

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. Identification

Ammonium hydroxide, 20°Be **Product Name** 

Cat No.: C1564

**Synonyms** Ammonia solution; Ammonia water; Ammonium hydrate

**Recommended Use** Laboratory chemicals.

Uses advised against No Information available

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company

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**Emergency Telephone Number** 

Infotrac: 800-535-5053

## 2. Hazard(s) identification

### Classification

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Skin Corrosion/irritation Category 1 B Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation Category 1 Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) Category 3

Target Organs - Respiratory system.

## Label Elements

# Signal Word

Danger

### **Hazard Statements**

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage May cause respiratory irritation





### **Precautionary Statements**

#### Prevention

Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area

#### Response

Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician

#### Inhalation

IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing

#### Skin

IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower

Wash contaminated clothing before reuse

#### **Eyes**

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing **Ingestion** 

IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. DO NOT induce vomiting

#### Storage

Store locked up

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed

#### **Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

### Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Very toxic to aquatic life

### **Unknown Acute Toxicity**

.? % of the mixture consists of ingredients of unknown toxicity.

# 3. Composition / information on ingredients

Component	CAS-No	Weight %
Water	7732-18-5	45-46%
Ammonium hydroxide	1336-21-6	54-55%

### 4. First-aid measures

General Advice Immediate medical attention is required. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in

attendance.

**Eye Contact** Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes.

Immediate medical attention is required.

**Skin Contact** Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Immediate medical

attention is required.

**Inhalation** Move to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Do not use mouth-to-mouth

resuscitation if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; induce artificial respiration with a

respiratory medical device. Immediate medical attention is required.

**Ingestion** Do not induce vomiting. Call a physician or Poison Control Centre immediately.

Most important symptoms/effects Causes burns by all exposure routes. . Ingestion causes severe swelling, severe damage

to the delicate tissue and danger of perforation: Product is a corrosive material. Use of

gastric lavage or emesis is contraindicated. Possible perforation of stomach or esophagus

should be investigated

Notes to Physician Treat symptomatically

## 5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable Extinguishing Media CO<sub>2</sub>, dry chemical, dry sand, alcohol-resistant foam. Use extinguishing measures that are

appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media No information available

Flash Point No information available Method - No information available

**Autoignition Temperature** 

**Explosion Limits** 

651 °C / 1203.8 °F

Upper No data available
Lower No data available
Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact No information available
Sensitivity to Static Discharge No information available

### **Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical**

Keep product and empty container away from heat and sources of ignition.

### **Hazardous Combustion Products**

Nitrogen oxides (NOx)

## **Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters**

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear. Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors.

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Health	Flammability	Instability	Physical hazards
3	1	0	N/A

### 6. Accidental release measures

Personal Precautions Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment. Keep people away from

and upwind of spill/leak. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Avoid contact with skin, eyes

and inhalation of vapors.

**Environmental Precautions** Should not be released into the environment. Keep out of waterways. See Section 12 for

additional ecological information. Avoid release to the environment. Collect spillage.

**Methods for Containment and Clean** Soak up with inert absorbent material. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal. **Up** 

7. Handling and storage						
Handling	Use only under a chemical fume hood. Wear personal protective equipment. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Do not ingest. Do not breathe vapors or spray mist.					

# **Storage** Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Corrosives area.

### 8. Exposure controls / personal protection

**Exposure Guidelines**This product does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits

established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

**Engineering Measures**Use only under a chemical fume hood. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers

are close to the workstation location.

**Personal Protective Equipment** 

**Eye/face Protection** Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by

OSHA's eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard

EN166. Tightly fitting safety goggles. Face-shield.

**Skin and body protection**Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure.

Respiratory Protection Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard

EN 149. Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced.

Hygiene Measures Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

## 9. Physical and chemical properties

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Physical StateLiquidAppearanceColorlessOdorAmmonia-like

Odor Threshold No information available

Melting Point/Range -57 °C / -70.6 °F
Boiling Point/Range 38 °C / 100.4 °F
Flash Point No information available
Evaporation Rate No information available

Flammability (solid,gas) Not applicable

Flammability or explosive limits

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Upper No data available Lower No data available **Vapor Pressure** 500 hPa @ 20 °C **Vapor Density** 0.59 (Air = 1.0)0.88-0.91 **Specific Gravity** Solubility Soluble in water Partition coefficient; n-octanol/water No data available **Autoignition Temperature** 651 °C / 1203.8 °F

Decomposition Temperature

No information available

Viscosity

No information available

Molecular Formula H5 N O Molecular Weight 35.05

### 10. Stability and reactivity

Reactive Hazard None known, based on information available

**Stability** Stable under normal conditions.

Conditions to Avoid Incompatible products. Excess heat.

Incompatible Materials Strong oxidizing agents, Metals, Acids, Fluorine, Halogens

Hazardous Decomposition Products Nitrogen oxides (NOx)

Hazardous Polymerization Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

**Hazardous Reactions** None under normal processing.

## 11. Toxicological information

**Acute Toxicity** 

**Product Information** See actual entry in RTECS for complete information.

Oral LD50

Based on ATE data, the classification criteria are not met. ATE > 2000 mg/kg.

Dermal LD50

Based on ATE data, the classification criteria are not met. ATE > 2000 mg/kg.

Vapor LC50

Based on ATE data, the classification criteria are not met. ATE > 20 mg/l.

**Component Information** 

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### Ammonium hydroxide

Component LD50 Oral		LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation	
	Ammonium hydroxide	350 mg/kg (Rat)	Not listed	Not listed

**Toxicologically Synergistic** 

No information available

**Products** 

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Causes burns by all exposure routes Irritation

Sensitization No information available

The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen. Carcinogenicity

Component	CAS-No	IARC	NTP	ACGIH	OSHA	Mexico
Water	7732-18-5	Not listed				
Ammonium hydroxide	1336-21-6	Not listed				

**Mutagenic Effects** No information available

**Reproductive Effects** No information available.

**Developmental Effects** No information available.

No information available. **Teratogenicity** 

STOT - single exposure Respiratory system

STOT - repeated exposure None known

No information available **Aspiration hazard** 

delayed

Symptoms / effects, both acute and Ingestion causes severe swelling, severe damage to the delicate tissue and danger of

perforation: Product is a corrosive material. Use of gastric lavage or emesis is contraindicated. Possible perforation of stomach or esophagus should be investigated

**Endocrine Disruptor Information** No information available

Other Adverse Effects See actual entry in RTECS for complete information.

## 12. Ecological information

### **Ecotoxicity**

Very toxic to aquatic organisms. The product contains following substances which are hazardous for the environment.

Component	Freshwater Algae	Freshwater Fish	Microtox	Water Flea
Ammonium hydroxide	-	0.53 mg/l LC50 96h	-	EC50: 0.66 mg/L/48h
		0.75 - 3.4 mg/l LC50 96h		_
		8.2 mg/L LC50 96h		

Persistence and Degradability

Persistence is unlikely based on information available.

**Bioaccumulation/ Accumulation** No information available.

**Mobility** No information available.

### 13. Disposal considerations

**Waste Disposal Methods** 

Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. Chemical waste generators must also consult local, regional, and national hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.

## 14. Transport information

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UN2672 **UN-No** 

**Proper Shipping Name AMMONIA SOLUTIONS** 

**Hazard Class Packing Group** Ш

**TDG** 

UN-No UN2672

Proper Shipping Name AMMONIA SOLUTIONS

Hazard Class 8
Packing Group III

IATA

UN-No UN2672

Proper Shipping Name AMMONIA SOLUTION

Hazard Class 8
Packing Group III

IMDG/IMO

UN-No UN2672

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## 15. Regulatory information

All of the components in the product are on the following Inventory lists: X = listed

#### International Inventories

Component	TSCA	DSL	NDSL	EINECS	ELINCS	NLP	PICCS	ENCS	AICS	IECSC	KECL
Water	X	Х	-	231-791-2	-		Χ	-	Χ	Χ	Χ
Ammonium hydroxide	Х	Х	-	215-647-6	-		Χ	Χ	Х	Х	Χ

#### Legend:

- X Listed
- E Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 5(e) Consent order under TSCA.
- F Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 5(f) Rule under TSCA.
- N Indicates a polymeric substance containing no free-radical initiator in its inventory name but is considered to cover the designated polymer made with any free-radical initiator regardless of the amount used.
- P Indicates a commenced PMN substance
- R Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 6 risk management rule under TSCA.
- S Indicates a substance that is identified in a proposed or final Significant New Use Rule
- T Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 4 test rule under TSCA.
- XU Indicates a substance exempt from reporting under the Inventory Update Rule, i.e. Partial Updating of the TSCA Inventory Data Base Production and Site Reports (40 CFR 710(B).
- Y1 Indicates an exempt polymer that has a number-average molecular weight of 1,000 or greater.
- Y2 Indicates an exempt polymer that is a polyester and is made only from reactants included in a specified list of low concern reactants that comprises one of the eligibility criteria for the exemption rule.

### U.S. Federal Regulations

TSCA 12(b) Not applicable

#### **SARA 313**

Component	CAS-No	Weight %	SARA 313 - Threshold Values %
Ammonium hydroxide	1336-21-6	25-30	1.0

## SARA 311/312 Hazardous Categorization

Acute Health Hazard Yes
Chronic Health Hazard No
Fire Hazard No
Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard No
Reactive Hazard No

### **Clean Water Act**

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Component	CWA - Hazardous Substances	CWA - Reportable Quantities	CWA - Toxic Pollutants	CWA - Priority Pollutants
Ammonium hydroxide	X	1000 lb	-	-

Clean Air Act Not applicable

**OSHA** Occupational Safety and Health Administration

Not applicable

#### **CERCLA**

This material, as supplied, contains one or more substances regulated as a hazardous substance under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302)

Component	Hazardous Substances RQs	CERCLA EHS RQs	
Ammonium hydroxide	1000 lb	-	

**California Proposition 65** 

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals

State Right-to-Know

Component	Massachusetts	New Jersey	Pennsylvania	Illinois	Rhode Island
Water	-	-	X	-	-
Ammonium hydroxide	X	Х	Х	=	=

### **U.S. Department of Transportation**

Reportable Quantity (RQ): Y
DOT Marine Pollutant N
DOT Severe Marine Pollutant N

### **U.S. Department of Homeland Security**

This product does not contain any DHS chemicals.

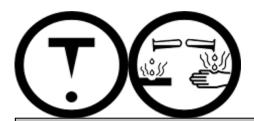
### Other International Regulations

Mexico - Grade No information available

#### Canada

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations (CPR) and the MSDS contains all the information required by the CPR

WHMIS Hazard Class E Corrosive material D2B Toxic materials



## 16. Other information

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Revision Summary

This document has been updated to comply with the US OSHA HazCom 2012 Standard

replacing the current legislation under 29 CFR 1910.1200 to align with the Globally

Harmonized System of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals (GHS)

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