

SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. Identification

Product Name Ammonium chloride

Cat No. : AC393180000; AC393180010; AC393180050; AC393182500

CAS-No 12125-02-9
Synonyms Ammonium Chloratum; Ammonium Chloridum; Ammonium Muriate

Recommended Use Laboratory chemicals.
Uses advised against Food, drug, pesticide or biocidal product use.
Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company

Fisher Scientific
One Reagent Lane
Fair Lawn, NJ 07410
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Emergency Telephone NumberFor information **US** call: 001-800-ACROS-01 / **Europe** call: +32 14 57 52 11Emergency Number **US**:001-201-796-7100 / **Europe**: +32 14 57 52 99**CHEMTREC** Tel. No.**US**:001-800-424-9300 / **Europe**:001-703-527-3887

2. Hazard(s) identification

Classification

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

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| Acute oral toxicity | Category 4 |
| Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation | Category 2 |
| Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) | Category 3 |
| Target Organs - Respiratory system. | |
| Specific target organ toxicity - (repeated exposure) | Category 2 |
| Target Organs - Kidney, Heart, spleen, Blood. | |

Label Elements**Signal Word**

Warning

Hazard Statements

Harmful if swallowed

Causes serious eye irritation
May cause respiratory irritation
May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure

**Precautionary Statements****Prevention**

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling
Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product
Wear eye/face protection
Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray
Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area

Response

Get medical attention/advice if you feel unwell

Inhalation

IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing
Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell

Eyes

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing
If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention

Ingestion

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

Storage

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

Disposal

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

None identified

3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

| Component | CAS-No | Weight % |
|-------------------|------------|----------|
| Ammonium chloride | 12125-02-9 | >95 |

4. First-aid measures

General Advice

If symptoms persist, call a physician.

Eye Contact

Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention.

Skin Contact

Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention.

Inhalation

Remove to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.

Ingestion

Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

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| Most important symptoms and effects | None reasonably foreseeable. |
| Notes to Physician | Treat symptomatically |

5. Fire-fighting measures

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| Unsuitable Extinguishing Media | No information available |
| Flash Point | No information available |
| Method - | No information available |
| Autoignition Temperature | No information available |
| Explosion Limits | |
| 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

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors. Keep product and empty container away from heat and sources of ignition.

Hazardous Combustion Products

None known.

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.

NFPA

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|---------------|---------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|
| Health | Flammability | Instability | Physical hazards |
| 2 | 0 | 1 | N/A |

6. Accidental release measures

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| Personal Precautions | Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment as required. Avoid dust formation. |
| Environmental Precautions | Should not be released into the environment. See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information. |
| Methods for Containment and Clean Up | Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal. |

7. Handling and storage

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| Handling | Wear personal protective equipment/face protection. Ensure adequate ventilation. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Avoid ingestion and inhalation. Avoid dust formation. |
| Storage | Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. |

8. Exposure controls / personal protection

Exposure Guidelines

| Component | ACGIH TLV | OSHA PEL | NIOSH IDLH | Mexico OEL (TWA) |
|-------------------|---|---|---|---|
| Ammonium chloride | TWA: 10 mg/m ³ STEL: 20 mg/m ³ | (Vacated) TWA: 10 mg/m ³ (Vacated) STEL: 20 mg/m ³ | TWA: 10 mg/m ³ STEL: 20 mg/m ³ | TWA: 10 mg/m ³ STEL: 20 mg/m ³ |

Legend

ACGIH - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

OSHA - Occupational Safety and Health Administration
 NIOSH IDLH: NIOSH - National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health

Engineering Measures Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.
 Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

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. Tight sealing safety goggles.

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 State | Solid |
| Appearance | White |
| Odor | Odorless |
| Odor Threshold | No information available |
| pH | 5.0 @ 25°C 10% aq. solution |
| Melting Point/Range | 340 °C / 644 °F |
| Boiling Point/Range | No information available |
| Flash Point | No information available |
| Evaporation Rate | Not applicable |
| Flammability (solid,gas) | No information available |
| Flammability or explosive limits | |
| Upper | No data available |
| Lower | No data available |
| Vapor Pressure | 1.3 mbar @ 160 °C |
| Vapor Density | Not applicable |
| Specific Gravity | No information available |
| Solubility | Soluble in water |
| Partition coefficient; n-octanol/water | No data available |
| Autoignition Temperature | No information available |
| Decomposition Temperature | 350 °C |
| Viscosity | Not applicable |
| Molecular Formula | H4 Cl N |
| Molecular Weight | 53.49 |

10. Stability and reactivity

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| Reactive Hazard | None known, based on information available |
| Stability | Hygroscopic. |
| Conditions to Avoid | Incompatible products. Excess heat. Avoid dust formation. Exposure to moist air or water. |
| Incompatible Materials | Strong oxidizing agents |
| Hazardous Decomposition Products | None under normal use conditions |
| Hazardous Polymerization | Hazardous polymerization does not occur. |

Hazardous Reactions None under normal processing.

11. Toxicological information

Acute Toxicity

Product Information Component Information

| Component | LD50 Oral | LD50 Dermal | LC50 Inhalation |
|-------------------|--------------------|--------------|-----------------|
| Ammonium chloride | 1650 mg/kg (Rat) | > 2000 mg/kg | Not listed |

Toxicologically Synergistic Products No information available

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

Irritation Irritating to eyes

Sensitization No information available

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

| Component | CAS-No | IARC | NTP | ACGIH | OSHA | Mexico |
|-------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Ammonium chloride | 12125-02-9 | Not listed | Not listed | Not listed | Not listed | Not listed |

Mutagenic Effects Mutagenic effects have occurred in experimental animals.

Reproductive Effects No information available.

Developmental Effects No information available.

Teratogenicity No information available.

STOT - single exposure Respiratory system
STOT - repeated exposure Kidney Heart spleen Blood

Aspiration hazard No information available

Symptoms / effects, both acute and delayed No information available

Endocrine Disruptor Information No information available

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

12. Ecological information

Ecotoxicity

| Component | Freshwater Algae | Freshwater Fish | Microtox | Water Flea |
|-------------------|------------------|-------------------------------------|----------|---------------------|
| Ammonium chloride | - | Cyprinus carpio: LC50 = 209 mg/L | - | EC50 = 202 mg/L/24h |

Persistence and Degradability Soluble in water Persistence is unlikely based on information available.

Bioaccumulation/ Accumulation No information available.

Mobility . Will likely be mobile in the environment due to its water solubility.

| Component | log Pow |
|-------------------|---------|
| Ammonium chloride | -4.38 |

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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|-----------------|---------------|
| <u>DOT</u> | Not regulated |
| <u>TDG</u> | Not regulated |
| <u>IATA</u> | Not regulated |
| <u>IMDG/IMO</u> | Not regulated |

15. Regulatory information

United States of America Inventory

| Component | CAS-No | TSCA | TSCA Inventory notification - Active/Inactive | TSCA - EPA Regulatory Flags |
|-------------------|------------|------|---|-----------------------------|
| Ammonium chloride | 12125-02-9 | X | ACTIVE | - |

Legend:

TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act, (40 CFR Part 710)

X - Listed

'-' - Not Listed

TSCA 12(b) - Notices of Export Not applicable

International Inventories

Canada (DSL/NDL), Europe (EINECS/ELINCS/NLP), Philippines (PICCS), Japan (ENCS), Australia (AICS), China (IECSC), Korea (ECL).

| Component | CAS-No | DSL | NDL | EINECS | PICCS | ENCS | AICS | IECSC | KECL |
|-------------------|------------|-----|-----|-----------|-------|------|------|-------|----------|
| Ammonium chloride | 12125-02-9 | X | - | 235-186-4 | X | X | X | X | KE-01645 |

U.S. Federal Regulations

SARA 313

| Component | CAS-No | Weight % | SARA 313 - Threshold Values % |
|-------------------|------------|----------|-------------------------------|
| Ammonium chloride | 12125-02-9 | >95 | 1.0 |

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories See section 2 for more information

CWA (Clean Water Act)

| Component | CWA - Hazardous Substances | CWA - Reportable Quantities | CWA - Toxic Pollutants | CWA - Priority Pollutants |
|-------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|
| Ammonium chloride | X | 5000 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 chloride | 5000 lb | - |

California Proposition 65 This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

| Component | Massachusetts | New Jersey | Pennsylvania | Illinois | Rhode Island |
|-------------------|---------------|------------|--------------|----------|--------------|
| Ammonium chloride | X | X | X | - | X |

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

16. Other information**Prepared By**Regulatory Affairs
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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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