

1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Identifier

Product Name Ammonium Chloride

Other means of identification

Product Code(s) A2143

Synonyms No information available

Product Use For Laboratory Research Use Only.

Supplier/Manufacturer

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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification

OSHA Regulatory Status

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

Acute Toxicity - Oral	Category 4
Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation	Category 2

Label elements

Emergency Overview

Warning

Hazard statements

H302 - Harmful if swallowed

H319 - Causes serious eye irritation



Appearance White

Physical State Granular Powder

Odor No information available

Precautionary Statements - Prevention

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling
Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product

IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell
Rinse mouth

Precautionary Statements - Disposal

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Not regulated

Other Information

Unknown Acute Toxicity 0 % of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	CAS-No	EC No.	Weight %	Trade Secret
Ammonium chloride	12125-02-9	235-186-4	95-100	Not applicable

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

First Aid Measures

Eye Contact	Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, lifting lower and upper eyelids. Consult a physician.
Skin Contact	Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water removing all contaminated clothes and shoes.
Inhalation	Move to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration.
Ingestion	Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Most Important Symptoms/Effects No information available.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Notes to Physician Treat symptomatically.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable Extinguishing Media

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media No information available.

Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical

No information available.

Hazardous Combustion Products Hydrogen Chloride gas. Ammonia.

Explosion Data

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact None.
Sensitivity to Static Discharge None.

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.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal protection Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

Environmental Precautions

Environmental Precautions See Section 12 for additional Ecological information.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for Containment Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

Methods for Cleaning Up Avoid dust formation. Pick up and transfer to properly labeled containers. Ventilate area and wash spill site after material pickup is complete.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for Safe Handling

Handling Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Hygroscopic.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Hygroscopic.

Incompatible Products Strong acids. Strong bases.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control parameters

Exposure Guidelines

Chemical Name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
Ammonium chloride	20 mg/m ³ STEL (fume) TWA: 10 mg/m ³	-	TWA: 10 mg/m ³ STEL: 20 mg/m ³

Appropriate engineering controls

Engineering Measures Showers
Eyewash stations
Ventilation systems.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/Face Protection Avoid contact with eyes. Safety glasses with side-shields.

Skin and Body Protection Wear protective gloves/clothing.

Respiratory Protection If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, NIOSH/MSHA approved respiratory protection should be worn. Positive-pressure supplied air respirators may be required for high airborne contaminant concentrations. Respiratory protection must be provided in accordance with current local regulations.

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

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical State	Granular Powder	Odor	No information available
Appearance	White	Odor Threshold	No information available
Color	No information available		

<u>Property</u>	<u>Values</u>	<u>Remarks • Method</u>
pH	(1% in water) 5.5	
Melting point/freezing point		
Boiling Point/Range	520 °C	
Flash Point (High in °C)	No information available	
Evaporation Rate	No information available	
Flammability (solid, gas)	No information available	
Flammability Limit in Air		
Upper flammability limit:	No information available	
Lower flammability limit:	No information available	
Vapor pressure	No information available	
Vapor Density	No information available	
Specific Gravity	1.53	
Water Solubility	Appreciable	
Solubility in other solvents	No information available	
Partition coefficient	No information available	
Autoignition Temperature	No information available	
Decomposition Temperature	No information available	
Kinematic viscosity	No information available	
Dynamic viscosity	No information available	
Explosive Properties	No information available	
Oxidizing Properties	No information available	

Other Information

Softening Point	No information available
Molecular Weight	No information available
VOC Content	No information available
Density	1.9
Bulk Density	No information available

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity

No data available

Chemical Stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

None under normal processing.

Conditions to Avoid

Protect from moisture.

Incompatible Materials

Strong acids. Strong bases.

Hazardous Decomposition Products

Hydrogen chloride gas. Ammonia.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on likely routes of exposure

Product Information	Causes skin, eye and respiratory tract irritation Toxic if swallowed
Inhalation	There is no data available for this product.
Eye Contact	There is no data available for this product.

Skin Contact There is no data available for this product.

Ingestion There is no data available for this product.

Chemical Name	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Ammonium chloride	= 1650 mg/kg (Rat)	-	-

Information on toxicological effects

Symptoms No information available.

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

Sensitization No information available.

Mutagenic Effects No information available.

Carcinogenicity No information available.

Chemical Name	ACGIH	IARC	NTP	OSHA
Ammonium chloride	-	-	-	-

Reproductive Toxicity No information available.

STOT - single exposure No information available.

STOT - repeated exposure No information available.

Target Organ Effects Liver, Kidneys, Lungs.

Aspiration hazard No information available.

Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information

Unknown Acute Toxicity 0 % of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity

The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document .

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

0% of the mixture consists of component(s) of unknown hazards to the aquatic environment

Chemical Name	Algae/aquatic plants	Toxicity to Fish	Crustacea
Ammonium chloride	-	209: 96 h Cyprinus carpio mg/L LC50 static 725: 24 h Lepomis macrochirus mg/L LC50	202: 24 h Daphnia magna mg/L LC50

Persistence and Degradability

No information available.

Bioaccumulation/Accumulation

No information available.

Chemical Name	Partition coefficient
Ammonium chloride	-

Other Adverse Effects No information available

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste treatment methods

Waste Disposal Method Dispose of material in accordance with all federal, state, and local regulations.

Contaminated Packaging Do not re-use empty containers.

Chemical Name	RCRA - Halogenated Organic Compounds	RCRA - P Series Wastes	RCRA - F Series Wastes	RCRA - K Series Wastes
Ammonium chloride	-	-	-	-

Chemical Name	California Hazardous Waste Status
Ammonium chloride	-

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT Not regulated

IATA Not regulated

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

International Inventories

TSCA	Complies
DSL/NDSL	Complies
EINECS/ELINCS	Complies
ENCS	Complies
IECSC	Complies
KECL	Complies
PICCS	Complies
AICS	Complies

Legend

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory
 DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List
 EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances/EU List of Notified Chemical Substances
 ENCS - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances
 IECSC - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances
 KECL - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances
 PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances
 AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

U.S. Federal Regulations

SARA 313

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product contains a chemical or chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372:

Component	SARA 313 - Threshold Values %
Ammonium chloride	1.0

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

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

Clean Water Act

This product contains the following substances which are regulated pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42)

Chemical Name	CWA - Reportable Quantities	CWA - Toxic Pollutants	CWA - Priority Pollutants	CWA - Hazardous Substances
Ammonium chloride	5000 lb	-	-	X

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)

Chemical Name	Hazardous Substances RQs	Extremely Hazardous Substances RQs	RQ
Ammonium chloride	5000 lb	-	RQ 5000 lb final RQ RQ 2270 kg final RQ

U.S. State Regulations**California Proposition 65**

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

Chemical Name	California Prop. 65
Ammonium chloride	-

U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

Chemical Name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania
Ammonium chloride	X	X	X

U.S. EPA Label Information

EPA Pesticide Registration Number Not regulated

16. OTHER INFORMATION

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The information provided on this MSDS is correct to the best of our knowledge, information and belief at the date of its publication. The information given is designed only as a guide for safe handling, use, processing, storage, transportation, disposal and release and is not to be considered as a warranty or quality specification. The information relates only to the specific material designated and may not be valid for such material used in combination with any other material or in any process, unless specified in the text.

End of Safety Data Sheet