

## SAFETY DATA SHEET

### Section 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name: ABC Dry Chemical Fire Extinguishant

Other Identifiers: Multi-purpose Dry Chemical

Product Code(s): CH550, F15, F18

Model Code(s) for Extinguishers: 411, 417, 419, 423, 424, 425, 441, 443, 450, 456,

461, 464, 467, 470, 473, 476, 481, 487, 488, 491, 495, 500, 564, 567, 573, 581, 589, 592, 594, 668,

692, 720, 760, 763, 781.

Recommended Use: Fire suppression, not for human

or animal drug use.

Manufacturer: AMEREX CORPORATION

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# Section 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### GHS - Classification

Health	Environmental	Physical
Acute Toxicity: Category 5	None	None
Skin Corrosion/Irritation: Category 3	None	None
Skin Sensitization: NO	None	None
Eye: Category 2B	None	Warning
STOT -Category 3	None	Warning
Carcinogen: Category None	None	None

GHS – Label Symbol(s):

**Exclamation Mark** 

GHS - Signal Word(s):

Warning

Other Hazards Not Resulting in Classification:

None

#### GHS - Hazard Phrases

GHS Hazard	GHS Codes(s)	Code Phrase(s)
Physical	None	Suggestion Street Annual Control of the Control of
Health	H303 316 320 333	May be harmful if swallowed Causes mild skin irritation Causes eye irritation May be harmful if inhaled
Environmental	None	
Precautionary:		
General	P101	If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand
Prevention	P261 264	Avoid breathing dust. Wash hands and face thoroughly after handling.
Response	P304+340 305+351+313 337+338 P312	If inhaled, remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.  If in eyes, rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Get immediate medical advice/attention (as appropriate).  If eye irritation persists: remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.  Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell (as appropriate).
Storage	None	The state of the s

## Section 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	EC No.	REACH Reg. No.	CAS-No.	Weight %
Mono-ammonium phosphate	NA	NA	7722-76-1	55-75
Ammonium sulfate	231-984-1	NA	7783-20-2	20-40
Fullers earth magnesium aluminum silicate	NA	Not Available	8031-18-3	<3
Mica- potassium aluminum silicate	NA	Not Available	12001-26-2	1-2
Silicone oil methyl hydrogen polysiloxane	NA	Not Available	63148-57-2	<1
Calcium carbonate	215-279-6	Not Available	1317-65-3	<1
Amorphous silica precipitated synthetic zeolite	262-373-8	Not Available	112926-00-8	<1
Yellow 14 pigment – diazo dye	228-767-9	Not Available	5468-75-7	<1

Emergency overview:

Light yellow, fine solid powder, odorless.

Adverse health effects and symptoms:

Irritant to the respiratory system; Irritating to eyes and skin. Symptoms may include coughing, shortness of breath, and irritation of the lungs, eyes, and skin. Ingestion, although unlikely, may cause cramps, nausea and diarrhea.

#### Cut-off Levels

Chemical Name	Reproductive Toxicity	Carcinogenicity	Mutagenicity	Other Hazard Classes
Mono-ammonium Phosphate	NA	NA.	NA	NA
Ammonium Sulfate	NA	NA	NA	NA

Fullers earth	ÑA	NA NA	NA	NA NA	
magnesium aluminum silicate					
Mica-	NA	NA	NA NA	NA	
potassium aluminum silicate					
Silicone oil	NA	NA	NA NA	NA	
methyl hydrogen polysiloxane					
Calcium carbonate	NA	NA	NA NA	NA	
Amorphous silica	NA	NA NA	NA	NA	
precipitated synthetic zeolite					
Yellow 14 pigment – di-azo dye	NA	NA	NA	NA	

## Section 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Eye Exposure:

Skin Exposure:

Inhalation:

Ingestion:

Medical conditions possibly aggravated by exposure:

May cause irritation. Irrigate eyes with water and repeat until pain free. Seek medical attention if irritation develops, or if vision changes occur. May cause skin irritation. In case of contact, wash with plenty of soap and water. Seek medical attention if irritation persists.

May cause irritation, along with coughing. If respiratory irritation or distress occurs, remove victim to fresh air. Seek medical attention if irritation persists.

Overdose symptoms may include numbriess or tingling in hands or feet, uneven heart rate, paralysis, feeling faint, chest pain or heavy feeling, pain spreading to the arm or shoulder, nausea, diarrhea, sweating, general ill feeling, or seizure (convulsions). If victim is conscious and alert, give 2-3 glasses of water to drink. If conscious, do not induce vomiting. Seek immediate medical attention. Do not leave victim unattended. To prevent aspiration of swallowed product, lay victim on side with head lower than waist.

Inhalation of product may aggravate existing chronic respiratory problems such as asthma, emphysema, or bronchitis. Skin contact may aggravate existing skin disease. Chronic overexposure may cause pneumoconiosis ("dusty lung" disease).

### Section 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Flammable Properties: Not flammable Flash Point: Not determined

Suitable Extinguishing Media: Non-combustible. Use extinguishing media suitable

for surrounding conditions.

Carbon and sulfur oxides **Hazardous Combustion Products:** 

**Explosion Data:** 

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact: Not sensitive Sensitivity to Static Discharge: Not sensitive

Unusual fire/explosion hazards: In a fire this material may decompose, releasing

oxides of carbon, sulfur, potassium and nitrogen (see

Section 10).

Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters:

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing

apparatus in pressure-demand, NIOSH approved or

equivalent and full protective gear.

## Section 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal Precautions: Avoid contact with skin, eyes, and clothing. Personal Protective Equipment:

Minimum - safety glasses, gloves, and a dust

respirator.

**Emergency Procedures:** NA

Methods for Containment: Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to

do so.

Methods for Clean Up: Avoid dust formation. Clean up released material

> using vacuum or wet sweep and shovel to minimize generation of dust. Bag and transfer to properly labeled containers. Ventilate area and wash spill site

after material pickup is complete.

Prevent material from entering waterways. **Environmental Precautions:** 

If product is contaminated, use PPE and containment Other:

appropriate to the nature of the most toxic

chemical/material in the mixture.

### Section 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Personal Precautions: Use appropriate PPE when handling or maintaining

equipment, and wash thoroughly after handling (see

Section 8).

Conditions for Safe Storage/Handling: Keep product in original container or extinguisher.

Contents may be under pressure – inspect extinguisher consistent with product labeling to

ensure container integrity.

Incompatible Products: Do not mix with other extinguishing agents,

particularly potassium bicarbonate and sodium bicarbonate. Incompatible with strong oxidizing agents and strong acids. Do not store in high humidity. Do not combine with chlorine compounds.

## Section 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Chemical Name	OSHA PEL	ACGIH TLV	DFG MAK *	EU BLV
Mono- ammonium phosphate	PNOC** Total dust, 15 mg/m³ Respirable fraction, 5 mg/m³	PNOC Total dust, 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Respirable fraction, 3 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	PNOC Total dust, 4 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Respirable fraction, 1.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	NA
Ammonium Sulfate	PNOC** Total dust, 15 mg/m³ Respirable fraction, 5 mg/m³	PNOC Total dust, 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Respirable fraction, 3 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	PNOC Total dust, 4 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Respirable fraction, 1.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	NA
Mica	6 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	3 mg/m3	NR	NA
Fullers Earth	PNOC** Total dust, 15 mg/m³ Respirable fraction, 5 mg/m³	PNOC Total dust, 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Respirable fraction, 3 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	PNOC Total dust, 4 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Respirable fraction, 1.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	
Silicone oil	NR**	NR	NR	NA
Calcium carbonate	PNOC Total dust, 15 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Respirable fraction, 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	PNOC Total dust, 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Respirable fraction, 3 mg/m <sup>3</sup>		NA
Amorphous silica	80 mg/m <sup>3</sup> % silica	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	4 mg/m³	NA
Yellow 14 pigment	NR	NR	NR	NA

<sup>\*</sup>German regulatory limits \*\*PNOC = Particulates not otherwise classified (ACGIH) also known as Particulates not otherwise regulated (OSHA) \*\*\* NR = Not Regulated. All values are 8 hour time weighted average concentrations.

## Engineering Controls:

Showers Eyewash stations Ventilation systems

### Personal Protective Equipment - PPE Code E:

The need for respiratory protection is not probable during short-term exposure. PPE use during production process must be independently evaluated.







Tightly fitting safety goggles



Eye/Face Protection: Skin and Body Protection: Respiratory Protection:

Wear protective gloves/coveralls
If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is
experienced, NIOSH approved respiratory protection
should be worn. Use P100 respirators for limited
exposure, use air-purifying respirator (APR) with high
efficiency particulate air (HEPA) filters for prolonged
exposure. Positive-pressure supplied air respirators
may be required for high airborne contaminant
concentrations. Respiratory protection must be
provided in accordance with current safety and health
requirements. The need for respiratory protection is
not likely for short-term use in well ventilated areas.
Good personal hygiene practice is essential, such as

avoiding food, tobacco products, or other hand-tomouth contact when handling. Wash thoroughly after

Hygiene Measures:

handling.

### Section 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance: Light yellow powder, finely divided odorless

solid

Molecular Weight: NH4H2PO4: 115.03; (NH4)2SO4: 132.14

Page 6 of 13 Pages ABC Odor: Odorless

Odor Threshold: No information available

Decomposition Temperature <sup>o</sup>C: 100 - 120

Freezing Point <sup>o</sup>C:

Initial Boiling Point <sup>o</sup>C:

No information available

No information available

Physical State: Crystalline Powder

pH: Mixture approximately 4 to 5; NH4H2PO4: 4.2 in 0.2

molar solution; (NH4)2SO4: 5.5 in 0.1 molar solution

Flash Point <sup>o</sup>C: None Auto-ignition Temperature <sup>o</sup>C: None

Boiling Point/Range <sup>o</sup>C: Not Applicable

Melting Point/Range <sup>o</sup>C: NH4H2PO4: 190; (NH4)2SO4: 280

Flammability: Not Flammable

Flammability Limits in Air <sup>o</sup>C: Upper – Not Flammable; Lower-Not Flammable

Explosive Properties: None Oxidizing Properties: None

Volatile Component (%vol)

Evaporation Rate:

Vapor Density:

Vapor Pressure:

Not Applicable

Not Applicable

Not Applicable

Specific gravity at 25 C: NH4H2PO4: 1.80; (NH4)2SO4:: 1.77
Solubility: Coated-Not Immediately Soluble in Water

Partition Coefficient: NH4H2PO4 Est: -4.11; (NH4)2SO4: Est: -0.48

Viscosity: Not Applicable

NOTE: NH4H2PO4 - Monoammonium Phosphate; (NH4)2SO4: - Ammonium Sulfate

## Section 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability: Stable under recommended storage and handling

conditions.

Reactivity:

Incompatibles: Strong alkalis (bases), magnesium, strong oxidizers,

isocyanuric acids and chlorine compounds.

Conditions to Avoid: Storage or handling near incompatibles.

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Heat of fire may release carbon monoxide, carbon

dioxide, and sulfur dioxide. Also ammonia, oxides of phosphorous and nitrogen oxides may be released

during decomposition.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions: Slight

Hazardous Polymerization Does not occur

#### Section 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Likely Routes of Exposure: Inhalation, skin, and eye contact.

Symptoms:

Immediate:

Inhalation: Irritation, coughing.

Eyes: Irritation. Skin: Irritation.

Delayed: Symptoms appear to be relatively immediate

Acute Toxicity: Relatively non-toxic.

Chronic Toxicity:

Short-term Exposure: None known.

Long-term Exposure: As with all dusts, pneumoconiosis, or "dusty lung"

disease, may result from chronic exposure.

Acute Toxicity Values - Health

Chemical Name		LD50		
	Oral	Dermal		
Mono-ammonium phosphate	5750 mg/kg (rat)	>7940 mg/kg (rabbit)	Not available	
Ammonium Sulfate	2840 mg/kg (rat)	Not available	Not available	
Mica	None	None	None	
Fullers Earth	None	None	None	
Silicone oil	None	None	None	
Calcium carbonate	6450 mg/kg (rat)	500 mg/24 hr (rabbit)	Not available	
Amorphous silica	>5000 mg/kg (rat)	>2000 mg/kg (rabbit)	>2.2 mg/L (rat)	
Yellow 14 pigment	>17000 mg/kg (rat)	>3000 mg/kg (rat)	>4448 mg/m3 (rat)	

Reproductive Toxicity: This product's ingredients are not known to have

reproductive or teratogenic effects.

Target Organs and Effects (TOST): Respiratory system irritant).

This product is a mild irritant to epithelial tissue, (eyes, mucous membranes, skin) and may aggravate dermatitis. No information was found indicating the

product causes sensitization.

Other Toxicity Categories

Chemical Name	Germ Cell Mutagenicity	Carcino- genicity	Repro- ductive	TOST Single Exp	TOST Repeated Exp	Aspiration
Mono-ammonium phosphate	None	None	None	Cat 3	None	None
Ammonium Sulfate	None	None	None	Cat 3	None	None
Fullers earth	None	None	None	None	None	None
Mica	None	None	None	None	None	None
Silicone oil	None	None	None	None	None	None

Calcium carbonate	None	None	None	None	None	None	
Amorphous silica	None	None	None	None	None	None	
Yellow 14 pigment	None	None	None	None	None	None	

### Section 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity: Negative effects unknown. Provides nutrient nitrogen and

phosphorus to plant life.

Persistence/Degradability: Degrades rapidly in humid/wet environment.

Probability of rapid biodegradation: NH4H2PO4 Est: 0.693 (Rapid);

(NH4)2SO4: Est: 0.684 (Rapid)

Anaerobic biodegradation probability: NH4H2PO4 Est: 0.398 (Slow);

(NH4)2SO4: Est: 0.398 (Slow)

Bioaccummulation potential: Low.

Bioconcentration factor: NH4H2PO4: 3.16 L/kg; (NH4)2SO4: 3.16 L/kg (wet weight)

Bioaccummulation: Extent unknown.

Mobility in soil: Slow evaporation rate; water soluble, may leach to

groundwater

Log Koc: NH4H2PO4 Est: -1.25: (NH4)2SO4: Est: 1.35
Log Koa: NH4H2PO4 Est: 16.72; (NH4)2SO4: Est: 20.10
Log Kaw: NH4H2PO4 Est: -20.86; (NH4)2SO4: Est: -19.62

NOTE: NH4H2PO4 - Mono-ammonium Phosphate; (NH4)2SO4: - Ammonium Sulfate

Other Adverse Ecological Effects: No other known effects at this time

Aquatic Toxicity Values - Environment - Research

Chemical Name	Acute (LC50)	Chronic (LC50)	
Mono-ammonium phosphate	N/A	N/A	
Ammonium Sulfate	N/A	N/A	
Mica	N/A	N/A	
Fullers Earth	N/A	N/A	
Silicone oil	N/A	N/A	
Calcium carbonate	N/A	N/A	
Amorphous silica	N/A	N/A	
Yellow 14 pigment	N/A	N/A	

Aquatic Toxicity Values - Environment - Estimates

Chemical Name	Acute (LC50)	EC50
Mono-ammonium phosphate	2,91e+07 mg/L Fish 96 hr; 9.4e+06 mg/l Daphnid 48 hr;	6.70e+05 mg/L Gr. Algae 96 hr
Ammonium Sulfate	2521 mg/L Fish 96 hr; 1244 mg/l Daphnid 48 hr;	518 mg/L Gr. Algae 96 hr
Mica	N/A	N/A
Fullers Earth	N/A	N/A
Silicone oil	N/A	N/A
Calcium carbonate	N/A	N/A
Amorphous silica	N/A	N/A
Yellow 14 pigment	N/A	N/A

## Section 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Safe Handling Use appropriate PPE when handling, and wash

thoroughly after handling (see Section 8).

Waste Disposal Considerations Dispose in accordance with federal, state, and local

regulations.

Contaminated Packaging Dispose in accordance with federal, state, and local

regulations.

#### NOTES:

This product is not a RCRA characteristically hazardous or listed hazardous waste. Dispose of according to state or local laws, which may be more restrictive than federal laws or regulations. Used product may be altered or contaminated, creating different disposal considerations.

## Section 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

UN Number: NA
UN Proper Shipping Name: NA
Transport Hazard Class: NA
Packing Group: NA
Marine Pollutant?: NO

IATA Not regulated

DOT Not regulated

#### NOTES:

This product is not defined as a hazardous material under U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) 49 CFR 172, or by Transport Canada "Transportation of Dangerous Goods" regulations.

Special Precautions for Shipping:

If shipped in a stored pressure-type fire extinguisher, and pressurized with a non-flammable, nontoxic inert expellant gas, the fire extinguisher is considered a hazardous material by the US Department of Transportation and Transport Canada. The proper shipping name shall be FIRE EXTINGUISHER and the UN designation is UN 1044. The DOT hazard class is 2.2, non-flammable, when shipped via highway or rail.

## Section 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

International Inventory Status: All ingredients are on the following inventories

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Country(ies)	Agency	Status
United States of America	TSCA	Yes
Canada	DSL	Yes
Europe	EINECS/ELINCS	Yes
Australia	AICS	Yes
Japan	MITI	Yes
South Korea	KECL	Yes

#### REACH Title VII Restrictions:

No information available

Chemical Name	Dangerous Substances	Organic Solvents	Harmful Substances Whose Names Are to be Indicated on Label	Pollution Release and Transfer Registry (Class II)	Pollution Release and Transfer Registry (Class I)	Poison and Deleterious Substances Control Law
Mono-ammonium Phosphate	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Ammonium Sulfate	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable

Component	ISHA – Harmful Substances Prohibited for Manufacturing, Importing, Transferring, or Supplying	ISHA – Harmful Substances Requiring Permission	Toxic Chemical Classification Listing (TCCL) – Toxic Chemicals	Toxic Release Inventory (TRI) – Group I	Toxic Release Inventory (TRI) – Group II
Mono-ammonium Phosphate 7722-76-1	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Ammonium Sulphate	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Fullers earth magnesium aluminum silicate 8031-18-3 (>4)	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable

| Mica-<br>potassium<br>aluminum silicate<br>120001-26-2 (>2) | Not Applicable |
|---|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| Calcium carbonate 471-34-1                                  | Not Applicable |
| Amorphous silica<br>69012-64-2                              | Not Applicable |
| Yellow 14 pigment 5468-75-7                                 | Not Applicable |

### **European Risk and Safety phrases:**

EU Classification: XN Irritant

R Phrases: 20 Harmful by inhalation.

36/37 Irritating to eyes, respiratory system.

S Phrases: 22 Do not breath dust.

24/25 Avoid contact with skin and eyes

In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with

plenty of water and seek medical advice.

Wear suitable protective clothing.

#### **U.S. Federal Regulatory Information:**

#### **SARA 313:**

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA) - This product does not contain and chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372.

None of the chemicals in this product are under SARA reporting requirements or have SARA threshold planning quantities (TPQs) or CERCLA reportable quantities (RQs), or are regulated under TSCA 8(d).

## SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories:

Acute Health Hazard Yes
Chronic Health Hazard No
Fire Hazard No
Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard\* Yes
Reactive Hazard No

#### Clean Water/Clean Air Acts:

This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42) or Clean Air Act, Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) (see 40 CFR 61) and Section 112 of the Clean Air Act Amendments of 1990.

<sup>\* -</sup> Only applicable if material is in a pressurized extinguisher.

### U.S. State Regulatory Information:

Chemicals in this product are covered under specific State regulations, as denoted below:

Alaska - Designated Toxic and Hazardous Substances: None

California - Permissible Exposure Limits for Chemical Contaminants: None

Florida – Substance List: Mica Dust Illinois – Toxic Substance List: None Kansas – Section 302/303 List: None

Massachusetts – Substance List: Mica Dust Minnesota – List of Hazardous Substances: None

**Missouri** – Employer Information/Toxic Substance List: None **New Jersey** – Right to Know Hazardous Substance List: None

North Dakota - List of Hazardous Chemicals, Reportable Quantities: None

**Pennsylvania** – Hazardous Substance List: None **Rhode Island** – Hazardous Substance List: Mica Dust

Texas - Hazardous Substance List: No

West Virginia – Hazardous Substance List: None Wisconsin – Toxic and Hazardous Substances: None

California Proposition 65: No component is listed on the California Proposition 65 list.

### <u>`Other:</u>

Mexico – Grade Canada – WHMIS Hazard Class No component listed No component listed

## Section 16. OTHER INFORMATION

This SDS conforms to requirements under U.S., U.K., Canadian, Australian, and EU regulations or standards, and conforms to the proposed 2003 ANSI Z400.1 format.

Issuing Date Revision Date

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**Revision Notes** 

None

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## SAFETY DATA SHEET

### Section 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name:

Other Identifiers:

Product Code(s):

Model Code(s) for Extinguishers:

Recommended Use:

Manufacturer:

Internet Address:

Address:

Company Telephone: E-mail Address:

**Emergency Contacts:** 

Revised:

Purple K Dry Chemical Fire Extinguisher

Potassium Bicarbonate, KDC, PK

CH 515, 517, 542, 553

410, 415, 416, 452,460, 466, 469, 472, 478, 479, 483,

486, 490, 493, 497, 566, 569, 575, 580, 584,591, 595,

599, 652, 688, 689, 690, 691, 693, 722, 762, 764, 783, V10PK, V13PK, V25PK, VH25PK, V50PK,

VS50PK

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## Section 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### GHS - Classification

Health	Environmental	Physical
Acute Toxicity: Category 5	None	None
Skin Corrosion/Irritation: Category 3	None	None
Skin Sensitization: NO	None	None
Eye: Category 2B	None	Warning
STOT – Category 3	None	Warning
Carcinogen: Category None	None	None

GHS - Label Symbol(s):

Exclamation Mark

GHS - Signal Word(s):

Warning

Other Hazards Not Resulting in Classification:

None

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GHS Hazard	GHS Codes(s)	Code Phrase(s)
Physical	None	
Health	H303	May be harmful if swallowed
	316	Causes mild skin irritation
	320	Causes eye irritation
	335	May cause respiratory irritation
Environmental	None	The state of the s
Precautionary:		
General	P101	If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand
Prevention	261	Avoid breathing dust
	264	Wash hands and face thoroughly after handling
Response	P304+340	If inhaled, remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
87	305+351+313	If in eyes, rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Get immediate medical advice/attention (as appropriate).
	337+338	If eye irritation persists: remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
	312	Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell (as appropriate).
Storage	P401+402+403	Store in original container or extinguisher in a dry, well ventilated place

## Section 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	EC No.	REACH Reg. No.	CAS-No.	Weight %
Potassium Bicarbonate (potassium hydrogen carbonate)-may contain minor calcium carbonate	206-059-0	01-2119532640-48-0002	298-14-6	>93
Fullers earth magnesium aluminum silicate	NA	Not Available	8031-18-3	>4
Mica- potassium aluminum silicate	NA	Not Available	12001-26-2	>2
Silicone oil methyl hydrogen polysiloxane	NA	Not Available	63148-57-2	<0.5
Violet 23 pigment oxazine dye	228-767-9	Not Available	6358-30-1	<0.2

Emergency overview:

Adverse health effects and symptoms:

Light purple, fine solid powder, odorless.

A mild irritant to the respiratory system, eyes, and skin. Symptoms may include coughing, shortness of breath, and irritation of the lungs, eyes, and skin. Ingestion, although unlikely, may cause gastric distress.

**Cut-off Levels** 

Chemical Name	Reproductive Toxicity	Carcinogenicity	Mutagenicity	Other Hazard Classes
Potassium Bicarbonate (potassium hydrogen carbonate)- may contain minor calcium carbonate	NA	NA	NA	NA .
Fullers earth magnesium aluminum silicate	NA	NA	NA	NA
Mica- potassium aluminum silicate	NA	NA	NA	NA:
Silicone oil methyl hydrogen polysiloxane	NA	NA	NA	NA:
Violet 23 pigment oxazine dye	NA	NA	NA	NA

## Section 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Eye Exposure:

May cause irritation. Irrigate eyes with water and repeat until pain free. Seek medical attention if irritation develops, or if vision changes occur.

Skin Exposure:

May cause skin irritation. In case of contact, wash with plenty of soap and water. Seek medical attention if irritation persists.

Inhalation:

May cause irritation, along with coughing. If respiratory irritation or distress occurs remove victim to fresh air. Seek medical attention if irritation

persists.

Overdose symptoms may include numbriess or tingling in hands or feet, uneven heart rate, paralysis, feeling faint, chest pain or heavy feeling, pain spreading to the arm or shoulder, nausea, sweating, general ill feeling, or seizure (convulsions). If victim is conscious and alert, give 2-3 glasses of water to drink. If conscious, do not induce vomiting. Seek immediate medical attention. Do not leave victim unattended. To prevent aspiration of swallowed product, lay victim on side with head lower than waist.

Inhalation of product may aggravate existing chronic respiratory problems such as asthma, emphysema, or bronchitis. Skin contact may aggravate existing skin disease. Chronic overexposure may cause pneumoconiosis ("dusty lung" disease).

Medical conditions possibly aggravated by exposure:

Ingestion:

### Section 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Flammable Properties:

Flash Point:

Suitable Extinguishing Media:

**Hazardous Combustion Products:** 

**Explosion Data:** 

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact:

Sensitivity to Static Discharge:

Unusual fire/explosion hazards:

Protective Equipment and

Precautions for Firefighters:

Not flammable

Not determined

Non-combustible. Use extinguishing media suitable

for surrounding conditions.

Carbon oxides

Not sensitive

Not sensitive

In a fire this material may decompose, releasing

oxides of carbon, potassium and nitrogen (see

Section 10).

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing

apparatus (pressure-demand, NIOSH approved or

equivalent), and full protective gear.

## Section 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal Precautions:

Personal Protective Equipment:

**Emergency Procedures:** 

Methods for Containment:

Methods for Clean Up:

Other:

Avoid contact with skin, eyes, and clothing. Minimum - safety glasses, gloves, and a dust

respirator.

NA

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to

Avoid dust formation; clean up released material

using vacuum or wet sweep and shovel to minimize generation of dust. Bag and transfer to properly labeled containers. Ventilate area and wash spill site

after material pickup is complete.

If product is contaminated, use PPE and containment

appropriate to the nature of the most toxic chemical or

material in the mixture.

## Section 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Personal Precautions: Use appropriate PPE when handling or maintaining

equipment, and wash thoroughly after handling (see

Section 8).

Conditions for Safe Storage/Handling: Keep product in original container or extinguisher.

Prevent falling. Do not allow near heat sources. Contents may be under pressure – inspect

extinguisher consistent with product labeling to

ensure container integrity.

Incompatible Products: Do not mix with other extinguishing agents,

particularly ammonium phosphate. Incompatible with strong oxidizing agents and strong acids. Do not

etore in high humidity

store in high humidity.

Hazardous Decomposition Products:

Hazardous Polymerization:

No data available. Will not occur

## Section 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Chemical Name	OSHA PEL	ACGIH TLV	DFG MAK *	EU BLV
Potassium bicarbonate	PNOC** Total dust, 15 mg/m³ Respirable fraction, 5 mg/m³	PNOC Total dust, 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Respirable fraction, 3 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	PNOC Total dust, 4 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Respirable fraction, 1.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	NA
Mica	6 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	3 mg/m3	*******	NA
Fullers Earth	PNOC Total dust, 15 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Respirable fraction, 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	PNOC Total dust, 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Respirable fraction, 3 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	PNOC Total dust, 4 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Respirable fraction, 1.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	NA
Silicone oil	NR***	NR	NR	NA
Violet 23 pigment	NR	NR	NR	NA

<sup>\*</sup>German regulatory limits \*\*PNOC = Particulates not otherwise classified (ACGIH) also known as Particulates not otherwise regulated (OSHA) \*\*\* NR = Not Regulated. All values are 8 hour time weighted average concentrations.

Engineering Controls: Showers

Eyewash stations Ventilation systems

## Personal Protective Equipment - PPE Code E:

The need for respiratory protection is not probable during short-term exposure. PPE use during production process must be independently evaluated.









Eye/Face Protection: Skin and Body Protection: Respiratory Protection: Tightly fitting safety goggles Wear protective gloves/coveralls

If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, NIOSH approved respiratory protection should be worn. Use P100 respirators for limited exposure, use air-purifying respirator (APR) with high efficiency particulate air (HEPA) filters for prolonged exposure. Positive-pressure supplied air respirators may be required for high airborne contaminant concentrations. Respiratory protection must be provided in accordance with current safety and health requirements. The need for respiratory protection is not likely for short-term use in well ventilated areas. Good personal hygiene practice is essential, such as avoiding food, tobacco products, or other hand-to-mouth contact when handling. Wash thoroughly after handling.

Hygiene Measures:

## Section 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance:

Molecular Weight:

Odor:

Odor Threshold:

Decomposition Temperature OC:

Freezing Point <sup>o</sup>C: Initial Boiling Point <sup>o</sup>C:

Physical State:

pH:

Flash Point OC:

Light purple powder, finely divided odorless

solid

KHCO<sub>3</sub>: 100.14

No information available No information available

KHCO3: 100 - 120

No information available No information available

Crystalline Powder

Approximately 9 – 10 for a 10% solution

None

Autoignition Temperature <sup>o</sup>C: None

Boiling Point/Range <sup>o</sup>C:

Melting Point/Range <sup>o</sup>C:

Flammability:

Not Applicable

KHCO<sub>3</sub>: 100 – 120

Not Flammable

Flammability Limits in Air <sup>o</sup>C: Upper – Not Flammable; Lower-Not Flammable

Explosive Properties: None Oxidizing Properties: None

Volatile Component (%vol)

Evaporation Rate:

MMHG @ 37.8 C :

Vapor Density:

Vapor Pressure:

Not Applicable

Not Applicable

Not Applicable

Not Applicable

Vapor Pressure:

< 1 mm Hg

Specific gravity: Approximately 2.17; 0.88 in aerated condition Solubility: Product is coated, not immediately soluble in water

Partition Coefficient: No Information Available

Viscosity: Not Applicable

## Section 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability: Stable under recommended storage and handling

conditions.

Reactivity: None

Incompatibles: Strong oxidizing agents; Strong acids; Ammonium

phosphate, lithium. Protect from moisture

Conditions to Avoid: Storage or handling near incompatibles.

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Carbon, nitrogen, and potassium oxides. Heat of fire

may release carbon monoxide.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions: None

Hazardous Polymerization Does not occur

#### Section 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Likely Routes of Exposure: Inhalation, skin and eye contact.

Symptoms:

Immediate:

Inhalation: Irritation, coughing.

Eyes: Irritation. Skin: Irritation.

Delayed: Symptoms appear to be relatively immediate

Acute Toxicity: Relatively non-toxic.

**Chronic Toxicity:** 

Short-term Exposure: None known.

Page 7 of 13 Pages PURPLE – K Long-term Exposure:

As with all dusts, pneumoconiosis, or "dusty lung" disease, may result from chronic exposure.

Acute Toxicity Values - Health

Chemical Name		LC50 (Inhalation)	
	Oral	Dermal	
Potassium bicarbonate	2825 mg/kg (rat)	>2000 mg/kg (rabbit)	4.96 mg/l (rat)
Mica	None	None	None
Fullers Earth	None	None	None
Silicone oil	None	None	None
Violet 23 pigment	None	None	None

Reproductive Toxicity: This product's ingredients are not known to have

reproductive or teratogenic effects.

Target Organs and Effects (TOST): Respiratory system (mild irritant).

This product is a mild irritant to epithelial tissue, (eyes, mucous membranes, skin) and may aggravate dermatitis. No information was found indicating the

product causes sensitization.

Other Toxicity Categories

Chemical Name	Germ Cell Mutagenicity	Carcino- genicity	Repro- ductive	TOST Single Exp	TOST Repeated Exp	Aspiration
Potassium Bicarbonate	None	None	None	Cat 3	None	None
Fullers earth	None	None	None	None	None	None
Mica-	None	None	None	None	None	None
Silicone oil	None	None	None	None	None	None
Violet 23 pigment oxazine dye	None	None	None	None	None	None

## Section 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity: Low risk.

Persistence/Degradability: Degrades rapidly in humid/wet environment.

Probability of rapid biodegradation: KHCO<sub>3</sub> Est: 0.718 (Rapid) Anaerobic biodegradation probability: KHCO<sub>3</sub> Est: 0.836 (Rapid)

Bioaccummulation potential: Low.

Bioconcentration factor: KHCO<sub>3</sub>: 3.16 L/kg

Bioaccummulation Potential: Low. Est biotransformation half-life: 0.012 days.

Mobility in soil: Log Koc: Est -2.062

Page 8 of 13 Pages PURPLE - K Log Koa:

Not applicable Not applicable

Log Kaw:

Fraction sorbed to airborne particulates: 0.886

Atmospheric oxidation half-life:

20.6 days

Level III Fugacity Model:

62% soil, 37% water, <0.1% sediment, air

Other Adverse Ecological Effects:

No other known effects at this time

Aquatic Toxicity Values - Research

Chemical Name	Acute (LC50)	Chronic (LC50)
Potassium bicarbonate	Cat IV; 1300 mg/l (rainbow trout), 96 hr. 670 mg/l (water flea) 24 hr., mortality min. at 94 mg/l 260 mg/l (flathead minnow), mortality min. dose	N/A
Mica	N/A	N/A
Fullers Earth	N/A	N/A
Silicone oil	N/A	N/A
Violet 23 pigment	N/A	N/A

Aquatic Toxicity Values - Calculated Estimates

Chemical Name	Acute (LC50)	Chronic (LC50)	
Potassium bicarbonate	8259 mg/L Fish 96 hr; 3737 mg/l Daphnid 48 hr;	1088 mg/L Gr. Algae 96 h	
Mica	N/A	N/A	
Fullers Earth	N/A	N/A	
Silicone oil	N/A	N/A	
Violet 23 pigment	N/A	N/A	

## Section 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Safe Handling

Use appropriate PPE when handling, and wash

thoroughly after handling (see Section 8).

Waste Disposal Considerations

Dispose in accordance with federal, state, and local

regulations.

Contaminated Packaging

Dispose in accordance with federal, state, and local

regulations.

NOTES:

This product is not a RCRA characteristically hazardous or listed hazardous waste. Dispose of according to state or local laws, which may be more restrictive than federal laws or regulations. Used product may be altered or contaminated, creating different disposal considerations.

## Section 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

UN Number: NA
UN Proper Shipping Name: NA
Transport Hazard Class: NA
Packing Group: NA
Marine Pollutant?: NO

IATA Not regulated DOT Not regulated

#### NOTES:

This product is not defined as a hazardous material under U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) 49 CFR 172, or by Transport Canada "Transportation of Dangerous Goods" regulations.

### Special Precautions for Shipping:

If shipped in a stored pressure-type fire extinguisher, and pressurized with a non-flammable, non-toxic inert expellant gas, the fire extinguisher is considered a hazardous material by the US Department of Transportation and Transport Canada. The proper shipping name shall be FIRE EXTINGUISHER and the UN designation is UN 1044. The DOT hazard class is Limited Quantity when shipped via highway or rail. Use a Non-Flammable Gas label (class 2.2) when shipping via air and some cases where Limited Quantity does not apply for highway and rail shipments.

### Section 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

International Inventory Status: All ingredients are on the following inventories

Country(ies)	Agency	Status
United States of America	TSCA	Yes
Canada	DSL	Yes
Europe	EINECS/ELINCS	Yes
Australia	AICS	Yes
Japan	MITI	Yes
South Korea	KECL	Yes

## REACH Title VII Restrictions: No information available

Chemical Name	Dangerous Substances	Organic Solvents	Harmful Substances Whose Names Are to be Indicated on Label	Pollution Release and Transfer Registry (Class II)	Pollution Release and Transfer Registry (Class I)	Poison and Deleterious Substances Control Law
Potassium Bicarbonate	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable

Component	ISHA – Harmful Substances Prohibited for Manufacturing, Importing, Transferring, or Supplying	ISHA – Harmful Substances Requiring Permission	Toxic Chemical Classification Listing (TCCL) – Toxic Chemicals	Toxic Release Inventory (TRI) – Group I	Toxic Release Inventory (TRI) – Group II
Potassium Bicarbonate 298-14-6 (>93)	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Fullers earth magnesium aluminum silicate 8031-18-3 (>4)	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Mica- potassium aluminum silicate 120001-26-2 (>2)	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Silicone oil methyl hydrogen polysiloxane 63148-57-2 (<0.5)	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Violet 23 pigment oxazine dye 6358-30-1 (<0.2)	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable

## European Risk and Safety phrases:

EU Classification: XN Irritant

R Phrases: 20 Harmful by inhalation.

36/37 Irritating to eyes, respiratory system.

S Phrases: 22 Do not breath dust.

24/25 Avoid contact with skin and eyes

26 In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with

plenty of water and seek medical advice.

No

No

36 Wear suitable protective clothing.

## U.S. Federal Regulatory Information:

#### SARA 313:

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA) - This product does not contain and chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372.

None of the chemicals in this product are under SARA reporting requirements or have SARA threshold planning quantities (TPQs) or CERCLA reportable quantities (RQs), or are regulated under TSCA 8(d).

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories:

Acute Health Hazard Chronic Health Hazard Fire Hazard No
Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard-\* Yes
Reactive Hazard No

#### Clean Water/Clean Air Acts:

This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42) or Clean Air Act, Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) (see 40 CFR 61) and Section 112 of the Clean Air Act Amendments of 1990.

#### **U.S. State Regulatory Information:**

Chemicals in this product are covered under specific State regulations, as denoted below:

Alaska - Designated Toxic and Hazardous Substances: None

California – Permissible Exposure Limits for Chemical Contaminants: None

Florida – Substance List: Mica Dust Illinois – Toxic Substance List: None Kansas – Section 302/303 List: None

Massachusetts – Substance List: Mica Dust Minnesota – List of Hazardous Substances: None

Minnesota — List of Hazardous Substances: None Minnesota — Empleyer Information/Toxic Substance Li

**Missouri** – Employer Information/Toxic Substance List: None **New Jersey** – Right to Know Hazardous Substance List: None

North Dakota - List of Hazardous Chemicals, Reportable Quantities: None

**Pennsylvania** – Hazardous Substance List: None **Rhode Island** – Hazardous Substance List: Mica Dust

Texas – Hazardous Substance List: No

West Virginia – Hazardous Substance List: None Wisconsin – Toxic and Hazardous Substances: None

California Proposition 65: No component is listed on the California Proposition 65 list.

#### Other:

Mexico – Grade No component listed Canada – WHMIS Hazard Class No component listed

<sup>\* -</sup> Only applicable if material is in a pressurized extinguisher.

## Section 16. OTHER INFORMATION

This SDS conforms to requirements under U.S., U.K., Canadian, Australian, and EU regulations or standards, and conforms to the proposed 2003 ANSI Z400.1 format.

Issuing Date Revision Date Revision Notes 17-June-2012 4-May-2016

None

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## SAFETY DATA SHEET

## Section 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name: Regular Dry Chemical Extinguishant

Other Identifiers: Sodium Bicarbonate, SDC Product Code(s): CH 511, CH512, CH 541

Model Codes for Fire Extinguishers A620,403,408,409,412,447,451,453,457,459,462,468

471,477,482,489,492,496,568,574,582,721,761,782

Recommended Use: Fire suppression of Class B and C fires

Not for human or animal drug use.

Manufacturer: AMEREX CORPORATION

Internet Address: www.amerex-fire.com

Address: 7595 Gadsden Highway, P.O. Box 81

Trussville, AL 35173-0081

Company Telephone: (205) 655-3271

E-mail Address: info@amerex-fire.com

Emergency Contacts: Chemtrec 1(800) 424-9300 or

(703) 527-3887 May, 2016

Revised:

## Section 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Emergency overview: White fine powder

Adverse health effects and symptoms: Mildly irritating to the respiratory system and eyes. Symptoms may include coughing, shortness of breath, and irritation of the lungs, eyes, and skin. Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal irritation and edema (fluid retention).

#### GHS - Classification

Health	Environmental	Physical	
Acute Toxicity: Category 5	None	None	
Skin Corrosion/Irritation: Category 3	None	None	
Skin Sensitization: NO	None	None	
Eye: Category 2B	None	Warning	
STOT – Category 3	None	Warning	
Carcinogen: Category None	None	None	

GHS – Label Symbol(s):

**Exclamation Mark** 

GHS – Word(s): Warning

Other Hazards Not Resulting in Classification: None

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GHS - Hazard Phrases

GHS Hazard	GHS Codes(s)	Code Phrase(s)
Physical	None	
Health	H303	May be harmful if swallowed
	316	Causes mild skin irritation
	320	Causes eye irritation
	335	May cause respiratory irritation
Environmental	None	
Precautionary:		
General	P101	If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand
Prevention	261	Avoid breathing dust
	264	Wash hands and face thoroughly after handling
Response	P304+340 305+351+313	If inhaled, remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.  If in eyes, rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Get immediate medical advice/attention (as appropriate).
	337+338	If eye irritation persists: remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
	312	Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell (as appropriate).
Storage	None	

## Section 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	EC No.	REACH Reg. No.	CAS-No.	Weight %
Sodium bicarbonate	205-633-8	Not Available	144-55-8	>92
Fullers earth magnesium aluminum silicate	NA	Not Available	8031-18-3	<5
Sericite Potassium aluminum silicate	NA	Not Available	12001-26-2	<2.5
Silicone oil methyl hydrogen polysiloxane	NA	Not Available	63148-57-2	<0.5

Emergency overview:

Adverse health effects and symptoms:

White fine powder, odorless.

Possibly a mild irritant to the respiratory system and eyes; mild irritant to the skin. Symptoms may include coughing, shortness of breath, and irritation of the lungs, eyes, and skin. Ingestion, although unlikely, may cause gastrointestinal irritation and edema (fluid retention).

#### Cut-off Levels

Chemical Name	Reproductive Toxicity	Carcinogenicity	Mutagenicity	Other Hazard Classes
Sodium bicarbonate	Not enough information	NA	Not enough information	Not enough information
Fullers earth magnesium aluminum silicate	NA	NA	NA	NA
Sericite Potassium aluminum silicate	NA	NA	NA	NA
Silicone oil methyl hydrogen polysiloxane	NA	NA	NA	NA .

## Section 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Eye Exposure: May cause irritation. Irrigate eyes with water and

repeat until pain free. Seek medical attention if irritation develops, or if vision changes occur.

Skin Exposure: May cause skin irritation. In case of contact, v

May cause skin irritation. In case of contact, wash with plenty of soap and water. Seek medical attention

if irritation persists.

Inhalation: May cause irritation, along with coughing. If

respiratory irritation or distress occurs remove victim

to fresh air. Seek medical attention if irritation

persists.

Ingestion: Overdose symptoms may include thirst, hausea, and

severe diarrhea and vomiting. If victim is conscious and alert, give 2-3 glasses of water to drink. If conscious, do not induce vomiting. Seek immediate medical attention. Do not leave victim unattended. To prevent aspiration of swallowed product, lay victim

on side with head lower than waist.

Medical conditions possibly aggravated by exposure:

Inhalation of product may aggravate existing chronic respiratory problems such as asthma, emphysema, or bronchitis. Skin contact may aggravate existing skin

disease. Chronic overexposure may cause pneumoconiosis ("dusty lung" disease).

## Section 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Flammable Properties: Not flammable

Flash Point: Not determined

Suitable Extinguishing Media: Non-combustible. Use extinguishing media suitable

for surrounding conditions.

Hazardous Combustion Products: Carbon oxides

**Explosion Data:** 

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact:

Sensitivity to Static Discharge:

Unusual fire/explosion hazards:

Not sensitive

Not sensitive

In a fire this material may decompose, releasing

oxides of carbon, potassium and nitrogen (see

Section 10).

Protective Equipment and

Precautions for Firefighters:

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing

apparatus pressure-demand. NIOSH (approved or

equivalent) and full protective gear.

## Section 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal Precautions:

Personal Protective Equipment:

Avoid contact with skin, eyes, and clothing.

Minimum - safety glasses, gloves, and a dust

respirator.

Emergency Procedures:

Methods for Containment:

NA

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to

do so.

Methods for Clean Up:

Avoid dust formation. Clean up released material using vacuum or wet sweep and shovel to minimize generation of dust. Bag and transfer to properly labeled containers. Ventilate area and wash spill site

after material pickup is complete.

Other: If prod

If product is contaminated, use PPE and containment

appropriate to the nature of the most toxic

chemical/material in the mixture.

### Section 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Personal Precautions: Use appropriate PPE when handling or maintaining

equipment, and wash thoroughly after handling (see

Section 8).

Conditions for Safe Storage/Handling: Keep product in original container or extinguisher.

Prevent falling. Do not allow near heat sources. Contents may be under pressure – inspect

extinguisher consistent with product labeling to

ensure container integrity.

Incompatible Products: Do not mix with other extinguishing agents,

Incompatible with strong oxidizing agents and strong

acids. Do not store in high humidity.

Hazardous Decomposition Products:

Hazardous Polymerization:

Carbon and sodium oxides.

Will not occur.

## Section 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Chemical Name	OSHA PEL	ACGIH TLV	DFG MAK *	EU BLV
Sodium bicarbonate	PNOC** Total dust, 15 mg/m³ Respirable fraction, 5 mg/m³	PNOC Total dust, 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Respirable fraction, 3 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	PNOC Total dust, 4 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Respirable fraction, 1.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	NA
Fullers earth magnesium aluminum silicate	PNOC** Total dust, 15 mg/m <sup>2</sup> Respirable fraction, 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	PNOC Total dust, 10 mg/m³ Respirable fraction, 3 mg/m³	PNOC Total dust, 4 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Respirable fraction, 1.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	NA
Sericite Potassium aluminum silicate	PNOC Total dust, 15 mg/m³ Respirable fraction, 5 mg/m³	PNOC Total dust, 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Respirable fraction, 3 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	PNOC Total dust, 4 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Respirable fraction, 1.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	NA
Silicone oil methyl hydrogen polysiloxane	NR***	NR	NR	NA

<sup>&</sup>quot;German regulatory limits \*\*PNOC = Particulates not otherwise classified (ACGIH) also known as Particulates not otherwise regulated (OSHA) \*\*\* NR = Not Regulated. All values are 8 hour time weighted average concentrations.

## Engineering Controls:

Showers Eyewash stations Ventilation systems

## Personal Protective Equipment – PPE Code E:

The need for respiratory protection is not probable during short-term exposure. PPE use during production process must be independently evaluated.









Eye/Face Protection: Skin and Body Protection: Respiratory Protection: Tightly fitting chemical goggles
Wear protective gloves/coveralls
If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is
experienced, NIOSH approved respiratory protection
should be worn. Use P100 respirators for limited
exposure, use air-purifying respirator (APR) with high
efficiency particulate air (HEPA) filters for prolonged
exposure. Positive-pressure supplied air respirators

may be required for high airborne contaminant concentrations. Respiratory protection must be provided in accordance with current safety and health requirements. The need for respiratory protection is not likely for short-term use in well ventilated areas. Good personal hygiene practice is essential, such as avoiding food, tobacco products, or other hand-to-mouth contact when handling. Wash thoroughly after

**Hygiene Measures:** 

### Section 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance: White powder, finely divided odorless solid

Molecular Weight: NaHCO3: 84.01

Odor: No information available Odor Threshold: No information available

Decomposition Temperature <sup>o</sup>C: NaHCO3: 50

Freezing Point <sup>o</sup>C: Approximately 50 (decomposes to sodium carbonate)

handling.

Initial Boiling Point <sup>o</sup>C:

Physical State:

PH:

No information available

Crystalline Powder

Approximately 8.3

Flash Point <sup>o</sup>C: None

Autoignition Temperature <sup>o</sup>C: None

Boiling Point/Range <sup>o</sup>C: Not Applicable. Will decompose

Melting Point/Range <sup>o</sup>C: Not Applicable Flammability: Not Flammable

Flammability Limits in Air <sup>o</sup>C: Upper – Not Flammable; Lower-Not Flammable

Explosive Properties: None Oxidizing Properties: None

Volatile Component (%vol)

Evaporation Rate:

Vapor Density:

Not Applicable

Not Applicable

Vapor Pressure: Low; Est 3.73e-09 mmhg

Specific gravity: Approximately 2.2

Solubility: Product is coated – not immediately soluble in water.

Partition Coefficient: No Information Available

Viscosity: Not Applicable

NOTE: NaHCO3 - Sodium bicarbonate

## Section 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability: Stable under recommended storage and handling

conditions.

Reactivity: Reacts exothermically with acids to generate non-

toxic carbon dioxide gas. Dangerous reaction with mono-ammonium phosphate and sodium potassium

alloys.

Incompatibles: Avoid contact with oxidizing agents and strong acids.

Contact with mono-ammonium phosphate, especially in the presence of water, may cause pressure to build due to the generation of ammonia and carbon dioxide gas; moisture will accelerate this reaction. Sodium potassium alloy can result in a violent reaction with certain extinguishing agents, such as Sodium

Bicarbonate. Mixtures of Sodium Bicarbonate with 2furaldehyde can spontaneously ignite when exposed to air. Sodium Bicarbonate is incompatible with

dopamine hydrochloride, pentazocine lactate, aspirin

and bismuth salicylate, and many alkali salts.

Conditions to Avoid: Storage or handling near incompatibles.

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Carbon, nitrogen, and potassium oxides. Heat of fire

may release carbon monoxide.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions: None

Hazardous Polymerization Does not occur

### Section 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Likely Routes of Exposure: Inhalation, skin and eye contact.

Symptoms:

Immediate:

Inhalation: Irritation, coughing.

Eyes: Irritation. Skin: Irritation.

Delayed: Symptoms appear to be relatively immediate

Acute Toxicity: Relatively non-toxic.

Chronic Toxicity:

Short-term Exposure: None known.

Long-term Exposure: As with all dusts, pneumoconiosis, or "dusty lung"

disease, may result from chronic exposure.

Acute Toxicity Values - Health

Chemical Name		LD50		
	Oral	Dermal		
Sodium bicarbonate	4220 mg/kg (rat)	>2000 mg/kg (rabbit)	900 mg/m3 (rat)	
Fullers earth magnesium aluminum silicate	None	None	None	
Sericite Potassium aluminum silicate	None	None	None	
Silicone oil methyl hydrogen polysiloxane	None	None	None	

Reproductive Toxicity: This product's ingredients are not known to have

reproductive or teratogenic effects.

Target Organs and Effects (TOST): Respiratory system (mild irritant).

This product is a mild irritant to epithelial tissue, (eyes, mucous membranes, skin) and may aggravate dermatitis. No information was found indicating the

product causes sensitization.

Other Toxicity Categories

Chemical Name	Germ Cell Mutagenicity	Carcino- genicity	Repro- ductive	TOST Single Exp	TOST Repeated Exp	Aspiration	
Sodium bicarbonate	None	None	None	No data	None	None	
Fullers earth magnesium aluminum silicate	None	None	None	None	None	None	
Sericite Potassium aluminum silicate	None	None	None	None	None	None	
Silicone oil methyl hydrogen polysiloxane	None	None	None	None	None	None	

## Section 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity: Low.

Persistence/Degradability: Soluble in water; NaHCO3: 96 g/l at 20 °C.

Probability of rapid biodegradation: NaHCO3 Est: 0.718 (Rapid)
Anaerobic biodegradation probability: NaHCO3 Est: 0.836 (Rapid)

Bioaccummulation potential: Low.

Bioconcentration factor: NaHCO3 Est: 3.16 L/kg

Mobility in soil: Slow evaporation rate; water soluble, may leach to

groundwater

Log Koc: NaHCO3 Est: -2.06

NOTE: NaHCO3 – Sodium bicarbonate

Other Adverse Ecological Effects: No other known effects at this time

Page 8 of 12 Pages REGULAR Aquatic Toxicity Values - Environment

Chemical Name	Acute (LC50)	Chronic (LC50)	
Sodium bicarbonate	7700 mg/l (rainbow trout)	4100 mg/l (water flea)	
Fullers earth magnesium aluminum silicate	N/A	N/A	
Sericite Potassium aluminum silicate	N/A	N/A	
Silicone oil methyl hydrogen polysiloxane	N/A	N/A	

Aquatic Toxicity Values - Calculated Estimates

Chemical Name	Acute (LC50)	EC50	
Sodium bicarbonate	8259 mg/L Fish 96 hr; 3737 mg/l Daphnid 48 hr;	1088 mg/L Gr. Algae 96 hr	
Fullers earth magnesium aluminum silicate	N/A	N/A	
Sericite Potassium aluminum silicate	N/A	N/A	
Silicone oil methyl hydrogen polysiloxane	N/A	N/A	

## Section 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Safe Handling Use appropriate PPE when handling, and wash

thoroughly after handling (see Section 8).

Waste Disposal Considerations Dispose in accordance with federal, state, and local

regulations.

Contaminated Packaging Dispose in accordance with federal, state, and local

regulations.

#### NOTES:

This product is not a RCRA characteristically hazardous or listed hazardous waste. Dispose of according to state or local laws, which may be more restrictive than federal laws or regulations. Used product may be altered or contaminated, creating different disposal considerations.

### Section 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

UN Number: NA
UN Proper Shipping Name: NA
Transport Hazard Class: NA
Packing Group: NA
Marine Pollutant?: NO

ATA Not regulated Not regulated

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#### NOTES:

This product is not defined as a hazardous material under U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) 49 CFR 172, or by Transport Canada "Transportation of Dangerous Goods" regulations.

### Special Precautions for Shipping:

If shipped in a stored pressure-type fire extinguisher, and pressurized with a non-flammable, non-toxic inert expellant gas, the fire extinguisher is considered a hazardous material by the US Department of Transportation and Transport Canada. The proper shipping name shall be FIRE EXTINGUISHER and the UN designation is UN 1044. The DOT hazard class is Limited Quantity, when shipped via highway or rail. Use a non-flammable gas label (class 2.2) when shipping via air and under circumstances where Limited quantity does not apply.

### Section 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

International Inventory Status: All ingredients are on the following inventories

Country(ies)	Agency	Status Yes Yes Yes Yes	
United States of America	TSCA		
Canada	DSL		
Europe	EINECS/ELINCS		
Australia	AICS	Yes	
Japan	MITI	Yes	
South Korea	KECL	Yes	

#### REACH Title VII Restrictions: No information available

Chemical Name	Dangerous Substances	Organic Solvents	Harmful Substances Whose Names Are to be Indicated on Label	Pollution Release and Transfer Registry (Class II)	Pollution Release and Transfer Registry (Class I)	Poison and Deleterious Substances Control Law
Sodium bicarbonate	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Fullers earth magnesium aluminum silicate	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Sericite Potassium aluminum silicate	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Silicone oil methyl hydrogen polysiloxane	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable

Component	ISHA – Harmful Substances Prohibited for Manufacturing, Importing, Transferring, or Supplying	ISHA – Harmful Substances Requiring Permission	Toxic Chemical Classification Listing (TCCL) – Toxic Chemicals	Toxic Release Inventory (TRI) – Group I	Toxic Release Inventory (TRI) – Group II
Sodium bicarbonate	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Fullers earth magnesium aluminum silicate	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
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Silicone oil methyl hydrogen polysiloxane	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable

# European Risk and Safety phrases:

EU Classification:

XN

Irritant

R Phrases:

S Phrases:

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Harmful by inhalation.

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36/37 Irritating to eyes, respiratory system.
 Do not breath dust.

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Avoid contact with skin and eyes

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In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with

plenty of water and seek medical advice.

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Wear suitable protective clothing.

# U.S. Federal Regulatory Information:

# SARA 313:

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA) - This product does not contain and chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372.

None of the chemicals in this product are under SARA reporting requirements or have SARA threshold planning quantities (TPQs) or CERCLA reportable quantities (RQs), or are regulated under TSCA 8(d).

# SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories:

Acute Health Hazard No
Chronic Health Hazard No
Fire Hazard No
Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard\* Yes
Reactive Hazard No

<sup>\* -</sup> Only applicable if material is in a pressurized extinguisher.

# Clean Water/Clean Air Acts:

This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42) or Clean Air Act, Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) (see 40 CFR 61) and Section 112 of the Clean Air Act Amendments of 1990.

# **U.S. State Regulatory Information:**

Chemicals in this product are covered under specific State regulations, as denoted below:

Alaska - Designated Toxic and Hazardous Substances: None

California – Permissible Exposure Limits for Chemical Contaminants: None

Florida – Substance List: Mica Dust Illinois – Toxic Substance List: None Kansas – Section 302/303 List: None

Massachusetts – Substance List: Mica Dust Minnesota – List of Hazardous Substances: None

**Missouri** – Employer Information/Toxic Substance List: None **New Jersey** – Right to Know Hazardous Substance List: None

North Dakota - List of Hazardous Chemicals, Reportable Quantities: None

**Pennsylvania** – Hazardous Substance List: None **Rhode Island** – Hazardous Substance List: Mica Dust

Texas - Hazardous Substance List: No.

West Virginia – Hazardous Substance List: None Wisconsin – Toxic and Hazardous Substances: None

California Proposition 65: No component is listed on the California Proposition 65 list.

#### Other:

Mexico – Grade No component listed Canada – WHMIS Hazard Class No component listed

# Section 16. OTHER INFORMATION

This SDS conforms to requirements under U.S., U.K., Canadian, Australian, and EU regulations or standards, and conforms to the proposed 2003 ANSI Z400.1 format.

Issuing Date 17-June-2012
Revision Date 4-May-2016
Revision Notes None

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ANSUL INCORPORATED
MARINETTE, WI 54143-2542

# I. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

1.1. Identification of the preparation

Product Name: "NITROGEN"
Chemical Name: Nitrogen.

CAS No.: 7727-37-9.

Chemical Formula: N<sub>2</sub>.

EINECS Number: 231-783-9.

1.2. Use of the preparation

The intended or recommended use of this preparation is to discharge a FIRE EXTINGUISHING AGENT.

1.3. Company identification

Manufacturer/Supplier: ANSUL INCORPORATED

Address: One Stanton Street, Marinette, WI 54143-2542

Prepared by: Safety and Health Department

Phone: 715-735-7411
Internet/Home Page: http://www.ansul.com
Date of Issue: September, 2006

1.4. Emergency telephone

CHEMTREC 800-424-9300 or 703-527-3887

### 2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

**2.1.** Ingredient Name: Nitrogen.

CAS No.: 7727-37-9.

EINECS Number: 231-783-9. Concentration, Wt %: 100%.

Hazard Identification: See Heading 3.

- 2.2. (i) There are no substances presenting a health or environmental hazard within the meaning of Directive 67/548/EEC, in concentrations equal to or greater than those laid down in the table set out in Article 3(3) of Directive 1999/45/EC, nor with lower limits given in Annex I to Directive 67/548/EEC or in Annexes II, III or V to Directive 1999/45/EC.
  - (ii) There are no substances for which there are Community workplace exposure limits, which are not already included in

(i) above.

#### 3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

FOR HUMANS:

EU Classification: Nonflammable Gas.

R None.

S 9 Keep container in a well ventilated place.

Limit Values for Exposure: None established.

This product has not been listed as carcinogenic by National Toxicology Program, IARC, or OSHA.

SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS:

Acute Exposure:

Eye Contact: Non-irritating gas. Skin Contact: Non-irritating gas.

Inhalation: Can cause suffocation by reducing oxygen available for breathing.

Breathing very high concentrations of vapor can cause dizziness, shortness of breath,

unconsciousness, or even death.

Ingestion: Non-irritating gas. Not a probable route of exposure.

Chronic Overexposure: No data available.

MEDICAL CONDITIONS GENERALLY AGGRAVATED BY EXPOSURE: None known.

FOR ENVIRONMENT:

This is a component of the atmosphere.

#### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Eye Contact:

Avoid direct contact with high pressure gas discharge.

Skin Contact:

Avoid direct contact with high pressure gas discharge.

Inhalation:

Avoid direct inhalation of undiluted gas. Gas is an asphyxiant.

Ingestion:

Not a probable route of exposure.

#### 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Non-flammable gas. Use agent appropriate to surrounding material.

Though gas cylinders are equipped with pressure and temperature relief devices, they should be removed from high temperature areas or fires, if safe to do so, to avoid risk of rupture.

There are NO extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons.

NO special protective equipment is needed for fire-fighters.

#### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Material is a normal atmospheric gas.

NO harm to the environment is expected from an accidental release of this preparation.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### 7.1. Handling

Care should be taken in handling all chemical substances and preparations.

Secure to prevent falling. Do not move without safety cap in place to prevent damage to valve.

See incompatibility information in Heading 10.

#### 7.2. Storage

Store cylinders with restraints to prevent possibility of rupture. Store as a compressed gas in DOT approved vessels. Keep safety cap in place while in storage.

See incompatibility information in Heading 10.

Store in original container. Keep tightly closed until used.

There is NO danger to the environment from a storage release.

#### 7.3. Specific use

The intended or recommended use of this preparation is to discharge a FIRE EXTINGUISHING AGENT.

#### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### 8.1. Exposure limit values

There are NO currently occupational exposure limit values for this component.

#### 8.2. Exposure controls

#### 8.2.1. Occupational exposure controls

#### 8.2.1.1. Respiratory protection

Exposure to high concentrations requires the use of self-contained breathing apparatus. Other respirators will not protect in an oxygen deficient atmosphere.

#### 8.2.1.2. Hand protection

Use leather gloves when handling cylinders.

#### 8.2.1.3. Eye protection

Use safety glasses with side shields or safety goggles.

#### 8.2.1.4. Skin protection

No special equipment is needed.

#### 8.2.2. Environmental exposure controls

None needed. This material is a normal atmospheric gas.

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#### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

#### 9.1. General information

Appearance: Colorless gas.

Odor: None.

#### 9.2. Important health, safety, and environmental information

pH: Not determined.

Boiling point/boiling range: -195.8 °C.

Flash point: None.

Flammability (solid/gas):

Explosive properties:

Oxidizing properties:

Vapor Pressure:

Relative Density:

Not flammable.

Not explosive.

Not an oxidizer.

Not determined.

Not applicable.

Solubility:

Water solubility: Not soluble.
Fat solubility: Not soluble.
Partition coefficient, n-octanol/water: Not determined.

Viscosity:

Vapor density (Air = 1): 0.98. Evaporation rate: Not determined.

9.3. Other information

Auto-ignition temperature: Does not ignite.

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

#### 10.1. Conditions to avoid

Extremely high temperatures, as in a fire may cause a cylinder to fail.

Not determined.

There are NO known conditions such as temperature, pressure, light, shock, etc., which may cause a dangerous reaction.

#### 10.2. Materials to avoid

None known.

#### 10.3. Hazardous decomposition products

Normally stable.

Hazardous polymerization will not occur.

Combustion or decomposition products will not form.

# 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Can cause suffocation by reducing oxygen available for breathing. Breathing very high concentrations of vapor can cause dizziness, shortness of breath, unconsciousness, or even death.

# 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### 12.1 Ecotoxicity

This material is a normal atmospheric gas.

#### 12.2. Mobility

This material is a normal atmospheric gas.

#### 12.3. Persistence and degradability

This material is a normal atmospheric gas.

#### 12.4. Bioaccumulative potential

This material is a normal atmospheric gas.

#### 12.5. Other adverse effects

Ozone depletion potential:

Photochemical ozone creation potential:

Global warming potential:

None.

None.

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#### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

No harm to the environment is expected from this preparation.

This material is a normal atmospheric gas.

#### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Hazard Class or Division: Nitrogen, Compressed, Class 2.2, UN1066.

Label: Non-flammable gas. Emergency response guide page number: 121; EMS (Intl): 2-04. For additional transport information, contact Ansul Incorporated.

This material is a normal atmospheric gas.

#### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

**EU Classification:** Nonflammable gas.

R Phrases: None.

S Phrases: Keep container in a well ventilated place.

**Exposure Limit Values:** None.

**EINECS Status:** This component is included in EINECS inventories. **EPA TSCA Status** This component is included in TSCA inventories. Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List): This component is included in DSL inventories.

**Environmental restrictions:** None are known. Restrictions on Marketing and Use: None are known. Refer to any other national measures that may be relevant.

#### 16. **OTHER INFORMATION**

#### (HMIS) HAZARDOUS MATERIAL IDENTIFICATION SYSTEM RATINGS:

**HEALTH:** 4. Severe Hazard FLAMMABILITY: Serious Hazard

REACTIVITY: 0 2. Moderate Hazard 1. Slight Hazard 0. Minimal Hazard

#### (WHMIS) CANADIAN WORKPLACE HAZARDOUS MATERIAL **IDENTIFICATION SYSTEM RATINGS:**

This product is rated A Compressed Gas.

Toxicological information added from the EINECS ESIS (Existing Substances Information System). A rating under WHMIS has been added, following the Canadian guidelines.

Format is from directive 2001/58/EC.

EINECS data is from http://ecb.jrc.it/existing-chemicals/

Data used to compile the data sheet is from Ansul Material Safety Data Sheet, February, 2002.

#### 17. DISCLAIMER

THE ABOVE INFORMATION IS BELIEVED TO BE CORRECT, BUT DOES NOT PURPORT TO BE ALL INCLUSIVE AND SHALL BE USED ONLY AS A GUIDE. ANSUL SHALL NOT BE HELD LIABLE FOR ANY DAMAGE RESULTING FROM HANDLING OR FROM CONTACT WITH THE ABOVE PRODUCT.

MSDS available at http://www.ansul.com



ANSULEX Low pH Liquid Fire Suppressant

Product Code: 1070-2-000 ANa Issue Date: 07-31-2010

1. Product and Company Identification

Material name ANSULEX Low pH Liquid Fire Suppressant

Version # 01

 Revision date
 07-31-2010

 Product Code
 1070-2-000 ANa

Product use Fire exintinguishing agent

Manufacturer / Importer /

Supplier

Name Tyco Fire Suppression and Building Products

Address One Stanton Street

Marinette, WI 54143-2542

Phone 715-735-7411 Internet http://www.ansul.com

Emergency Phone Number CHEMTREC 800-424-9300 or 703-527-3887

2. Hazards Identification

Emergency overview Health injuries are not known or expected under normal use.

OSHA regulatory status This product is considered not hazardous under 29 CFR 1910.1200 (Hazard Communication).

Potential health effects

Routes of exposure Eye contact. Skin contact. Inhalation. Ingestion.

Eyes May cause minor imitation on eye contact.

Skin Non-irritating to the skin.

Inhalation None known.

Ingestion Not a likely route of entry.

3. Composition / Information on Ingredients

The manufacturer lists no ingredients as hazardous according to OSHA 29 CFR 1910.1200.

4. First Aid Measures

First aid procedures

Eye contact Rinse with water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

Skin contact Rinse skin with water/shower. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

Inhalation If breathing is difficult, remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.

Call a physician if symptoms develop or persist.

Ingestion Rinse mouth. If ingestion of a large amount does occur, call a poison control center immediately.

General advice If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible).

5. Fire Fighting Measures

Flammable properties No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted.

Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing T

media

This product is not fiammable. Use extinguishing agent suitable for type of surrounding fire.

Specific methods None known.

Hazardous combustion

products

May include oxides of nitrogen.

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#### 6. Accidental Release Measures

Personal precautions Keep unnecessary personnel away. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages

cannot be contained.

**Environmental precautions** 

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not contaminate water.

Methods for containment Stop the flow of material, if this is without risk. Dike the spilled material, where this is possible.

Use water spray to reduce vapors or divert vapor cloud drift.

Methods for cleaning up Should not be released into the environment.

> Large Spills: Dike far ahead of spill for later disposal. Use a non-combustible material like vermiculite, sand or earth to soak up the product and place into a container for later disposal.

Small Spills: Wipe up with absorbent material (e.g. cloth, fleece).

Never return spills in original containers for re-use. Following product recovery, flush area with

water. Clean surface thoroughly to remove residual contamination.

# 7. Handling and Storage

Handling Avoid release to the environment. Handle and open container with care.

Storage Use care in handling/storage.

# 8. Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

Personal protective equipment

Eye / face protection Not normally needed.

No special protective equipment required. Skin protection

Mild.

Respiratory protection No personal respiratory protective equipment normally required.

General hygiene considerations

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

# 9. Physical & Chemical Properties

**Appearance** 

Odor

**Form** Liquid.

Color Yellow green

Physical state Liquid. 7.7 - 8.7Hq Not available. **Melting point** Not available. Freezing point Not available. **Boiling point** Not available. Flash point **Evaporation rate** Not available.

Flammability limits in air, upper, Not available.

% by volume

Flammability limits in air, lower, Not available.

% by volume

Vapor pressure Not available. Vapor density Not available.

1.33 Specific gravity

Not available. Relative density Not available. Solubility (water) Not available **Partition coefficient** 

(n-octanol/water)

Not available. **Auto-ignition temperature** Not available. **Decomposition temperature** 

VOC Not available.

Chemical stability	Material is stable under normal conditions.	
Incompatible materials	None known.	
Hazardous decomposition products	Toxic gas. Nitrogen oxides (NOx).	
11. Toxicological Informa	ition	
Toxicological information	The toxicity of this product has not been tested.	
Chronic effects	Not available.	
Carcinogenicity	This product is not considered to be a carcinogen by IARC, ACGIH, NTP, or	OSHA.
Skin corrosion/irritation	Not available.	
Epidemiology	Not available.	
Neurological effects	Not available.	
12. Ecological Information	n	
Ecotoxicity	Not expected to be harmful to aquatic organisms.	
Environmental effects	An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional f	nandling or disposa
Persistence and degradability	Not available.	
13. Disposal Consideration	ons	
Disposal instructions	This product, in its present state, when discarded or disposed of, is not a haz according to Federal regulations (40 CFR 261.4 (b)(4)). Under RCRA, it is the user of the product to determine, at the time of disposal, whether the production for hazardous waste. Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.	e responsibility of luct meets RCRA
Waste from residues / unused products	Not applicable.	
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Country(s) or region

Inventory name

On inventory (yes/no)\*

Japan Inventory of Existing and New Chemical Substances (ENCS) Korea

Existing Chemicals List (ECL)

New Zealand

**New Zealand Inventory** 

**Philippines** 

Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

(PICCS)

United States & Puerto Rico

Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory

Yes

No

\*A "Yes" indicates that all components of this product comply with the inventory requirements administered by the governing country(s)

State regulations

This product does not contain a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth

defects or other reproductive harm.

#### 16. Other Information

**Further information** 

HMIS® is a registered trade and service mark of the NPCA.

**HMIS®** ratings

Health: 0 Flammability: 0

Physical hazard: 0

NFPA ratings

Health: 0 Flammability: 0 Instability: 0

Disclaimer

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# Commercial ABC Dry Chemical (Fire Extinguishing Agent)

# IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATIONS AND OF THE COMPANY UNDERTAKING

Product Name Commercial ABC Dry Chemical (Fire Extinguishing Agent)

Other Trade Names Multi-Purpose, Ammonium Phosphate, Monoammonium Phosphate

Product Description Fire Extinguishing Agent
Manufacturer/Supplier Badger Fire Protection

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Charlottesville, VA 22901

USA

Phone Number (434)-964-3200 Chemtrec Number (800) 424-9300

(for emergencies only) (703) 527-3887 (International)

Revision Date: February 9, 2012 MSDS Date: February 9, 2009

Safety Data Sheet according to EC directive 2001/59/EC and OSHA's Hazcom Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

#### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### **EU Main Hazards**

Non Hazardous Powder

#### Routes of Entry

Eye contact - Inhalation - Skin contact

# Carcinogenic Status

See Section 11 - Toxicity

#### **Target Organs**

Respiratory System - Skin - Eye

# Health Effects - Eyes

Contact for short periods of time may cause irritation.

#### Health Effects - Skin

Contact may cause mild irritation.

## Health Effects - Ingestion

Ingestion is not an expected route of exposure.

#### Health Effects - Inhalation

May irritate the respiratory tract. May cause transient cough and shortness of breath.

#### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Component Name Monoammonium Phosphate	CAS#/Codes 7722-76-1 EC#2317645	Concentration 55 - 65%	R Phrases None	EU Classification None
Ammonium Sulfate	7783-20-2 EC#2319841	30 - 40%	None	None
Mica	12001-26-2	1 - 4%	None	None

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#### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Component Name Clay	CAS#/Codes 8031-18-3	Concentration <2%	R Phrases None	EU Classification None
Amorphous Silica	7631-86-9 EC#2315454	<2%	None	None
Dye	NA	<0.1%	None	None

#### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

#### Eyes

Immediately flood the eye with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, holding the eye open. Obtain medical attention if soreness or redness persists.

#### Skin

Wash affected area with soap and water. Obtain medical attention if irritation persists.

#### Ingestion

Dilute by drinking large quantities of water and obtain medical attention.

#### Inhalation

Move victim to fresh air. Obtain medical attention immediately for any breathing difficulty.

# Advice to Physicians

Treat symptomatically.

#### FIRE - FIGHTING MEASURES

#### **Extinguishing Media**

This preparation is used as an extinguishing agent and therefore is not a problem when trying to control a blaze. Use extinguishing agent appropriate to other materials involved. Keep pressurized extinguishers and surroundings cool with water spray as they may rupture or burst in the heat of a fire.

#### Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards

Pressurized containers may explode in heat of fire.

#### Protective Equipment for Fire-Fighting

Wear full protective clothing and self-contained breathing apparatus as appropriate for specific fire conditions.

#### ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Sweep up or vacuum. Prevent skin and eye contact. Wear appropriate protective equipment.

#### HANDLING AND STORAGE

Pressurized extinguishers should be properly stored and secured to prevent falling or being knocked over. Do not drag, slide or roll extinguishers. Do not drop extinguishers or permit them to strike against each other. Never apply flame or localized heat directly to any part of the extinguisher or plastic container. Store pressurized extinguishers and plastic containers away from high heat sources. Storage area should be: - cool - dry - well ventilated - under cover - out of direct sunlight

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#### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### Occupational Exposure Standards

Occupational exposure limits are listed below, if they exist.

Mica

ACGIH TLV: 3 mg/m3 TWA, measured as respirable fraction of the aerosol.

OSHA PEL: 20 mppcf, <1% crystalline silica

**Nuisance Dust Limit** 

OSHA PEL: 50 mppcf or 15 mg/m3 TWA, total dust

15 mppcf or 5 mg/m3 TWA, respirable fraction

**Engineering Control Measures** 

Use with adequate ventilation. There should be local procedures for the selection, training, inspection and maintenance of this equipment. When used in large volumes, use local exhaust ventilation.

Respiratory Protection

Not normally required. Use dust mask where dustiness is prevalent, or TLV is exceeded.

Hand Protection

Not normally needed when used as a portable fire extinguisher. Use gloves if irritation occurs.

Eve Protection

Chemical goggles or safety glasses with side shields.

**Body Protection** 

Normal work wear.

## PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

**Physical State** Powder Color Pale Yellow Odor Odorless Specific Gravity Not available Boiling Range/Point (°C/F) Not applicable Flash Point (PMCC) (°C/F) Not Flammable Solubility in Water Not applicable Vapor Density (Air = 1) Heavier than air. Vapor Pressure Not applicable **Evaporation Rate** Not applicable

# 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

#### Stability

Stable under normal conditions.

Conditions to Avoid

Heat - High temperatures - Exposure to direct sunlight

Materials to Avoid

Strong oxidizing agents - strong acids - sodium hypochlorite

Hazardous Polymerization

Will not occur.

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#### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

#### Hazardous Decomposition Products

Oxides of carbon - ammonia - oxides of phosphorus - nitrogen oxides

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### Acute Toxicity

Low order of acute toxicity.

#### Chronic Toxicity/Carcinogenicity

This product is not expected to cause long term adverse health effects.

Mica and clay may contain small quantities of quartz (crystalline silica) as an impurity. Prolonged exposure to respirable crystalline silica dust at concentrations exceeding the occupational exposure limits may increase the risk of developing a disabling lung disease known as silicosis. IARC found limited evidence for pulmonary carcinogenicity of crystalline silica in humans.

#### Genotoxicity

This product is not expected to cause any mutagenic effects.

# Reproductive/Developmental Toxicity

This product is not expected to cause adverse reproductive effects.

#### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### Mobility

No relevant studies identified.

#### Persistence/Degradability

No relevant studies identified.

#### Bio-accumulation

No relevant studies identified.

#### Ecotoxicity

No relevant studies identified.

#### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Dispose of container in accordance with all applicable local and national regulations. Do not cut, puncture or weld on or near to the container. No harm to the environment is expected from this preparation.

#### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT CFR 172.101 Data

Not regulated

**UN Proper Shipping Name** 

Not regulated

**UN Class** 

None

**UN Number** 

None

UN Packaging Group

None

NOTE: For additional HAZMAT shipping information related to shipping pressurized fire extinguishers, refer to Badger Technical Bulletin #123-1201 available for download at www.badgerfire.com.

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#### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

#### **EU Label Information**

Classification and labelling have been performed according to EU directives 67/548/EEC and 99/45/EC including amendments(2001/60/EC and 2006/8/EC)

## EU Hazard Symbol and Indication of Danger.

This preparation is not classified as dangerous.

# R phrases

None

#### S phrases

None.

# US REGULATIONS (Federal, State) and INTERNATIONAL CHEMICAL REGISTRATION LAWS

#### TSCA Listing

This product contains ingredients that are listed on or exempt from listing on the EPA Toxic Substance Control Act Chemical Substance Inventory.

# **EINECS Listing**

All ingredients in this product have not been verified for listing on the European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS) or the European List of New Chemical Substances (ELINCS).

## DSL/NDSL (Canadian) Listing

All ingredients in this product are listed on the Domestic Substance List (DSL) or the Non-Domestic Substance List (NDSL) or are exempt from listing.

#### WHMIS Classification

D2B

This product was classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Canadian Controlled Products Regulations and the MSDS contains all the information required by these regulations.

#### MA Right To Know Law

All components have been checked for inclusion on the Massachusetts Substance List (MSL). Those components present at or above the de minimis concentration include: - Mica (12001-26-2) 1-4% - Amorphous Silica (7631-86-9) <2% - Ammonium Sulfate (7783-20-2) 30 - 40%

#### PA Right To Know Law

This product contains the following chemicals found on the Pennsylvania Hazardous Substance List: - Mica (12001-26-2) 1-4% - Amorphous Silica (7631-86-9) <2% - Ammonium Sulfate (7783-20-2) 30 - 40%

#### NJ Right To Know Law

This product contains the following chemicals found on the NJ Right To Know Hazardous Substance List: - Mica (12001-26-2) 1-4% - Amorphous Silica (7631-86-9) <2%

#### California Proposition 65

This product does not contain materials which the State of California has found to cause cancer, birth defects or other reproductive harm.

#### SARA Title III Sect. 302 (EHS)

This product does not contain any chemicals subject to SARA Title III Section 302.

## SARA Title III Sect. 304

This product does not contain any chemicals subject to SARA Title III Section 304.

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## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

SARA Title III Sect. 311/312 Categorization

Immediate (Acute) Health Hazard

SARA Title III Sect. 313

This product does not contain any chemicals that are listed in Section 313 at or above de minimis concentrations.

# 16. OTHER INFORMATION

NFPA Ratings

NFPA Code for Health - 1

NFPA Code for Flammability - 0

NFPA Code for Reactivity - 0

NFPA Code for Special Hazards - None

**HMIS Ratings** 

HMIS Code for Health - 1

HMIS Code for Flammability - 0

HMIS Code for Reactivity - 0

HMIS Code for Personal Protection - See Section 8

Abbreviations

N/A: Denotes no applicable information found or available

CAS#: Chemical Abstracts Service Number

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

OSHA: Occupational Safety and Health Administration

TLV: Threshold Limit Value PEL: Permissible Exposure Limit STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit NTP: National Toxicology Program

IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer

R: Risk S: Safety

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# BADGER FIRE PROTECTION, INC.

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

Emergency # (800) 424-9300 4251 Seminole Trail

Charlottesville, VA 22911 (804) 973-4361

Date: April, 1999

# SECTION 1 NAME & HAZARD SUMMARY

Material name: BCF (Halon 1211)

Manufacturer: ICI Americas Inc., Wilmington, Delaware 19897 • Phone (302) 575-3000 (24 Hours)

Hazard summary (as defined by OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200):

Physical hazards: Compressed gas

Health hazards: Harmful (central nervous system depression, cardiac arrhythmias)

Read the entire MSDS for a more thorough evaluation of the hazards.

# **SECTION 2** INGREDIENTS

Bromochlorodifluoromethane (CAS 353-59-3) 100% TLV (ACGIH) Not listed

Ingredients not precisely identified are proprietary or nonharzardous. All ingredients appear on the EPA TSCA Inventory. Values are not product specifications. gt = greater than, It = less than, ca = approximately

# SECTION 3 PHYSICAL DATA

Boiling point: 26°F

Vapor pressure: 15 psig at 15.6°C

Vapor density (air = 1): 5.7 Solubility in water: Insoluble

pH: No data

Specific gravity: 1.83 (liquid) % Volatile by volume: 100

Appearance and odor: Colorless gas or colorless volatile liquid with very faint sweet odor

# SECTION 4 FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA

Flash point (and method): DOES NOT FLASH

Autoignition temp.: NONE Flammable limits (STP): None

Extinguishing media: Not applicable; product is an extinguishing agent. Use water to cool fire-exposed cylinders or

other containers.

Special fire fighting protective equipment: Self-contained breathing apparatus with full facepiece and protective clothing when re-entering unventilated fire areas where product has been used.

Unusual fire and explosion hazards: When BCF is discharged onto a fire, it decomposes above 900°F, releasing bromide ions, the extinguishing agent. However, halogen compounds, such as halogen acids, are also formed. These byproducts, although harmful if inhaled, are easily detected; only a few parts per million create an unpleasant, acrid odor, which serves as a warning to the user. After the extinguisher is discharged, the area should be vacated until ventilation clears the atmosphere.

# **SECTION 5** REACTIVITY DATA

Stability: Stable under normal conditions. Decomposes under fire conditions (above 900°F).

Incompatibility (materials to avoid): Active metals such as powdered aluminum and magnesium, and fires of metal hydrides.

Hazardous decomposition products: Thermal decomposition: BCF begins decomposing at temperatures above 900°F to give free halogens, halogen acids, and small amounts of carbonyl halides. Tests simulating fire conditions could not detect phospene in amounts as low as 0.04 ppm.

Hazardous polymerization: Will not occur.



# SECTION 6 HEALTH HAZARD ASSESSMENT

General: The health hazard assessment is based on a combination of available toxicity information and human experience.

Ingestion: Ingestion is not likely to occur since this material is a gas at room temperature.

Eye contact: The liquid form of this material can produce chilling sensations and discomfort.

Skin contact: Evaporation of liquid from the skin can produce chilling sensations. Skin injury does not result.

Skin absorption: Systematically toxic concentrations are unlikely to be absorbed through the skin in man.

Inhalation: Exposures to concentrations of this material above 4% for longer than one minute can cause toxic side effects.

Other effects of overexposure: Prolonged exposures can cause dizziness, headache, nausea, impaired coordination progressing to unconsciousness. In susceptible individuals, cardiac sensitization to circulating epinephrine compounds can result in potentially fatal heart arrythmias.

# First aid procedures:

Skin: Wash material off the skin with copious amounts of soap and water. If redness, itching or a burning sensation develops, get medical attention.

Eyes: Immediately flush with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. If redness, itching or a burning sensation develops, have eyes examined and treated by medical personnel.

Ingestion: Give 1 or 2 glasses of warm water to drink and get medical attention. DO NOT induce vomiting. Have victim lie down and keep warm. (Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.)

Inhalation: Remove victim to fresh air. If cough or other respiratory symptoms develop, consult medical personnel. If not breathing, give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Consult medical personnel.

Note to Physician: Product can induce cardiac muscle sensitization to circulating epinephrine-like compounds. DO NOT give adrenaline or similar sympathomimetic drugs. DO NOT allow a victim to exercise until 24 hours following specific exposures. Freeze burns of mucosal tissue can develop following contact with liquid form of this material.

# **SECTION 7** SPILL OR LEAK PROCEDURES

Steps to be taken in case material is released or spilled: Ventilate spill area and recover any liquid. Protect against frostbite from evaporating liquid.

Disposal method: Not applicable Container disposal: Not applicable

# SECTION 8 SPECIAL PROTECTION INFORMATION

TLV or suggested control value: No TLV assigned by ACGIH. ICIA operates its facilities such that employee exposure to this material is kept below 1000 ppm as an 8-hour TWA.

Ventilation: Ventilate low-lying areas, such as, sumps or pits where dense vapors may collect. Use local exhaust to control exposures.

Respiratory protection (specify type): Not normally needed if controls are adequate. If needed, use MSHA/NIOSH approved respirator for organic vapors. For high concentrations and oxygen-deficient atmospheres. Use positive pressure air-supplied respirator.

Protective clothing: Impervious gloves and apron to protect against liquid exposure.

Eye protection: Chemical tight goggles; full faceshield in addition if splashing is possible.

Other protective equipment: Eyewash station and safety shower in work area when working with liquified product.

# SECTION 9 SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS OR OTHER COMMENTS

Precautions to be taken in handling or storing: Store in a cool area with good ventilation. Keep vapors away from high temperature surfaces to avoid toxic and corrosive decomposition products. Enfore "NO SMOKING" rules in areas of use.



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#### IDENTIFICATION

Product Name

Other Names

Recommended use of the chemical and

restrictions on use

Identified uses

Restrictions on use

Company Identification

Customer Information Number

**Emergency Telephone Number** 

Chemtrec Number

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Heptafluoropropane, HFC-227ea

Fire Extinguishing Agent

Consult applicable fire protection codes

Kidde-Fenwal, Inc.

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USA

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Safety Data Sheet prepared in accordance with OSHA's Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200) and the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (GHS)

#### 2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

#### Hazard Classification

Gas under pressure – liquefied gas Simple Asphyxiant

#### Label Elements

Hazard Symbols



Signal Word: Warning

## **Hazard Statements**

Contents under pressure; may explode if heated. May displace oxygen and cause rapid suffocation.

# **Precautionary Statements**

#### Prevention

Do not enter confined space unless adequately ventilated. In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection.

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#### 2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

## Response

None

#### Storage

Keep container tightly closed.

Protect from sunlight and store in well-ventilated place.

#### Disposal

None

#### Other Hazards

Direct contact with the cold gas or liquid can cause freezing of exposed tissues. Exposure to vapor at high concentrations can cause cardiac sensitization and suffocation if air is displaced by vapors.

# Specific Concentration Limits

The values listed below represent the percentages of ingredients of unknown toxicity.

Acute oral toxicity 0%
Acute dermal toxicity 0%
Acute inhalation toxicity 0%
Acute aquatic toxicity 0%

#### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Synonyms: Heptafluoropropane This product is a substance.

Component CAS Number Concentration

1,1,1,2,3,3,3-Heptafluoropropane 431-89-0 >99.9%

Note: The expellant is nitrogen.

# 4. FIRST- AID MEASURES

## Description of necessary first-aid measures

#### Eyes

Immediately flood the eye with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, holding the eye open. Obtain medical attention if soreness or redness persists.

#### Skin

Flush with water. Obtain medical attention if frostbite or blistering occurs or redness persists.

## Ingestion

Ingestion is not considered a potential route of exposure.

#### Inhalation

Remove from exposure. If there is difficulty in breathing, give oxygen. Obtain medical attention immediately.

#### Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed

Aside from the information found under Description of necessary first aid measures (above) and Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed, no additional symptoms and effects are anticipated.

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#### FIRST- AID MEASURES

# Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed Notes to Physicians

In case of frostbite, place the frostbitten part in warm water. If warm water is not available or impractical to use, wrap the affected parts gently in blankets. DO NOT USE HOT WATER.

The use of epinephrine or similar compounds can increase susceptibility to heart irregularities caused by excessive exposure to these types of compounds.

#### FIRE - FIGHTING MEASURES

#### Suitable Extinguishing Media

FM-200<sup>®</sup> is used as an extinguishing agent and therefore is not a problem when trying to control a blaze. Use extinguishing agent appropriate to other materials involved. Keep containers and surroundings cool with water spray as containers may rupture or burst in the heat of a fire.

# Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Containers may explode in heat of fire.

#### Special Protective Actions for Fire-Fighters

Wear full protective clothing and self-contained breathing apparatus as appropriate for specific fire conditions.

#### ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

## Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Wear full protective clothing and self-contained breathing apparatus. Remove leaking cylinder to a safe place. Ventilate the area. Leaks inside confined spaces may cause suffocation as vapors may displace air, and should not be entered without a self-contained breathing apparatus.

#### **Environmental Precautions**

Prevent the material from being released into the environment.

#### Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Material evaporates.

#### HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### Precautions for safe handling

Wear appropriate protective clothing. Prevent skin and eye contact.

#### Conditions for safe storage

Pressurized containers should be properly stored and secured to prevent falling or being knocked over. Do not drag, slide or pressurized containers. Do not drop pressurized containers or permit them to strike against each other. Never apply flame or localized heat directly to any part of the pressurized or plastic container. Store pressurized and plastic containers away from high heat sources. Storage area should be: - cool - dry - well ventilated - under cover - out of direct sunlight

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## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

## Control parameters

Exposure limits are listed below, if they exist.

## 1,1,1,2,3,3,3-Heptafluoropropane

None assigned.

#### Appropriate engineering controls

Use with adequate ventilation. There should be local procedures for the selection, training, inspection and maintenance of this equipment. When used in large volumes or odor becomes apparent, use local exhaust ventilation.

#### Individual protection measures

## Respiratory Protection

Not normally required under conditions of use as a portable fire extinguisher. For other applications creating oxygen deficient atmospheres, use a self contained breathing apparatus, as an air purifying respirator will not provide protection.

#### Skin Protection

Wear rubber gloves. Avoid contact with skin.

#### Eye/Face Protection

Chemical goggles or safety glasses with side shields. Avoid contact with eyes.

#### **Body Protection**

Normal work wear.

## PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

#### Agent - FM-200®

Appearance

Physical State Liquefied gas under pressure

Color Colorless

Odor Slight ether like
Odor Threshold No data available

pH Neutral Specific Gravity 1.46

Boiling Range/Point (°C/F) -16.4°C/3°F

Melting Point (°C/F) -129.5°C/265°F

Flash Point (PMCC) (°C/F) Not flammable

Vapor Pressure 540 hPa at -30 °C

29,360 hPa at 123 °C

Evaporation Rate (BuAc=1) Not applicable Solubility in Water 0.23 g/l at 25°C

Vapor Density (Air = 1) 5.8

VOC (%) Not applicable

Partition coefficient (n- 2289

octanol/water)

Viscosity Not applicable
Auto-ignition Temperature No data available
Decomposition Temperature No data available

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#### PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Upper explosive limit

Lower explosive limit

Flammability (solid, gas)

Not explosive

Not flammable

Expellant - Nitrogen

Appearance

Odor

Physical State Compressed gas

Color Colorless None

Odor Threshold No data available pH Not applicable

Specific Gravity 0.075 lb/ft³ @70°F as vapor

Boiling Range/Point (°C/F) -196°C/-321 °F
Melting Point (°C/F) No data available
Flash Point (PMCC) (°C/F) Not flammable

Vapor Pressure 838 psig @70°F and 1 atmosphere(Carbon Dioxide)

Evaporation Rate (BuAc=1) No data available
Solubility in Water No data available
Vapor Density (Air = 1) Not applicable

VOC (g/l) None VOC (%) None

Partition coefficient (n-

No data available

octanol/water)

Viscosity
Auto-ignition Temperature
Decomposition Temperature
Upper explosive limit
Lower explosive limit
Flammability (solid, gas)
Not applicable
No data available
Not explosive
Not explosive
Not flammable

#### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

#### Reactivity

Decomposes on heating. Containers may rupture or explode if exposed to heat.

#### Chemical Stability

Stable under normal conditions.

#### Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous polymerization will not occur.

# Conditions to Avoid

Heat - High temperatures - Exposure to direct sunlight

#### Incompatible Materials

Powdered metals (ex. aluminum, zinc, etc.) - strong oxidizing agents - strong reducing agents - strong alkalis

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## Hazardous Decomposition Products

Oxides of carbon - hydrogen halides - fluorocarbons - carbonyl halides

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## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### **Acute Toxicity**

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4 hour LC50(rat) >788,698 ppm

Low Observed Adverse Effect Concentration (LOAEC)/dog: 105000 ppm

Cardiac sensitization

No Observed Adverse Effect Concentration (NOAEC)/dog: 90000 ppm

Nitrogen

Simple asphyxiant

## Specific Target Organ Toxicity (STOT) - single exposure

Nitrogen: Exposure to nitrogen gas at high concentrations can cause suffocation by reducing oxygen available for breathing. Breathing very high concentrations can cause dizziness

# Specific Target Organ Toxicity (STOT) - repeat exposure

No relevant studies identified.

#### Serious Eye damage/Irritation

Not expected to cause eye irritation based on review of properties of the substance.

#### Skin Corrosion/Irritation

Not expected to cause skin irritation based on review of properties of the substance.

#### Respiratory or Skin Sensitization

FM-200®: Not expected to cause skin sensitization based on review of properties of the substance. Did not cause respiratory sensitization in laboratory animals.

#### Carcinogenicity

Not considered carcinogenic by NTP, IARC, and OSHA.

## Germ Cell Mutagenicity

FM-200®: Animal testing and testing on bacterial or mammalian cell cultures did not show mutagenic effects.

## Reproductive Toxicity

FM-200<sup>®</sup>: Animal testing showed no reproductive toxicity. (Based on data obtained from similar substances.) Animal testing showed no developmental toxicity.

#### Aspiration Hazard

Not an aspiration hazard.

#### Other

FM-2008: Cardiac sensitization threshold limit: 730190 mg/m3

# 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### Ecotoxicity

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LC50 > 200 mg/l zebra fish 96h

EC50> 200 mg/l Water flea 48h

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#### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

## Mobility in soil

No relevant studies identified.

#### Persistence/Degradability

Not readily biodegradable.

#### Bioaccumulative Potential

No relevant studies identified.

#### Other adverse effects

No relevant studies identified.

# 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

#### Disposal Methods

Dispose of container in accordance with all applicable local and national regulations. Do not cut puncture or weld on or near to the container. If spilled, contents will vaporize to the atmosphere.

## TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Safety Data Sheet information is intended to address a specific material and not various forms or states of containment. Specific volumes, pressures or hardware configurations containing such materials can dictate various different hazard classifications for transportation and labelling requirements. Under Federal Regulations only trained and qualified individuals are permitted to label and ship products following the applicable Department of Transportation (DOT), Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), Transport Canada (TC), International Maritime Dangerous Goods (IMDG) or International Air Transport Association (IATA) requirements.

#### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

#### United States TSCA Inventory

All components of this product are in compliance with the inventory listing requirements of the US Toxic Substance Control Act (TSCA) Chemical Substance Inventory.

#### Canada DSL Inventory

All ingredients in this product have been verified for inclusion on the Domestic Substance List (DSL).

## SARA Title III Sect. 311/312 Categorization

Pressure Hazard

SARA Title III Sect. 313

This product does not contain any chemicals listed in Section 313 at or above de minimis concentrations.

#### OTHER INFORMATION

#### NFPA Ratings

NFPA Code for Health - 1

NFPA Code for Flammability - 0

NFPA Code for Reactivity - 0

NFPA Code for Special Hazards - None

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## OTHER INFORMATION

**HMIS Ratings** 

HMIS Code for Health - 1

HMIS Code for Flammability - 0

HMIS Code for Physical Hazard - 0

HMIS Code for Personal Protection - See Section 8

\*Chronic

Legend

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service

IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer N/A: Denotes no applicable information found or available

NTP: National Toxicology Program

OSHA: Occupational Safety and Health Administration

PEL: Permissible Exposure Limit

SDS: Safety Data Sheet

STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit

TLV: Threshold Limit Value

#### Information Source and References

This SDS is prepared by Hazard Communication Specialists based on information provided by internal company references.

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# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

# PYRO-CHEM Wet Chemical Solution

Product Code: 1070-2-004 ANa Issue Date: 07-16-2010

1. Product and Company Identification

Material name PYRO-CHEM Wet Chemical Solution

Version # 01

Revision date 07-16-2010
CAS # Mixture

Product Code 1070-2-004 ANa

Product use Fire extinguishing agent

Manufacturer / Importer /

Supplier

Name Tyco Fire Suppression and Building Products

Address One Stanton Street

Marinette, WI 54143-2542

Phone 715-732-3465

Internet http://www.pyrochem.com

Emergency Phone Number CHEMTREC 800-424-9300 or 703-527-3887

## 2. Hazards Identification

Emergency overview DANGER

Corrosive. Causes skin and eye burns.

OSHA regulatory status This product is considered hazardous under 29 CFR 1910.1200 (Hazard Communication).

Potential health effects

Routes of exposure Eye contact. Skin contact. Inhalation, Ingestion.

Eyes Do not get this material in contact with eyes. Corrosive to the eyes and may cause severe

damage including blindness.

Skin Harmful if absorbed through skin. Causes chemical burns. Do not get this material in contact with

skin.

Inhalation None known.

Ingestion Harmful if swallowed. Do not ingest.

## 3. Composition / Information on Ingredients

Components	CAS#	Percent
Potassium carbonate	584-08-7	40 - 60
Other components below reportable levels		40 - 60

#### 4. First Aid Measures

First aid procedures

Eye contact Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if

present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get medical attention if irritation persists after washing.

Skin contact Wash off with warm water and soap. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

Inhalation Move to fresh air. For breathing difficulties, oxygen may be necessary. Get medical attention, if

needed.

Ingestion Rinse mouth. Do not induce vomiting without advice from poison control center. IF SWALLOWED:

Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician. If vomiting occurs, keep head low so

that stomach content doesn't get into the lungs.

Notes to physician Symptoms may be delayed.

General advice If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible). Ensure that medical

personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to protect themselves.

Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

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## 5. Fire Fighting Measures

Flammable properties

No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted.

**Extinguishing media** 

Suitable extinguishing

media

This product is not flammable. Use extinguishing agent suitable for type of surrounding fire.

**Protection of firefighters** 

Specific hazards arising

from the chemical

None known.

Specific methods **Hazardous combustion** 

products

None known.

None known.

# 6. Accidental Release Measures

Personal precautions

Keep unnecessary personnel away. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages

cannot be contained. Surfaces may become slippery after spillage. Keep upwind.

**Environmental precautions** 

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Avoid discharge into drains, water courses or

onto the ground.

**Methods for containment** 

Stop the flow of material, if this is without risk. Dike the spilled material, where this is possible.

Prevent entry into waterways, sewer, basements or confined areas.

Methods for cleaning up

Should not be released into the environment.

Large Spills: Dike far ahead of spill for later disposal. Use a non-combustible material like vermiculite, sand or earth to soak up the product and place into a container for later disposal.

Small Spills: Wipe up with absorbent material (e.g. cloth, fleece).

Never return spills in original containers for re-use. Following product recovery, flush area with water. Clean surface thoroughly to remove residual contamination.

# 7. Handling and Storage

Handling

Do not get this material in contact with eyes. Avoid contact with skin. Avoid prolonged exposus

Handle and open container with care.

Storage

Store in cool place. Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. Keep out of the reach of children. Use care in handling/storage.

## 8. Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

**Engineering controls** 

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

Personal protective equipment

Eye / face protection Skin protection

Avoid contact with eyes. Chemical goggles are recommended. Avoid contact with the skin. Wear suitable protective clothing.

Respiratory protection

No personal respiratory protective equipment normally required.

General hygiene considerations

Avoid contact with eyes. Avoid contact with skin. Wash hands before breaks and immediately

after handling the product.

#### 9. Physical & Chemical Properties

**Appearance** 

**Form** Liquid.

Color Clear, Colorless.

Odor Odorless. **Physical state** Liquid. 11 - 13Hq

Not available. **Melting point** Freezing point Not available. 230 °F (110 °C) **Boiling point** Not available. Flash point Not available. **Evaporation rate** 

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Flammability limits in air, upper, Not available. % by volume Flammability limits in air, lower, Not available. % by volume Not available. Vapor pressure Not available. Vapor density 1.4 Specific gravity Not available. Relative density Not available. Solubility (water) Partition coefficient Not available (n-octanol/water) Not available. **Auto-ignition temperature Decomposition temperature** Not available. Not available. VOC 10. Chemical Stability & Reactivity Information Material is stable under normal conditions. Chemical stability None known. Conditions to avoid Strong acids. Alkaline metals. Incompatible materials Hazardous decomposition None known. products 11. Toxicological Information The toxicity of this product has not been tested. **Toxicological information** Toxicological data Components **Test Results** Acute Oral LD50 Mouse: 2570 mg/kg Potassium carbonate (584-08-7) Acute Oral LD50 Rat: 1870 mg/kg Local effects Irritating to eyes. Irritating to skin. This product is not considered to be a carcinogen by IARC, ACGIH, NTP, or OSHA. Carcinogenicity 12. Ecological Information An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal. **Environmental effects** Not available. Persistence and degradability 13. Disposal Considerations This product, in its present state, when discarded or disposed of, is not a hazardous waste **Disposal instructions** according to Federal regulations (40 CFR 261.4 (b)(4)). Under RCRA, it is the responsibility of the user of the product to determine, at the time of disposal, whether the product meets RCRA criteria for hazardous waste. Dispose of waste material according to Local, State, Federal, and Provincial Environmental Regulations. Waste from residues / unused Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. products 14. Transport Information Not regulated as dangerous goods. 15. Regulatory Information US federal regulations This product is a "Hazardous Chemical" as defined by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200. All components are on the U.S. EPA TSCA Inventory List. CERCLA/SARA Hazardous Substances - Not applicable.

#### **CERCLA (Superfund) reportable quantity**

None

#### Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)

Hazard categories Acute Health - Yes

Chronic Health - No Fire Hazard - No Pressure Hazard - No Reactivity Hazard - No

Inventory name

Section 302 extremely hazardous substance

No

Section 311 hazardous

Country(s) or region

chemical

No

# **Inventory status**

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Australia	Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS)	Yes
Canada	Domestic Substances List (DSL)	Yes
Canada	Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)	No
China	Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China (IECSC)	Yes
Europe	European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS)	Yes
Europe	European List of Notified Chemical Substances (ELINCS)	No
Japan	Inventory of Existing and New Chemical Substances (ENCS)	Yes
Korea	Existing Chemicals List (ECL)	Yes
New Zealand	New Zealand Inventory	Yes
Philippines	Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances (PICCS)	Yes

\*A "Yes" indicates that all components of this product comply with the inventory requirements administered by the governing country(s)

Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory

State regulations

This product does not contain a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth-

defects or other reproductive harm.

#### 16. Other Information

United States & Puerto Rico

Further information HMIS® is a registered trade and service mark of the NPCA.

HMIS® ratings Health: 2

Flammability: 0 Physical hazard: 0

NFPA ratings Health: 2

Flammability: 0 Instability: 0

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other materials or in any process, unless specified in the text.

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On inventory (ves/no)\*

Yes

# STRIKE FIRST CORPORATION

777 Tapscott Road Scarborough, Ontario MIX 1A2

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Prepared to US OSHA, CMA. ANSI and Canadian WHMIS Standards

Section 1.

CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

TRADE NAME (AS LABELED): WET CHEMICAL SOLUTION (SF-6LK)

PRODUCT USE:

Fire Extinguishing Agent

MANUFACTURER'S NAME:

STRIKE FIRST CORPORATION

ADDRESS:

777 Tapscott Road Scarborough, ON

M1X 1A2

**BUSINESS PHONE:** 

416.299.7767

DATE OF REVISION:

Feb. 6, 2015

Section 2.

HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

**Emergency overview:** 

Corrosive. Causes skin and eye irritation

Potential acute health effects

Routes of entry:

Skin contact. Eye contact. Inhalation. Ingestion.

Eyes:

Do not get this material in contact with eyes. Corrosive to the eyes and may cause severe

damage including severe irritation

Skin:

May cause mild skin irritation. Prolonged contact may cause dryness of the skin. May irritate respiratory tract. May cause transient cough or shortness of breath

Inhalation: Ingestion:

Harmful if swallowed. Do not ingest.

Potential chronic

health effect:

Carcinogenic effects: Not classified or listed by IARC, NTP, OSHA, EU and ACGIH.

Mutagenic effects: Not available. Teratogenic effects: Not available. Reproductive effects: Not available

Section 3.

COMPOSITION, INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Components:

Potassium Citrate:

Concentration

**CAS NUMBER** 

6100-05-6

Potassium Acetate:

Concentration

**CAS NUMBER** 

20 - 30 %

1 - 10 %

127-08-2

Water:

Concentration

**CAS NUMBER** 

50 - 60 %

7732-18-5

Section 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Prompt medical attention is mandatory in all cases of overexposure to this solution.

Eye contact: Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if

present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get medical attention if irritation persists after

washing.

Skin Contact: Inhalation: Wash off with warm water and soap. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists. Move to fresh air. For breathing difficulties, oxygen may be necessary. Get medical attention,

if needed.

Ingestion:

Rinse mouth. Do not induce vomiting without advice from poison control center. IF

SWALLOWED:

Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician. If vomiting occurs, keep head low

so that stomach content doesn't get into the lungs.

Notes to physician:

Treat symptomatically. Symptoms may be delayed.

# Section 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Flammability of the product: Non-flammable.

Extinguishing media:

Suitable extinguishing media:

Use an extinguishing agent suitable for the surrounding fire.

This preparation is used as an extinguishing agent and therefore is not a problem when trying to control a blaze. Use extinguishing agent appropriate to other materials involved. Keep pressurized extinguishers and surroundings cool with water

spray as they may rupture or burst in the heat of a fire.

Special protective equipment

for fire-fighters:

Fire-fighters should wear appropriate protective equipment and self-contained

breathing apparatus (SCBA) with full face-piece operated in positive pressure

mode.

# Section 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions: EVACUATE ALL PERSONNEL FROM AFFECTED AREA

Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained.

Surfaces may become slippery after spillage. Keep upwind.

**Environmental precautions:** 

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Avoid discharge into drains,

water courses or onto the ground.

Methods for cleaning up:

Should not be released into the environment.

Large Spills: Dike far ahead of spill for later disposal. Use a non-combustible material like vermiculite, sand or earth to soak up the product and place into a

container for later disposal.

Small Spills: Wipe up with absorbent material (e.g. cloth, fleece).

Never return spills in original containers for re-use. Following product recovery. flush area with water. Clean surface thoroughly to remove residual contamination.

#### Section 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Pressurized extinguishers should be properly stored and secured to prevent falling or being knocked over. Do not drag, slide or roll extinguishers. Do not drop extinguishers or permit them to strike against each other. Never apply flame or localized heat directly to any part of the extinguisher or plastic container. Store pressurized extinguishers and plastic containers away from high heat sources. Storage area should be: - cool - dry - well ventilated - under cover - out of direct sunlight.

Handling: Do not get this material in contact with eyes. Avoid contact with skin. Avoid prolonged

exposure. Handle and open container with care,

Storage: Store in cool place. Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. Keep out of

the reach of children. Use care in handling/storage.

## Section 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Engineering controls: Use only in well-ventilated areas.

Personal protection

Respiratory: Use supplied air respiratory protection if required. If respiratory protection is required, follow the

requirements of the Federal OSHA Respiratory Protection Standard (29 CFR 1910.134), or equivalent

State standard.

Hands: Wear glove protection appropriate to the specific operation for which this gas is used.

Eyes: Safety glasses with side shields.

Skin/Body: Use body protection appropriate for task. Pressurized product may require use of fire retardant clothing.

Metal cap safety shoes, are recommended when handling cylinders.









Some applications of this product may require additional or other specific protective clothing. Please consult your supervisor.

Personal protection: Safety glasses with side shields, goggles or face shield. Impervious gloves. Protective

clothing. Metal cap safety shoes.

# Section 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical state: Liquid. Color: Coloriess.

Odor: Mild Odor.
Boiling/condensation point: 110C (230F).
Melting/freezing point; Not available

pH: 8 - 9. Specific gravity: 1.1 - 1.2

Vapor density: Not available (Air = 1).

Solubility (@20C): Soluble in the following materials: water.

## Section 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability and reactivity: This product is stable. Incompatibility: Strong oxidizing agents.

Hazardous:

decomposition products: Not known.

Hazardous polymerization: Carbon oxides, potassium oxides

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## Section 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Acute Effects** 

Inhalation:

None expected.

Skin:

Prolonged contact may cause dryness to skin.

Eyes:

May cause temporary eye irritation.

Ingestion:

No harmful effects expected in amounts likely to be ingested by accident.

Potential chronic

Carcinogenic effects: Not classified or listed by IARC, NTP, OSHA, EU, ACGIH.

health effects:

Mutagenic effects: Not available Teratogenic effects: Not available

# Section 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Mobility:

No relevant studies identified No relevant studies identified No relevant studies identified

Bio-accumulation: Ecotoxicity:

Persistence/Degradability:

No relevant studies identified

#### Section 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATION

Disposal:

This product, in its present state, when discarded or disposed of, is not a hazardous waste according to Federal regulations (40 CFR 261.4 (b)(4)). Under RCRA, it is the responsibility of the user of the product to determine, at the time of disposal, whether the product meets RCRA criteria for hazardous waste. Dispose of waste material according to Local, State, Federal, and Provincial Environmental Regulations.

Waste from residues:

Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

#### Section 14. TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

DOT/TC:

Not regulated

**UN Proper Shipping Name:** 

Not regulated

UN Class:

None

UN Number:

None

UN Packaging Group:

None

When shipped in a stored pressure type fire extinguisher, and with a non-flammable, non-toxic inert expellant gas, the fire extinguisher is considered a hazardous material by the US Department of Transportation and Transport Canada. The proper shipping name shall be FIRE EXTINGUISHER and the UN designation is UN 1044. The DOT hazard class / division is 2.2. Non-flammable Gas. Packing Group – N/A.

## Section 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

#### US REGULATIONS (Federal, State) and INTERNATIONAL CHEMICAL REGISTRATION LAWS

TSCA Listing:

This product contains ingredients that are listed on or exempt from listing on the EPA Toxic

Substance Control Act Chemical Substance Inventory.

**EINECS Listing:** 

All ingredients in this product are listed on the European Inventory of Existing Commercial

Chemical Substances (EINECS) or are exempt from listing.

DSL/NDSL (Canadian) Listing: All ingredients in this product are listed on the Dom

g: All ingredients in this product are listed on the Domestic Substance List (DSL) or

the Non-Domestic Substance List (NDSL) or are exempt from listing.

WHMIS Classification:

D2B

This product was classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Canadian Controlled

Products Regulations and the MSDS contains all the information required by these

regulations.

MA Right To Know Law: All components have been checked for inclusion on the Massachusetts Substance List (MSL).

Those components present at or above the de minimus concentration include: none

PA Right To Know Law: This product contains the following chemicals found on the Pennsylvania Hazardous

Substance List: -none

NJ Right To Know Law: This product contains the following chemicals found on the NJ Right To Know Hazardous

Substance List: - none

California Proposition 65: This product does not contain materials which the State of California has found to cause

cancer, birth defects or other reproductive harm.

SARA Title III Sect. 302 (EHS): This product does not contain any chemicals subject to SARA Title III Section 302.

SARA Title III Sect. 304: This product does not contain any chemicals subject to SARA Title III Section 304.

SARA Title III Sect. 311/312 Categorization: - Immediate (Acute) Health Hazard

SARA Title III Sect. 313: This product does not contain any chemicals that are listed in Section 313 at or above de

minimis concentrations.

#### Section 16. OTHER INFORMATION

#### WHMIS (Canada): Information System (USA)

HEALTH	(01,01)	1
FIRE HAZARD	(RED)	0
REACTIVITY	(VELLOW)	0
PERSONAL PROTECT	TION (WHITE)	G



REACTIVITY

Consult an Industrial Hygienist or other trained person when you make your safety evaluation of the end product. Remember, gases and liquids have properties which can cause serious injury or death.

Acronyms: ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygiene.

IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer.

NIOSH: National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health.

OSHA: Occupational Safety and Health Administration

NTP: National Toxicology program.

SARA: Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act.

PEL: Permissible Exposure Limit.

IDLH: Immediately Dangerous to Life and Health.

NE: Not established. C: Ceiling Limit.

DSL: Domestic Substance List. NDSL: Non-Domestic Substance List, CFR: Code of Federal Regulations. TSCA: Toxic Substance Control Act.

#### Notice to reader

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