

# S-MicroZVI Specification Sheet

# S-MicroZVI Technical Description

S-MicroZVI® is an *In Situ* Chemical Reduction (ISCR) reagent that promotes the destruction of many organic pollutants and is most commonly used with chlorinated hydrocarbons. It is engineered to provide an optimal source of micro-scale zero valent iron (ZVI) that is both easy to use and delivers enhanced reactivity with the target contaminants via multiple pathways. S-MicroZVI can destroy many chlorinated contaminants through a direct chemical reaction (see Figure 1). S-MicroZVI will also stimulate anaerobic biological degradation by rapidly creating a reducing environment that is favorable for reductive dechlorination.

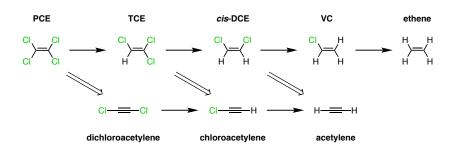


S-MicroZVI is composed of colloidal, sulfidated zero-valent iron particles suspended in glycerol using proprietary environmentally acceptable dispersants. The passivation technique of sulfidation, completed using proprietary processing methods, provides unparalleled reactivity with chlorinated hydrocarbons like PCE and TCE and increases its stability and longevity by minimizing undesirable side reactions.





In addition to superior reactivity, S-MicroZVI is designed for easy handling that is unmatched by any ZVI product on the market. Shipped as a liquid suspension, S-MicroZVI requires no powder feeders, no thickening with guar, and pneumatic or hydraulic fracturing is not mandatory. When diluted with water prior to application, the resulting suspension is easy to inject using either direct push or permanent injection wells.



**Figure 1:** Chlorinated ethene degradation pathways and products. The top pathway with single line arrows represent the reductive dechlorination (hydrogenolysis) pathway. The lower pathway with downward facing double line arrows represent the beta-elimination pathway.

To see a list of treatable contaminants, view the S-MicroZVI treatable contaminants guide.



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### **Chemical Composition**

Iron, powders CAS 7439-89-6 Iron (II) sulfide CAS 1317-37-9 Glycerol CAS 56-81-8

#### **Properties**

Physical State: Liquid

Form: Viscous metallic suspension

Color: Dark gray
Odor: Slight

pH: Typically 7-9 as applied

Density: 15 lb/gal

### Storage and Handling Guidelines

#### Storage:

- Use within four weeks of delivery
- Store in original containers
- Store at temperatures below 95F°
- Store away from incompatible materials

#### Handling:

- Never mix with oxidants or acids
- Wear appropriate personal protective equipment
- Do not taste or swallow
- Observe good industrial hygiene practices

## **Applications**

S-MicroZVI is diluted with water on site and easily applied into the subsurface through low-pressure injections. S-MicroZVI can also be mixed with products like 3-D Microemulsion® or PlumeStop® prior to injection.

## Health and Safety

The material is relatively safe to handle; however, avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. OSHA Level D personal protection equipment including: vinyl or rubber gloves and eye protection are recommended when handling this product. Please review the Safety Data Sheet for additional storage, and handling requirements here: S-MicroZVI SDS.



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