

1 Identification

Product identifier

Product name: Ammonium hexafluoroaluminate

Stock number: B20582

CAS Number:

7784-19-2

EC number:

232-052-7

Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against.

Identified use: SU24 Scientific research and development

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Manufacturer/Supplier:

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Emergency telephone number:

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2 Hazard(s) identification

Classification of the substance or mixture in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)



GHS06 Skull and crossbones

Acute Tox. 3 H301 Toxic if swallowed.

Acute Tox. 3 H311 Toxic in contact with skin.

Acute Tox. 3 H331 Toxic if inhaled.

Hazards not otherwise classified No information known.

Label elements

GHS label elements The product is classified and labeled in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)

Hazard pictograms



GHS06

Signal word

Danger

Hazard statements

H301+H311+H331 Toxic if swallowed, in contact with skin or if inhaled.

Precautionary statements

P261 Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.

P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

P301+P310 IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER/ doctor/...

P361 Take off immediately all contaminated clothing.

P405 Store locked up.

P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

WHMIS classification

D1A - Very toxic material causing immediate and serious toxic effects



Classification system

HMIS ratings (scale 0-4)

(Hazardous Materials Identification System)

HEALTH 2 Health (acute effects) = 2

FIRE 0 Flammability = 0

REACTIVITY 1 Physical Hazard = 1

Other hazards

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT: Not applicable.

vPvB: Not applicable.

3 Composition/information on ingredients

Chemical characterization: Substances

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4 First-aid measures

Description of first aid measures

General information

Immediately remove any clothing soiled by the product.

Remove breathing apparatus only after contaminated clothing has been completely removed.

In case of irregular breathing or respiratory arrest provide artificial respiration.

After inhalation

Supply fresh air. If required, provide artificial respiration. Keep patient warm.

Seek immediate medical advice.

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After skin contact

Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.
Rub in calcium gluconate solution or calcium gluconate gel immediately.
Seek immediate medical advice.

After eye contact Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Then consult a doctor.

After swallowing Do not induce vomiting; immediately call for medical help.

Information for doctor

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed No further relevant information available.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed No further relevant information available.

5 Fire-fighting measures

Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing agents Product is not flammable. Use fire-fighting measures that suit the surrounding fire.

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

If this product is involved in a fire, the following can be released:

Hydrogen fluoride (HF)

Nitrogen oxides (NOx)

Advice for firefighters

Protective equipment:

Wear self-contained respirator.

Wear fully protective impervious suit.

6 Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.

Ensure adequate ventilation

Environmental precautions: Do not allow material to be released to the environment without proper governmental permits.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:

Dispose of contaminated material as waste according to section 13.

Ensure adequate ventilation.

Prevention of secondary hazards: No special measures required.

Reference to other sections

See Section 7 for information on safe handling

See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.

See Section 13 for disposal information.

7 Handling and storage

Handling

Precautions for safe handling

Keep container tightly sealed.

Store in cool, dry place in tightly closed containers.

Ensure good ventilation at the workplace.

Open and handle container with care.

Information about protection against explosions and fires: The product is not flammable

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage

Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles: No special requirements.

Information about storage in one common storage facility: Not required.

Further information about storage conditions:

Keep container tightly sealed.

Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed containers.

Specific end use(s) No further relevant information available.

8 Exposure controls/personal protection

Additional information about design of technical systems:

Properly operating chemical fume hood designed for hazardous chemicals and having an average face velocity of at least 100 feet per minute.

Control parameters

Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:

Fluorides (as F)

mg/m3

ACGIH TLV 2.5

Austria MAK 2.5

Belgium TWA 2.5

Finland TWA 2.5

France TWA 2.5

Germany MAK 2.5

Hungary TWA 1; 2-STEL

Netherlands MAC-K 3.5

Norway TWA 0.6

Poland TWA 1; 3-STEL

Sweden NGV 2

Switzerland MAK-W 1.5; 3-KZG-W

United Kingdom TWA 2.5

Russia TWA 2

Denmark TWA 2.5

USA PEL 2.5

Aluminum, soluble salts (as Al)

mg/m3

ACGIH TLV 5 (welding fumes); 5 (pyro powders)

10 (metal dust)

Austria MAK 6 (dust)

Belgium TWA 10; 2 (salts), 5 (fumes), 5 (resp. dust)

Denmark TWA 10 (dust or fume)

Finland TWA 2 (salts)

France VME 10; 5 (fumes), 5 (resp. dust)

Germany MAK 6

Hungary TWA 2; 5-STEL, 4-STEL (salts)

Korea TLV 5 (welding fumes); 5 (pyro powders)

10 (metal dust)

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Norway TWA 5
Russia 2-STEL
Sweden NGV 4 (resp. dust); 10 (total dust)
Switzerland MAK-W 6
United Kingdom TWA 4 (resp. dust)
USA PEL 15 (total dust); 5 (resp. fraction)

Additional information: No data

Exposure controls

Personal protective equipment

General protective and hygienic measures

The usual precautionary measures for handling chemicals should be followed.

Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.

Remove all soiled and contaminated clothing immediately.

Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.

Store protective clothing separately.

Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

Maintain an ergonomically appropriate working environment.

Breathing equipment: Use self-contained respiratory protective device in emergency situations.

Protection of hands:

Impervious gloves

Check protective gloves prior to each use for their proper condition.

The selection of suitable gloves not only depends on the material, but also on quality. Quality will vary from manufacturer to manufacturer.

Eye protection: Safety glasses

Body protection: Protective work clothing.

9 Physical and chemical properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

General Information

Appearance:

Form: Powder
Color: White
Odor: Odorless
Odor threshold: Not determined.

pH-value: Not applicable.

Change in condition

Melting point/Melting range: Not determined
Boiling point/Boiling range: Not determined
Sublimation temperature / start: Not determined

Flash point: Not applicable
Flammability (solid, gaseous): Not determined.
Ignition temperature: Not determined
Decomposition temperature: Not determined
Auto igniting: Not determined.

Danger of explosion: Product does not present an explosion hazard.

Explosion limits:

Lower: Not determined
Upper: Not determined
Vapor pressure: Not applicable.
Density at 20 °C (68 °F): 1.78 g/cm³ (14.854 lbs/gal)
Relative density: Not determined.
Vapor density: Not applicable.
Evaporation rate: Not applicable.
Solubility in / Miscibility with
Water: Soluble
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water): Not determined.
Viscosity:
dynamic: Not applicable.
kinematic: Not applicable.
Other information No further relevant information available.

10 Stability and reactivity

Reactivity No information known.

Chemical stability Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided: Decomposition will not occur if used and stored according to specifications.

Possibility of hazardous reactions No dangerous reactions known

Conditions to avoid No further relevant information available.

Incompatible materials: Oxidizing agents

Hazardous decomposition products: Hydrogen fluoride

11 Toxicological information

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity:

Fatal if inhaled.

Fatal in contact with skin.

Fatal if swallowed.

Danger through skin absorption.

LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification: No data

Skin irritation or corrosion: Irritant to skin and mucous membranes.

Eye irritation or corrosion: Irritating effect.

Sensitization: No sensitizing effects known.

Germ cell mutagenicity: No effects known.

Carcinogenicity: No classification data on carcinogenic properties of this material is available from the EPA, IARC, NTP, OSHA or ACGIH.

Reproductive toxicity: No effects known.

Specific target organ system toxicity - repeated exposure: No effects known.

Specific target organ system toxicity - single exposure: No effects known.

Aspiration hazard: No effects known.

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Subacute to chronic toxicity:

Fluorides may cause salivation, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea and abdominal pain, followed by weakness, tremors, shallow respiration, convulsions and coma. May cause brain and kidney damage. Chronic fluoride poisoning can cause severe bone changes, loss of weight, anorexia, anemia and dental defects. Aluminum may be implicated in Alzheimers disease. Inhalation of aluminum containing dusts may cause pulmonary disease.

Subacute to chronic toxicity: No effects known.**Additional toxicological information:** To the best of our knowledge the acute and chronic toxicity of this substance is not fully known.**12 Ecological information****Toxicity****Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.**Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.**Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.**Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.**Additional ecological information:****General notes:**

Do not allow material to be released to the environment without proper governmental permits.

Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.

Avoid transfer into the environment.

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**PBT:** Not applicable.**vPvB:** Not applicable.**Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.**13 Disposal considerations****Waste treatment methods****Recommendation** Consult state, local or national regulations to ensure proper disposal.**Uncleaned packagings:****Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.**Recommended cleansing agent:** Water, if necessary with cleansing agents.**14 Transport information****UN-Number****DOT, IMDG, IATA**

UN3288

UN proper shipping name**DOT****IMDG, IATA**

Toxic solid, inorganic, n.o.s. (Ammonium hexafluoroaluminate)

TOXIC SOLID, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (Ammonium hexafluoroaluminate)

Transport hazard class(es)**DOT****Class****Label****Class****Label****IMDG, IATA**

6.1 Toxic substances.

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Packing group**DOT, IMDG, IATA**

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Environmental hazards:

Not applicable.

Special precautions for user

Warning: Toxic substances

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code Not applicable.**Transport/Additional information:****DOT****Marine Pollutant (DOT):**

No

UN "Model Regulation":

UN3288, Toxic solid, inorganic, n.o.s. (Ammonium hexafluoroaluminate), 6.1, III

15 Regulatory information**Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture****GHS label elements** The product is classified and labeled in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)**Hazard pictograms**

GHS06

Signal word Danger**Hazard statements**

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National regulations

All components of this product are listed in the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Toxic Substances Control Act Chemical substance Inventory.

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All components of this product are listed on the Canadian Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL).

SARA Section 313 (specific toxic chemical listings) Substance is not listed.

California Proposition 65

Prop 65 - Chemicals known to cause cancer Substance is not listed.

Prop 65 - Developmental toxicity Substance is not listed.

Prop 65 - Developmental toxicity, female Substance is not listed.

Prop 65 - Developmental toxicity, male Substance is not listed.

Information about limitation of use: For use only by technically qualified individuals.

Other regulations, limitations and prohibitive regulations

Substance of Very High Concern (SVHC) according to the REACH Regulations (EC) No. 1907/2006. Substance is not listed.

The conditions of restrictions according to Article 67 and Annex XVII of the Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH) for the manufacturing, placing on the market and use must be observed.

Substance is not listed.

Annex XIV of the REACH Regulations (requiring Authorisation for use) Substance is not listed.

Chemical safety assessment: A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

16 Other information

Employers should use this information only as a supplement to other information gathered by them, and should make independent judgement of suitability of this information to ensure proper use and protect the health and safety of employees. This information is furnished without warranty, and any use of the product not in conformance with this Material Safety Data Sheet, or in combination with any other product or process, is the responsibility of the user.

Department issuing SDS: Global Marketing Department

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Abbreviations and acronyms:

ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

DOT: US Department of Transportation

IATA: International Air Transport Association

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)

WHMIS: Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (Canada)

LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent

LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent

vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists (USA)

OSHA: Occupational Safety and Health Administration (USA)

NTP: National Toxicology Program (USA)

IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer

EPA: Environmental Protection Agency (USA)

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