the surrounding: Remove vehicles out of fire zone. Fight fire in the surrounding with all available means. Prevent fire from reaching the cargo.

**6 ACCIDENTAL RELEASED MEASURES**

Personal precautions	Double base propellant is very toxic by contact with skin, toxic and by inhalation and if swallowed . The propellant is explosive and easily flammable; in small bulk helghts without confinement easy to ignite. The primer charge is very explosive. Inhalation of dust, skin contact as well as ignition sources such as friction, heat, sparks and electrostatic charge are absolutely to be avoided.
Precautions after unintentional exposing	Secure vicinity and keep unauthorized persons away, point out ignition hazards. Put up warning signs. Inform police.
Environmental precautions	Pick up possibly scattered cartridges only by hand, forward to authorized disposal personnel. Exposed explosives have to be carefully wiped up and have to be phlegmatished in a special marked container filled with water. The affected place to be cleaned wet. Do not get into soil, water, sewerage or groundwater.
Precautions at transport accidents	Secure road and warn other road users. Keep unauthorized persons away and point to the risk. Keep away ignition sources and open fire; no smoking.



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**7 HANDLING AND STORAGE**

**7.1 Handling**

Recommendation for safe handling	Keep away from heat and open fire. Do not throw the cartridges and do not open or deform by force. Caution – ignition sensitive to impact. Delivery only allowed in closed original packaging. Use only determined and authorized weapons.
Recommendation for protection against fire and explosion	No smoking. Keep away ignition sources and open fire.
Equipment which not will be used with handling	Equipment which cause static electricity.
Other rules and instructions	Permission by storage shall be allowed by the police. Keep in a way that ensures complete safety according handling and import of explosive products.

**7.2 Storage**

Storage condition	Only to be stored in packages authorized by transportation regulation in appropriate rooms. Store cool and dry. Optimal storage temperature: 20 degrees C (68 degrees F.) Protect against theft and unauthorized take-off.
Hints on storage assembly/ prohibition on storage assembly	Do not store together with inflammable and oxidizing substances
Further information on storage conditons	Storage group 1.4 Compatibility group S

**8 EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

Additional information on design of technical facilities	Only for outdoor use.
Substances with workplace related and controlled limit values	Not applicable.
General protection and hygiene measures	Do not eat, drink and smoke while using. Keep order and cleanness.
Ear protection	Use ear protection if noise level > 75 dB .
Respiratory protection	Not required
Hand protection	Not required
Eye protection	Not required
Protective clothing	Not required



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**9 PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

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**Safety-relevant data:**

Ignition sources: Sensitive to impact  
Ignition temperature: Ca. 160 degrees C (ca 320 degrees F )  
Other: Another physical dates not applicable

**10 STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Conditions which could affect the product stability Heat and impact on the primer cap leads to the individual ignition of the cartridge.  
Substances to avoid Avoid contact with acids, lyes, oils and aromatic hydrocarbons.  
Reaction products/ after conversion becoming free gases. The combustion gases contain carbon monoxid and nitrous gases.The fumes contain lead, barium and antimony compounds.  
Dangerous polymerization None

**11 TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Classification for LD / LC 50 - values: Not applicable.

**12 ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Ecological problems: There are no ecological problems to be expected if handled and used properly.

**13 DISPOSAL CONSIDERATION**

Handling of rest product: Completly fired cartridges may be forwarded to recycling, no hazardous waste.  
Further disposal information: Not fired cartridges, wich can not put to the intended use, have to be passed on to authorized persons in observance of local administrative regulations, particulary of the dangerous goods regulations according to point 14 .  
EWC-code: 160401 " ammunition "

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**14 TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

FN/UN number	0012
Class ADR/RID, IMDG, IATA	1.4 S
U.N.-proper shipping name	Cartridges for weapons, inert projectile
Packing regulations/ instructions	Valid packing in conformity with packing directives: According to ADR/RID/IMDG-Code: P130 According to ICAO-TI and IATA-DGR: 130 Inner packaging: Not necessary Intermediate packing: Not necessary Outer packaging: In a type approved and authorized box of packing group II, e.g. of fireboard (4G) or of natural wood, ordinary (4C1)
Information of mass	Net explosive mass per cartridge: Dependent on the type of cartridge: max 7,5 g Total mass per cartridge: Dependent on the type of cartridge: max 60,0 g
Other information	According to subsection 1,1.3.6 ADR the exemption limit is unlimited. Note in transport document: " LOAD NOT EXCEEDING THE EXEMPTION LIMIT PRESCRIBED IN SECTION 1.1.3.6" . The transport according to ICAO-TI/IATA-DGR is permitted in cargo hold of passenger aircrafts and in cargo aircrafts.

**15 REGULATORY INFORMATION**

Product name	Cartridge
Limitation/restriction	Permit required for handling and storage.
Permission for transfer and handling	The legislation about flammable substances and explosive products. (Sweden)
Other legislation	Safety adviser for dangerous goods. Legislation about transport of dangerous goods. Legislation and ordinance about manufacturing and sales of war material.
National legislation	SÄIFS 1993:4

**16 OTHER INFORMATION**

R-phrases from point 2.2	Propellant and primer charge: R22, Harmful if swallowed. R20/21/22, Harmful if inhaled, in contact with skin and if swallowed. R26/27/28, Very toxic by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed. R51/53, Toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse
Training for handling	Yes.
References	Arbetskyddsstyrelsens och Kemikalieinspektionens författningssamling. Kemiska ämnen: Prevent. RIB Integrerat beslutsstöd för skydd och olyckor.
Other	This safety data sheet is a revised edition according to the new chemical rules. The information in this SDS is based in our existing knowledge from a safety point of view. The information in the safety data sheet reflects the current state of knowledge of our products. It serves to describe the handling and safety requirements relevant to the product. No binding statements as to the contractually agreed product characteristics may be inferred there from. This safety data sheet is printed automatically and hence unsigned.