

# **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

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# 1. IDENTIFICATION

Product identifier

Product code: C1515

Product Name: AMMONIUM CHLORIDE, GRANULAR, REAGENT, ACS

Other means of identification

Synonyms: Sal ammonia

Sal ammoniac Ammonium muriate

Amchlor Ammoneric

CAS #: 12125-02-9
RTECS # BP4550000
CI#: Not available

# Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

**Recommended use:** Fertilizer compositions. Electroplating agent. Diuretics. Expectorants.

Uses advised against No information available

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# 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

# Classification

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

Considered a dangerous substance or mixture according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS)

Acute toxicity - Oral	Category 4
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 2A

# Label elements

Warning

Hazard statements
Harmful if swallowed

Causes serious eye irritation



#### Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Not Applicable

#### Other hazards

Causes mild skin irritation

#### **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

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.

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

# 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Component	CAS No	Weight-%
Ammonium Chloride	12125-02-9	100

# 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

First aid measures

**General Advice:** National Capital Poison Center in the United States can provide assistance if you

> have a poison emergency and need to talk to a poison specialist. Call 1-800-222-1222. First aider needs to protect himself. Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved and take precautions to protect

themselves.

Skin Contact: Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water removing all contaminated clothing and

shoes. Get medical attention if irritation develops. If skin irritation persists, call a physician.

**Eye Contact:** Flush eyes with water for 15 minutes. Get medical attention.

Inhalation: Move to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give

oxygen. Get medical attention.

Ingestion: Do not induce vomiting without medical advice. Never give anything by mouth to an

unconscious person. Obtain medical attention.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

**Symptoms** Irritating to eyes May cause skin irritation

May cause digestive (gastrointestinal) tract irritation

May cause nausea and vomiting May cause metabolic acidosis Central nervous system effects May cause cardiovascular effects

May affect respiration
May affect the urinary system

# It may affect the kidneys

Treat symptomatically.

# Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

# Protection of first-aiders

Notes to Physician:

First-Aid Providers: Avoid exposure to blood or body fluids. Wear gloves and other necessary protective clothing. Dispose of contaminated clothing and equipment as bio-hazardous waste.

# 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Extinguishing Media

Suitable Extinguishing Media: The product is not flammable. If it is involved in a fire,

extinguish the fire using an agent suitable for the type of

surrounding fire.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media: No information available.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Hazardous combustion products Nitrogen oxides, ammonia, hydrogen chloride gas

Hazardous combustion products If it is involved in a fire the following can be released:.

Nitrogen oxides (NOx). Ammonia. hydrogen chloride gas.

Specific hazards The substance itself does not burn, but may decompose

upon heating.

Special Protective Actions for Firefighters

Specific Methods: No information available

Special Protective Equipment 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 Precautions: Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Use personal

protective equipment. Avoid dust formation.

**Environmental precautions** Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains.

Do not let this chemical enter the environment. Prevent entry into waterways,

sewers.

#### Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for containment Stop leak if you can do it without risk. Cover with plastic sheet to prevent

spreading.

**Methods for cleaning up**Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. Avoid creating dust.

Clean contaminated surface thoroughly.

# 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

# Precautions for safe handling

#### **Technical Measures/Precautions:**

Provide sufficient air exchange and/or exhaust in work rooms. Avoid dust formation. Keep away from incompatible materials.

#### Safe Handling Advice

Wear personal protective equipment. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Avoid dust formation. Do not ingest. Do not breathe vapors/dust. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

#### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

#### **Technical Measures/Storage Conditions:**

Hygroscopic. Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Store at room temperature in the original container. Store away from incompatible materials.

#### **Incompatible Materials:**

Acids

Oxidizing agents

Alkalis

# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### Control parameters

# National occupational exposure limits

#### **United States**

Component	CAS No	OSHA	NIOSH	ACGIH	AIHA WEEL
Ammonium Chloride	12125-02-9	None	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA	20 mg/m <sup>3</sup> STEL fume	None
			20 mg/m3 STEL	10 mg/m³ TWA fume	

# Canada

Component	CAS No	Canada - Alberta	Canada - British	Canada - Ontario	Canada - Quebec

			Columbia		
Ammonium Chloride	12125-02-9	•	10 mg/m³ TWA fume	•	None
		20 mg/m <sup>3</sup> STEL fume	20 mg/m <sup>3</sup> STEL fume		

#### **Australia and Mexico**

Component	CAS No	Australia	Mexico
Ammonium Chloride	12125-02-9	20 mg/m <sup>3</sup> STEL	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA
		10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA	20 mg/m <sup>3</sup> STEL

# Appropriate engineering controls

**Engineering measures to reduce exposure:** Ensure adequate ventilation. Use process enclosures,

local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to keep airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If user operations generate dust, fume or mist, use ventilation to keep exposure to airborne contaminants

below the exposure limit.

#### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

# **Personal Protective Equipment**

**Eye protection:** Goggles

Skin and body protection: Long sleeved clothing

Chemical resistant apron

Gloves

**Respiratory protection:** Wear respirator with dust filter.

**Hygiene measures:** Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wash hands before breaks and

immediately after handling the product When using, do not eat, drink or smoke.

# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical state:Appearance:Color:SolidGranular. Crystalline. Crystals.White.

Crystalline block.

Odor:TasteFormulaOdorless.Cooling. Saline.NH4Cl

Molecular/Formula weight (g/mole): Flammability (solid, gas) Flashpoint (°C/°F):

53.49 no data available No information available

Flash Point Tested according to: Autoignition Temperature (°C/°F): Lower Explosion Limit (%):

Not applicable No information available No information available

Upper Explosion Limit (%):Melting point/range(°C/°F):Decomposition temperature(°C/°F):No information availableNo information available338-340 °C/640.4-644 °F (sublimation)

Boiling point/range(°C/°F): Bulk density: Density (g/cm3):

No information available No information available No information available

Specific gravity: pH Vapor pressure @ 20°C (kPa):

1.5274- 1.567 @ 20 deg. C No information available No information available

**Evaporation rate:** Vapor density: VOC content (g/L): No information available 1.8-1.9 No information available

Odor threshold (ppm): Partition coefficient Viscosity:

No information available (n-octanol/water): No information available

No information available

Miscibility: Solubility:

No information available Insoluble in Acetone

Insoluble in Ether

Insoluble in Ethyl acetate Soluble in Methanol Soluble in Water Solubility in Water:

29.7 g/100ml water at O deg. C 75.8 g/100 ml water at 100 deg. C 37.8 lbs./100 lbs. water at 70 deg. F 28.3% (w/w) in water at 25 deg. C 39.5 g/100 ml @ 25 deg. C Soluble in liquid ammonia

# 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

#### Reactivity

Reactive with strong acids

Reactive with oxidizing agents

Can react violently or explosively with ammonium nitrate, bromine pentafluoride, iodine heptafluoride, bromine trifluoride, ammonium bromide, alkalis and their carbonates, lead and silver salts, and potassium chlorate Attacks copper and copper compounds

**Chemical stability** 

Stability: Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions: Hazardous polymerization does not occur

Conditions to avoid: Heat. Avoid dust formation. Incompatible materials.

Acids **Incompatible Materials:** 

Oxidizing agents

Alkalis

Hazardous decomposition

products:

Ammonia. Nitrogen oxides (NOx). Hydrogen chloride gas.

Other Information

Corrosivity: No information available

Special Remarks on Corrosivity: No information available

# 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on likely routes of exposure

**Principal Routes of Exposure:** 

Ingestion. Inhalation.

# **Acute Toxicity**

#### **Component Information**

Ammonium Chloride

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**LD50/oral/rat** = 1650 mg/kg Oral LD50 Rat; 1410 mg/kg

**LD50/oral/mouse** = 1300 mg/kg (RTECS)

**LD50/dermal/rabbit =** No information available

**LD50/dermal/rat** = No information available

**LC50/inhalation/rat** = No information available

LC50/inhalation/mouse = No information available

Other LD50 or LC50information = No information available

#### **Product Information**

LD50/oral/rat =

Value - Acute Tox = 1410 mg/kg

LD50/oral/mouse =

Value - Acute Tox Oral = 1300 mg/kg

LD50/dermal/rabbit

Value - Acute Tox = No information available

LD50/dermal/rat

**VALUE - Acute Tox Dermal =** No information available

LC50/inhalation/rat

**VALUE-Vapor** = No information available

**VALUE-Gas** = No information available

VALUE-Dust/Mist = No information available

LC50/Inhalation/mouse

**VALUE-Vapor** = No information available

**VALUE - Gas =** No information available

**VALUE - Dust/Mist =** No information available

**Symptoms** 

**Skin Contact:** May cause skin irritation. Mild skin irritation.

**Eye Contact:** Causes eye irritation. Moderately irritating to the eyes. It may cause Salt Cataract,

increased ocular pressure, and degeneration of the retina.

**Inhalation** May cause irritation of respiratory tract.

**Ingestion** Harmful if swallowed. May cause digestive (gastointestinal) tract irritation.

Ingestion may cause nausea, vomiting. May cause thirst. May affect

behavior/central nervous system (headache, somnolence, confusion, drowsiness.

tremor, convulsions, coma), eyes (Mydriasis), cardiovascular system (bradycardia), respiration (respiratory stimulation, apnea, hyperventilation, pulmonary edema). May cause serious metabolic acidosis with hypokalemia.

Transient hyperglycemia and glycosuria may also occur. May cause

hyperchloremia.

**Aspiration hazard** No information available.

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

Chronic Toxicity Prolonged or repeated ingestion may cause metabolic acidosis and affect the

urinary system (kidneys).

Inhalation: Prolonged or repeated inhalation may cause asthma-like allergy. Symptoms may include bronchospasm, shortness of breath, wheezing, cough,

and/or chest tightness.

**Sensitization:** No information available.

Mutagenic Effects: No information available

Carcinogenic effects: Not considered carcinogenic.

Component	CAS No	IARC	ACGIH - Carcinogens	NTP	OSHA HCS - Carcinogens	Australia - Notifiable Carcinogenic Substances	Australia - Prohibited Carcinogenic Substances
Ammonium Chloride	12125-02-9	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed

ACGIH (American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists)

IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)

NTP (National Toxicology Program)

OSHA (Occupational Safety and Health Administration of the US Department of Labor)

Reproductive toxicity No data is available

Reproductive Effects:No information availableDevelopmental Effects:No information availableTeratogenic Effects:No information available

**Specific Target Organ Toxicity** 

**STOT - single exposure**STOT - repeated exposure
No information available.
No information available.

Target Organs: Lungs. Respiratory system. Kidneys.

# 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

# **Ecotoxicity**

**Ecotoxicity effects:** Aquatic environment.

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Fish LC50: =209mg/L (96h, Cyprinus carpio) LC50: =725mg/L (24h, Lepomis

macrochirus)

Crustacea LC50: =202mg/L (24h, Daphnia magna)

Persistence and degradability: No information available

**Bioaccumulative potential:** No information available.

Mobility in soilNo information availableOther adverse effectsNo information available.

# 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

# Disposal Methods

#### Waste from residues / unused products:

Waste must be disposed of in accordance with Federal, State and Local regulation.

#### Contaminated packaging:

Empty containers should be taken for local recycling, recovery or waste disposal

Component	CAS No	RCRA - F Series	RCRA - K Series	RCRA - P Series	RCRA - U Series
		Wastes	Wastes	Wastes	Wastes
Ammonium Chloride	12125-02-9	None	None	None	None

# 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT

UN-No: Not Regulated

Proper Shipping Name: No information available Hazard Class No information available Subsidiary Class No information available Packing group: No information available Emergency Response Guide No information available

Number

Marine Pollutant No data available DOT RQ (lbs): 5000 lbs./2270 kg

Special ProvisionsNo Information availableSymbol(s):No information availableDescription:No information available

TDG (Canada)

UN-No: Not Regulated

Proper Shipping Name:
Hazard Class
Subsidiary Risk:
Packing Group:
Marine Pollutant
Description:
No information available

**ADR** 

UN Number Not regulated

Proper Shipping Name:
Transport hazard class(es)
Packing group
Subsidiary Risk:

No information available
No information available
No information available

**IMDG** 

UN-No: Not Regulated

**Proper Shipping Name:** No information available

Hazard Class:No information availableSubsidiary Risk:No information availablePacking Group:No information availableMarine PollutantNo information available

RID

UN Number Not Regulated

Proper Shipping Name:
Transport hazard class(es)
Subsidiary Risk:
Packing group

No information available
No information available
No information available
No information available

ICAO (air)

UN-No: Not Regulated

Proper Shipping Name:
Hazard Class
Subsidiary Risk:
No information available
No information available
No information available
No information available

**IATA** 

UN Number Not Regulated

Proper Shipping Name:
Transport hazard class(es)
Subsidiary Risk:
Packing group
Precautionary Statements No information available
No information available
No information available
No information available

Response

Special Provisions No information available

# 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

#### **International Inventories**

Component	CAS No	U.S. TSCA	KOREA KECL	Philippines (PICCS)	Japan ENCS	China IECSC	Australia (AICS)	EINECS-No.
Ammonium Chloride	12125-02-9	PresentACTIV E	Present KE-01645	Present	Present (1)-218	Present	Present	Present 235-186-4

# **U.S. Regulations**

Ammonium Chloride

Massachusetts RTK: Present

New Jersey RTK Hazardous Substance List: 0093

New Jersey - Discharge Prevention - List of Hazardous Substances: Present

Pennsylvania RTK: Environmental hazard

Pennsylvania RTK - Environmental Hazard List Present Minnesota - Hazardous Substance List: Present

New York Release Reporting - List of Hazardous Substances:

5000 lb RQ 100 lb RQ

Louisana Reportable Quantity List for Pollutants: 5000lbfinal RQ 2270kgfinal RQ

California Directors List of Hazardous Substances: Present

FDA - Food Additives Generally Recognized as Safe (GRAS): 21 CFR 184.1138

FDA - 21 CFR - Total Food Additives 178.1010, 184.1138 (also listed as Ammonia (also includes Ammonium chloride))

- List Sourced from EAFUS

California Prop. 65: Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986.

# Chemicals Known to the State of California to Cause Cancer:

This product does not contain a chemical requiring a warning under California Prop. 65. (See table below)

<u>Chemicals Known to the State of California to Cause Reproductive Toxicity:</u>
This product does not contain a chemical requiring a warning under California Prop. 65. (See table below)

Component	CAS No	Carcinogen	Developmental Toxicity	Male	Female
		_		Reproductive	Reproductive
				Toxicity	Toxicity:
Ammonium Chloride	12125-02-9	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed

#### **CERCLA/SARA**

Component	CAS No	CERCLA - Hazardous Substances and their Reportable Quantities	Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances and TPQs	Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances and RQs	Section 313 - Chemical Category	Section 313 - Reporting de minimis
Ammonium Chloride	12125-02-9	5000 lb final RQ 2270 kg final RQ	None	None	None	None

#### U.S. TSCA

Component		TSCA Section 5(a)2 - Chemicals With Significant New Use Rules (SNURS)	TSCA 8(d) -Health and Safety Reporting
Ammonium Chloride	12125-02-9	Not Applicable	Not Applicable

# Canada

#### WHIMIS 2015 - GHS Classifications

WHMIS 2015 Hazard Classification Information:

Component Ammonium Chloride 12125-02-9 ( 100 )

WHMIS 2015 Hazard Classification

Acute toxicity - Oral - Category 4: H302 Harmful if swallowed.; Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation - Category 2: H319 Causes serious eye irritation.; Combustible Dust - Category 1: May form combustible dust concentrations in air (factors such as combustibility and explosiveness of dusts including composition and shape and size of particles could cause substance to belong to 'Combustible dust' hazard class)

Canada Hazardous Products Regulation This product has been classified according to the hazard criteria of the HPR (Hazardous Products Regulation) and the SDS contains all of the information required by the HPR

#### **DSL/NDSL**

Component	CAS No	Canada (DSL)	Canada (NDSL)
Ammonium Chloride	12125-02-9	Present	Not Listed

Component	CAS No	CEPA Schedule I - Toxic Substances
Ammonium Chloride	12125-02-9	Not listed
Component	CAS No	CEPA - 2010 Greenhouse Gases Subject to Mandatory Reporting
Ammonium Chloride	12125-02-9	Not listed

# **EU Classification**

# EU GHS - SV - CLP 1272/2008

Component	CAS No	EU GHS - SV - CLP (1272/2008)
Ammonium Chloride	12125-02-9	Acute toxicity - Oral - Acute Tox. 4:
		H302 Harmful if swallowed. (Minimum
		classification); Serious Eye
		Damage/Eye Irritation - Eye Irrit. 2:
		H319 Causes serious eye
		irritation.017-014-00-8

EU - CLP (1272/2008)

R-phrase(s)

R22 - Harmful if swallowed

R36 - Irritating to eyes

<u>S -phrase(s)</u> S 2 - Keep out of the reach of children.

S22 - Do not breathe dust

Component	CAS No	Classification	Concentration Limits:	Safety Phrases
Ammonium Chloride	12125-02-9	Xn; R22 Xi; R36	No information	

The product is classified in accordance with Annex VI to Directive 67/548/EEC

# Indication of danger:

Xi - Irritant Xn - Harmful





# **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

Preparation Date: 01/01/2019

Revision date N/A Prepared by:

**Disclaimer:** All chemicals may pose unknown hazards and should be used with caution. This

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