

SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. IDENTIFICATION

Product identifier

Product Name Ammonia Nitrogen 1 Reagent

Other means of identification

Product Code(s) 1455523

Safety data sheet number M00944

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended Use Determination of ammonium nitrogen Water Analysis

Uses advised against Consumer use

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Initial Supplier Identifier

Hach Sales & Service LP. 3020 Gore Road, London, Ontario N5V 4T7 Canada Tel: 1-800-665-7635

Manufacturer Address

Hach Company, P.O. Box 389, Loveland, CO 80539, USA, +1(970) 669-3050

Emergency telephone number

Emergency Telephone Chemtrec 1-800-424-9300

CANUTEC 613-992-4624

2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

Classification

Corrosive to metals	Category 1
Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 1 Sub-category A
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 1

Label elements

Signal word - Danger

Hazard statements

H290 - May be corrosive to metals

H314 - Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

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Precautionary Statements

P260 - Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray

P301 + P330 + P331 - IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting

P303 + P361 + P353 - IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water [or shower]

P363 - Wash contaminated clothing before reuse

P304 + P340 - IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing

P405 - Store locked up

P501 - Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant

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

P305 + P351 + P338 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing

P310 - Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor

P234 - Keep only in original packaging

P390 - Absorb spillage to prevent material damage

Unknown Acute Toxicity

0 % of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity.

- 0 % of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown acute oral toxicity
- 0 % of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown acute dermal toxicity
- 0 % of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown acute inhalation toxicity (dust/mist)
- 0 % of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown acute inhalation toxicity (vapour)
- 0 % of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown acute inhalation toxicity (gas)

Other Hazards Known

Not applicable.

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Substance

Not applicable

Mixture

Chemical Family

Mixture.

Chemical nature aqueous solution.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Description of first aid measures

General advice Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Immediate medical attention is

required.

Inhalation Remove to fresh air. If breathing has stopped, give artificial respiration. Get medical

attention immediately. Do not use mouth-to-mouth method if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; give artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other proper respiratory medical device. If breathing is difficult, (trained personnel

should) give oxygen. Delayed pulmonary edema may occur.

Eve contact Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes.

BE / HGHS Page 2/12 Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Keep eye wide open while rinsing. Do not rub affected area. Get immediate medical advice/attention.

Skin contact Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated clothes

and shoes. Get immediate medical advice/attention.

Ingestion Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Never give anything by mouth

to an unconscious person. Do NOT induce vomiting. Get immediate medical

advice/attention.

Self-protection of the first aider Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Wear personal protective clothing (see section 8).

Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, take precautions to protect themselves and prevent spread of contamination. Avoid direct contact with skin. Use

barrier to give mouth-to-mouth resuscitation.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms Burning sensation.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Note to doctors Product is a corrosive material. Use of gastric lavage or emesis is contra-indicated. Possible

perforation of stomach or esophagus should be investigated. Do not give chemical

antidotes. Asphyxia from glottal edema may occur. Marked decrease in blood pressure may

occur with moist rales, frothy sputum, and high pulse pressure.

5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the **Suitable Extinguishing Media**

surrounding environment.

Caution: Use of water spray when fighting fire may be inefficient. **Unsuitable Extinguishing Media**

Specific hazards arising from the

chemical

The product causes burns of eyes, skin and mucous membranes. Thermal decomposition

can lead to release of irritating gases and vapours.

This material will not burn. **Hazardous combustion products**

Special protective equipment for

fire-fighters

Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full firefighting turnout gear.

Use personal protection equipment.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

WHMIS Notice Only persons properly qualified to respond to an emergency involving hazardous

substances should respond to a spill involving chemicals. See Section 13, Special

Instructions for disposal assistance.

Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal Personal precautions

protective equipment as required. Attention! Corrosive material. Evacuate personnel to safe

areas. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak.

Other Information Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 7 and 8.

Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Should not be released into the

environment. Do not allow to enter into soil/subsoil. Prevent product from entering drains.

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Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for containment Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

Methods for cleaning up Pick up and transfer to properly labelled containers.

Prevention of secondary hazards Clean contaminated objects and areas thoroughly observing environmental regulations.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid contact with

skin, eyes or clothing. In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment. Handle product only in closed system or provide appropriate exhaust ventilation. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before

reuse.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Protect from

moisture. Store locked up. Keep out of the reach of children. Store away from other

materials.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control parameters

Exposure Limits

Legend See section 16 for terms and abbreviations

Appropriate engineering controls

Engineering Controls

Showers

Eyewash stations Ventilation systems.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions. If exposure limits are

exceeded or irritation is experienced, ventilation and evacuation may be required.

Hand Protection Wear suitable gloves. Impervious gloves. Barrier creams may help to protect the exposed

areas of skin. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. The selected protective gloves have to satisfy the specifications of EU Directive 2016/425 and the standard EN 374-1:2016 derived from it. Chemical resistant gloves made of butyl rubber or nitrile rubber category III acco.

Eye/face protection Face protection shield.

Skin and body protection Wear suitable protective clothing. Long sleeved clothing. Chemical resistant apron. Avoid

contact with eyes, skin and clothing.

General Hygiene Considerations Wear suitable gloves and eye/face protection. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this

product. Regular cleaning of equipment, work area and clothing is recommended. Avoid

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contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Remove and wash contaminated clothing and gloves, including the inside, before re-use. Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

Environmental exposure controls

Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained. Do not allow

into any sewer, on the ground or into any body of water.

Thermal hazards None under normal processing.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state

Liquid

Appearance Odour

aqueous solution Odourless

Colour

Colorless to light yellow

Odour threshold Not applicable

Property Values Remarks • Method

Molecular weight Not applicable

10.0 pН

@ 20 °C

Melting point/freezing point No data available

~ 100 °C / 212 °F Boiling point / boiling range

Evaporation rate 0.46 (water = 1)

Vapour pressure No data available

No data available Relative vapor density

Specific gravity (water = 1 / air = 1) 1.163

No information available Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water)

Soil Organic Carbon-Water Partition

Coefficient

No data available

No data available **Autoignition temperature**

Decomposition temperature No information available

No data available Dynamic viscosity

Kinematic viscosity No information available

Solubility(ies)

Water solubility

Water solubility classification	Water solubility	Water Solubility Temperature
Soluble	> 1000 mg/L	25 °C / 77 °F

Solubility in other solvents

Chemical Name	Solubility classification	<u>Solubility</u>	Solubility Temperature
Acid	Soluble	> 1000 mg/L	25 °C / 77 °F

Other information

Metal Corrosivity

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Steel Corrosion Rate

No data available
Aluminum Corrosion Rate

No data available

Volatile Organic Compounds (VOC) Content

Explosive properties

Upper explosion limitNo information availableLower explosion limitNo information available

Flammable properties

Flash point No data available

Flammability Limit in Air

Upper flammability limit:No data availableLower flammability limitNo data available

Oxidising properties No data available.

Bulk density

No data available

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity

Corrosive on contact with water. Corrosive to metal.

Chemical stability

Stability Stable under normal conditions.

Explosion data

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact None Sensitivity to Static Discharge None.

Possibility of hazardous reactions

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions None under normal processing.

Hazardous polymerisation

None under normal processing.

Conditions to avoid

Conditions to avoid Exposure to air or moisture over prolonged periods.

Incompatible materials

Incompatible materials Oxidising agent. Acids. Bases.

Hazardous decomposition products

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating and toxic gases and vapours.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on likely routes of exposure

Product Information

Inhalation Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Corrosive by inhalation.

(based on components). Inhalation of corrosive fumes/gases may cause coughing, choking,

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headache, dizziness, and weakness for several hours. Pulmonary edema may occur with tightness in the chest, shortness of breath, bluish skin, decreased blood pressure, and increased heart rate. Inhaled corrosive substances can lead to a toxic edema of the lungs.

Pulmonary edema can be fatal.

Eve contact Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Causes burns. (based on

components). Corrosive to the eyes and may cause severe damage including blindness.

Causes serious eye damage. May cause irreversible damage to eyes.

Skin contact Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. May cause irritation.

Ingestion Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Causes burns. (based on

components). Ingestion causes burns of the upper digestive and respiratory tracts. May cause severe burning pain in the mouth and stomach with vomiting and diarrhea of dark blood. Blood pressure may decrease. Brownish or yellowish stains may be seen around the mouth. Swelling of the throat may cause shortness of breath and choking. May cause lung

damage if swallowed. May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.

Symptoms Redness. Burning. May cause blindness. Coughing and/ or wheezing.

Acute toxicity

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

Mixture

No data available.

Ingredient Acute Toxicity Data

No data available.

Unknown Acute Toxicity

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Acute Toxicity Estimations (ATE)

The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document

ATEmix (oral)	33,798.00
ATEmix (dermal)	No information available
ATEmix (inhalation-dust/mist)	No information available
ATEmix (inhalation-vapour)	No information available
ATEmix (inhalation-gas)	No information available

Skin corrosion/irritation

May cause skin irritation.

No data available.

Ingredient Skin Corrosion/Irritation Data

No data available.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Classification based on data available for ingredients. Causes burns. Risk of serious damage to eyes.

Mixture

No data available.

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Ingredient Eye Damage/Eye Irritation Data

No data available.

Respiratory or skin sensitisation

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Mixture

No data available.

Ingredient Sensitization Data

No data available.

STOT - single exposure

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Mixture

No data available.

Ingredient Specific Target Organ Toxicity Single Exposure Data

No data available.

STOT - repeated exposure

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Mixture

No data available.

Ingredient Specific Target Organ Toxicity Repeat Exposure Data

No data available.

Carcinogenicity

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Mixture

No data available.

Ingredient Carcinogenicity Data

No data available.

Legend

ACGIH (American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists)	Does not apply
IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)	Does not apply
NTP (National Toxicology Program)	Does not apply
OSHA (Occupational Safety and Health Administration of the US Department of	Does not apply
Labour)	

Germ cell mutagenicity

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Mixture invitro Data

No data available.

Substance invitro Data

No data available.

Product Germ Cell Mutagenicity invivo Data

No data available.

Ingredient Germ Cell Mutagenicity invivo Data

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No data available.

Reproductive toxicity

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Mixture

No data available.

Ingredient Reproductive Toxicity Data

No data available.

Aspiration hazard

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

Unknown Acute Toxicity 0 % of the mixture consists of component(s) of unknown hazards to the aquatic

environment.

Product Ecological Data

Acute aquatic toxicity

No data available.

Aquatic Chronic Toxicity

No data available.

Ingredient Ecological Data

Acute aquatic toxicity

No data available.

Aquatic Chronic Toxicity

No data available.

Persistence and degradability

Product Biodegradability Data

No data available.

Product Bioaccumulation Data

No data available.

Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water)

No information available

Mobility

Soil Organic Carbon-Water Partition Coefficient No data available

Other adverse effects

No information available

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste treatment methods

Waste from residues/unused products

Dispose of waste in accordance with environmental legislation. Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

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Contaminated packaging Do not reuse empty containers.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Not regulated **Transport Canada**

TDG Not regulated

Not regulated IATA

Not regulated **IMDG**

Additional information

There is a possibility that this product could be contained in a reagent set or kit composed of various compatible dangerous goods.

If the item is not in a reagent set or kit, the classification given above applies.

If the item is part of a reagent set or kit the classification would change to the following:

UN3316 Chemical Kit, Hazard Class 9, Packing Group II or III.

If the item is not regulated, the Chemical Kit classification does not apply.

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Regulatory information

National Inventories

Complies DSL/NDSL

DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

International Inventories

Complies **TSCA** Complies **EINECS/ELINCS** Complies **ENCS** Complies **IECSC KECL - Existing substances** Complies Complies **PICCS** Complies **TCSI** Complies **AICS NZIoC** Complies

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances

ENCS - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances

IECSC - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

KECL - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

TCSI - Taiwan Chemical Substances Inventory

AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

Canada - CEPA - Mercury Containing Products

None

International Regulations

The Montreal Protocol on Not applicable

Substances that Deplete the Ozone

Layer

BE / HGHS Page 10/12 The Stockholm Convention on **Persistent Organic Pollutants**

Not applicable

The Rotterdam Convention Not applicable

16. OTHER INFORMATION

Special Comments

NFPA and HMIS Classifications

NFPA	Health hazards - 3	h hazards - 3 Flammability - 0 Instability	Instability - 0	Physical and chemical properties -
HMIS	Health hazards - 3	Flammability - 0	Physical hazards - 0	Personal protection - X

Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet

NIOSH IDLH Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health

ACGIH ACGIH (American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists)

NDF no data

Legend - Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit) **TWA** TWA (time-weighted average) STEL

MAC MAC Ceiling Limit Value Ceiling

Listed Vacated These values have no official status. The only Χ

binding levels of contaminants are those listed in the final OSHA PEL. These lists are for reference purposes only. Please note that some reference state regulations of these " liberated "exposure limits in their state

regulations.

Skin sensitisation SKN* Skin designation SKN+ **RSP** Respiratory sensitisation **Hazard Designation** R Carcinogen Reproductive toxicant

M mutagen

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None

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