

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

Date 06-22-2015

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

Product identifier

Product name Aluminum Sulfate Solution

Other means of identification

Synonyms Sulfuric Acid, Aluminum Salt (3:2)

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use [RU) No information available Uses advised against No information available

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Supplier Deep South Chemical, Inc. 229 Millstone Road Broussard, LA 70518 1-337-837-9931 Hours: Monday-Friday 8:00-5:00 CST (Central Standard Time)

Emergency telephone number

24 Hour Emergency Phone Number CHEMTREC: (800) 424-9300 Outside USA -00 1 (703) 527-3887 collect calls accepted

Contact Point info@deep-south-chemical.com

# 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification

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

Skin corrosion/lirritation	Category 1
Serious eve damage/eve irritation	Category 1
Corrosive to metals	Category 1
Skin corrosion/lirritation	Categorv 1
Serious eve damage/eve irritation	Categorv 1
Corrosive to metals	Category 1

GHS Label elements. including precautionary statements

# **EMERGENCY OVERVIEW**

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Corrosive to met, vellow, Precautionary Statements -Prevention	
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liquid Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face p colorless to yellow brown on yellow after Keep only in original container	
clear	
odorless Precautionary Statements –Response	
No informatione disableall a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician	
IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Ren	move contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing
Values IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediateRyearlandusta	m/il/tattabdlothing. Rinse skin with water/shower
Wash contaminated clothing before reuse	
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# **First Aid Measures**

# Eye contact

Remove contact lenses, if worn. Immediately flush with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, holding eyelids apart to ensure flushing of the entire surface. Washing within one minute is essential to achieve maximum effectiveness. Seek medical advice immediately.

#### Skin contact

Immediately flush skin with plenty of soap and water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

#### Ingestion

Do not induce vomiting. Give large amounts of water followed by milk if available. If vomiting should occur spontaneously, keep airway clear. Seek medical advice immediately. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

#### Inhalation

Remove to fresh air. If not breathing give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Call a physician.

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

# Acute effects

Possible eye, skin, and respiratory tract irritation or burns.

#### Chronic effects

May aggravate existing skin, eye, and lung conditions. Persons with kidney disorders have an increased risk from exposure based on general information found on aluminum salts.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

#### Note to physicians:

Aluminum soluble salts may cause gastroenteritis if ingested. Treatment includes the use of demulcents. Note: Consideration should be given to the possibility that overexposure to materials other than this product may have occurred.

# **5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

#### Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media

Not combustible. Use appropriate extinguishing media for material that is supplying fuel. Use water spray to cool the surrounding area and maintain fire temperature below decomposition temperature.

Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons No information available

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

#### Special Hazard

At temperatures above 650 °C (1202 OF) the product will decompose to give off sulfur trioxide, an oxidizing agent that will support combustion. Sulfur trioxide will react with water to yield sulfuric acid.

#### Advice for firefighters

Firefighting measures Cool exposed containers with water spray after extinguishing fire.

Special protective equipment for firefighters

Full protective clothing and approved self-contained breathing apparatus required for firefighting personnel.

#### Explosion data

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact None.

Sensitivity to Static Discharge None.

# 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions

Wear suitable protective clothing and gloves.

Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions

Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system.

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

Soak up small spills with inert absorbent material and place in a labeled waste container for disposal. Clean up large spills with vacuum truck. Provide adequate ventilation to spill area.

# 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling Keep container closed when not in use Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing Wear chemical splash goggles, gloves, and protective clothing when handling. Wash thoroughly after handling Avoid breathing vapor or mist Use with adequate ventilation and employ respiratory protection where mist or vapors may be generated. Do not take internally FOR INDUSTRIAL USE ONLY

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Technical measures and storage conditions Store in a cool, dry place away from direct heat. Do not store below 40°F (5°C). Product may congeal or stratify if cold. Warm to 122° F (50° C) and mix well before using. Keep material from coming in contact with common metals due to the corrosive nature of this product.

Incompatible products

Aluminum sulfate reacts with strong alkali to form aluminum hydroxide. This product may be weakly corrosive to carbon steel and incompatible with strong oxidizing agents, iron, copper, or copper alloys.

# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

# Control parameters

**Exposure Guidelines** 

This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies

Appropriate engineering controls

Engineering controls

Local exhaust ventilation as necessary to maintain exposures to within applicable limits. Please refer to the ACGIH document, "Industrial Ventilation, A Manual of Recommended Practices", most recent edition, for details. If there are no applicable or established exposure limit requirements or guidelines, general ventilation should be sufficient.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face Protection

Wear chemical splash goggles and face shield (when eye and face contact is possible due to splashing or spraying of material).

Hand Protection Appropriate chemical resistant gloves should be worn.

Skin and body protection Standard work clothing and work shoes.

Respiratory protection

If exposures exceed the PEL or TLV, use NIOSH/MSHA approved respirator in accordance with OSHA Respiratory Protection Requirements under 29 CFR 1910.134. If there are no applicable or established exposure limit requirements or guidelines, general ventilation should be sufficient.

Other personal protection data Eyewash fountains and safety showers must be easily accessible.

Hygiene measures

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state Color Appearance Odor Odor threshold	liquid colorless to yellow-brown or yellow-green clear odorless No information available	
Property	Values	Remarks/Method
РН	3.5	solution (1%)
Melting / freezing point	-151 °C / 4 – 30	0 °F No information available
Boiling point/boiling range	101 ºC / 214 ºF	No information available
Flash point	Not applicable	No information available
Evaporation rate	No information avai	lable No information available

Flammability (solid, gas) Flammability Limit in air	No information available	No information available
Upper flammability limit Lower flammability limit	Not applicable Not applicable	No information available No information available
Vapor pressure	No information available	No information available
Vapor density	No information available	No information available
Specific gravity	1.31 – 1.33	No information available
Solubility (water)	soluble	No information available
Solubility in other solvents	No information available	No information available
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	No information available	No information available
Autoignition temperature	Not applicable	No information available
Decomposition temperature	No information available	No information available
Kinematic viscosity	No information available	No information available
Dynamic viscosity	No information available	No information available

Other information

Density	11.075 lb/gal	
Bulk Density	No information available	
Explosive properties	No information available	
Oxidizing properties	No information available	
Softening point	No information available	
Molecular weight	No information available	
Volatile organic compounds (VOCs) content	No information available	
Percent Volatile, wt. %	No information available	

# **10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Reactivity

Reactivity No data available.

Chemical stability

Chem ical stability Stable under normal conditions of handling, use and transportation.

Possibility of hazardous reactions

Possibility of hazardous reactions None under normal processing.

Hazardous polymerization Not anticipated under normal or recommended handling and storage conditions.

#### Conditions to avoid

Conditions to avoid High temperatures greater than 650  $^{\circ}$ C (1202° F) as material may decompose to form aluminum oxide and sulfur trioxide (an oxidizing agent that supports combustion).

#### Incompatible materials

Materials to avoid Aluminum sulfate reacts with strong alkali to form aluminum hydroxide. This product may be weakly corrosive to carbon steel and incompatible with strong oxidizing agents, iron, copper, or copper alloys.

# Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products Sulphur oxides. Aluminum oxide.

# **11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Information on likely routes of exposure

Eye contact Based on pH, this product is expected to cause severe eye irritation, possibly resulting in burns and eye damage. Prolonged exposure to Aluminum salts may cause conjunctivitis.

Skin contact Prolonged and/or repeated contact ¥vill cause severe skin irritation and burns.

Ingestion May cause burns of the mouth, throat and stomach. Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhea.

# Inhalation

Inhalation of mist or spray may irritate respiratory tract and may cause burns and difficulty breathing.

# Acute toxicity -Product Information

Oral LD50 6207 (mouse) 1

Dermal LD50 No information available

Inhalation LC50 No information available

# Acute toxicity -Component Information

Component	Weight-%	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Aluminum sulfate 10043-1-3	<30%	=1930 mg/kg (Rat)		

#### Information on toxicological effects

Symptoms

No information available.

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

Skin corrosionlirritation

No information available

Serious eye damage/eye irritation Severe eye irritation-rabbit-10 mg/24 hour 3

Sensitization No information available

Germ cell mutagenicity No information available

Carcinogenicity This product does not contain any components in concentrations greater than or equal to 0.1 % that are listed as known or suspected carcinogens by NTP, IARC, ACGIH, or OSHA

Reproductive toxicity No information available

Specific target organ toxicity -Single exposure **No information available.** 

Specific target organ toxicity -Repeated exposure No information available

Aspiration hazard **No information available.** 

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

ATEmix (oral) 7148 mg/kg

Other information Unreported route-Guinea pig LD50: 490 mg/kg 4 Unreported route-Mouse LD50: 520 mg/kg 4 Unreported route-Rat LD50: 410 mg/kg 4

British Journal of Industrial Medicine. (British Medical Journal, 1172 Commonwealth Ave., Boston, MA 02134) V.1 -1960
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# **12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Ecotoxicity

Acute aquatic toxicity -Product Information

Fish See ECOTOX: Ecotoxicological Database at <u>http://www.epa.gov/ecotox</u>

Crustacea See ECOTOX: Ecotoxicological Database at http://www.epa.gov/ecotox

Algae/aquatic plants **No information available** Acute aquatic toxicity -Component Information

Component	weight-%	Algea/aquatic plants	Fish	Toxicity to daphnia and other Aquatic invertebrates
Aluminum sulfate	<30%		LC50(96h) = 100 mg/L (Carassius auratus) LC50(96 h static) = 37 gm/L (Gambusia affinis	EC (15min) = 136 mg/L(Daphnia magna)

Persistence and degradability

Persistence and degradability

No information available

Bioaccum ulative potential

Bioaccum ulative potential

No information available

Mobilitv

Mobility

No information available

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT and vPvB assessment

No information available

Other adverse effects

Other information

No other ecological studies have been carried out on this product.

# 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste treatment methods

Disposal of wastes

Do NOT mix with other chemical wastes. Do not put solutions containing this product into sewer systems. Dispose of product in an approved chemical waste landfill or incinerate in accordance with applicable Federal, state and local regulations.

Contaminated packaging Since empty containers retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is emptied.

# RCRA

Is the unused product a RCRA hazardous waste if discarded? (Yes/No) Yes If yes, the EPA Hazardous Waste Code is: D002

D002 (corrosivity)

# **14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

DOT Regulated in quant Reportable Quantity (RQ) DOT shipping Name > RQ	tities above RQ. 17,500 lbs in solution UN3264, Corrosive Liquid, Acidic, Inorganic, N.O.S. (contains aluminum sulfate solution), 8, PG III, RQ, ERG#154
ICAO/IATA	Regulated
UN number	UN3264

Proper shipping name Hazard class Packing group ERG Code	Corrosive Liquid, Acidic, Inorganic, N.O.S. (aluminum sulfate solution) 8 III 8L
IMDG	Regulated
UN number Proper shipping name Hazard class Packing group EmS	UN3264 Corrosive Liquid, Acidic, Inorganic, N.O.S. (aluminum sulfate solution) 8 III F-A; S-B
Harmonized Tariff Number	2833.22
	15. REGULATORY INFORMATION
International Inventories	
TSCA (United States) All ingredients are on the inventory	or exempt from listing
Australia (AICS) All ingredients are on the inventory	or exempt from listing
Canada (DSI) All ingredients are on the inventory	or exempt from listing

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Canada (NDSI) None of the ingredients are on the inventory.

China (IECSC) All ingredients are on the inventory or exempt from listing

EINECS (European Inventory of Existing Chemical SUbstances) All ingredients are on the inventory or exempt from listing

ELINCS (European List of Notified Chemical Substances) None of the ingredients are on the inventory.

ENCS (Japan) All ingredients are on the inventory or exempt from listing

South Korea (KECI) All ingredients are on the inventory or exempt from listing

Philippines (PICCS) All ingredients are on the inventory or exempt from listing

# Legend

TSCA -United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory
 AICS -Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances
 DSLINDSI -Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances list
 IECSC -China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances
 EINECS/ELINCS -European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical SubstancesJEU list of Notified Chemical Substances
 ENCS -Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances
 KECI -Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances
 PICCS -Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

# U.S. Federal Regulations

# CERCLA

This material, as supplied, contains one or more substances regulated as a hazardous substance under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302).

Component	CERCLAfSARA Hazardous Substance RQ	CERCLAISARA -Section 302 Extremely Hazardous	Calculated Product RQ
		Substances TPQs	
Aluminum sulfate 10043-01-3	5000 lb final RQ; 2270 kg final RQ	-	17,500 lbs in solution
Component	CERCLAfSARA Hazardous Substance RQ	CERCLAISARA -Section 302 Extremely Hazardous	Calculated Product RQ
CWA (Clean Water Act)	stances which are regulated poll	Substances TPQs	rer Act (40 CER 122 21 and 40
Aluminum sultate 10043-01-3	5000 lb final RQ; 2270 kg final ' RQ	-	17,500 lbs in solution

# SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories Acute health hazard Yes Chronic health hazard CWA Plazardous Fire hazard CWA Plazardous Substances Quantities \_CWA Priority Pollutants CWA -Toxic Pollutants Aluminum sulfate Present Fire hazard Stop of Pressult

# SARA 313

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

U.S. State Regulations

California Proposition 65	Component	CWA -Hazardous	CWA Reportable Quantities _CWA Priority Pollutants	CWA -Toxic Pollutants
Aluminum sulfate	Present	5000 lb RQ	-	-
10043-01-3				
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U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

Aluminum sulfate 10043-01-3

Massachusetts Right to Know Law		Present
Minnesota Hazardous Substance List		Present
New Jersev Right to Know List		sn 0068
Pennsylvania Right to Know List	Aluminum sulfate 10043-01-3	Environmental hazard
Massachusetts Right to Know Law		Present
Minnesota Hazardous Substance List		Present
New Jersev Right to Know List		sn 0068

Pennsylvania Right to Know List

Environmental hazard

# **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

NFPA Rating	Health -2	Flammability - 0	Instability - 0	Special Hazard -
HMIS Rating	Health - 2	Flammability - 0	Physical hazard - 0	Personal protection – X
Product code Revision Date Revision number	3204M 2015-06-22 1			

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# End of Safety Data Sheet

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