Material Safety Data Sheet



ALUMINUM NITRATE NONAHYDRATE

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Section 1 - Product Description

Product Name: Aluminum (III) Nitrate, Nonahydrate

Product Code(s): 84-3310

Size: 500 g

Chemical Name: Aluminum (III) Nitrate, Nonahydrate

CAS Number: 7784-27-2 **Formula:** Al(NO3)3•9H2O

Synonyms: Aluminum Trinitrate: Aluminum Nitrate, Nonahydrate

Distributor: Carolina Biological Supply Company, 2700 York Road, Burlington, NC 27215

Chemical Information: 800-227-1150 (8am-5pm (ET) M-F) Chemtrec 800-424-9300 (Transportation Spill Response 24

hours)

Section 2 - Hazard Identification

Emergency Overview: Contact with combustible material may cause fire. Explosive when mixed with combustible material. Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin. Harmful by inhalation and if swallowed. Decomposition produces noxious fumes.

Potential Health Effects:

Eyes: May cause irritation. **Skin:** May cause irritation to skin.

Ingestion: May cause gastrointestinal discomfort. **Inhalation:** May cause irritation to respiratory tract.

Section 3 - Composition / Information on Ingredients

Principal Hazardous Components: Aluminum nitrate (CAS 7784-27-2) 100%

TLV units: (Aluminum) ACGIH-TLV 2 mg/m3 (TWA)

PEL units: N/A

Section 4 - First Aid Measures

Emergency and First Aid Procedures:

Eyes - In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.

Skin - After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of water.

Ingestion - If swallowed, if conscious, give plenty of water and induce vomiting immediately as directed by medical personnel. Immediately call a physician or poison control center. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

Inhalation - In case of accident by inhalation: remove casualty to fresh air and keep at rest.

Section 5 - Firefighting Procedures

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Flash Point (Method Used): N/A

NFPA Rating: Health: 2 Fire: 0 Reactivity: 3

Extinguisher Media: Use dry chemical, CO2 or appropriate foam.

Flammable Limits in Air % by Volume: N/A N/A

Autoignition Temperature: N/A

Special Firefighting Procedures: Firefighters should wear full protective equipment and NIOSH approved self-contained

breathing apparatus.

Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards: N/A

Section 6 - Spill or Leak Procedures

Steps to Take in Case Material Is Released or Spilled: Ventilate area of spill. Clean-up personnel should wear proper protective equipment. Avoid creating dust. Sweep or scoop up and containerize for disposal.

Section 7 - Special Precautions

Precautions to Take in Handling or Storing: Keep container tightly closed in a cool, well-ventilated place.

Section 8 - Protection Information

Respiratory Protection (Specify Type): None needed under normal conditions of use with adequate ventilation. A NIOSH/MSHA chemical cartridge respirator should be worn if PEL or TLV is exceeded.

Ventilation:

Local Exhaust: Yes Mechanical(General): Yes

Special: No **Other:** No

Protective Gloves: Natural rubber, Neoprene, PVC or equivalent. **Eye Protection:** Splash proof chemical safety goggles should be worn.

Other Protective Clothing or Equipment: Lab coat, apron, eye wash, safety shower.

Section 9 - Physical Data

Molecular Weight: N/A Melting Point: 70°C Boiling Point: Decomposes @ 135°C Vapor Pressure: N/A

Vapor Density(Air=1):N/ASpecific Gravity (H2O=1):N/APercent Volatile by Volume:N/AEvaporation Rate (BuAc=1):N/A

Solubility in Water: Soluble **Appearance and Odor:** White, odorless crystals.

Section 10 - Reactivity Data

Stability: Stable

Conditions to Avoid: Heat and sources of ignition.

Incompatibility (Materials to Avoid): Reducing agents, Organics,

Hazardous Decomposition Products: NOx, **Hazardous Polymerization:** Will not occur

Section 11 - Toxicity Data

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Toxicity Data: orl-rat LD50 264 mg/kg

Effects of Overexposure: Acute: See Section 2

Chronic: Not listed as a carcinogen by IARC, NTP or OSHA. **Conditions Aggravated by Overexposure:** Gastrointestinal,

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Target Organs: Liver, Kidneys, Blood,

Primary Route(s) of Entry: Inhalation, ingestion, eye or skin contact.

Section 12 - Ecological Data

EPA Waste Numbers: N/A

Section 13 - Disposal Information

Waste Disposal Methods: Dispose in accordance with all applicable Federal, State and Local regulations. Always contact a permitted waste disposer (TSD) to assure compliance.

Section 14 - Transport Information

DOT Proper Shipping Name: UN1438, Aluminum nitrate, 5.1, PG III, Ltd Qty < 5

Section 15 - Regulatory Information

EPA TSCA Status: On TSCA Inventory

Hazard Category for SARA Section 311/312 Reporting: Acute

Name List: Chemical Category:

No No

CERCLA Section 103 RQ(lb.): No

RCRA Section 261.33: No

Section 16 - Additional Information

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Glossary

ACGIH American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

CAS Number Chemical Services Abstract Number

CERCLA Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act

DOT U.S. Department of Transportation

IARC International Agency of Research on Cancer

N/A Not Available

NTP National Toxicology Program

OSHA Occupational Safety and Health Administration

PEL Permissible Exposure Limit

ppm Parts per million

RCRA Resource Conservation and Recovery Act
SARA Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act

TLV Threshold Limit Value
TSCA Toxic Substances Control Act

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