SIGMA-ALDRICH

Material Safety Data Sheet

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1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION				
Product name	:	Aluminum nitrate nonahydrate		
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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Emergency Overview

OSHA Hazards Carcinogen, Irritant

GHS Classification

Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 5) Skin irritation (Category 2) Eye irritation (Category 2A)

GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram



Signal word	Warning
Hazard statement(s) H303 H315 H319	May be harmful if swallowed. Causes skin irritation. Causes serious eye irritation.
Precautionary statement(s P305 + P351 + P338) IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
HMIS Classification Health hazard: Chronic Health Hazard: Flammability: Physical hazards:	2 * 0 0
NFPA Rating Health hazard: Fire: Reactivity Hazard:	2 0 0

Potential Health Effects

Inhalation	May be harmful if inhaled. Causes respiratory tract irritation.
Skin	May be harmful if absorbed through skin. Causes skin irritation.
Eyes	Causes eye irritation.
Ingestion	May be harmful if swallowed.

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Formula Molecular Weight	: AIN ₃ O ₉ · 9H ₂ O : 375.13 g/mol	
Component		Concentration
Aluminium nitrate		
CAS-No.	7784-27-2	-
EC-No.	236-751-8	

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

General advice

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Move out of dangerous area.

If inhaled

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.

In case of skin contact

Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

In case of eye contact

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician.

If swallowed

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

Conditions of flammability

Not flammable or combustible.

Suitable extinguishing media

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

Special protective equipment for firefighters

Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary.

Hazardous combustion products

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - nitrogen oxides (NOx), Aluminum oxide

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapors, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid breathing dust.

Environmental precautions

Do not let product enter drains.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. Sweep up and shovel. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection

For nuisance exposures use type P95 (US) or type P1 (EU EN 143) particle respirator. For higher level protection use type OV/AG/P99 (US) or type ABEK-P2 (EU EN 143) respirator cartridges. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

Hand protection

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

Eye protection

Safety glasses with side-shields conforming to EN166 Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

Skin and body protection

impervious clothing, The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

Hygiene measures

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance

	Form	solid
	Colour	colourless
Sa	afety data	
	рН	2.5 - 3.5 at 50 g/l at 25 °C (77 °F)
	Melting point/freezing point	Melting point/range: 73 °C (163 °F) - lit.
	Boiling point	no data available
	Flash point	not applicable
	Ignition temperature	no data available
	Autoignition temperature	no data available
	Lower explosion limit	no data available
	Upper explosion limit	no data available
	Vapour pressure	no data available
	Density	no data available
	Water solubility	no data available
	Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	no data available
	Relative vapour density	no data available
	Odour	no data available

Odour Threshold no data available Evaporation rate no data available

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Possibility of hazardous reactions no data available

Conditions to avoid Avoid moisture.

Materials to avoid Strong reducing agents, Powdered metals, Strong acids

Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - nitrogen oxides (NOx), Aluminum oxide Other decomposition products - no data available

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute toxicity

Oral LD50

LD50 Oral - rat - 3,671 mg/kg Remarks: Behavioral:Somnolence (general depressed activity). Gastrointestinal:Changes in structure or function of salivary glands.

Inhalation LC50 no data available

Dermal LD50 no data available

Other information on acute toxicity no data available

Skin corrosion/irritation

no data available

Serious eye damage/eye irritation no data available

Respiratory or skin sensitization

no data available

Germ cell mutagenicity

no data available

Carcinogenicity

- IARC: 2A Group 2A: Probably carcinogenic to humans (Aluminium nitrate)
- ACGIH: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH.
- NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.
- OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

Reproductive toxicity

Reproductive toxicity - rat - Oral Effects on Newborn: Physical.

no data available

Teratogenicity

Developmental Toxicity - rat - Oral

Effects on Embryo or Fetus: Fetotoxicity (except death, e.g., stunted fetus). Effects on Embryo or Fetus: Fetal death. Specific Developmental Abnormalities: Craniofacial (including nose and tongue).

Developmental Toxicity - rat - Oral Specific Developmental Abnormalities: Musculoskeletal system.

Developmental Toxicity - rat - Oral Specific Developmental Abnormalities: Cardiovascular (circulatory) system.

no data available

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure (Globally Harmonized System) no data available

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure (Globally Harmonized System) no data available

Aspiration hazard

no data available

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Signs and Symptoms of Exposure

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

Synergistic effects

no data available

Additional Information

RTECS: BD1050000

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Toxicity

no data available

Persistence and degradability no data available

Bioaccumulative potential no data available

Mobility in soil no data available

PBT and vPvB assessment no data available

Other adverse effects

no data available

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Product

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company. Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material. Dissolve or mix the material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber.

Dispose of as unused product.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT (US)

Not dangerous goods

IMDG

Not dangerous goods

ΙΑΤΑ

Not dangerous goods

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

OSHA Hazards

Carcinogen, Irritant

SARA 302 Components

SARA 302: No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

SARA 313 Components

SARA 313: This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

SARA 311/312 Hazards

Acute Health Hazard, Chronic Health Hazard

Massachusetts Right To Know Components

No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

Pennsylvania Right To Know Components

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New Jersey Right To Know Components		
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California Prop. 65 Components

This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.

16. OTHER INFORMATION

Further information

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